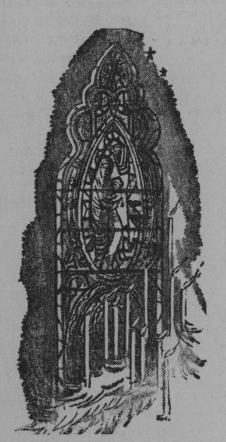
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I

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(OFFICERS WHERE DESIGNATED)

(Dates indicate dates elected)

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Ralph L. Minker, Jr., 1953 H. B. Flater, 1953 A. M. B. Snapp, 1954 Chap. V. M. Goodhand, 1954

b. Board of Child Care:

J. Earl Cummings, 1954 Mrs. Clinton H. Brown, 1954 Mrs. Granville Hooper, 1954 John W. Townsend, 1954 J. J. Von Hagel, 1954

D'Arcey Littleton, 1954 Hartwell F. Chandler, 1959 Alton S. Miller, 1959 Miss M. Grace Riggin, 1959

F. H. Truitt, 1956

Alton S. Miller, 1957

c. Courtesies and Resolutions:

J. R. Hughes, 1956
 R. S. Gibson, 1956
 Chairman, F. H. Truitt
 Secretary, R. S. Gibson

Secretary, R. S. Gibson
Reptv. to Editorial Bd. of Conf. Journal, J. R. Hughes

d. Board of Education:

A. E. Dougherty, 1952
Rufus Benjamin, 1952
J. R. Hughes, 1952
Dale Ruth, 1952
Karldon Van Tine, 1952
Raymond Simmons, 1952
Thomas Rowe, 1952
W. F. Lindell, 1952
Clifford T. Foster, 1952
W. B. Hitchens, 1956
Edwin C. Thomas, 1956
Disciplinary Members.
Wm. F. Dunkle, Jr., 1956
Chairman, James R. Hughes

R. C. Hubbard, 1956
Frampton Carroll, 1956
Wilbur Devilbiss, 1956
Mrs. P. E. Douglas, 1956
F. H. Truitt, 1956
C. E. Covington, 1956
Fulton Downing, 1956
J. Howard Link, 1957
C. E. Lasbury, 1957
Howard Amoss, 1957
Earle B. Tull, 1957
Mrs. I. J. Scott, 1958

e. Conference Education Society:

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Terms Expiring 1961:

Ministers—R. S. Hodgson, D. T. Pritchard, Harold E. Nunemaker Laymen—Samuel Nowell, J. Millard Tawes, William F. Messick

Terms Expiring 1962:

Ministers—William Hudson, F. Douglas Milbury Laymen—Ralph J. O'Day, S. Edward Simpson

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g. Episcopal Residency:

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h. Board of Evangelism:

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Harold Fordham, 1952
Henry Price, 1952
Paul M. Powell, 1952
H. C. Jeffers, 1952
F. M. Volk, 1952
E. L. Bennett, 1952
H. H. Conner, 1952
Rollin Ferry, 1952
Earle F. Dawson, 1952
D. O. Clendaniel, 1952
W. B. Bundick, 1956

Chairman, H. C. Jeffers Secretary, D. O. Clendaniel D. W. Baker, 1956
Austin Banks, 1956
C. B. Nagel, 1956
Lewis C. Boyce, 1956
Granville Hooper, 1956
S. L. Coleman, 1956
Russell Hickman, 1956
W. R. McKnight, 1956
H. N. Nicklas, 1956
Lawrence Gibson, 1957
William Cook, 1957
C. E. Covington, 1958

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1959

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Chairman, Hartwell F. Chandler Vice-Chairman, A. B. Golden Secretary, Mrs. Clinton H. Brown

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C. S. Clarkson
C. L. Trader
R. E. Green

E. Green

Reserves: J. R. Mackey, T. C. Mulligan, T. J. Turkington

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Dover District Lay Leader, John R. Rogers, 1957

Dover District Associates: Paul Powell, 1952 Henry Price, 1957 Elias Tingle, 1957

Easton District Lay Leader, Walter B. Palmer, 1956

Easton District Associates: Carl Plummer, 1956
John Clarence North, 1952
Raymond H. Horace Morgan, 1956
Simmons, 1952

Salisbury District Lay Leader, Elton W. Parsons, 1956

Salisbury District Associates: Wm. R. McKnight, 1956 John T. Bruehl, 1956 Elton Whittington, 1956

Wilmington District Lay Leader, Clifford T. Foster, 1956

Wilmington District Associates:
David R. Montgomery, 1952
William Graham, 1956

Thomas S. Lodge, 1956 Lawrence S. Gibson, 1956

m. Legislative Committees:

For Delaware:
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H. Kirby Krams, 1953
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Henry Grave, 1954
Paul Powell, 1954
Robert J. Brendt, 1955
Howell O. Wilkins, 1957

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Commission on World Service and Finance

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1959

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t. Board of Pensions:

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Clinton H. Brown, 1952
J. T. Holt, 1952
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Willard W. Heisler, 1956
Granville Hooper, 1956
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O. G. Brewer, Jr., 1956
W. O. Hackett, 1956
Ira E. Doyle, 1956
Preston W. Spence, 1957
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The Host District Lay Leader
The Secretary of the Conference
The Resident Bishop

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Board of Missions

w. Committee on Conference Relations:

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D. T. Pritchard, 1952
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Walter L. Beckwith, 1957
Preston W. Spence, 1957
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x. Rules:

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y. Social and Economic Relations:

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W. H. Hudson, 1952
J. B. Dickerson, 1952
Brady Dayton, 1952
Kenneth Roper, 1952
Mrs. Harry Hygate, 1952
Marvin H. McKay, 1952
Ralph Nichols, 1952
R. M. Green, 1952
J. J. Bunting, Jr., 1952
R. L. Minker, Jr., 1952
W. B. Simpson, 1952

Jos. Brosius, 1952
Geo. T. Macklin, 1952
Wilmer Fell Davis, 1952
E. Clyde Walls, 1952
Carl Plummer, 1956
J. T. Churn, 1956
A. J. Blundon, 1956
C. L. Trader, 1957
A. Wellington Tawes, 1957
F. O. Baynard, 1958
Richard C. Stazesky, 1959
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G. W. Wheatley, 1952
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Elwood Gruell, 1952
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1959

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Committee on Social and Economic Relations

h1. Commission on World Service and Finance:

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Paul E. McCoy, 1952 John Clarence North, 1956
D. O. Hornung, 1952 A. L. Fleming, 1956
Otis F. Figgs, 1952 H. Kirby Krams, 1957
George P. Chandler, 1952 George Nelson, 1959
Alton S. Miller, 1956

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1959

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Ministerial—Ralph L. Minker, J. R. Mackey, J. B. Vaughn. Lay—A. L. Fleming, Hamilton P. Fox, Jr., W. Twilley Malone, Elton W. Parsons.

Wilmington-

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Salisbury-

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Wilmington-

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Research-

Publicity-

Camp Council-

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1898 John W. Jones

1900 Charles I. Flory

1900 Clarence N. Jones

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1903 Walter E. Gunby

1903 Thomas C. Jones

1904 Edward J. Bond

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1905 Lewis B. Morgan

1906 Charles M. Elderdice

1907 John R. Bicking

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1907 Tilghman Smith

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1914 John N. Link

1914 William J. McKee

1914 Essell P. Thomas

1915 Alpha B. Frye

1915 Ralph C. Jones

1916 James P. Adams

1916 John P. George

1916 Otis B. Reed

1916 Roy T. Thawley

1916 Lester E. Windsor

1917 Charles H. Atkins

1917 Peter M. R. Schauer

1918 Robert S. Hodgson

1918 John W. Wootten

1919 Andrew T. McFarland

1919 John W. Townsend

1920 Edward C. Graham

1920 Gilbert E. Turner

1920 Frank M. Volk

1921 J. Earl Cummings

1921 Charles E. Davis

1921 Sylvanus T. Hamblin

1921 Henry G. Holdway

1922 Otho G. Brewer

1922 Thomas C. Mulligan

1922 Wingate D. Short

1922 Thomas J. Turkington

1923 F. B. Bailey

1923 Louis C. Randall

1923 John A. Trader

1923 Lawrence E. Wimbrow

1924 Harry N. Bailey

1924 John E. Parker

1926 Sidney B. Bradley

1926 Charles W. Branford

1926 Harry V. Branford 1926 E. E. Coleman

1926 Preston W. Spence

1917 Charles H. Dobson

W. S. Grant

1918 Edmund W. Henvis

1918 Arthur J. Jackson

1918 Gilbert S. Ross

1919 Guy E. Leister

1919 J. Leas Green

1919 Earl M. Shockley

1919 John H. Whedbee

1921 Joseph B. Pettus

1923 Walter G. Barlow

1923 Roy L. Jones

1925 Henry M. Parks

1926 Frank A. Baker

1926 W. Irvin Collins

1926 W. A. Donaway 1926 Otis P. Jefferson

1927 John R. Diehl 1927 Conrad Hamer

1927 Rufus W. Mills

1927 Paul E. Reynolds

1928 Robert E. Green

1928 James O'Neil

1928 Albert M. B. Snapp

1928 Roy L. Tawes

1929 Charles I. Carpenter

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1929 Grayson H. Wheatley

1930 Henry T. Caldwell

1930 William J. Ennis 1930 Frank D. Milbury

1931 Richard M. Green

1931 Jacob C. Hanby

1931 William H. Kohl 1931 James F. Langrall 1931 Joseph B. Vaughn

1932 Lee Elliott 1932 James J. VonHagel

1932 James M. Kay 1932 Henry N. Nicklas

1932 Walter H. Stone

1933 Joseph B. Dickerson 1933 Ray W. Kirwan

1933 D'Arcy A. Littleton

1934 John E. French 1934 Daniel T. Pritchard

1934 Henry H. Schauer

1935 Elmer L. Bennett 1935 Frank G. Buckley

1935 Ewell E. Crockett

1935 Waldo L. Dise

1935 Harvey B. Flater 1935 Walter A. Glass

1935 Richard C. Hubbard

1935 John E. Jones 1935 Robert E. Van Cleaf

1936 Walter L. Beckwith 1936 Charles S. Clarkson

1936 Ira E. Crum

1936 Vernon M. Goodhand

1936 Frederick H. Truitt 1936 Elmer R. Shield

1937 William P. Kesmodel

1937 Robert F. Loss

1938 Kenneth M. Dickey

1938 Harold Fordham

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1938 Harry K. Krams

1938 Paul E. McCoy

1938 J. Robert Mackey

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1939 David W. Baker 1939 George W. Goodley, Jr.

1940 Frank O. Baynard 1940 William H. Hudson

1941 John J. Bunting, Jr.

1941 Harry H. Conner 1941 Raymond J. Cooke

1941 Harold M. Davis

1941 Edward J. Hemphill, Jr.

1941 Ralph W. Hopkins 1941 Donald C. Hornung

1941 Alton S. Miller

1942 William O. Hackett 1942 J. Howard Link

1942 George H. Pigueron, Jr.

1943 Addison L. Smith

1944 Perry O. Hill

1945 Ellwood W. Cursey 1945 Rollan E. Ferry

1945 William D. Geoghegan 1945 William H. Revelle, Jr. 1945 Donzell C. Wildey

1945 Howell O. Wilkins

1947 Alexander E. Dougherty

1947 Rudolph G. Given 1947 Dale L. Ruth

1948 Gerald A. Foster

1948 Edwin J. Horney

1949 Otho Gracen Brewer, Jr. 1949 William Hemphill, Jr.

1949 James Richard Hughes 1949 Edwin Charles Thomas

1949 Richard C. Staszesky

1949 Lloyd Bernard Troutman

1950 Nelson Bayless Benjamin

1950 William B. Bundick 1950 Thomas Churn

1950 Howard Ernest Evans 1950 William Hitchens

1950 Harry C. Jeffers 1950 Ralph Leland Minker, Jr.

1950 Charles Trader

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1955 1955 1955 1955	Ralph Elwood Hughes Charles Edwin Lashbury
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1957	Charles Edward Barton, Jr.

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	1956	John Wm. Simpers, Jr.
		Richard Douglas Bailey George Clinton Godfrey
	1958	Robert Horace Edwards Ralph Andrew Ellis Romie Hollingsworth Payne, Jr.
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1934	Amoss, H. M.	E	Salisbury—Bethesda	406 N. Division St., Salisbury, Md. 3
1959	Archer, Wm. T., Jr.	PD R	Wesley Chapel	Rock Hall, Md. 4 Viola, Del. 8
1917 1923	Atkins, C. H. Bailey, F. B.	E	North East, Md.	1990 94 St. Novement Nove Va 7
1924	Bailey, H. N.	R PD	Harmony-Grove	1338 24 St., Newport News, Va. 7 Preston, Md., R. D. #2
1957 1939	Bailey, F. B. Bailey, H. N. Bailey, R. D. Baker, D. W.	E	Richardson Park	11 N. Maryland Ave., Rich. Pk., Wilmington, Del. 3
1926	Baker, F. A.	R	Deal Island, Md.	2
1923	Barlow, W. G. Barton, Chas. E., Jr.	R		Georgetown, Del., R. D. Secretary, Md.
1957	Barton, Chas. E., Jr.	E	Dorchester Clayton, Del.	1
1940 1936	Baynard, F. O. Beckwith, W. L. Benjamin, N. B.	E	Crisfield—Asbury	Crisfield, Md. 3
1950	Benjamin, N. B.	E	Harrington-Trinity	63 Commerce St., Harrington, Del. 1 Pocomoke City, Md. 2
1934	Bennett, E. L.	E R	Pocomoke—Bethany	Berlin, Md. 7
1907 1951	Bicking, J. R. Blundon, A. J.	E	Bridgeville, Del.	4
1904	Rond E. J.	R	Kennedyville, Md.	30 W. Main St., Middletown, Del. 9
1926	Bradley, S. B.	R E	Kent Island	Stevensville, Md. 5
1952 1926	Bradley, S. B. Bready, R. H. Branford, C. W.	R	Rent Island	49 Brooklyn Ave., Rehoboth Beach, Del. 2
		R	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	3
$1926 \\ 1922$	Branford, H. V.	E	Nanticoke & Bivalve	Nanticoke, Md. 1
1949	Brewer, O. G., Jr.	E	Denton-First	Denton, Md. 11 N. Clifton Ave., Wilm., Del. 28
1907	Brewer, O. G., Jr. Briggs, W. H.	R E	East New Market, Md.	1
1935 1950	Buckley, F. G. Bundick, W. B.	E	New Castle, Del.	523 Del. Ave., New Castle, Del. 2
1941	Bunting, J. J., Jr.	E	Newark	69 E. Main St., Newark, Del. 10
1930	Caldwell, H. T.	E E	Rising Sun, Md. St. Georges, Del.	4
$1956 \\ 1929$	Carlson, E. Ray Carpenter, C. I.	E	Chaplain—U.S. Air Force	3800 Newark St., N. W., Washington 16, D. C. 23
1929	Chandler, H. F.	E	Easton-St. Marks	14 Brooklets Ave., Easton, Md. 6
1950	Churn, J. Thomas	E	Frederica, Del.	Dolmar Del 2
1936	Clarkson, C. S.	E	Delmar—First Allen, Md.	2
1958 1951	Clawson, E. J. Clendaniel, D. O.	E	Federalsburg—	Federalsburg, Md. 4-2
1926	Coleman, E. E.	E	Union and Christ Chaplain—Vet. Adm.	Veterans Administration Hospital,
1920			7 7.1-1 W4	Wilmington 99, Del. 10 Fishing Creek, Md. 2
1926	Collins, W. I. Collis, Ralph H.	E R	Hoopers Island, Md.	Box 202, Penny Farms, Fla.
1914 1912	Connelly O H	R		71 Cookman Ave., Ocean Grove, N. J. 1
1941	Connelly, O. H. Conner, H. H. Cooke, R. J.	E	Wilm.—Calvary	222 W. 36 St., Wilmington, Del. 4 202 Alapocas Drive, Wilm. 3, Del. 1
1941	Cooke, R. J.	E	Dist. Supt., Wilm. Dist. Ocean View, Del.	4
1953 1935	Covington, C. E. Crockett, E. E.	R	ocean view, Dei.	Scorford Dol P D 9
1936	Crum, Ira E.	E	Cecilton, Md.	Seaford, Bell, R. B.
1921	Cursey, E. W.	E	Selbyville, Del.	Crisfield, Md.
$1945 \\ 1959$	Davis, Charles D.	E PD	Crisfield-Emanuel Assoc. Peninsula	Wilmington, Del.
1921	Davis, C. E.	R		209 Victoria Ave., Woodcrest, Wilm. 4, Del.
1941	Davis, H. M.	E	Elkton, Md.	229 E. Main St., Elkton, Md. 7
1933	Dickerson, J. B.	E	Wilm.—McCabe Nassau, Del.	4
1938 1927	Dickey, K. M.	E R	Nassau, Del.	Louise Ave., Salisbury, Md., R. D. 5 4
1935	Diehl, J. R. Dise, W. L.	E	Hebron—Nelson	Louise Ave., Salisbury, Md., R. D. 5 4 Hebron, Md. 2 Federalsburg, Md. 27
1917	Dobson, C. H. Donoway, W. A.	R	Willand's Md	Federalsburg, Md. 27
1926 1956	Donoway, W. A. Dore, William	R E	Willard's, Md. St. James	Worton, Md. 5
1936	Dougherty, A. E.	E	Milford—Avenue	200 W. Front St., Milford, Del. 2
1952	Doyle, Ira E.	E	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	36 Balto. Ave., Rehoboth Beach, Del. 4

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Hamblin, S. T.	P R	Wesley Foundation	204 Lore Ave., Hillcrest, Wilmington 3, Del.	1 3.
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938	Keene, M. H.	E	Kingswood of Brookside	Claibourne, Md.	2
958	Kelsor, Charles Kesmodel, W. P.	R E	Chestertown—Christ and Crumpton	Chestertown, Md.	3
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933	Kirwan, R. W. Kohl, W. H.	E	Roxana	Frankford, Del. RD 2 2206 Market St., Wilm., Del.	6
1938	Krams, H. K.	E R	Brandywine	Wayne, Michigan, Box 463	20
1908	Landon, J. P. Langrall, J. F.	E	Gumboro &	Millsboro, Del., R. D. 2615 Foulk Road, Wilm. 3, Del.	10
1931	Lashbury, C. E.	E	Chester Bethel	Millsboro, Del.	1
1919	Leister, G. E.	Е	Smyrna—Asbury	Smyrna, Del.	1
1942 1914	Link, J. H. Link, J. N.	R		Rehoboth Beach, Del. Wilmington Manor	1
1933	Littleton, D. A.	E Hartl	Asbury—Associate y & Friendship	Odessa, Del.	4
1937 1956	Loss, R. F. Lucia, Frank	E	Camden, Del.	219 N. Division St., Salisbury, Md.	12
1938	Mackey, J. R.	E R	Salisbury—Asbury	3627 Patterson Ave., Baltimore 1,	21
1910	McClain, D. E.		a li l	Md. 403 N. Division St., Salisbury, Md.	1
1938	McCoy, P. E.	E R	Salisbury—Trinity	Shanntawn Md	14 3
$1905 \\ 1919$	McDade, H. R. McFarland, A. T.	R		R. D. #1, Berlin, Md. Hospital Road, Omagh Co.,	
1914	McKee, W. J.	R		Tyrone, Northern Ireland	10
1959	Merrill, Thomas R	. P E	School Milford—Calvary &	Milford, Del.	4
1930	Milbury, F. D.		Millwood	106 Locust St., Cambridge, Md.	11
1941	Miller, A. S.	E R	Cambridge—Zion Somerset	Chance Md	9 5
1927 1950	Mills, R. W. Minker, R. L., Jr.	E	Ocean City, Md.	105 N. 4th St., Ocean City, Md.	
1952	Moore, G. H.	E	Mt. Salem	1701 Mt. Salem Lane, Wilming ton, Del.	19
1005	Morgan, L. B.	R		Middletown, Del. Georgetown, Del.	9
$1905 \\ 1922$	Mulligan, T. C. Nicklas, H. N.	E	Georgetown—Grace Sharptown—Mt. Vernon	Sharptown, Md.	8
1932	Nicklas, H. N. Nunemaker, Harole		Vienna, Md.	Vienna, Md.	2
$\frac{1954}{1928}$	O'Neil, James	E	Mardella Springs, Md. Assoc. Dir. Home for Age	d Wilmington, Del.	1 2 1 7
1956	Owens, W. H. Parker, J. E.	ER		Camden, Del.	1
1924 1925	Porks H. M.	E	Millington, Md.		2 4
1958	Payne, Romie H.,	R R	Tilghman, Md.	227 Morgan St., Lynchburg, Va.	1
1921 1955	Phillips, Roy B.	E	St. Georges	Clarksville, Del.	
1942	Pigueron, G. H. Jr.	E	Exec. Dir., Home for t	3600 Lancaster Pike, Wilm., Del. 3600 Lancaster Pike, Wilm., Del.	3 3
1958	Pigueron G, H., III	PD	Cedars	East New Market, Md.	
1908	Price, J. T.	R E	Royal Oak—Southerland Oxford, Md.		8 4
1934 1923	Randall. L. U.	E	Delmar—Mt. Olive	Delmar, Del.	3
1957	Randolph, D. J., J	Ir. E	Hockessin, Del.	Wyoming, Del.	4 3
$\frac{1916}{1957}$		R		226 Newton St., Salisbury, Md. Lewes, Del.	11
1907		R	Wilmington—St. Paul's	1002 N. Jackson St., Wilm., Del.	1
1948	Revelle, W. H., J. Reynolds, B. E.	r. E E	Wilmington Manor	110 W. Roosevelt Ave., Wilmin ton Manor, New Castle, Del.	g- 15
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191		R		Wilmington, Del.	4 3
194	7 Ruth. D. L.	E	Laurel—Centenary	Laurel, Delaware 309 Beverly Place, Bellefonte,	9
191		R		Wilmington, Del.	13 6
191	7 Schauer, P. R.	R	Wesley Com'nity Chapel	Bear, Del.	1
195	8 Seymour, Samuel	J. P	School Georgetown—Wesley	Georgetown, Del.	2
193 191		R		1210 Rosedale Ave., Bellefonte, Wilmington 3, Del.	13
195	7 Shockley, O. J.	E	Cheswold, Del.	109 W. 30th St., Wilm., Del.	3 13
192	2 Short, W. D.	Jr. PD	St. John's	Charlestown, Md.	2 2
195 194		L. E	Salisbury—St. Andrews	Salisbury, Md. Middletown, Del.	10
190	7 Smith, Tilghman	E	Wyoming, Del. Assoc. at Aldersgate		1
192 195	9 Soronsen, Vernon	M. P	Assoc. at Aldersgate Wilmington—Peninsula	Wilmington, Del. 301 W. 20th St., Wilm., Del.	3
192	Spence, P. W. Squires, C. H.	E	Perryville—Asbury	Perryville, Md.	1 2
198 198	o oquires, o. m.	E	Pocomoke—Salem	Pocomoke, Md.	

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1957	Starnes, Ronald W.	E	Dagsboro, Del.	Dagsboro, Del.	1
1949	Staszesky, R. C.	E	Silverbrook	2203 Lancaster Ave., Wilm. 5, Del.	2
1958	Stayton, L. E.	P	Assoc. St. Marks, Easton	Easton, Md.	1
1932	Stone, W. H.	E	Seaford-Mt. Olive	114 Cannon St., Seaford, Del.	17
1901	Strausburg, C. R.	R		112 Laurel Hill Rd., Greenbelt, Md.	13
1892	Strickland, C. W.	R		Rehoboth Beach, Del.	24
1928	Tawes, R. L.	E	D. S. Dover District	431 N. State Street, Dover, Del.	3
1916	Thawley, R. T.	R	D. S. Dover District		3
1949	Thomas, E. C.	E	Queen Anne, Md.		1
1914	Thomas, E. P.	R	Queen mine, ma.	Easton, Md., R. D. 2. Box 4	4
1956	Todd, O. M.	E	Princess Anne, Md.	Edución, Edución de Ed	1
1919	Townsend, J. W.	R	Delmar—First	Delmar, Del.	16
1950	Trader, Charles	E	Church Hill, Md.	Deimar, Dei.	4
1923	Trader, J. A.	E	Dover—Wesley	140 Hazel Road, Dover, Del.	11
1949	Troutman, L. B.	E		407 SFW 407th Air Base Group	1.
1949	Troutman, D. B.	E	Chaplain, U. S. Air Force	Malmstrom Air Force Base, Great Falls, Montana	7
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1936	Truitt, F. H.	E	Sharptown—Asbury	Sharptown, Md.	29
1922	Turkington, T. J.	E	Denton—Grace	600 Market St., Denton, Md.	8
1920	Turner, G. E.	R		Union Town, Md.	1
1935	Van Cleaf, R. E.	E	Eastlake-Wilmington	2921 Tatnall St., Wilm. Del.	
1931	Vaughn, J. B.	E	Berlin, Md.	18 S. Main Street, Berlin, Md.	3 5
1920	Volk, F. M.	E	Fruitland, Md.		0
1932	VonHagel, J. J.	E	Salisbury—Grace	634 E. Church St., Salisbury, Md.	4 2
1958	Wallace, Robert O.	PD	Trappe, Md.		- 3
1929	Wheatley, G. H.	E	Greensboro, Md.		11
1910	Wheatley, M. E.	R	Millville	4 First St., Rehoboth Beach, Del.	4
1919	Whedbee, J. H.	R		Sherwood, Md.	7
1957	Whitlock, R. P.	E	Chesapeake City, Md.		4
1952	Wilcox, C. E.	E	Odessa, Del.		1
1943	Wildey, D. C.	E	Dir. Religious Edu.	17 Cecil St., Dover, Del.	4
1954	Wilkins, Ed. R.	E	Assoc., Wesley, Dover	Dover, Del.	4
1945	Wilkins, H. O.	E	Hillcrest Memorial	Hillcrest Ave. & March Rd., Wil-	
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1923	Wimbrow, L. E.	R		613 Camden Ave., Salisbury, Md.	3
1916	Windsor, L. E.	E	Mt. Herman—St. Luke's	Salisbury, Md. R. D.	1
1886	Wood, G. E.	R	220, 220, 230, 230, 230, 230, 230, 230,	Dover, Del.	28
1918	Wootten, J. W.	R		306 Delaware St., Bridgeville, Del.	4
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Genevieve Poppe, Director, Riddle Memorial Deaconess Homes, Wilmington, Del.
Jennie Propert, Parish Worker, Union Church, Wilmington, Del.
Louise Whitsett Parish Worker, Wilmington Manor, New Castle, Del.

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ence or Living Within Its Bounds

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Dennis—Borneo—Board of Missions, New York.

Mrs. Arthur L. Grey—India—Present address—Oxford, Md.

Drs. Elizabeth and Edgar Miller—United Mission Hospital—Shanta Bhawan, Kathmandu, Nepal.

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Abbott, Wilmer E.	E	Madeley	1218 B. St., Wilm., Del.
Arndt, Frederick A.		Marydel, Md.	
Bishop, George W.		Mt. Vernon	Princess Anne, Md.
Blevin, Edwin		Church Creek, Md.	
Brown, Claude C.		Fairmount	Upper Fairmount, Md.
Burge, Charles D.		Magnolia, Del.	
Childers, R. Dale		Rock Hall, Md.	C1
Church, J. Lake		Bayside	Sherwood, Md.
Doughten, James B.		Leipsic & Little Creek	Dover. Del.
Downing, Ivon P.	E2	Ellendale, Del.	
Eckhart, Elwood B.	E	Port Deposit. Md. Seaford Circuit	Seaford, Del.
Elliott, Milton R.	E	Mt. Lebanon	4003 Concord Pike, Wilm. 3, Del. 2
Fosnocht, Walter E.	E	Bishopville, Md.	4003 Concord Tike, with. 5, Det. 2
Fox, Clarence J. Garrett, William J.	E	Parsonsburg, Md.	
Gladden, Edward M.		Galestown, Md.	Seaford, Del. R. D. 3
Gladden, Herbert H.		Powellville, Md.	
Guver, Harry M.	E	Mariner's—Crisfield	Crisfield, Md., R. D.
Hamilton, William W.	E	Lincoln, Del.	
Henley, E. Mearl		Choptank	Cambridge, Md., R. D. 3
Hill, William A.	E	Smith's Island	Ewell's, Md.

METHODIST CHURCH

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Hope, Clifton	Е	Newark, Md.	Md.	4
Howell, Stanley V.		Blades	Seaford, Del., R. D.	2
Hudson, William O.	E	Stanton, Del.	209 Main St., Stanton, Wilmington,	-
Hughes, Ralph H. D.	E.		Del.	4
Hurst, Donald		Burrsville	Denton, Md., R. D.	1
Huntington, Charles O.		Warwick, Md.		2
Jefferson, Kinmoth			nu n1	1
Johnson, Hugh B.		Felton, Del.	Felton, Del.	1 2
Judy, Eric D.		Trinity & Quindocqua	Marion, Md.	9
Keese, James A.		Ingleside, Md.		2
Kelly, Robert G.	E	Minquadale, Del. Reliance	Bridgeville, Del.	11
Milliner, Milton C. Missimer, Leslie D.	Е	Bellefonte	215 W. 28th St., Wilmington, Del.	3
Mitchell, Edwin S.		East Cecil Circuit	Elkton, Md., R. D. 1	1
Plumline, James L.		Delaware City, Del.	Elkton, Mu., R. D. 1	
Pruett, Dale S.		Hopewell, Md.	Port Deposit, Md.	1
Pusey, Irvin		Red Lion, Del.	Bear, Del.	3 1 4
Renner, Lawrence S.	E	Townsend, Del.	Dour, Don	1
Roberts, Maxwell J.	E	Frankford, Del.		
Schultz, H. Melvin		Georgetown Circuit	Georgetown, Del.	1
Short, Robert C.		St. John's, Lewisville	Lewisville, Pa., R. D.	3
Short, Thomas C.		Bayview—Bethel	North East, Md., R. D.	1
Shufelt, Vinton D.	E	Ridgely, Md.		1 3 1
Smith, Miss Muriel C.	E	Greenwood Circuit	Greenwood, Del.	1
Smith, William H.				
Spedden, Harold C.		Concord	Federalsburg, Md.	1
Steen, James C., Jr.	E	Kirkwood, Del.	Bear, Del.	12
Stellges, George L.		Pittsville—Ayres	Pittsville, Md.	2
Stookey, Lawrence H.		Mt. Pleasant	Colora, Md.	3
Strickler, Charles E.		Galena, Md.		4
Sturgis, Harvey T., Jr.		C	Distant Hard Md	3
Townsend, O. Lloyd	E	St. Thomas	Bishop Head, Md.	1
White, George D.		St. Martins	Berlin, Md. Stockton, Md.	6
Wilson, G. Francis	E	Stockton & Girdletree Whitesville, Del.	Stockton, Mu.	3
Yanta, Thomas J.			ADDDOVED SUDDIV LIST.	
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Staup, Robert		Harbeson, Del.		1

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Knotts, Lawrence L., Marion Station, Md.
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Adams, Richard, Felton, Del. Caley, George L., Smyrna, Del. Carey, Niel, Pittsville, Md. Chaffinch, Leonard, Bridgeville, Del., RFD. Culver, Job S., Laurel, Del. Dorman, Wilma, Laurel, Del., RFD. Downing, Fulton J., Harrington, Del. Downs, Francis, Clayton, Del. Freze, Harry, Magnolia, Del. Hall, Richard, Milford, Del. Hastings, John, Bridgeville, Del., RFD 2. Hickman, Willard, Milford, Del. Jump, Wilbur H., Houston, Del.

Kates, Thomas L., Felton, Del. Keller, Jay, Magnolia, Del.

Macklin, George T., Milford, Del. O'Day, Ralph, Seaford, Del., RFD. Pepper, Carl, Selbyville, Del., RFD. Pratt, J. Reynolds, Clayton, Del. Powell, Paul M., Delmar, Del., RFD Revel, John, Millsboro, Del. Richards, G. Clayton, Bridgeville. Del. Rogers, John R., Milford, Del. Stevenson, W. Marion, Frederica, Del. Shugard, Henry, Millsboro, Del. Tingle, Elias, Frankford, Del. Thomas, Arthur, Clayton, Del. Windsor, James B., Laurel, Del. Winebrenner, Guy, Harrington, Del.

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Trappe:

Ira C. Nelson, Trappe, Md.

Wesley Chapel:

Jesse Downey, Rock Hall, Md. Arthur Dierker, Rock Hall, Md.

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Mrs. Minnie Guyer	Crisfield, Md.
J. Herbie Twigg	Deal Island, Md.
J. Roger Wheedleton	Rhodesdale, Md.
Moffitt Hoffman	Princess Anne, Rt. 1, Md.
Mrs. Emily B. Turkington	Princess Anne, Md.
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Orlando Hall	Bishop, Md.
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Purnell Brumley	Salisbury, Rt. 1, Md
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John T. Bruehl	Berlin, Md.
Calvin Palmer	Bishop, Md.
John Palmer	Berlin, Md.
James Trader	Berlin, Md.
Mrs. Milton R. Trader	Berlin, Md.

Benjamin Nelson	Berlin, Md.
W. W. Smallwood	Showell, Md.
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Harwood Sterling	Crisfield, Md.
Otis Evans	Crisfield, Md.
Horace Evans	Crisfield, Md.
Miss Minerva Ward	Crisfield, Md.
Elton Whittington	Crisfield, Md.
Mrs. Agnes Hoffman	Crisfield, Md.
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Alvin S. Culver	Laurel, Rt. 2, Del.
Robert Adkins	Delmar, Del.
Charles Cordrey	Delmar, Del.
Charles Hurlock, Jr	Rhodesdale, Md.
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Maurice Elliott	Mardela, Md.
Philip Bennett	Mardela, Md.
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Robert Owens	Sharptown, Md.
Robert Wheatley	Sharptown, Md.
Samuel W. Owens	Sharptown, Md.
Avery W. Owens	Sharptown, Md.
Thomas Knowles	Sharptown, Md.
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Waverly Evans	Tylerton, Md.
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Willis Hudson	Berlin, Md.
Robert Pike	Stockton, Md.
H. T. Cutright	Stockton, Md.
Garland Jones	Girdletree, Md.
Chester Jones	Girdletree, Md.
Miss Patricia Ward	Pocomoke City, R. D., Md.

METHODIST CHURCH

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Local Preachers

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Stevens, H. Ray (Elkton Church)

Sturgis, Harvey T., Jr. (Brandywine Church)

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Evans, Albert (Wesley Chapel)

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Gill, Theodore (Union Church)

Graham, William C. (Janes Church, Rising Sun)

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Holloway, Carl J. (McCabe Church)

Hudson, Ivah (Brandywine Church)

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Ivey, M. Clifford (Marshallton Church)

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Jefferson, Kinmoth W. (Eastlake Church, Wilmington)

Jester, Marvin (Union Church)

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Leathrum, George (Christiana Church)

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Wilson, Lacey (Union Church)

Wright, Joseph (St. John's Church of Lewisville)

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1959-1960

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- Cannon—Delegate, Leon Trivits, Seaford, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Edwin Williams, Seaford, Del.
- Cheswold—Delegate, Gilton McCrystal, Dover, Del.; Reserve, Ammond Sapp, Dover, Del. Rt. 3.
- Clayton—Delegate, Dudley Crossley, Clayton, Del.; Reserve (P), Arthur Thomas, Clayton, Del.
- Dagsboro—Delegate (P), Wilson McCabe, Dagsboro, Del.; Reserve, Harry W. Bunting, Dagsboro, Del.
- Dover-St. Paul—Delegate, Norman Hammond, 1469 S. Gov. Ave., Dover, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Guy Spicer, 36 Pine St., Dover, Del.
- Dover-Wesley—Delegate (P), Dr. John Shilling, 45 Maple Lane, Dover, Del.; Reserve, William H. Sterling, S. Little Creek Road, Dover, Del.
- Ellendale—Delegate (P), Fred Ireland, Ellendale, Del.; Reserve, Earl Isaacs, Ellendale, Del., RFD.
- Farmington—Delegate, Laurel H. Griffith, Andrewsville, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Norman Butler, Andrewsville, Del.
- Felton—Delegate (P), Pearl Torbert, Felton, Del.; Reserve, Katharine Mc-Ginnis, Felton, Del.
- Frankford—Delegate (P), Preston Williams, Frankford, Del.; Reserve, Elias Tingle, Frankford, Del.
- Frederica—Delegate (P), Mrs. Wilbur Warner, Frederica, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Amanda Short, Frederica, Del.
- Georgetown-Grace—Delegate, Henry Graves, Georgetown, Del.; Reserve, Loren Frye, Georgetown, Del.
- Georgetown-Wesley-Dr. Preston West, Georgetown, Del.; Reserve, John Hough, Georgetown, Del.
- Georgetown Circuit—Delegate, James Marvel, Georgetown, Del., RFD.; Reserve (P), Leroy Marvel, Georgetown, Del., RFD.
- Greenwood—Delegate (P), Herman Schulze, Greenwood, Del.; Reserve, Arthur Tatman, Greenwood, Del.
- Gumboro—Delegate, Joshua Hamblin, Millsboro, Del.; Reserve, Lester Daisey, Millsboro, Del.

Harbeson—Delegate (P), Lawrence Mason, Milton, Del., RFD.; Reserve, Olga Davidson, Harbeson, Del.

Harrington-Asbury—Delegate (P), Fulton J. Downing, Harrington, Del.; Reserve, Howard S. Wagner, Harrington, Del.

- Harrington-Trinity—Delegate (P), Albert Thistlewood, Harrington, Del., RFD.; Reserve, William R. Jester, Harrington, Del.
- Hartly-Friendship—Delegate, Newlin Wood, Sr., Hartly, Del.; Reserve (P), Charles Downs, Townsend, Del., RFD.
- Houston—Delegate (P), J. Willis Clifton, Houston, Del.; Reserve, Alvin O. Brown, Harrington, Del., RFD.
- Indian Mission—Delegate, E. Lincoln Harmon, Millsboro, Del., RFD.; Reserve, Levi Street, Millsboro, Del., RFD.
- Kenton—Delegate, E. F. Smith, Jr., Kenton, Del.; Reserve, Edward Hughes, Kenton, Del.
- Laurel-Centenary—Delegate (P), Lewis Boyce, Seaford Road, Laurel, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. William Money, Laurel, Del.
- Laurel Circuit—Delegate (P), Otis Carmine, Laurel, Del.; Reserve, Charles Nicholson, Laurel, Del.
- Lewes-Bethel—Delegate, Alton Brittingham, Lewes, Del.; Reserve, Edson Lodge, Sr., Lewes, Del.
- Lewes-Groome—Delegate, Charles N. Baker, Lewes, Del.; Reserve, None. Lincoln—Delegate, Raymond Tucker, Lincoln, Del.; Reserve, Joseph Penuel, Milford, Del., RFD.
- Little Creek-Leipsic—Delegate (P), Edward Wilson, Leipsic, Del.; Reserve, Virginia Burris, Little Creek, Del.
- Middletown—Delegate (P), J. E. Walls, Sr., Middletown, Del.; Reserve, (P), John N. Sparks, Middletown, Del.
- Magnolia—Delegate (P), Jay Keller, Magnolia, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. John Farrow, Magnolia, Del.
- Milford-Avenue—Delegate (P), George T. Macklin, Milford, Del.; Reserve, John R. Rogers, Milford, Del.
- Milford-Calvary—Delegate (P), Joseph Isaacs, Lincoln, Del.; Reserve, Roy Pettyjohn, Milford, Del.
- Millsboro—Delegate (P), Edward Cordrey, Millsboro, Del.; Reserve, Roy Jones, Millsboro, Del.
- Millville—Delegate, Harry E. Dale, Millville, Del.; Reserve, Harry Cobb, Millville, Del.
- Milton—Delegate, Ralph Reed, Milton, Del.; Reserve, Paynter Sharp, Milton, Del.
- Mt. Pleasant—Delegate (P), Paul M. Powell, Delmar, Del., RFD 2.; Reserve, Norman Lowe, Laurel, Del., RD 2.
- Mt. Zion-Wesley—Delegate, Everett Fleetwood, Seaford, Del., RFD 2.; Reserve, Luke Hackett, Rhodesdale, Md.
- Nassau—Delegate (P), Mrs. Joseph McIlvaine, Lewes, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Raymond Lank, Milton, Del.
- Ocean View—Delegate (P), Dr. Ruth Rivard, Millville, Del.; Reserve, (P), Dorothy Murray, Dagsboro, Del., RFD.
- Odessa—Delegate, Harry McNatt, Odessa, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. R. R. Elston, Middletown, Del., RFD.

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- Rehoboth—Delegate, William Crosby, Rehoboth, Del.; Reserve, Lawrence Sipple, Rehoboth, Del.
- Reliance—Delegate (P), Bessie Truitt, Seaford, Del.; Reserve, Ralph J. O'Day, Seaford, Del.
- Roxana—Delegate, John Mumford, Millsboro, Del., RFD.; Reserve, Mrs. Pearl McCabe, Frankford, Del., RFD.
- St. George's—Delegate, Everett West, Frankford, Del.; Reserve, Raymond E. Townsend, Sr., Dagsboro, Del.
- Seaford-Mt. Olivet—Delegate, W. O. Covey, Jr., Seaford, Del.; Reserve, W. Allen Hastings, Seaford, Del.
- Seaford-St. John's—Delegate (P), Oscar E. Peterson, Jr., Seaford, Del.; Reserve, Jacob H. Moore, Seaford, Del.
- Seaford Circuit—Delegate (P), Arthur Messick, Seaford, Del.; Reserve, Joshua Hastings, Seaford, Del.
- Selbyville—Delegate (P), Arthur R. Hudson, Selbyville, Del.; Reserve, Peter Whaley, Selbyville, Del.
- Smyrna—Delegate (P), Harry C. Johnson, Smyrna, Del.; Reserve, Joseph W. Ennis, Smyrna, Del.
- Townsend—Delegate, Mrs. Mabel Beardsley, Townsend, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Susie Anderson, Smyrna, Del.
- Whitesville—Delegate, James Wharton, Millsboro, Del., RFD 3; Reserve, Harlen Messick, Laurel, Del. RFD 1.
- Wyoming—Delegate, Mrs. Mattie Townsend, Wyoming, Del.; Reserve, S. W. Harrington, Wyoming, Del.

EASTON DISTRICT

Charge:

- Bayside—Delegate (P), D. C. Higgins, Claiborne, Md.; Reserve, Harvey Jarboe, Sherwood, Md.
- Beckwith—Delegate (P), Mrs. Odie Wilcox, Cambridge, Md., Rt. #3; Reserve, Croford Pomeroy, Cambridge, Md., Rt. #1.
- Burrsville—Delegate (P), Ray Collison, Burrsville, Md.; Reserve, Russell Stevens, Burrsville, Md.
- Cambridge-Grace—Delegate (P), Robert Christopher, Cambridge, Md.; Reserve, Ellison Clayton, Cambridge, Md.
- Cambridge-St. Pauls—Delegate (P), Russell P. Smith, Cambridge, Md.; Reserve, Frank Ertt, Cambridge, Md.
- Cambridge-Zion—Delegate (P), G. Raymond Matthews, Cambridge, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Walter T. Kirwin, Cambridge, Md.
- Centreville—Delegate (P), Harry Towers, Centreville, Md.; Reserve, Charles Anthony, Sr., Centreville, Md.
- Chestertown-Christ—Delegate (P), Carlyn E. Noland, Chestertown, Md.; Reserve, O. B. Bennett, Chestertown, Md.
- Chestertown-First—Delegate (P), Kenneth R. Treembauer, Chestertown, Md.; Reserve, Richard B. Groves, Chestertown, Md.
- Church Creek—Delegate (P), Herbert Aspler, Church Creek, Md.; Reserve, Hamilton Traver, Madison, Md.
- Church Hill—Delegate (P), E. Clyde Walls, Church Hill, Md.; Reserve, A. G. McFarland, Church Hill, Md.

- Concord—Delegate, Harry Nuttle, Denton, Md.; Reserve (P), Dallas Neal, Denton, Md.
- Crapo-Bounds—Delegate (P), Mrs. Mattie Foxwell, Church Creek, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Lola Phillips, Andrews, Md.
- Denton-First—Delegate, J. DeWeese Carter, Denton, Md.; Reserve (P), Walter B. Palmer, Denton, Md.
- Denton-Grace—Delegate (P), Samuel Nowell, Denton.; Reserve, John R. Richards, Denton, Md.
- East New Market—Delegate (P), Ernest R. Suhr, East New Market, Md. RFD.; Reserve, Mrs. George Murphy, Rhodesdale, Md.
- Easton-St. Marks—Delegate (P), John Clarence North, Easton, Md.; Reserve, C. Norman Jefferson, Easton, Md.
- Federalsburg-Christ—Delegate (P), W. A. Wheatley, Jr., Federalsburg, Md.; Reserve, Ralph Nagel, Federalsburg, Md.
- Federalsburg-Union—Delegate (P), Wilmer Fell Davis, Federalsburg, Md.; Reserve, O. G. Martino, Federalsburg, Md.
- Friendship—Delegate, Elvin Thomas, Cambridge, Md., Rt. 2; Reserve, John Mowbray, Cambridge, Md., Rt. 2.
- Goldsboro—Delegate (P), T. Noble Jarrell, Sr., Goldsboro, Md.; Reserve, Luther Bennett, Sr., Goldsboro, Md.
- Greensboro—Delegate, Raymond Rawlings, Greensboro, Md.; Reserve, Charles Bilbough, Greensboro, Md.
- Harmony—Delegate (P), C. Brooks Nagel, Preston, Md.; Reserve, Robert French, Preston, Md.
- Hillsboro-Queen Anne—Delegate (P), Robert Barton, Queen Anne, Md.; Reserve, Everett Murphy, Hillsboro, Md.
- Hoopers Island—Delegate (P), Raymond Simmons, Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Claudus Rippons, Hoopersville, Md.
- Hurlock—Delegate (P), P. E. Douglas, Hurlock, Md.; Reserve, S. E. Andrews, Hurlock, Md.
- Ingleside—Delegate, C. P. Eley, Ingleside, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. C. P. Eley, Ingleside, Md.
- Kennedyville—Delegate, Mrs. Wm. B. Hopkins, Galena, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Wm. E. Anthony, Kennedyville, Md.
- Kent Island—Delegate (P), Ernest Porter, Stevensville, Md.; Reserve, Lester Lee, Stevensville, Md.
- Marydel—Delegate (P), U. L. Harman, Marydel, Del.; Reserve, Oscar Lord, Templeville, Md.
- Oxford—Delegate, A. B. Harris, Oxford, Md.; Reserve, Wm. W. Tull, 103 Sycamore Ave., Easton, Md.
- Preston—Delegate (P), Howard Harris, Preston, Md.; Reserve, Johnson Bonner, Preston, Md.
- Queenstown—Delegate (P), Alfonzy Thomas, Grasonville, Md.; Reserve, Gadson Shawn, Queenstown, Md.
- Ridgely—Delegate, Wm. D. Marvel, Jr., Ridgely, Md.; Reserve (P), Thomas Clopper, Ridgely, Md.
- Rock Hall—Delegate (P), Stanley Grant, Rock Hall, Md.; Reserve, Joseph Ashley, Rock Hall, Md.
- Royal Oak-

- St. James—Delegate, Carl Plummer, Fairlee, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Carl Plummer, Fairlee, Md.
- St. Michael's-St. Luke—Delegate, Harrison Leonard, St. Michaels, Md.; Reserve (P), Samuel Phillips, Nevitt, Md.
- St. Thomas—Delegate, Bradye R. Todd, Toddville, Md.; Reserve, (P), Malcolm Wheatley, Wingate, Md.
- Secretary—Delegate (P), Gerald Williams, Secretary, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Cecil Lowe, Cambridge, Md.
- Still Pond—Delegate, Wm. Ford, Kennedyville, Md.; Reserve, Floyd Smith, Betterton, Md.
- Sudlersville—Delegate (P), Allen Walls, Sudlersville, Md.; Reserve, John Taylor, Sudlersville, Md., RFD.
- Tilghman—Delegate, Kenneth Harrison, Tilghman, Md.; Reserve, Albert Fluharty, Tilghman, Md.
- Trappe—Delegate (P), Silas E. Simpson, Trappe, Md.; Reserve, Ira C. Nelson, Trappe, Md.
- Vienna—Delegate (P), Susan S. Hitch, Vienna, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Sylvia Reid, Vienna, Md.
- Wesley Chapel—Delegate, Jesse Downey, Rock Hall, Md.; Reserve, Edward Carroll, Sr., Rock Hall, Md.
- Wye Mills—Delegate, Walter Denny, Wye Mills, Md.; Reserve, Percy Allen. Wye Mills, Md.

SALISBURY DISTRICT

Charge:

- Allen—Delegate (P), Austin Banks, Salisbury, Md., Rt. 1; Reserve, Mrs. Parker Jenkins, 705 Smith St., Salisbury, Md.
- Berlin—Delegate (P), Elton W. Parsons, Berlin, Md.; Reserve, A. P. Christopher, Berlin, Md.
- Bishopville—Delegate (P), Raymond Hudson, Bishopville, Md.; Reserve, W. W. Smallwood, Showell, Md.
- Crisfield-Asbury—Delegate (P), J. Loren Sterling, Crisfield, Md.; Reserve, Joseph Pinto, Crisfield, Md.
- Crisfield-Immanuel—Delegate (P), Wade D. Ward, Crisfield, Md.; Reserve (P), Matthew Walters, Crisfield, Md.
- Crisfield-Mariners—Delegate (P), John D. Crockett, Rt. 1, Box 143, Crisfield.
 Md.; Reserve, Elton Whittington, Crisfield, Md.
- Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant—Delegate, J. Edwin Tawes, Crisfield, Md.; Reserve Charles L. Landon, Crisfield, Md.
- Deal Island—Delegate (P), J. Herbie Twigg, Deal Island, Md.; Reserve. Carl Hoffman, Wenona, Md.
- Delmar-First—Delegate (P), Victor J. Carmean, Delmar, Del.; Reserve. Albert H. Hearn, Delmar, Del.
- Delmar-Mt. Olive—Delegate (P), Alvin S. Culver, Delmar, Md., Rt. 3; Reserve, Robert Adkins, Laurel, Del., Rt. 2.
- Fairmount—Delegate (P), Clarence Lattimore, Upper Fairmount, Md.; Reserve, Curtis Farrow, Westover, Md.
- Fruitland—Delegate, Irl Hobbs, Fruitland, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Samuel Atkinson, Fruitland, Md.

- Galestown—Delegate (P), Wilmer Windsor, Seaford, Del., Rt. 3; Reserve, A. Welton Russell, Federalsburg, Md., Rt. 1.
- Hebron—Delegate (P), William R. McKnight, Hebron, Md.; Reserve, Franklyn Adkins, Hebron, Md.
- Mardela—Delegate (P), Philip Bennett, Mardela, Md.; Reserve, Hollis Bailey.
- Mt. Hermon—Delegate, S. H. Rayner, Box 313, Salisbury, Md.; Reserve (P), Charles Tilghman, Rt. 4, Salisbury, Md.
- Mt. Vernon—Delegate, Moffitt Hoffman, Princess Anne, Md., R. D.; Reserve (P), Mrs. Stan Horner, Princess Anne, Md., R. D.
- Nanticoke-Bivalve—Delegate (P), Mrs. India Graham, Tyaskin, Md.; Reserve, John H. Laramore, Bivalve, Md.
- Newark—Delegate (P), Marvin D. Tynladd, Jr., Newark, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Raymond Bowen, Snow Hill, Md.
- Ocean City—Delegate (P), Preston Adkins, Ocean City, Md.; Reserve, Olin Shockley, Rt. 2, Berlin, Md.
- Oriole—Delegate, Harry T. Phoebus, Oriole, Md.; Reserve, Delmas Shores, Dames Quarter, Md.
- Parsonsburg—Delegate (P), Mayhew Whayland, Rt. 5, Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Francis Perdue, Rt. 3, Salisbury, Md.
- Pittsville-Ayres—Delegate (P), Vernon Downes, Pittsville, Md.; Reserve, Edgar Morris, Parsonsburg, Md.
- Pocomoke-Bethany—Delegate, Fred Linkenhoker, Pocomoke City, Md.; Reserve, Edward East, Pocomoke City, Md., RFD.
- Pocomoke-Salem—Delegate (P), Herbert Somers, Pocomoke City, Md.; Reserve, Willard Stevenson, Pocomoke City, Md.
- Powellville—Delegate, William Shockley, Rt. 2, Snow Hill, Md.; Reserve, Percy Shockley, Rt. 2, Snow Hill, Md.
- Princess Anne—Delegate (P), Denwood Bloodsworth, Sr., Princess Anne, Md.; Reserve, J. Edward White, Princess Anne, Md.
- Quantico—Delegate (P), R. J. Lynch, Quantico, Md.; Reserve, Bliss Melson, Hebron, Md.; Reserve, Howard Hambury, R. D. 1, Quantico, Md.
- Salisbury-Asbury—Delegate (P), George Chandler, 411 Poplar Hill Ave., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve (P), Tom Roe, 201 Oak Hill Rd., Salisbury, Md.
- Salisbury-Bethesda—Delegate, A. L. Fleming, 413 Wicomico St., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Wm. F. Toadvine, Snow Hill Rd., Salisbury, Md.
- Salisbury-Grace—Delegate (P), Mrs. Calvin Parker, 611 Liberty St., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Elizabeth Seabreeze, 427 Elizabeth St., Salisbury, Md.
- Salisbury-St. Andrews—Delegate (P), Richard Pryor, Box 622, Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Ralph McIntyre, 533 Alabama Ave., Salisbury, Md.
- Salisbury-Trinity—Delegate (P), Wm. F. Messick, 114 Walnut St., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Carroll Bounds, 8 Camden Ave., Ext., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Thomas White, Salisbury, Md., RD.
- Sharptown-Asbury—Delegate (P), Donald Wheatley, Rhodesdale, Md.; Reserve, James Bennett, Sharptown, Md.
- Sharptown-Mt. Vernon—Delegate (P), Robert H. Owens, Sharptown, Md.; Reserve, Samuel W. Owens, Sharptown, Md.
- Smith Island—Delegate (P), Mrs. Clayton Middleton, Ewell, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Harvey Spriggs, Ewell, Md.

- Snow Hill-Bates—Delegate (P), George C. Moore, 1110 E. Church St., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve Mrs. M. S. Lingo, Newark, Md.
- Snow Hill-Whatcoat—Delegate (P), Horace Griffin, Snow Hill, Md.; Reserve (P), Mrs. John Griffin, Snow Hill, Md.
- St. Martins—Delegate (P), Willis Hudson, Berlin, Md.; Reserve, Orlando Hall, Bishop, Md.
- Stockton-Girdletree—Delegate, Fred Jones, Stockton, Md.; Reserve (P), Clayton Dukes, Girdletree, Md.
- Trinity-Quindocqua—Delegate, Mrs. William Hall, Jr., Marion Station, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. H. Parker Tull, Crisfield, Md.
- Union—Delegate, Mrs. Ralph Brown, 617 Truitt St., Salisbury, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Laudie Layfield, Rt. 4, Salisbury, Md.
- Whaleysville—Delegate (P), Mrs. Joshua Morris, Whaleysville, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Arthur Davis, Willards, Md.
- Willards-Grace—Delegate (P), Casher Wells, Pittsville, Md.; Reserve, Grover Nicholson, Willards, Md.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Charge:

- Aldersgate—Delegate (P), Fletcher Condit, 2504 Ebright Rd., Wilmington 3, Del.; Reserve, Laurence Wadman, 2203 Foote Road, Fairfax, Wilmington 3, Del.
- Bayview-Bethel—Delegate, Mrs. Elizabeth McDowell, North East, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Mary King, North East. Md.
- Bellefonte—Delegate, Mrs. Virginia Berger, 300 Grandview Ave., Wilmington 3, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Claire Hurst, 1114 Brandywine Boulevard, Wilmington 3, Del.
- Bethel-Chesapeake City—Delegate (P), Robert Given, Chesapeake City, Md.; Reserve, Herbert Wilfong, Chesapeake City, Md.
- Cecil United Parish—Delegate, Harvey Simmers, R. D., Rising Sun, Md.; Reserve (P), Ernest Davis, Childs, Md.
- Cedars—Delegate (P), Mrs. Walter Gonce, 2632 W. Robino Dr., Sherwood Park, Wilmington 8, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. J. Clifford Brown, 9 Walnut Ave., Brookland Terrace, Wilmington, Del.
- Charlestown—Delegate, Clarence Neese, R. D., Perryville, Md.; Reserve, Samuel L. Craig, Aiken, Md.
- Cherry Hill—Delegate (P), Mrs. Kenneth Mackey, 239 E. Main St., Elkton, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. John Todd, Elk Mills, Md.
- Cecilton—Delegate, Mrs. Thomas Cannon, Cecilton, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Earl Spry, Cecilton, Md.
- Christ—Delegate (P), Leonard Barnes, 5 N. Clifton Ave., Roselle, Wilmington, Del; Reserve, Harold Hackman, 17 Oaknoll Rd., Cedar Knoll, Wilmington 8, Del.
- Chester-Bethel—Delegate, Mrs. Norman Byers, 2491 Foulk Rd., Wilmington 3, Del.; Reserve (P), Mrs. James Jackson, 2220 Naamans Rd., Wilmington 3, Del.
- Christiana—Delegate (P), Mrs. Ida Eastburn, Bear, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Jeanne McLaughlin, 25 Kensington Lane, Brookside, Newark, Del.

- Claymont—Delegate (P), Otis F. Figgs, 4659 Malden Drive, Liftwood, Wilmington 3, Del.; Reserve, George Newton, 3 W. Court St., Claymont, Del.
- Delaware City.—Delegate, Joe S. Sutton, Delaware City, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. P. D. Geoghegan, Delaware City, Del.
- Ebenezer—Delegate (P), Mrs. A. Carl Nelson, Marshallton 4, Wilmington 8, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Louise Dempsey, Rt. 3, Newark, Del.
- Elkton—Delegate (P), Raymond Mueller, Elkton, Md.; Reserve, Eugene Loomis, 7 Walter Boulden St., Elkton, Md.
- Galena—Delegate, E. Clarke Walters, Galena, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Robert K. Fears, Sr., Town Point, Md.
- Hillcrest—Delegate (P), Frank Colbourne, 209 Beverly Place, Wilmington 3, Del.; Reserve, J. Davis Spicer, 1209 Winstead Rd., Mayfield, Wilmington 3, Del.
- Hockessin—Delegate, Mrs. J. Fred Osborne, Hockessin, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. D. W. Williams, Hockessin, Del.
- Holly Oak—Delegate, J. B. Matlack, 21 Darley Rd., Brookview, Claymont, Del.; Reserve, Leon Tarburton, 6717 Gov. Printz Blvd., Wilmington 3, Del.
- Hopewell—Delegate (P), Mrs. George McCullough II, Port Deposit, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. Arthur Benjamin, Port Deposit, Md.
- Kingswood-of-Brookside—Delegate, Mrs. Dorothy Cooke, 53 Carlisle Rd., Brookside, Newark, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Edith Highley, 14 Kullen Dr., Brookside, Newark, Del.
- Kirkwood—Delegate, Charles B. Lynch, Kirkwood, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Mabel Ogden, Kirkwood, Del.
- Marshallton—Delegate, C. C. Mattern, 2406 Tapley Rd., Wilmington 8, Del.; Reserve (P), C. H. Still, 1203 Lorrain Ave., Wilmington 8, Del.
- Millington—Delegate (P), Harry L Higman, Millington, Md.; Reserve, Wm. Allan Robinson, Millington, Md.
- Minquadale—Delegate (P), Mrs. Hilda Downward, 339 Sheridan Dr., Simonds Gardens, New Castle, Del.; Reserve, John Cockerill, 504 E. Hazeldel Ave., Minquadale, New Castle, Del.
- Mt. Lebanon—Delegate, Lowell Mercer, Mendenhall, Pa.; Reserve, William Umflet, Silverside Rd. & Concord Pike, Wilmington 3, Del.
- Mt. Pleasant—Delegate, Earl Keller, Liberty Grove, Md.; Reserve, Jesse Lyons, Colora, Md.
- Newark—Delegate (P), Earl F. Dawson, 243 W. Main St., Newark, Del.; Reserve, Martin J. Gauger, Box 414, Newark, Del.
- New Castle—Delegate (P), I. Newell Duncan, 112 W. 7th St., New Castle, Del.; Reserve A. K. Roberts, 114 Llangollen Blvd., New Castle, Del.
- Newport—Delegate (P), David Stevenson, 106 Oakmont Ave., Silview, Wilm. 4, Del.; Reserve Arthur Craig, 207 Stonehurst Dr., Stonehurst, Wilm. 4, Del
- North East—Delegate (P), Albert F. Graham, North East, Md.; Reserve, Mrs. R. O. Bailey, North East, Md.
- Perryville—Delegate, Mrs. John Warner, Perryville, Md.; Reserve (P), Mrs. Edward Krummel, Aiken, Md.

- Port Deposit—Delegate, Chester Kimble, Port Deposit, Md.; Reserve, Stephen Blackburn, Port Deposit, Md.
- Red Lion—Delegate (P), Harry V. Appleby, Bear, Delaware; Reserve, Mrs. Janice Wink, Bear, Del.
- Richardson Park—Delegate, John Palmer, 25 Champlain Ave., Bellemoor, Wilmington 4, Del.; Reserve, S. A. Hellen, 305 S. DuPont Rd., Ashley, Wilmington 4, Del.
- Rising Sun—Delegate, William C. Graham, Rising Sun, Md.; Reserve, Habbart McCoy, Rising Sun, Md.
- St. George—Delegate, James Ginn, R. D., Middletown, Del.; Reserve, John R. Butler, Jr., R. D., Middletown, Del.
- St. John's—Lewisville—Delegate (P), Allen Wilkinson, Lewisville, Pa.; Reserve, Mrs. Charles Wright, Lewisville, Pa.
- Stanton—Delegate (P), Henry K. Vye, Jr., 231 Venwick Ave., Kiamensi, Wilm. 4, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Rae Soltow, 216 Binstead Ave., Kiamensi, Wilm. 4, Del.
- Warwick—Delegate (P), Mrs. William Pierce, Warwick, Md.; Reserve, Howard L. Donovan, III, R. D., Golts, Md.
- Wesley Community Chapel—Delegate, Albert Evans, 6 King Ave., DuRoss Heights, New Castle, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Harvey Scott, 289 Airport Road, New Castle, Del.

WILMINGTON:

- Brandywine—Delegate (P), Wm. P. Hollingsworth, 2912 W. Third St., Wilm. 5, Del.; Reserve, Harry Walls, 2108 Spruce St., Wilm. 2, Del.
- Calvary—Delegate (P), Raymond Reynolds, 2304 Henlopen Avenue, Kiamensi, Wilm. 4, Del.; Reserve, Paul W Jenkins, 1118 Parkside Dr., Oak Lane Manor, Wilm. 3, Del.
 - Eastlake—Delegate (P), Earl R. Bennett, 3011 Washington St., Wilm. 2, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Irene T. Robbins, 9 Rock Manor Ave., Wilm. 3, Del.
 - Grace—Delegate (P), Wm. H. Cantwell, 309 Irving Dr., Brandywine Hills, Wilm. 2, Del.; Reserve, Joseph Brosius, 1001 Park Place, Wilm., Del.
 - Harrison St.—Delegate (P), Marvin W. McKay, 404 W. 35th St., Wilm. 2, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. H. B. Hygate, 729 Nottingham Rd., Wilm. 5, Del.
 - Madeley—Delegate (P), James Kreer, 1112 Maple St., Wilm. 4, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Edna Kreer, 1112 Maple St., Wilm. 4, Del.
 - McCabe—Delegate (P), P. A. Boudwin, 117 West 34th St., Wilm., Del.; Reserve, Elmer S. Howell, 2106 Jefferson St., Wilm. 2, Del.
 - Mt. Salem—Delegate (P), Clinton H. Brown, 9 N. Clifton Ave., Roselle, Wilm., Del.; Reserve Joseph A. Barkley, 2202 Shallcross Ave., Wilm. 6, Del.
 - Peninsula—Delegate, A. J. McCrery, Jr., 7 Granite Rd., Alapocas, Wilm., Del.; Reserve, T. L. Payne, 123 West 37th St., Wilm., Del.
 - Scott—Delegate, Ralph Parker, 226 West 14th St., Wilm., Del.; Reserve, G. T. Ellis, 1004 Jefferson St., Wilm., Del.
- Silverbrook—Delegate (P), T. Henry Honeychurch, 603 N. Bancroft Parkway, Wilm., Del.; Reserve, Clarence W. Thompson, 9 S. Ford Ave., Colonial Heights, Wilm., Del.

- St. Paul's—Delegate, J. Wallace Watson, 210 Oakwood Rd., Fairfax, Wilm., Del.; Reserve (P), Clifford T. Foster, Jr., 125 W. 37th St., Wilm., Del.
- Trinity—Delegate (P), Charles W. Cook, Jr., 820 Vandever Ave., Wilm., Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Rachel Murphy, 940 E. 17th St., Wilm., Del.
- Union—Delegate (P), Lacey Wilson, 718 S. Scott St., Wilmington, Del.; Reserve, Mrs. Earl Short, 2 Poplar Ave., Elsmere, Wilm., Del.
- Wilmington Manor—Delegate, Richard Farmer, 105 Riverview Drive, Collins Park, New Castle, Del.; Reserve, John Seney, 24 Briarcliff Drive, Overview Gardens, New Castle, Del.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS Official Journal

FIRST SESSION - THURSDAY MORNING

THE LORD'S SUPPER: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, assisted by the District Superintendents and the host pastor, Howard M. Amoss.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: The Memorial Service was conducted by Hartwell F. Chandler, assisted by D'Arcey A. Littleton, Lester E. Windsor, Joseph E. Vaughn and A. T. McFarland.

In loving memory we pause to read the names of those who during the Conference year have been translated to their heavenly home and whose names have been transferred to the eternal records of the Church Triumphant:

Ministers:

David J. Moore John N. Sparklin Charles W. Spry Leonard White J. Harry Wright

Wives and Widows:

Mrs. Dorsey Blake Mrs. D. T. Campbell Mrs. Nellie R. Conner Mrs. Annie E. Kelley Mrs. Rebecca M. Smith Mrs. Thomas W. Woodford

After a solo by Joseph B. Vaughn, benediction was pronounced by Frank Buckley.

OPENING: The Peninsula Annual Conference convened in its twentieth annual session in Bethesda Methodist Church, Salisbury, Md., May 14, 1959 at 9:00 A. M., Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam presiding.

ORGANIZATION MEETING: The following motions were presented by W. L. Beckwith, Secretary, and were adopted by the Conference:

- 1. That the bar of Conference be made to include all of the pews on the main floor of the sanctuary.
- 2. That the printed program be the program of the Conference subject to necessary changes.
- 3. The committee on approval of the Journal, D. T. Pritchard, G. A. Foster, and Walter H. Stone.
- 4. The roll call be taken by all members signing cards and handing them to the secretaries.
- 5. Ralph L. Minker, Jr. be named reporter for "Together" and other church papers.
 - 6. William Hemphill, Jr. be named agent for "Religion in Life."
- 7. The Conference Minutes be made the Official Journal and the Secretary be authorized to edit and condense the same.
- 8. The Secretary send greetings to all members not able to attend the Conference Session on the report of such cases by the District Superintendents.

9. Members may be excused from sessions upon report to their Superintendents or the Secretaries.

10. The Commissions and Committees as printed in the Minutes become the Commissions and Committees of the Conference with such corrections as need be made.

11. Motions on the floor must be presented to the Secretary on forms provided for this purpose.

12. The Committee on the Journal is to present its report immediately after the morning Devotional service.

13. If and when the customary drafts are received from the Chartered Fund and the Publishing House, they shall be endorsed and turned over to the proper treasurer.

RULES GOVERNING ELECTION OF DELEGATES: In accordance with Paragraphs 22-25, 501, 517-18, Discipline of 1956 the Peninsula Conference may elect three Ministerial and three Lay Delegates to the General Conference and five additional Ministerial and five additional Lay Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

The additional delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference are the Reserve Delegates to the General Conference in order of their election.

In connection with these elections I now move the following procedure and rules:

1. That after all the delegates to the General Conference have first been elected on a separate ballot, the Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference as reserves to the General Conference be elected by balloting.

2. That there shall also be elected three Ministerial Reserve and three Lay Reserve Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

3. That every member entitled to vote shall be ordered within the Bar of the Conference and those not within the Bar of the Conference shall not be entitled to vote except the treasurer, the statistician and their assistants, whose ballots shall be received by the tellers.

4. That any ballot containing fewer or more than the number of names to be voted for shall be rejected.

5. That where there are two or more members of the same name, only such ballots as containing the Christian name or initials of the person for whom the ballot is cast shall be counted, but such omission of the Christian name or initial shall not affect the other names on the ballot.

6. That a majority of the legal ballots cast shall be required. A majority of the legal votes cast on any ballot shall elect except when a larger number of members receive such a majority than are to be elected; in which case the persons receiving the highest vote shall be elected to the total number of places to be filled. A tie vote between two persons when but one place remains to be filled shall be disregarded and another vote shall be taken.

TELLERS ELECTED: On the recommendation of the District Superintendents and the Board of Lay Activities I nominate the following as tellers:

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THURSDAY-Nelson Benjamin, Elmer Bennett, D. O. Clendaniel, Edward Daugherty, William Dore, Robert Helms, Joseph Holiday, Donald O. Hornung, Omro Todd, Joe Vaughn.

FRIDAY—Robert Green, L. Howard Gordy, Jr., John Irwin, Harold Nunemaker, David Randolph, Olin Shockley, Vinton Shufelt, Gordon Stapleton.

SATURDAY—Otho G. Brewer, Jr., Frank Buckley, Howard Evans, Conrad Hamer, Dan Pritchard, Paul Reynolds, J. W. Simpers, Jr., Robert Whitlock.

LAY: Wilmington District: Frank Coulbourne, T. Henry Honeychurch, Marvin McKay.

Salisbury District:—Vernon Downes, Wm. R. McKnight, Mayhew Whayland.

Easton District:-P. E. Douglas, John Clarence North.

Dover District:—Fulton J. Downing, Dr. John Shilling, LeRoy Truitt.

Bishop, I move the adoption of this Organization Motion, including the election of the Tellers as named and that the Assistant Secretary be in charge of the Tellers as follows: Ministerial—J. Howard Link; Lay—George H. Moore.

—W. L. BECKWITH, Sec.

ROLL CALL: The Secretary distributed cards and the following answered the roll call:

Ministers 211 Laymen 133

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS: The characters of the District Superintendents, the ministerial members and approved supplies of The Peninsula Conference were passed and the District Superintendents presented their reports as follows:

Roy L. Tawes, District Superintendent of the Dover District presented his report

J. Leas Green, District Superintendent of the Easton District presented his report.

J. E. French, District Superintendent of the Salisbury District presented his report.

J. N. Link, District Superintendent of the Wilmington District presented his report.

The reports were received by the Conference.

PRESENTATION: Clifford T. Foster, the lay leader of the Wilmington District, presented John N. Link with a gold key to a new Chevrolet as a token of love and appreciation by the lay members of the Wilmington District. Roy Tawes, the District Superintendent of the Dover District, spoke for the Cabinet expressing their love and appreciation to John N. Link for his brotherly spirit and excellent service as a co-worker in the Cabinet.

CHARTERED FUND: A check for \$80.00 was presented as a dividend on the Chartered Fund. The check was received by the Conference to be placed in the hands of the Conference Treasurer.

FULL MEMBERSHIP: The following ministerial candidates to be received into full membership were presented by William H. Revelle, Jr., Conference Registrar and received by the Conference:

Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock.

Bishop Oxnam addressed the group, and observing the order for reception into full membership, asked the usual questions for which appropriate answers were given.

TRANSFERS: Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam announced the following transfers:

Fred W. Hanna, Jr., from Southern California-Arizona to Peninsula Conference, 6/17/58.

Gerald Henderson, from West Virginia to Peninsula Conference, 5/1/59.

Ronald W. Starnes, from Virginia to Peninsula Conference, 5/12/59. Clarence H. Hays, from Illinois to Peninsula Conference, 5/12/59.

Charles C. Huffman, from West Virginia to Peninsula Conference, 5/14/59.

Walter H. Beckwith, from Peninsula to New Jersey Conference, 9/20/58.

Reginald H. Wheatley, from Peninsula to Central America Provisional Conference, 4/10/59.

FIRST MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

FIRST LAY BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

ADJOURNMENT: Conference adjourned for the Corporate Session of The Mutual Relief Association:

MINUTES OF THE CORPORATE MEETING OF THE MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, INC.

The annual corporate meeting of the Mutual Relief Association was held on Thursday, May 14, 1959 at Bethesda Church, Salisbury, Maryland. The Rev. George W. Goodley presided and the reports of the secretary and treasurer were presented by the Rev. Otho G. Brewer, Jr.

The following nominations were presented by the Board of Directors to the corporate meeting:

For President: George W. Goodley For Vice-President: Harvey B. Flater

Secretary and Treasurer: Otho G. Brewer, Jr.

As Directors, with terms expiring 1962

Harvey B. Flater George H. Pigueron Ralph L. Minker, Jr.

Upon motion, the above nominees were declared elected.

The President reported to the corporate meeting that details of the Unification of Ministerial Benefits were still being worked out for future

Upon motion, the corporate meeting was adjourned and the Conference session resumed.

OTHO G. BREWER, JR., Secretary

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, INC.

Harvey B. Flater—1962	Gerald A. Foster—1961
George H. Pigueron—1962	Walter A. Donoway-1960
Ralph L. Minker, Jr.—1962	George W. Goodley-1960
John W. Townsend—1961	Edwin C. Thomas—1960
Otho G. Brewer, Jr1961	

George W. Goodley—President
Harvey B. Flater—Vice-President
Otho G. Brewer, Jr.—Secretary-Treasurer

At the close of the Corporate Session of the Mutual Relief Association, Conference was called to order by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam. Announcements were made and Conference adjourned, John N. Link pronouncing the benediction.

SECOND SESSION—THURSDAY AFTERNOON

OPENING: Conference convened at 2:15 P. M., Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam presiding.

FIRST MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The First Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast155	
Number of Ballots Defective 5	
Number of Ballots necessary to elect 76	
John E. French98	
J. Leas Green	
Roy L. Tawes49	
Joseph Dickerson38	
John Bunting, Jr36	
W. F. Dunkle, Jr32	
Charles Carpenter16	
Paul McCoy13	
Walter Beckwith13	
R. J. Cooke11	

John E. French received 98 votes and was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the General Conference.

SECOND MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

FIRST LAY BALLOT RETURNED: First Lay Ballot returned and was presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots Defective 4
Number of Ballots necessary to elect
G. P. Chandler65
W. F. Davis59
C. H. Brown58
F. Downing37
G. Hooper35
W. Palmer31
Mrs. Jackson28
E. Parsons26
L. Barnes20
Wm. McKnight18
S. E. Simpson

No election.

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SECOND LAY BALLOT TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS: The following report of the Committee on Nominations was presented by Clinton H. Brown and was adopted by the Conference:

REPORT OF PENINSULA CONFERENCE NOMINATING COMMITTEE 1959

BOARD OF CHILD CARE: We have been asked by this Board which is a joint Board with the Baltimore Conference to nominate the following persons for election by that Board: Hartwell F. Chandler to replace Mrs. C. A. Schuler; Alton S. Miller to replace Russell P. Smith; Miss M. Grace Riggin to replace Mrs. Earl Sylvester.

PENINSULA CONFERENCE SOCIETY: The following replace those whose one year terms are expiring and are nominated for a three year term: Dr. Idabelle Thomas to replace Howard L. Gordy, Jr.; Mrs. Russell P. Smith to replace Fred G. Livingood; Harold W. T. Purnell to replace Mrs. William B. Tilghman.

BOARD OF MISSIONS: A. E. Dougherty to replace T. C. Mulligan, term expiring; Harold Nunemaker to replace R. Jervis Cooke. CONVENER: R. Jervis Cooke.

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS: Howard Amoss to replace R. Jervis Cooke, term expiring; D. O. Hornung to replace Robert Van Cleaf, term expiring; T. C. Mulligan to replace C. H. Squires, term expiring; Brooks E. Reynolds to replace George H. Pigueron, term expiring.

BOARD OF SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS: Richard Staszesky to replace Chaplain C. I. Carpenter; Dudley T. Finch to replace R. S. Hodgson, retired.

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TV, RADIO AND FILM COMMISSION: Olin J. Shockley to replace W. O. Hackett, resigned. CONVENER: Dr. J. Leas Green.

BOARD OF TEMPERANCE: Walter B. Palmer, resigned, no replacement.

TRUSTEES OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE: William B. Hitchens to replace Milton Keen, term expiring; E. J. Horney to replace Elwood Cursey, term expiring. CONVENER: Dr. John French.

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE & FINANCE: George Nelson to replace Horace Morgan.

At the request of the District Superintendents we nominate the following for District Boards and who must be elected by the Annual Conference:

CHURCH BUILDING AND LOCATION

DOVER DISTRICT:

Ministerial—J. Earl Cummings, A. E. Dougherty, J. A. Trader. Lay—M. Haswell Pierce, W. W. Sharp, W. Allen Hastings.

EASTON DISTRICT:

Ministerial—William Hemphill, R. C. Hubbard, D. O. Hornung. Lay—C. A. Matthews, Wilbur Hoopengardner, Dave King.

SALISBURY DISTRICT:

Ministerial—Joseph B. Vaughn, Ralph L. Minker, Jr., J. R. Mackey. Lay—A. L. Fleming, Hamilton P. Fox, Jr., W. Twilley Malone, Elton W. Parsons.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT:

Ministerial—J. B. Dickerson, Brooks E. Reynolds, P. W. Spence, R. Jervis Cooke, Chairman.

Lay-J. W. Brosius, P. M. Ford, A. J. McCrery, Jr.

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DOVER DISTRICT: Ira E. Doyle, Richard S. Gibson, P. O. Hill, Walter H. Stone, Chester O. Wilcox.

EASTON DISTRICT: J. Leas Green, Chairman, H. E. Chandler, J. V. Holliday, Jr., E. J. Horney, W. P. Kesmodel, Paul E. Reynolds.

SALISBURY DISTRICT: J. Robert Mackey, Walter L. Beckwith, Howard Evans, J. Gordon Stapleton, Omro M. Todd.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT: F. B. Bailey, J. J. Bunting, Jr., H. M. Davis, O. P. Jefferson, M. H. Keene, R. Jervis Cooke, Chairman.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES: The report of the Board of Hospitals and Homes was presented by E. F. Chandler and the report was adopted. The following trustees for the "Home for the Aged of the Peninsula Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc." were elected for a three year term: Dr. John W. Barnhart, Gerald A. Foster, Mrs. Granville Hooper, John N. Link, Brooks Reynolds and William T. Wood.

METHODIST COUNTRY HOUSE: Report of the Methodist Country House was presented by J. Earl Cummings and was adopted by the Conference.

MOTION: The following motion was presented by Ralph Minker and was adopted by the Conference. "I move that the report regarding the Methodist Country House include a financial breakdown regarding the receipt and expenditure of all funds when presented to the 1960 session of the Annual Conference.

BOARD OF CHILD CARE: The report of the Board of Child Care was presented by Dr. Robert Wood of the Baltimore Conference and was adopted by the Conference.

SECOND MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The Second Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	
J. Leas Green 50 Roy L. Tawes 46 Joseph Dickerson 40 J. J. Bunting 39 Wm. F. Dunkle 31 Charles I. Carpenter 11	

No Election.

THIRD MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

SECOND LAY BALLOT RETURNED: Second Lay Ballot returned and was presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast112
Number of Ballots Defective 2
Number of Ballots necessary to elect 56
C. H. Brown55
George Chandler54
W. F. Davis45
F. Downing40
W. Palmer25
E. Pearsons23
Mrs. Jackson22
G. Hooper20
S. E. Simpson
L. Barnes

No Election.

THIRD LAY BALLOT TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

GOODWILL INDUSTRIES: Report of Goodwill Industries was presented by Clinton H. Brown and was received by the Conference to be printed in the Journal without reading.

PRESENTATION: The Salisbury Senior High School Choir was presented and entertained the Conference with several inspiring selections.

PHILADELPHIA CONFERENCE: The following motion was presented by Laurence Wimbrow and adopted by the Conference: "I move that the Conference Secretary convey our fraternal greetings and good wishes to Bishop Fred P. Corson and members of the Philadelphia Conference now in session."

THIRD MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The third Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots necessary to elect 74
J. L. Green61
R. L. Tawes
J. Bunting, Jr
J. Dickerson
W. Dunkle, Jr34

No Election.

FOURTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

MOTION: On the motion of W. F. Dunkle the Secretary was instructed to send the following telegram to the Hon. J. Caleb Boggs, Governor of Delaware: The Peninsula Annual Conference of The Methodist Church warmly commends Your Excellency for vetoing the whipping post bill recently enacted by the Legislature of Delaware. We appreciate your stand in upholding the dignity of Delaware before the bar of enlightened world opinion and are gratified by your forthright veto message to the Legislature with its strong humanitarian views. Your fellow Methodists salute you and pray God's blessings upon you in your high office.

THIRD LAY BALLOT RETURNED: Third Lay Ballot returned and was presented as follows:

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	Number of Ballots Cast116
	Number of Ballots Defective 1
	Number of Ballots necessary to elect 58
	George Chandler64
	C. H. Brown62
	W. F. Davis55
	F. Downing
	G. Hooper23
	W. Palmer22
	E. Parsons20
	Mrs. Jackson19
	L. Barnes16
	S. E. Simpson

George Chandler and Clinton H. Brown were elected.

FOURTH LAY BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

URBAN LIFE COMMISSION: The report of the Urban Life Commission was presented by Paul McCoy and was adopted by the Conference to be printed without reading.

MOTION: On a motion of John N. Link, the Bishop was requested to appoint a Committee On Memorials to the General Conference, the committee to consist of five members.

MOTION: The following motion was presented by W. F. Dunkle, Jr. and was adopted by the Conference: "I move that the Peninsula Annual Conference accept the proposed Constitution of the Delaware State Council of Churches, and that this action be certified to appropriate Council officers by our presiding officer; that the Constitution and its accompanying Letter of Transmission be published in our Journal; and that in addition to the Superintendents of the Wilmington District and Dover District two ministers and two laymen from Delaware be nominated by the chair for election by the Conference at one of the present 1959 sessions to represent the Peninsula Conference as members of the General Assembly of the Delaware State Council of Churches."

MOTION: The following motion was presented by W. F. Dunkle, Jr. and adopted by the Conference: "I move that the Conference refer to the Commission on World Service and Finance for report and recommendation during our 1959 Session the askings for the Delaware State Council of Churches."

FOURTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The Fourth Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots Defective
Roy L. Tawes
J. L. Green69
J. J. Bunting69
J. Dickerson

No Election

FIFTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

FOURTH LAY BALLOT RETURNED: The Fourth Lay Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	
W. F. Davis	

No Election.

FIFTH LAY BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

MOTION: On a motion of John E. French the Secretary was instructed to send greetings to Leoland Jackson, who is a patient at Memorial Hospital, Easton, Md.

ANNOUNCEMENTS were made and Conference adjoined, Preston W. Spence pronouncing the benediction.

EVENING SERVICE 7:45 P. M.

Evening service was held, the Rev. Lester E. Griffith, Missionary and former prisoner of the Algerian rebels, gave the address of the evening. The Rev. R. Jervis Cooke, Chairman of the Board of Missions, presided. Special music was rendered by the Choir of Trinity Methodist Church.

THIRD SESSION — FRIDAY MORNING

DEVOTIONS: 8:00 A. M. the Rev. Howard M. Amoss, host pastor, presiding and the Rev. Dr. Albert Edward Day bringing the message of the hour.

OPENING: Conference convened at 9:00 A. M. with Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam presiding.

COMMITTEE ON JOURNAL: D. T. Pritchard reported for the Committee on Journal, finding the Journal to be correct for the first two sessions. His report was accepted and the Journal approved by the Conference.

FIFTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The Fifth Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots Defective 0
Number of Ballots necessary to elect
Roy L. Tawes80
J. J. Bunting70
J. L. Green67
J. Dickerson47
W. Dunkle17

Roy L. Tawes was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the General Conference.

SIXTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TAKEN: Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION: The report of the Town and Country Commission was presented by Perry O. Hill. The report was adopted and Henry T. Caldwell was approved as the Executive Secretary of the Town and Country Commission.

BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING: The report of the Board of Ministerial Training was presented by J. J. Bunting, Jr., Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

RESOLUTION: The following resolution was presented by J. J. Bunting, Jr. and was adopted by the Conference:

Whereas at the present time there is no Disciplinary definition of what constitutes a "full-time Approved Supply Pastor" and a "part-time Approved Supply Pastor";

And whereas such a definition has not been established in our own

Conference;
And whereas such a definition is essential to determining such matters as the schedule for the completion of the ministerial course of study and the payment of pensions according to an equitable plan;

And whereas the General Conference of 1960 may enact legislation concerning this definition;

Be it resolved, that a committee of this Conference be appointed to study this matter, to consider any legislation which may be passed by the 1960 General Conference and to present a proposal to the 1960 Session of this Annual Conference concerning it (if such is necessary);

And be it further resolved that the committee consist of one representative each from the Cabinet, the Board of Pensions, the Board of Missions, the Committee on Conference Relations, and Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications; and that the Chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications be the convener of this committee.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT: W. H. Revelle, Jr. the Registrar of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications presented the following report which was adopted by the Conference:

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS 1958-1959

Disciplinary Questions: Part II Ministerial Practice

21. Who are Approved Supply Pastors? (Paragraph 317)

Hope, Clifton Howell, Stanley V. Hudson, William O. Hughes, Ralph H. D. *Hurst, Donald Huntington, Charles O. *Jefferson, Kinmoth *Johnson, Hugh	(E) (E)
Judy, Eric D. Keese, James A. *Kelly, Robert G.	
	Howell, Stanley V. Hudson, William O. Hughes, Ralph H. D. *Hurst, Donald Huntington, Charles O. *Jefferson, Kinmoth *Johnson, Hugh Judy, Eric D. Keese, James A.

^{*} New This Year

⁽E) Elders

Milliner, Milton C.	(E)	Smith, Miss Muriel C.	
Missimer, Leslie D.		Smith, William H.	
*Mitchell, Edwin		Spedden, Harold C.	
Plumline, James L.		Steen, James C., Jr.	
Pruett, Dale		Stellges, George L.	
Pusey, Irvin		Stookey, Lawrence H.	
Renner, Lawrence S.	(E)	Strickler, Charles E.	
Roberts, Maxwell J.	(E)	*Sturgis, Harvey T., Jr.	
*Schultz, H. Melvin		Townsend, O. Lloyd	
Short, Robert C.		White, George D.	
*Short, Thomas C.		Wilson, G. Francis	
Shufelt, Vinton D.	(E)	Yanta, Thomas J.	

21a. Student Approved Supply Pastors and schools in which they are enrolled.

Arndt, Frederick A
Blevin, Edwin
Brown, Claude Salisbury State Teachers
Burge, Charles D
Gladden, Edward M Salisbury State Teachers
Hudson, William O
Huffman, Charles C Wesley Theological Seminary
Huntington, Charles O
Hurst, Donald
Jefferson, Kinmoth
Johnson, Hugh
Judy, Eric D Salisbury State Teachers
Keese, James A
Kelly, Robert G
Mitchell, Edwin
Pruitt, Dale
Pusey, Irwin
Schultz, H. Melvin
Short, Robert CLincoln University
Short, Thomas C
Smith, William H
Spedden, Harold C Salisbury State Teachers
Stellges, George L
Stookey, Lawrence H Swarthmore
Strickler, Charles Temple School of Theology
Sturgis, Harvey T., Jr
White, George D
Yanta, Thomas J

21b. Part Time Approved Supply Pastors.

None.

21c. Full time Approved Supply Pastors & course	of study progress.
Abbott, Wilmer E.—Elder	Course completed
Bishop, George W	2nd. year
Church, J. Lake	2nd. year
Doughten, James B	1st. year
Downing, Ivon P	1st. year
Eckhart, Elwood B.—Elder	Course completed
Elliott, Milton R.—Elder	Course completed
Fosnocht, Walter E.—Elder	Course completed
Fox, Clarence J.—Elder	나이지 아이가 되었다면 가게 되었다. 그렇게 되었다면 하게 되었다면 하게 되었다면 그렇게 되었다면 다른다.
Gladden, Herbert H	
Guyer, Harry M.—Elder	
Hamilton, William W.—Elder	[L. L. C. L. C. L. C. L. L. L. L. C. L
Hill, William A.—Elder	
Hope, Clifton—Elder	107000 NO 102000 NO 10300 NO
Howell, Stanley V	
Hughes, Ralph H. D.—Elder	[1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1]
Milliner, Milton C.—Elder	
Missimer, Leslie D	
Plumline, James L	2. P. C. B. C. B. C.
Renner, Lawrence S.—Eider	:
Roberts, Maxwell J.—Elder	어린 생생님 그 사람이 많은 사람이 없는 사람들이 살아 있다면 하나 사람이 되었다. 그 이 생각이 아니라 없는데 없다.
Shufelt, Vinton D.—Elder	
Smith, Miss Muriel C.—Elder	그래마 아이들이 많아 아니는 아이를 하는데 아니는 아이들이 아니는 아니는데 아이들이 없다.
Steen, James C., Jr.—Elder	
Townsend, O. Lloyd—Elder	
Wilson, G. Francis—Elder	Course completed

25. Who are (recommended to be) admitted on trial:-

a. With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology?

Archer, William Thomas, Jr. Address: Rock Hall, Maryland. Licensed to Preach: 1953. Home Church: Dagsboro, Delaware. College: Washington. Graduated: 1958. Degree: A.B. Seminary: Crozer. Completing 1st. year. Deacon's Orders: 1959.

Davis, Charles Darwin. Address: Wilmington, Delaware. Licensed to Preach: 1951. Home Church: Atonement, Claymont. College: Lycoming. Graduated: 1957. Degree: A.B. Seminary: Wesley Theological, Completing 2nd. yr. D's Orders: 1959.

Hamilton, Richard Lee. Address: Pawpaw, West Virginia. Licensed to Preach: 1955. Home Church: Huntington, W. Va. College: Marshall. Graduated: 1959 Degree: A.B. Seminary: Wesley Theological, Completing 1st. yr., D's Orders: 1959.

Merrill, Thomas Ray, Address: Evanston, Illinois, Licensed to Preach: 1958. Home Church: Salem, Pocomoke, Md. College: W. Va. Wesleyan. Graduated: 1956 Degree A.B. Seminary: Garrett, Completing 3rd yr.

⁽E) Elders

Soronsen, Vernon Martin. Address: Wilmington, Delaware. Licensed to Preach: 1959. Home Church: Aldersgate. College: Colby-Maine. Graduated: 1956: Degree: A.B. Seminary: Crozer. Completing 2nd. year.

26. Who are continued on trial and with progress in their ministerial studies:

a. In approved schools of theology?

Bailey, Richard D. Ellis, Ralph Andrew Godfrey, George C. Huffman, Charles C. Payne, Romie Hollingsworth, Jr. Pigueron, George Henry, III Seymour, Samuel James Simpers, John W. Staton, Lawrence Elmer Wallace, Robert O'Kelly

28. Who are (recommended to be) admitted into full connection?

Barton, Charles Edward, Jr., Federalsburg, Maryland. 30. Home Church: Hillsboro-Queen Anne. Licensed to Preach: 1956. College: Washington. Graduated 1956. A.B. Seminary: Wesley. Graduated: 1959. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1958.

Gordy, Howard Lee, Jr., Quantico, Maryland. 26. Home Church: Asbury, Salisbury. Licensed to Preach 1956. College: U. of Michigan. Graduate: 1954. A.B. Seminary: Yale. Graduate: 1957. On Trial: 1956. Deacon: 1956.

Hays, Clarence Hale, Port Deposit, Maryland. 34. Home Church: Decatur, Ill. Licensed to Preach: 1953. College: U. of Illinois. Graduate: 1949. B.S. Seminary: Evan. & Ref. Graduate: 1959. On Trial: 1956. Deacon: 1956.

Helms, Robert Wilkins, Cherry Hill, Maryland. 26. Home Church: Aldersgate. Licensed to Preach: 1956. College: Bob Jones Univ. Graduate: 1955. A.B. Seminary: Temple, Graduate: 1958. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1958.

Henderson, Gerald Morgan, Cannon, Delaware. 37. Home Church: Dennis, W. Va. Licensed to Preach: 1949. College: Bob Jones Univ. Graduate 1954. A.B. Seminary: Temple, Graduate: 1958. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1957.

Randolph, David James, Jr., Hockessin, Delaware. 25. Home Church: Elkton, Md. Licensed to Preach: 1951. College: U. of Delaware. Graduate: 1956. A.B. Seminary: Drew, Graduate: 1959. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1957.

Shockley, Olin J., Jr., Cheswold, Delaware. 26. Home Church: Ocean City, Md. Licensed to Preach: 1952. College: Washington. Graduate: 1956. A.B. Seminary: Temple, Graduate: 1959. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1957.

Starnes, Ronald Ware, Wilmington, Delaware. 26. Home Church: McCanless, W. Va. Licensed to Preach: 1953. College: Lynchburg. Graduate: 1956. A.B. Seminary: Wesley, Graduate: 1959. On Trial: 1956. Deacon: 1956.

Whitlock, Robert Preston, Chesapeake City, Md. 25. Home Church: Richardson Park, Del. Licensed to Preach: 1954. College: U. of Delaware. Graduate: 1956. A.B. Seminary: Drew, Graduate: 1959. On Trial: 1957. Deacon: 1957. 29. Who have been (recommended to be) elected deacons:

a. Theological Students?

Archer, William Thomas, Jr.

Hamilton, Richard Lee

Davis, Charles Darwin

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31. Who have been (recommended to be) elected elders:

a. Theological Students?

Barton, Charles Edward, Jr. Gordy, Howard Lee, Jr. Hays, Clarence Hale Helms, Robert Wilkins Henderson, Gerald Morgan

Randolph, David James, Jr. Shockley, Olin J., Jr. Starnes, Ronald Ware Whitlock, Robert Preston

b. Approved Supply Pastors?

Guyer, Harry Martin Hope, Clifton

Wilson, G. Francis

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. REVELLE, JR., Registrar Peninsula Conference Board of M. T. & Q.

MEMORIALS: The following Committee on Memorials to the General Conference was nominated by Bishop Oxnam and elected by the Conference: Alton S. Miller, Chairman; J. R. Mackey; Paul E. Reynolds; Clinton H. Brown; and Fulton Downing.

SIXTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT RETURNED: The Sixth Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	01
Number of Ballots Defective	1
Number of Ballots necessary to elect	51
John J. Bunting, Jr51	
J. Leas Green	
J. B. Dickerson	

John J. Bunting, Jr. was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the General Conference.

FIFTH LAY BALLOT RETURNED: The Fifth Lay Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast1	12
Number of Ballots Defective	1
Number of Ballots necessary to elect	56
W. F. Davis	
F. Downing	

W. F. Davis was elected a Lay Delegate to the General Conference. FIRST MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the Jurisdictional

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FIRST LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS: The following report of the Committee on Conference Relations was presented by Ellwood Cursey and adopted by the Conference:

The Committee on Conference Relations recommends that the following men be retired at their request under Paragraph #369; W. A. Donoway, John N. Link, Lester E. Windsor, and Charles Kelser from disability to retirement under #369.

We recommend that J. E. Layton be retired under Paragraph #1631-2 at his request.

We recommend that O. H. Connolly be retired under Paragraph #368. We recommend that the following men be continued in retirement for physical disability under Paragraph #1617-4: G. E. Turner, W. J. Ennis, H. N. Bailey, E. E. Crockett, Robert Hastings.

By his own action Manuel Buarque has surrendered his credentials under Paragraph #380. Credentials were accepted by the vote of the Conference.

QUADRENNIAL COMMITTEE: The report of the Quadrennial Committee on the Local Church was presented by J. J. Von Hagel and adopted by the Conference.

EVANGELISM: The report of the Board of Evangelism was presented by H. C. Jeffers, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

PRESENTATION: W. F. Dunkle, Jr. was presented by W. P. Kesmodel and spoke on the Wesley Foundation program of the Conference.

DISCONTINUED CHURCHES: The following motion was made by J. Leas Green and adopted by the Conference:

Whereas a number of Churches have so few members that an effective Church program is impossible;

And whereas in each case other Methodist Churches are nearby;

And whereas in several cases members must pass other Methodist Churches to attend these small churches to which they belong;

And whereas growing churches are deprived of needed services of their Pastor to provide for a Worship service in these small churches, therefore: The Easton District Board of Church Building and Location, the District Superintendents and the Bishop of the Peninsula Conference acting under Paragraph 188 of the 1956 Discipline of the Methodist Church unanimously recommend:

- 1. That Chateau Church on the former Friendship and Chateau Charge, Matthewstown on the former Hillsboro, Queen Anne Charge, Bethlehem and Choptank on the Preston Charge, Piney on the Rock Hall Charge, and Cordova and Starr on the former Wye Mills Charge be discontinued.
 - 2. That all services cease in these churches June 1, 1959.
- 3. That the trustees of the Peninsula Conference be directed to immediately notify the proper officials of these churches regarding this action.
 - 4. That any assets derived by the Trustees from the sale or distribution

of these properties be given to the Trustees of the other church or churches of the charge to which these churches now belong, or be given to assist in the building of a new church on Kent Island.

5. That the title to these churches be transferred to the Trustees of the Annual Conference.

FIRST LAY BALLOT TO: JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The First Lay Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast87
Number of Ballots Defective 5
Number of Ballots necessary to elect42
Granville Hooper 54
Fulton Downing
Walter Palmer
Otis Figgs
Parsons
S. T. Simpson
L. Barnes
L. Wilson
Roe
Smith
Brosius
L. Harman
Montgomery

Granville Hooper, Fulton Downing and Walter Palmer were elected Lay Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

SECOND LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

MOTION: The following motion was made by J. Leas Green and adopted by the Conference:

A few of our discontinued or abandoned churches not sold or otherwise disposed of have fallen into a very distressing state of deterioration and in reality have become a disgrace to the Methodist Church. I therefore move that the Trustees of the Peninsula Conference be instructed to proceed to dispose of these properties and in the event that they cannot be sold or given away that they shall be razed.

FIRST MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED. The First Ministerial Ballot to Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	3;
Number of Ballots Defective 1	1
Number of Ballots necessary to elect	3
J. Leas Green	
J. B. Dickerson	
Wm. F. Dunkle, Jr	

Paul McCoy		 				.37
R. J. Cooke						.33
Walter Beckwith						.21
Robert Mackey						.19
George Goodley						.16
Howell Wilkins						.14
Howard Amoss						.13
Donzel Wildey						.13
James Hughes						.13

J. Leas Green was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference.

SECOND MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFER-ENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the General Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J.

SECOND LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RE-TURNED: The Second Lay Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

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Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots necessary to clear the
Parsons 31 O. Figgs 30 Simpson 26 Smith 25 Barnes 18 Roe 16 Brosius 14 Wilson 11
Wilson

No Election.

THIRD LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

ADJOURNMENT: Conference adjourned for the Corporate Session of Wesley College:

ANNUAL CORPORATE SESSION — Wesley College — May 15, 1959

The Annual Meeting of the Wesley College Corporation convened Friday morning, May 15, 1959 at 11:15 A. M. in Bethesda Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland. On motion of David W. Baker the Minutes of the Corporate Session 1958 were accepted without reading.

The Reverend Howell O. Wilkins, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, read his report to the members of the Corporation. Copies were distributed and also filed with reports of the session.

Mr. Elvin H. Cavanagh, Director of the Development Program for the college, was introduced.

Ministerial-Harold Davis-Elkton, Md. Dr. John E. French-Salisbury, Md. William H. Hudson-Chestertown, Md. Mrs. Rosalind Feller-Dover, Delaware Lay-Randolph Hughes-Dover, Delaware Dr. I. J. MacCollum-Wyoming, Delaware Dr. John Shilling-Dover, Delaware Mrs. Marjorie Speakman—Smyrna, Delaware

There were no nominations from the floor and by motion the nominations were closed. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Secretary cast the ballot and the chair declared them elected.

There being no further business the Annual Meeting adjourned at 11:33 A. M.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM HENRY HUDSON, Secretary

At the close of the Corporate Session of Wesley College, Conference was called to order by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam.

THIRD LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RE-TURNED: The Third Lay Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots necessary to elect
Parsons36
Figgs33
Smith30
Simpson24
Barnes16
Wilson13
Harman11
Roe10

No Election.

FOURTH LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

PRESENTATION: Dr. Norman L. Trott, President of Wesley Theological Seminary, was presented and addressed the Conference.

SECOND MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFER-ENCE RETURNED: The Second Ministerial Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Num	ber of	Ballots	Cast											. 1	18
		Ballots													
Num	ber of	Ballots	neces	sary	to	el	ec	t.		 				. !	55

J. B. Dickerson
Wm. F. Dunkle, Jr
Paul McCoy
R. J. Cooke
W. L. Beckwith
Robert Mackey
George Goodley
Don Wildey
Howell Wilkens
Howard Amoss

J. B. Dickerson and Wm. F. Dunkle, Jr., were elected Ministerial Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

THIRD MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

FOURTH LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The Fourth Lay Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	1
Parsons .50 Figgs .43 Smith .33	
Simpson	
Barnes	

No Election.

FIFTH LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

PRESENTATION: Rev. C. W. Derrickson, Superintendent of the Salisbury District of the Delaware Conference was presented and entertained the Conference with two vocal selections.

BOARD OF EDUCATION: The report of the Board of Education was presented by James R. Hughes, Chairman. Donzel Wildey, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education; George Godfrey, Director of Youth; and Thomas Lodge, who is in charge of the development of Pe-Co-Meth Camp.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Peninsula Conference Board of Education of the Methodist Church respectfully submits the following recommendations to the Peninsula Annual Conference:

- 1. That the list of persons certified as Directors of Christian Education, Educational Assistants, and Ministers of Music by the Board of Education be included in the Alphabetical Roll and Directory of the Conference Journal.
- 2. That Evangelism and Enlistment be given major recognition in the total area of Church life during this Conference year.
- 3. That the local churches be urged to recognize their responsibility to provide opportunity for every youth and adult to attend a class of instruction in preparation for membership in The Methodist Church.
- 4. That the churches support the District Superintendents in attaining the goal of every Methodist Church using Methodist Material.

The report and recommendations were adopted by the Conference.
THIRD MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO THE JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The Third Ministerial Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	10
Paul E. McCoy 62 R. J. Cooke 51 Walter Beckwith 34 Robert Mackey 22 George Goodley 19 Howell Wilkens 15 Don Wildey 11	

Paul E. McCoy was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference.

FOURTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

ORDER OF THE DAY. On the motion of W. F. Dunkle, Jr. the reports of the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference was made the order of the day in the opening of the Saturday morning session of the Annual Conference.

ANNOUNCEMENTS were made and Conference adjourned, Dr. Norman Trott pronouncing the benediction.

FOURTH SESSION — FRIDAY AFTERNOON

OPENING: The Conference convened at 2:30 P. M., Bishop Oxnam presiding.

FOURTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO THE JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The Fourth Ministerial Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and was presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Number of Ballots Defective 2
Number of Ballots necessary to elect
R. J. Cooke
Walter Beckwith
Robert Mackey
Howell Wilkens

No Election.

FIFTH LAY BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The Fifth Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	2
Elton Parsons 63 Otis Figgs 54 Smith 29 Simpson 11 Barnes 10	ALPEN ED ALE ED VI ED VI

Elton Parsons and Otis Figgs were elected Lay Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

FIFTH MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The Fifth Ministerial Ballot to the Jurisdictional Conference was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	
Number of Ballots Defective	1
Number of Ballots necessary to elect	56
R. J. Cooke	
Walter Beckwith	

 $\mathbf{R}.$ J. Cooke was elected a Ministerial Delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference.

FIRST RESERVE MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Ministerial Delegation Reserves to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary J. Howard Link.

FIRST LAY BALLOT FOR RESERVES TO THE JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE TAKEN: The Ballot for the Lay Delegation to the Jurisdictional Conference was taken and the tellers retired with Assistant Secretary George H. Moore.

COMMITTEE ON CHAPLAINS: The report of the Committee on Chaplains was presented by Robert E. Van Cleaf, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

PRESENTATION: Rev. Hurley Bowling, Staff Representative of the Methodist Commission on Chaplains, was presented by Robert E. Van Cleaf

and addressed the Conference. Chaplain C. I. Carpenter was presented and addressed the Conference concerning the religious activities at the Air Force Academy.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY: A report of the Historical Society was presented by Wm. O. Hackett, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

FIRST RESERVE MINISTERIAL BALLOT TO JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The First Ministerial Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast
Walter Beckwith
Robert Mackey
Howell Wilkens
George Goodley
William O. Hackett11

Walter L. Beckwith was elected as a Ministerial Reserve Delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference.

TELEGRAM: The following greeting was received from the Philadelphia Annual Conference: Dear Bishop Oxnam and Brethren: Warm Greetings to the Peninsula Conference. Best wishes for an inspiring session. Personal regards to Bishop Oxnam. Fraternally (signed) Bishop Fred Pierce Corson and Roger C. Stinson, Secretary.

MOTION: On a motion of Laurence Wimbrow the two receiving the second and third highest vote on the first ballot of the Ministerial Reserves to the Jurisdictional Conference were declared elected. Robert Mackey and Howell Wilkens were declared elected.

FIRST LAY BALLOT FOR RESERVES TO THE JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE RETURNED: The First Lay Ballot was returned and presented as follows:

Number of Ballots Cast	4
Number of Ballots Defective	0
Number of Ballots Defective	8
Number of Ballots necessary to elect	0
Russell Smith	
S. E. Simpson	
Leonard Barnes	
Wilson	

Russell P. Smith, Jr., S. E. Simpson and Leonard Barnes were elected Reserve Lay Delegates to the Jurisdictional Conference.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE: The report of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was presented by Mrs. Earl Sylvester, President and was received with appreciation by the Conference.

PRESENTATION: Mrs. Walter Palmer, the new President of the Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service, was presented by Mrs. Earl Sylvester.

PRESENTATION: Dr. George M. Curry, representing the publishing interests of the Methodist Church, was presented and addressed the Conference. Dr. Curry presented a check from the Methodist Publishing House in the amount of \$6586.61 as their annual contribution to the Board of Pensions.

BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES: The report of the Board of Lay Activities was presented by Clinton Brown, Conference Lay Leader and adopted by the Conference.

MINISTERIAL BENEFITS: The report of the Committee for Unification of Ministerial Benefits was presented by George Goodley. The report and the following resolution was adopted by the Conference; In consideration of the generous ministerial benefits provided by the 1958 Annual Conference in the Unification of Ministerial Benefits (see page 547 of the 1958 Official Journal):

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Peninsula Annual Conference meeting at Salisbury, May 14-17, 1959, that all ministers entitled to the benefits of the above program, together with their wives, if members, be declared ineligible to receive the benefits of the Mutual Relief Association, effective on the date adopted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all present members of the Mutual Relief Association, not eligible to receive benefits provided in the 1958 plan, be continued in the Mutual Relief Association and entitled to Mutual Relief Association benefits, upon payment of assessments as provided in the By-Laws of the Association.

Providing, that the incorporation of the Mutual Relief Association be continued to protect the above members until all the above obligations are met.

OTIS F. FIGGS
J. LEAS GREEN
J. EARL CUMMINGS
GEORGE W. GOODLEY

Committee on Unification of Ministerial Benefits

BOARD OF MISSIONS: The report of the Board of Missions was presented by Jervis Cooke, Chairman. The report and the following recommendations were adopted by the Conference:

- 1. That the month of January be designated as Missionary Cultivation Month.
- $2. \,$ That there be a Missionary Rally or Institute on each District during the coming year.
- 3. That each church have an active Commission on Missions, that each pastor encourage the use of our fine missionary publications and that wherever possible the local church sponsor a School of Missions, utilizing one of the recommended study themes.
- 4. That the Church Extension policies and the Missionary Aid policies of the Board of Missions be printed annually in the Conference Journal with other permanent records of the Conference.
- 5. That the Rev. William Hemphill, Jr. be appointed Conference Missionary Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

R. JERVIS COOKE, President

TREASURER'S REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS: The report of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions was submitted to the Conference and ordered printed without reading.

NOMINATIONS: Wm. Hemphill and W. E. Matthews were nominated by the Board of Missions as representatives to the Board of Managers of the Jurisdictional Conference in keeping with Paragraph 1172 of the 1956 Discipline of the Methodist Church.

MINISTER'S ASSISTANTS: The report on Minister's Assistants was presented by J. Earl Cummings, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

CHRISTIAN VOCATIONS: The report of the Conference Commission on Christian Vocations was presented by Leland B. Hall, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

PRESENTATION: Dr. Edge W. Gamble, representing the General Board of Pensions, was presented and addressed the Conference.

ANNOUNCEMENTS were made and Conference adjourned, H. F. Chandler pronouncing the benediction.

EVENING SERVICE 7:45 P. M.

Evening service was held with Mr. Clinton H. Brown, Conference Lay Leader, presiding. The address was given by His Excellency, J. Millard Tawes, Governor of the State of Maryland. Special music was rendered by The Wesley College Chorus.

FIFTH SESSION — SATURDAY MORNING

DEVOTIONS: 8:00 A. M. with H. F. Chandler presiding and Rev. Dr. Albert Edward Day bringing the message of the hour.

OPENING: Conference convened at 9:00 A. M. with Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam presiding.

COMMITTEE ON JOURNAL: Walter H. Stone reported for the Committee on Journal finding the Journal to be correct for the third and fourth sessions. His report was accepted and the Journal approved by the Conference.

MOTION: On motion of Walter H. Stone, Conference granted permission to the Committee on Journal to approve the minutes of the remaining sessions without reporting to the Conference.

PRESENTATION: H. M. Amoss presented Mr. Fred P. Adkins to the Conference.

CONFERENCE STATISTICIAN: The report of the Conference statistician was presented by G. E. Leister and adopted by the Conference.

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE: The following Committee on Investigation was nominated by Bishop Oxnam and approved by the Conference: H. M. Amoss, C. S. Clarkson, R. E. Green, B. E. Reynolds, and C. L. Trader. Reserves: T. J. Turkington, J. R. Mackey and T. C. Mulligan.

CONFERENCE TREASURER: The report of the Conference Treasurer was presented by John F. Kelso and adopted by the Conference.

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE COMMISSION: The report of the World Service and Finance Commission was presented by Otis F. Figgs, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

TRUSTEES: The report of the Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference was presented by E. W. Cursey and adopted by the Conference without reading.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS: Elwood Cursey, Secretary of the Committee on Conference Relations, made the following recommendations which were approved by the Conference:

That Guy McWilliams be retired for physical disability under Paragraph 1616 section 4.

That Richard M. Green be granted Sabbatical Leave under Paragraph $3\,64$.

CONFERENCE EDUCATION SOCIETY: The report of the Conference Education Society was presented by Earl F. Dawson, Chairman. The report was adopted by the Conference and the Officers of the Society confirmed.

MEMORIALS TO GENERAL CONFERENCE: Alton S. Miller, Chairman of the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference presented the following Memorials which were approved by the Conference:

- 1. Proposed that the Peninsula Annual Conference memorialize the 1960 General Conference to enact legislation requiring that only ordained ministers may be designated or certified as "Ministers of Music" or "Ministers of Education" and that laity be designated or certified as "Directors of Music" or "Directors of Education" so that the title or designation "ministers" shall be in every case reserved to the ordained clergy of the church.
- 2. The Board of Social & Economic Relations submits the following proposal for the action of the Peninsula Conference: The Peninsula Annual Conference respectfully memorializes the 1960 General Conference to enact legislation combining the Board of Temperance, The Board of World Peace, and the Board of Social & Economic Relations into one general agency to be known as the Board of Christian Social Relations of The Methodist Church.

Submitted by,

JOSEPH W. BROSIUS, Chairman Board of Social & Economic Relations Peninsula Annual Conference

3. The Board of Social & Economic Relations submits the following proposal for the action of the Peninsula Conference: The Peninsula Annual Conference respectfully memorializes the 1960 General Conference to enact legislation making a Commission on Christian Social Relations mandatory rather than optional in the organization of each pastoral charge.

Submitted by,

JOSEPH W. BROSIUS, Chairman Board of Social & Economic Relations Peninsula Annual Conference

4. The Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications submits the following memorial to the Peninsula Annual Conference: 1. That Paragraph 325, Section 3, of the 1956 Discipline be stricken. (This section has to do with what are called "exceptional" cases among Approved Supplies who may upon recommendation "by a three-fourths vote of the Cabinet and a

three-fourths vote of the Board of Ministerial Training and qualifications" be admitted on Trial without fulfilling the normal educational requirements for Admission on Trial. 2. And that Paragraph 343, section 2, also be stricken. (This section, based upon Paragraph 325, Section 3, allows two years of special study by correspondence under the direction of the Department of Ministerial Education as a substitute for the normal educational requirements for Admission into Full Connection.)

5. The John Street Methodist Church submits the following memorial to the Peninsula Annual Conference: To designate a Commission of the General Conference, with power to formulate plans for the appropriate recognition and celebration in 1966 of the BI-CENTENARY OF AMERICAN METHODISM, which will then occur, and to report said plans in detail to the 1964 General Conference for the consideration and action of that body. For the Board of Trustees of John Street Methodist Church, New York City.

(Signed) ARTHUR BRUCE MOSS, Recorder for the Trustees.

BARRATT'S CHAPEL: Bishop Oxnam appointed a committee to plan with the Directors of The Historical Society for a fitting and significant observance of the 175th Anniversary of the first administration of the Lord's Supper in the Methodist Fellowship in this country (at Barratt's Chapel on November 14, 1784). The committee is: Wm. O. Hackett, Roy Tawes and J. R. MACKEY.

DELAWARE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES: Bishop Oxnam nominated the following ministers and laymen to serve with the Superintendents of the Wilmington and Dover Districts to represent the Peninsula Conference as members of the General Assembly of the Delaware State Council of Churches: A. E. Dougherty, William F. Dunkle, Jr., Clifford T. Foster, Jr. and John R. Rogers. They were approved by the Conference.

BOARD OF PENSIONS: The report of the Board of Pensions was presented by George W. Goodley, Chairman and was adopted by the Conference.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The treasurer's report of the Board of Pensions was presented by Ira S. Pruitt and received with appreciation by the Conference.

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS: The report of the Board of Social and Economic Relations was presented by Joseph W. Brosius, Chairman and adopted by the Conference.

MOTION: On a motion of Ralph Minker, the Secretary was instructed to print the following statement submitted by Joseph W. Brosius in his report to the Annual Conference:

The Annual Report of The Board of Social and Economic Relations has been printed and there is no need for me to take your time now to read it.

I do wish to take a few minutes to express my personal feelings for this Board, its place in the Church, and of the need to strengthen it.

I quote two paragraphs from The Social Creed.

"The interest of the Methodist Church in social welfare springs from the Gospel and from the labors of John Wesley, who ministered to the

physical, intellectual, and social needs of the people to whom he preached the gospel of personal redemption."

"In our historic position we have sought to follow Christ in bringing the whole life, with its activities, possessions, and relationships, into conformity with the will of God."

We fall far short of this position so many times. This board was established in 1952 for the purpose of directing our attention to our social responsibilities. Many of us try to separate our secular life from our spiritual life to the great detriment of ourselves and the Church.

Last week at the meeting of stewards in one of our local churches, it was proposed that they speak out against a law passed by the Delaware Legislature making the use of the whipping post mandatory. One of the stewards objected and said, "Let's get back to the business of the Church." Is this not the business of the Church? Is this the attitude Christ would have taken?

We need a strong Board to direct this program of human and social rights. We have a Board of twenty-five, six from each District and General Carpenter. In the period from November, 1956, to December, 1958, there were ten meetings of the Board. If every member had attended each meeting, there would have been 250 present. Actually, there were 80 present or $32\,\%$.

Nine members never attended, three attended once, one attended twice, four attended four meetings, three attended five meetings, one attended seven, three attended nine, and our scretary attended all ten meetings.

Thirteen members had a representation of five present instead of 130 or 3.8%. I do not criticize these people since they were never consulted as to whether they would or could serve. They may have very legitimate reasons that prevent them from serving.

The other twelve members had an attendance of 75 out of a possible 120 or 62.5%. This, I consider an excellent batting average in any league. Without them, the Board would not exist. I have asked the Committee on Nominations to do something to correct this situation. They tell me that under the present system they can do nothing.

I hope the Conference will take action to correct this for the next quadrennium.

My term on the Board expires in 1960 along with seventeen others. Of the men remaining on the Board, one has attended all meetings since he was elected; the others have never attended a meeting.

I am greatly concerned about this and am firmly convinced that the Nominating Committee must explain the responsibilities and receive the consent to serve from persons before they nominate them. They say this is impossible. I believe it is necessary in order that we may have a strong Board, and I believe a strong Board can be of the utmost value to the building of Christ's Kingdom in this Conference.

MOTION: The following motion was made by J. B. Dickerson and adopted by the Conference:

I move that the Peninsula Conference Nominating Committee be requested to contact all prospective Board members and secure their consent to serve on a given Board before they are elected.

BOARD OF TEMPERANCE: Milton L. Pope presented the report of the Board of Temperance.

MOTION: The following motion by J. Leas Green was made and adopted by the Conference:

I move that the report of the Board of Temperance be adopted without reading but that it shall be summarized by the Chairman.

The motion was adopted.

PRESENTATION: Milton L. Pope presented Otis P. Jefferson, Chairman of the Board of Temperance, who spoke to the Conference summarizing the main points in our emphasis on Temperance.

PRESENTATION: The following District Directors of the Board of Temperance were presented by O. P. Jefferson:

William B. Bundick, Wilmington District

A. M. B. Snapp, Dover District

Walter L. Palmer, Easton District

Howard Evans, Salisbury District

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE: The report of the Legislative Committee was presented by E. C. Thomas, Jr., Chairman.

RECOMMENDATION: The following recommendation was presented by E. C. Thomas, Jr.:

It is recommended that the Legislative Committee be merged with the Board of Social and Economic Relations, and that all matters previously referred to the Committee henceforth be referred to the Board.

The report and recommendation was adopted by the Conference.

CHURCH PROPERTY: The following resolution was made by John N. Link and was adopted by the Conference:

WHEREAS all the provisions of Paragraph 188, section 1, the 1956 Methodist Discipline, having been met by securing the approval of our presiding Bishop, G. Bromley Oxnam, and the unanimous approval of the four District Superintendents of the Peninsula Annual Conference, the Wilmington District Board of Church Location and Building, the Scott Church Quarterly Conference, and of the duly authorized congregational meeting of the Scott Church Membership, for the sale of Scott Methodist Church, Wilmington, and for the creation of the Scott Memorial Trust Fund wherein the funds received from the sale of the Scott Church property shall be invested by the Bank of Delaware, the income administered by the Board of Trustees of the Peninsula Annual Conference upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of the Wilmington District primarily for ministerial education scholarships, and secondarily for Church Extension incentive gifts,

BE IT RESOLVED that Scott Church be discontinued as an appointment in the Wilmington District of the Peninsula Annual Conference of the Methodist Church.

PRESENTATION: George Godfrey presented Miss Patsy Van De Visser, the newly elected President of the Conference Youth Council. Miss Van De Visser addressed the Conference.

MOTION: The following motion was made by Raymond Simmons and adopted by the Conference:

I move that the Conference Secretary be instructed to mail Pre-Conference reports and other items of Conference interests directly to the Lay members of the Annual Conference.

COURTESIES: The report of the Committee on Courtesies was presented by Richard Gibson and adopted by the Conference.

MOTION: The following motion was made by Elmer Bennett:

I move that consideration be given to establishing a Bishop's Hour at future Annual Conferences. The motion was referred to the Program Committee.

MOTION: The following motion was made by J. L. Green and adopted by the Conference:

I move that after the reading of appointments tomorrow, this Conference shall adjourn.

PRESENTATION: John E. French presented H. E. Anderson and Charles H. Mack, Pastors of Salisbury Churches.

PRESENTATION: William F. Wright of the Baltimore Conference was presented by J. L. Green.

PRESENTATION: Ralph Minker presented Preston Adkins. Mr. Adkins issued an invitation to the Annual Conference to meet in Ocean City and addressed the Conference in reference to the invitation. The invitation was referred to the Committee on Conference Entertainment.

RECOGNITION OF RETIRING MINISTERS: O. H. Connelly, W. A. Donoway, J. A. Layton, J. N. Link, G. H. McWilliams and L. E. Windsor, who have received the retired relationship this year, were called. A brief service was conducted by Bishop Oxnam and they were presented with certificates and badges in recognition of their loyal and devoted service to the Church.

RECOGNITION OF CANDIDATES FOR FULL MEMBERSHIP: The following Ministerial Candidates who were received into full membership at the opening session of the Conference were called: Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helm, Gerald Morgan Henderson, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, and Robert Preston Whitlock.

After the singing of a hymn Bishop Oxnam addressed the two groups welcoming the new members and paying respect to those who had served so magnificently and are now retiring from the active Ministry.

Conference adjourned with a prayer and benediction by Bishop Oxnam.

EVENING SERVICE 7:45 P. M.

Evening service was held. The Hon. Bradshaw Mintener, former Assistant Secretary, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, gave the address of the evening. Mr. Joseph Brosius, Chairman of the Commission on Social and Economic Relations, presided. Special music was rendered by the Choir of Asbury Methodist Church of Salisbury.

SUNDAY MAY 17, 1959

Morning Worship at 9:15 A. M. with the Rev. Howard M. Amoss, presiding. The sermon was delivered by The Rev. Dr. Albert Edward Day, Chaplain, Wesley Theological Seminary.

Morning Worship at 11:00 A. M. with Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam delivering the sermon. Host Pastor and District Superintendents participated.

SIXTH SESSION — SUNDAY AFTERNOON — 3:00 O'CLOCK ORDINATION SERVICE

Conference convened at Bethesda Methodist Church at Salisbury, Maryland at three o'clock, Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam presiding.

The secretary presented the following candidates for Deacon's Orders and they were ordained by Bishop Oxnam.

William Thomas Archer, Jr., Charles Darwin Davis, and Richard Lee

The secretary presented the following candidates for Elder's Orders and they were ordained by Bishop Oxnam, assisted by the Superintendents and other Elders:

Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Harry Martin Guyer, Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, Clifton Hope, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock, and G. Francis Wilson.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

This is to certify that on this 17th day of May, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-nine, I ordained as Deacons: William Thomas Archer, Jr., Charles Darwin Davis, and Richard Lee Hamilton.

And assisted by the District Superintendents and other Elders, I ordained as Elders: Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Harry Martin Guyer, Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, Clifton Hope, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock, and G. Francis Wilson.

G. Bromley Oxnam

Presiding Bishop.

Bethesda Methodist Church Salisbury, Maryland May 17, 1959

APPOINTMENTS: Appointments were read and Conference adjourned, John N. Link pronouncing the benediction.

G. Bromley Oxnam

Presiding Bishop.

Walter L. Beckwith

Secretary.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Peninsula Annual Conference, held in Bethesda Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland, from Thursday, May 14, 1959, through Sunday, May 17, 1959.

Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, presiding.

Date when organized, October 31, 1939. Number of this Session, 20th.

Part I. Organization and General Business

- Who are elected for the quadrennium (¶¶629, 803)?
 Secretary? Walter L. Beckwith, P. O., Crisfield, Maryland.
 Statistician? G. E. Leister, P. O. Bethel, Delaware.
 Treasurer? John F. Kelso, P. O., 600 Becker Ave., Woodcrest, Wilmington, Delaware.
- 2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (¶625.) Yes; through the Board of Trustees.
- 3. Bonding and auditing:
 - a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded and in what amounts? (¶¶640, 729, 807). All are bonded. John F. Kelso, Conference Treasurer, \$50,000. Ira S. Pruitt, Treasurer of the Board of Pensions, \$50,000.
 - b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (¶¶640, 729, 803, 807.) Yes.
- 4. Have the conference boards, commissions and committees been appointed or elected (¶¶666-80, 695, 721). [answer Yes or No]:
 - a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications? Yes.
 - b) Committee on Conference Relations? Yes.
 - c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
 - d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
 - e) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes.
 - f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
 - g) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
 - h) Commission on Town and Country Work? Yes.
 - i) Deaconess Board? Yes.
 - j) Board of Missions? Yes.

- k) Board of Education? Yes.
- 1) Board of Temperance? Yes.
- m) Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
- n) Board of Hospitals and Homes? Yes.
- o) Board of Evangelism? Yes.
- p) Board of Pensions? Yes.
- q) Commission on Christian Vocations? Yes.
- r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service? Yes.
- s) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes.
- t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation? Yes.
- u) Committee on Reserve Pensions? Yes.
- v) Quadrennial Committee on Local-Church Goals? Yes.
- w) Optional commissions and committees? Yes.
- 5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church. (¶662.) Yes.
- 6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report.)
- 7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report.)
- 8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See supplementary report.)
- 9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? (¶826). Apportionment ½ of 1% of the preacher's current cash salary. Payments as follows:

Minimum Salary:	1959-60	1960-61
Student Supply	\$2,600.00	\$2,800.00
Married Supply	0 000 00	3,400.00
Married Student		3,400.00
Single Member	0 000 00	3,400.00
Married Member	0 000 00	4,000.00

- 10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (¶¶801-2.)

 Appt. 6% of Pastor's Current Cash Salary. Amount of salary determined by average of 20 highest salaries in the Conference.
- 11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? (¶¶1623, 1645 § 4.) Graduating scale. Based on pastor's current cash salary. Scale published on page 661 of the 1958 Conference Journal.
- 12. What are the apportionments to this conference:
 - a) For the World Service Fund? \$110,601.00.
 - b) For the Episcopal Fund? 2% of Pastor's cash salary.
 - c) For the General Administration Fund? \$4,777.00.
 - d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? \$3,782.00.
 - e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$1,000.00.

- 13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year:
 World service? 53 % Conference benevolences? 47 %
- 14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:
 - a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? (¶1623.) See report. Annuity rate \$58.00 for 1959-60.
 - b) What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (¶1303.) See report.
 - c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (¶¶791-812). See report.
 - d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations? (¶¶675-77.) See report.
 - e) What are the other reports? See reports—Boards, Commissions & Committees.
- 15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? (¶1618 § 2c, 9.)

 Determined by the Board of Pensions of the Annual Conference.
- 16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? (¶1559.) None.
- 17. Conference lay leader (¶1507):
 - a) Clinton H. Brown, 9 N. Clifton Ave., Roselle, Wilmington, Del.
 - b) What is his report? See report of Board of Lay Activities.
 - c) Who are district and associate lay leaders? (¶1510.)
 - DOVER: John R. Rogers, Milford, Del., Associates:—Paul Powell, Laurel, Del., Elias Tingle, Frankford, Del.
 - EASTON: Walter B. Palmer, Denton, Md., Associates:—Carl Plummer, Chestertown, Md., John Clarence North, Easton, Md., Raymond H. Simmons, Salisbury, Md., David I. King, Goldsboro, Md., Horace Morgan, Queen Anne, Md.
 - SALISBURY: Elton W. Parsons, Salisbury, Md., Associates:—John T. Bruel, Berlin, Md., William R. McKnight, Hebron, Md., Elton Whittington, Crisfield, Md.
 - WILMINGTON: Clifford T. Foster, Wilmington, Del., Associates:—
 David P. Montgomery, Wilmington, Del., William Graham, Rising
 Sun, Md., Thomas S. Lodge, New Castle, Del., Lawrence S. Gibson, Wilmington, Del.
- 18. What local churches have been:
 - a) Organized? (¶155.) None
 - b) Merged? (¶¶186-87.) None.
 - c) Discontinued? (¶¶126, 188, 354.) Chateau Church, Matthewstown. Piny, Bethlehem & Choptank, Cordova & Starr.

- d) Relocated, and to what address? None.
- e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership (¶532):
 - 1) This year? None.
 - 2) Previously? None.

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

- 19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.
- 20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (¶931.)
 H. M. Amoss, C. S. Clarkson, R. E. Green, B. E. Reynolds and C. L.
 Trader. Reserves: T. J. Turkington, J. R. Mackey & T. C. Mulligan.
- 21. Who are the approved supply pastors: Wilmer E. Abbott (E), Frederick A. Arndt, George W. Bishop, Edwin Blevin, Claud C. Brown, Charles D. Burge, Dale R. Childers, J. Lake Church, James B. Doughten, Ivon P. Downing, Ellwood Eckhart (E), Milton R. Elliott (E), Walter E. Fosnocht (E), Clarence J. Fox (E), William J. Garrett (E), Edward M. Gladden, Herbert H. Gladden, Harry M. Guyer (E), Wm. W. Hamilton (E), E. Mearl Henley, Wm. A. Hill (E), Clifton Hope (E), Stanley V. Howell, William O. Hudson, Ralph H. D. Hughes (E), Donald Hurst, Chas. O. Huntington, Kinmoth Jefferson, Hugh Johnson, Eric D. Judy, James A. Keese, Robert G. Kelly, Milton C. Milliner (E), Leslie D. Missimer, Edwin Mitchell, James L. Plumline, Dale Pruitt, Irvin Pusey, Lawrence S. Renner (E), Maxwell J. Roberts (E), Melvin H. Schultz, Robert C. Short, Thomas C. Short, Vinton D. Shufelt (E), Miss Muriel C. Smith (E), William H. Smith, Harold C. Spedden, James C. Steen, Jr. (E), George L. Stellges, Lawrence H. Stookey, Charles E. Strickler, Harvey T. Sturgis, Jr., O. Lloyd Townsend (E), George D. White, G. Francis Wilson (E), Thomas J. Yanta. (E) Denotes Elder.
 - a) Student Approved Supply Pastors and Schools in which they are enrolled:—

Arndt, Frederick A Wesley Theological Seminary
Blevin, Edwin Wesley Theological Seminary
Brown, Claud Salisbury State Teachers
Burge, Charles D Washington College
Gladden, Edward M Salisbury State Teachers
Hudson, William O Wesley College
Huffman, Charles C Wesley Theological Seminary
Huntington, Charles O Wesley College
Hurst, Donald Wesley Theological Seminary
Jefferson, Kinmoth Drew Theological Seminary
Johnson, HughWesley Theological Seminary
Judy, Eric D Salisbury State Teachers
Keese, James A Wesley Theological Seminary
Kelly, Robert G Wesley Theological Seminary
Kelly, Robert G Wesley Theological Self-
Mitchell, Edwin University of Delaware

Pruitt, Dale
Sturgis, Harvey T., Jr White, George D Washington College Yanta, Thomas J Crozer Seminary

- b) Part-time approved supply pastors (¶¶317, § 2, 318), and what progress has each made in the course of study? None.
- c) Full-time approved supply pastors (¶¶317 \S 3, 318), and what proghas each made in the course of study?

Abbott, Wilmer E., Elder, Course completed; Bishop, George W., 2nd. year; Church, J. Lake, 2nd. year; Doughten, James B., 1st. year; Downing, Ivon P., 1st year; Eckhart, Elwood B., Elder, Course completed; Elliott, Milton R., Elder, Course completed; Fosnocht, Walter E., Elder, Course completed; Fox, Clarence J., Elder, Course completed; Gladden, Herbert H., 2nd Year; Guyer, Harry M., Elder, Course completed; Hamilton, Wm. W. Elder, Course completed; Hill, William A., Elder, Course completed; Hope, Clifton, Elder, Course completed; Howell, Stanley V., 2nd Year; Hughes, Ralph H. D., Elder, Course completed; Milliner, Milton C., Elder, Course completed; Missimer, Leslie D., 2nd Year; Plumline, James L., 2nd. Year; Renner, Lawrence S., Elder, Course completed; Roberts, Maxwell J., Elder, Course completed; Shufelt, Vinton D., Elder, Course completed; Smith, Miss Muriel C., Elder, Course completed; Steen, James C., Jr., Elder, Course completed; Townsend, O. Lloyd, Elder, Course completed; Wilson, G. Francis, Elder, Course completed.

- 22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year? (¶1631.)

 All who serve appointments.
- 23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized (¶411): None.
 - a) As local deacons? None.
 - b) As local elders? None.
- 24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers: [See note under question 33.]
 - a) As members on trial: Deacons? None Elders? None.

b) As members in full connection: Deacons? None. Elders? None.

- 25. Who are admitted on trial: [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]
 - a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? (¶¶323-24.)

William Thomas Archer, Jr., Charles Darwin Davis, Richard Lee Hamilton, Thomas Ray Merrill, Vernon Martin Sorensen.

- b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? (¶325 § 1.)

 None.
- c) With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry? (¶325 § 2.)
- d) With partial college credit; completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? (¶325 § 3.) None.
- 26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies (¶330):
 - a) In approved schools of theology? Richard D. Bailey, Ralph Andrew Ellis, George C. Godfrey, Charles C. Huffman, Romie Hollingsworth Payne, Jr., George Henry Pigueron, III, Samuel James Seymour, John W. Simpers, Lawrence Elmer Staton, Robert O'Kelly Wallace.
 - b) In the four-year course of study? None.
 - c) In the two years of special study? (¶343 § 2.) None.
- 27. Who on trial are discontinued? None
- 28. Who are admitted into full connection? [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]

Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock.

- 29. Who have been elected deacons (¶393): [See note under question 33.]
 - a) Theological students? William Thomas Archer, Jr., Charles Darwin Davis, Richard Lee Hamilton.
 - b) Members on trial in the course of study? None.
 - c) Approved supply pastors? None.
 - d) Other local preachers? None.
 - e) Missionaries? None.

- f) Chaplains? None.
- 30. Who have been ordained deacons? [See note under question 33.]

William Thomas Archer, Jr., Charles Davis, Richard Lee Hamilton.

- 31. Who have been elected elders (¶403): [See note under question 33.]
 - a) Theological graduates? Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock.
 - b) Course of study graduates? None.
 - c) Approved supply pastors? Harry Martin Guyer, Clifton Hope, G. Francis Wilson.
 - d) Other local preachers? None.
 - e) Missionaries? None.
 - f) Chaplains? None.
- 32. Who have been ordained elders? [See note under question 33.]

Charles Edward Barton, Jr., Howard Lee Gordy, Jr., Harry Martin Guyer, Clarence Hale Hays, Robert Wilkins Helms, Gerald Morgan Henderson, Clifton Hope, David James Randolph, Jr., Olin J. Shockley, Jr., Ronald Ware Starnes, Robert Preston Whitlock, G. Francis Wilson.

- 33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:
 - a) Admitted: On trial? None.
 Into full connection? None.
 - b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons? None. Elders? None.
 - c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons? None. Elders? None.

[NOTE: Members of this conference who were admitted or ordained through the accommodation of other conferences during the year should be listed under Questions 24-32, whichever are appropriate, along with their fellow members who were admitted or ordained at the current session. In each case the date and accommodating conference should be recorded. Under Question 33 should be listed persons, now members of other conferences, who were members of this conference only during the period necessary for their admission or ordination, if at all. In each case the conference of which the person is now a member, and any other conference involved, should be recorded. Transfers preceding or following actual service in this conference should be listed under Questions 36-37.]

34. Who are readmitted:

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- a) As deacons? None.
- b) As elders? None.
- 35. What retired members have been made effective? None.
- 36. Who have been received by transfer? [List alphabetically. If probationer, so indicate. See note under question 33.]

Name Conference Date
Fred W. Hanna, Jr., Southern California-Arizona, 6/17/58
Gerald Henderson, West Virginia, 5/1/59
Ronald W. Starnes, Virginia, 5/12/59
Clarence H. Hays, Illinois, 5/12/59
Clarence C. Huffman, West Virginia, 5-14-59

37. Who have been transferred out? [List alphabetically. See note under question 33.]

Name Conference Date
Walter H. Beckwith, New Jersey, 9/20/59
Reginald H. Wheatley, Central American Provisional
Conference, 4/10/59

- 38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
 - a) By voluntary location? None.
 - b) By involuntary location? None.
 - c) By withdrawal? Manuel Buarque
 - d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None.
- 39. Deceased: [List alphabetically.]
 - a) What ministerial members have died during the year?

Retired: David J. Moore, Date of birth, —— 1880, Date of Death, Nov. 13, 1958, Date received into full connection in a conference, 1911; John N. Sparklin, Date of birth, Oct. 27, 1870, Date of Death, Aug. 22, 1958, Date received into full connection in a conference, 1906; Charles W. Spry, Date of birth, March 14, 1881, Date of Death, Sept. 28, 1958. Date received into full connection in a conference, 1911; Leonard White, Date of birth, Aug. 13, 1880, Date of Death, June 13, 1958, Date received into full connection in a conference, 1908; J. Harry Wright, Date of birth, May 23, 1891, Date of Death, May 30, 1958, Date received into full connection in a conference, 1922.

Effective: None. On trial: None.

- b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? None.
- c) What deaconesses have died during the year? None.

- 40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (§365.) None.
- 41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (§364.) Richard M. Green.
- 42. What ministerial members have been retired: [List alphabetically.]
 - a) This year? O. H. Connelly, Walter A. Donoway, John N. Link, Lester E. Windsor.
 - b) Previously? J. P. Adams, C. H. Atkins, H. N. Bailey, F. A. Baker, W. G. Marlow, J. R. Bicking, E. J. Bond, Sidney Bradley, Charles W. Branford, H. V. Branford, W. H. Briggs, Ralph Collis, Ewell E. Crockett, C. E. Davis, J. R. Diehl, C. H. Dobson, C. M. Elderdice. W. J. Ennis, C. I. Flory, A. B. Frye, J. H. Geohegan, J. P. George, Wm. Francis Godwin, E. C. Graham, W. S. Grant, W. E. Gunby, S. T. Hamblin, C. Hanby, R. W. Hastings, E. W. Henvis, Robert Hodgson, H. G. Holdway, M. E. Hungerford, Leoland Jackson, C. N. Jones, J. W. Jones, Omar Jones, Ralph C. Jones, Roy L. Jones, Thomas C. Jones, Charles Kelser, J. P. Landon, G. E. Leister, Robert Loss, Dayton McClain, H. R. McDade, A. T. McFarland, William McKee, R. W. Mills, L. B. Morgan, J. E. Parker, J. B. Pettus, J. T. Price, O. B. Reed, C. L. Reiter, W. H. Revelle, Gilbert Ross, T. J. Sard, R. P. Schauer, E. M. Shockley, W. D. Short, Tilghman Smith, C. R. Strausburg, C. W. Strickland, R. T. Thawley, E. P. Thomas, John W. Townsend, G. E. Turner, Melvin Wheatley, J. H. Whedbee, L. E. Wimbrow, G. E. Wood, John Wootten.
- 43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:
 - a) This year? J. A. Layton, G. H. McWilliams
 - b) Previously? John H. Anderson, J. T. Graham, A. T. P. Hudson, W. H. Johnson, Carroll E. Justis, Robert L. Kirby, Lawrence L. Knotts, A. A. Turkington, C. E. Wilkins.
- 44. Who are appointed to attend school? [List alphabetically.]

Thomas R. Merrill Samuel James Seymour.

- 45. What is the number of:
 - a) General Information: Pastoral charges? 190; Approved supply pastors? 56; Received on trial? 5; Received into full connection? 9; Transferred in? 5; Transferred out? 2; Received from other evangelical churches? 0; Readmitted? 0; Discontinued? 0; Withdrawn? 1; Expelled? 0; Located? 0; Deceased? 5; Local preachers? 64; Women under appointment? 1; Retired made effective? 0; Retired serving as supply pastors? 8; District parsonage? 4.
 - b) Ministerial members:
 - (1) On trial:
 - (b) Under special appointment? 1
 - (c) Appointed to attend school? 2

Total on trial?

(2) In full connection:

(a) Effective:

(i) As pastors and district superintendents? 1	L40
(ii) Under special appointment?	11
(iii) Appointed to attend school?	_
(iv) On sabbatical leave?	1
Total effective?	152
(b) Retired?	69
(c) Supernumerary?	
	996

retired and supernumerary.] Total ministerial members: [Add total on trial, effective, retired and supernumerary.]

46. What other personal notation should be made? None.

PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

- 47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year? (See supplementary report.)
- 48. Where shall the next conference session be held? An invitation to Atlantic Church, Ocean City was referred to the Committee on Entertainment.
- 49. Is there any other business? None.
- 50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? See appointments.
- 51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of appointments.)

APPOINTMENTS

DOVER DISTRICT

ROY L. TAWES, Superintendent, (3) (431 N. State St., Dover, Del.) Telephone: Dover 3082

All Appointments in Delaware.

Church Minister Yrs. Service	Church Minister Yrs. Service
Bethel:	Frankford (Maxwell J. Roberts) (1)
Mt. Zion	Frederica:
Portsville	Sardis
Wesley Clarence H. Hays (1)	Trinity J. Thomas Churn (1)
Blades:	Georgetown:
Asbury	Grace T. C. Mulligan (9)
Epworth (W. O. Hudson) (2)	Wesley E. R. Shield (2)
Bridgeville A. Jason Blundon (4)	Georgetown Circuit:
Camden:	Bethesda
Whatcoat Frank Lucia (1)	Providence
Cannon Circuit:	St. John's
Cannon	Zoar (J. Melvin Shultz) (1)
Cokesbury	Greenwood Circuit:
Trinity (William P. Chappel) (1)	Grace
Cheswold:	Greenwood
Downs Chapel	St. John's (Miss Muriel Smith) (1)
Olin J. Shockley, Jr. (3)	Gumboro:
Clayton:	Bethel
Ewell-St. Paul's	Westwoods Jas. F. Langrall (10)
Frank O. Baynard (1)	Harbeson:
Dagsboro:	Indian Mission
Bethel	Sand Hill (Harvey T. Sturgis) (1)
Christ Ronald W. Starnes (1)	Harrington:
Dover: Wesley John A. Trader (11)	Asbury Richard S. Gibson (4)
Air Base-St. Paul's	Trinity Nelson B. Benjamin (1)
Edward R. Wilkins, Associate (4)	Hartly:
Ellendale:	Friendship (R. F. Loss, Jr.) (4)
Chaplain's Chapel	Houston:
McColley's Chapel	Williamsville Ray W. Kirwan (3)
(Ivon P. Downing) (1)	Kenton R. S. Hodgson (2)
Farmington:	Laurel:
Bethel	Centenary Dale L. Ruth (3)
Epworth	Christ Conrad Hamer (1)
Salem	Laurel Circuit:
Todd's Chapel (W. H. Smith) (2)	Horsey's Grove
Felton:	Shiloh
Manship	St. Paul's
Viola (Hugh B. Johnson) (1)	Trinity Lee Elliott (32)

	Church Minister Yrs. Service
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Lewes:	Ocean View Charles Covington (4)
Bethel	Odessa Chester E. Wilcox (1)
Groome Robert E. Green (2)	Rehoboth Ira E. Doyle (4)
Lincoln:	Reliance (Milton E. Milliner) (11)
Cedar Neck	Roxana:
Slaughter Neck	Hickory Hill
(W. W. Hamilton) (4)	Sound W. H. Kohl (3)
Leipsic:	St. George's:
Little Creek (J. B. Doughten) (1)	(Clarksville) Roy B. Phillips (1)
Magnolia:	Seaford:
Barratt's Chapel	Mt. Olivet W. H. Stone (17)
Bowers Beach (C. D. Burge) (2)	St. John's W. O. Hackett (3)
Middletown Arthur H. Hastings (1)	Seaford Circuit:
Milford:	Bethel
1 (2)	Concord
	Wesley (Milton R. Elliott) (4)
Calvary Millwood F. D. Milbury (4)	Selbyville J. Earl Cummings (7)
	Smyrna J. Howard Link (1)
Millsboro:	Townsend:
Cary's	Immanuel
Grace John A. Irwin (1)	Scott (Lawrence S. Renner) (1)
Millville: (M. E. Wheatley) (3)	Whitesville:
Milton:	어린 사이 화고를 모르고 하면 한글을 보고 있습니다. 그 아이지 않는데 그 사람들이 되었다면 하지 않는데 얼마를 하는데 없다.
Goshen Perry O. Hill (1)	Bethany
Mount Pleasant:	Bethesda Line (Thomas J. Yanta) (2)
King's	아이는 물이 그렇게 하는 아이를 하는 것이 되었다.
St. George's G. M. Henderson (1)	Wyoming:
Nassau:	Union A. M. B. Spann (4)
Conley's Chapel	Woodside A. M. B. Snapp (4)
White's Chapel	
Zion Kenneth M. Dickey (4)	

EASTON DISTRICT

J. LEAS GREEN, Superintendent (3) 215 Hanson St., Easton, Md. Telephone: Easton, TAlbot 2-3572

All Appointments in Maryland

Church	Minister	Yrs. Service	Church	Minister	Yrs. Service
Bayside: Bosman Claiborne Sherwood Wittman Burrsville: Hickman		Church) (3)	Zion Centreville Chestertown	Villiam Hen Alton D. O.	Hubbard (14) nphill, Jr. (3) S. Miller (11) Hornung (1)
Prospect Union Wesley	(Donald Hurst) (1)	Christ Crumpton Wm. P. Kesmodel (3 First William H. Hudson (10			

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Church Minister Yrs. Service	Church Minister Yrs. Service
Choptank	Harmony:
Antioch	Grove Richard D. Bailey (2)
Beckwith	Hooper's Island:
Spedden (Mearl E. Henley) (1)	Hooper's Memorial Hosier Memorial W. I. Collins (2)
Church Creek	Hurlock:
Madison	Unity-Washington
Milton	Williamsburg
Taylor's Island	Edwin J. Horney (4)
White Haven	Ingleside:
(Edward B. Blevins) (2)	Busic
Church Hill	Marvin Memorial
Price	St. Paul's (J. A. Kees) (2)
Union Charles L. Trader (4)	Kent Island R. H. Bready (5)
Concord	Marydel:
Bloomery	Henderson
Chestnut Grove	Templeville (Fred. A. Arndt) (2)
(Harold Spedden) (1)	Millington Henry M. Parks (1)
Crapo	Oxford D. T. Pritchard (8)
Bounds	Preston Charles C. Huffman (1)
Ebenezer	Queen Anne:
St. Johns	Hillsboro
Street	Wye Mills
Wesley J. Melvin Kay (2)	Edwin C. Thomas, Jr. (1)
Denton:	Queenstown:
First O. G. Brewer, Jr. (1)	Calvary
Grace-Ames T. J. Turkington (29)	Immanuel
Dorchester	Wye Joseph V. Holliday, Jr. (4)
Bucktown	Ridgely
Friendship	Bridgetown
Salem	Thawley's (Vinton D. Shufelt) (3)
Secretary	Rock Hall (R. Dale Childers) (1)
Charles E. Barton, Jr. (1)	Royal Oak (J. T. Price) (10)
East New Market:	St. James:
Brookview	Fairlee Worton William Dore (5)
Eldorado	St. Michael's
Trinity F. G. Buckley (1)	Neavitt
Easton:	St. Luke's P. E. Reynolds (2)
St. Mark's H. F. Chandler (6)	St. Thomas:
Associate Lawrence E. Staton (1)	Bethany
Federalsburg:	Wingate
Christ D. O. Clendaniel (2)	Zion (Lloyd Townsend) (3)
Union D. O. Clendaniel (4)	Still Pond:
Galena:	Betterton
Kennedyville	Lynch W. M. T. Hankins (2)
Olivet (Charles E. Strickler) (4)	Sudlersville:
Goldsboro Richard L. Hamilton (1)	Double Creek
Greensboro G. H. Wheatley (11)	H. Clifford Jeffers (3)

Church Minister Yrs. Service Church Minister Yrs. Service Vienna: Tilghmans: St. Johns Romie H. Payne (2) Elliott Reids Grove Trappe: Harold E. Nunemaker (1) Faith Chapel Robert O. Wallace (2) Wesley Chapel: William T. Archer, Jr. (4)

SALISBURY DISTRICT

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All Appointments in Ma	aryland except Delmar
Church Minister Yrs. Service Allen: Asbury	Church Minister Yrs. Service Fruitland: St. John Frank M. Volk (5)
Siloam Shad Point E. J. Clawson (2)	Galestown: Cokesbury Woodland (Edward M. Gladden) (2)
Berlin Joseph B. Vaugnn (3) Bishopville: Showell Wilson Zion (Clarence J. Fox) (3) Crisfield:	Hebron: Charity Nelson St. Paul's Waldo L. Dise (2)
Asbury Walter L. Beckwith (3) Immanuel Ellwood W. Cursey (1) Mariners: St. Peters Westover (Harry M. Guyer) (2) Mt. Pleasant Daniel G. Higgins, Jr. (1)	Mardella: Emmanuel St. Paul's Snethen Mt. Pleasant James O'Neil (2) Mt. Hermon:
Deal Island: Rock Creek St. Johns Wenona (Frank A. Baker) (2)	St. Luke's (Lester E.Windsor) (1) Mt. Vernon: Asbury Friendship John Wesley (Geo. W. Bishop) (1)
Delmar, Delaware: First Charles S. Clarkson (2) Mt. Olive: Mills Chapel L. Colvin Randall (4) Fairmount: Christ Mt. Olive Rehoboth (Claude C. Brown) (1)	Nanticoke & Bivalve: Oak Grove Tyaskin O. G. Brewer, Sr. (1) Newark: Bowen Cedartown (Clifton Hope) (4)
Renoboth (Chado C. 2-0 2)	

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Minister Yrs. Service Minister Yrs. Service Church Church Salisbury: Ocean City: Asbury J. Robert Mackey (12) Sinepuxent Bethesda Howard M. Amoss (3) Ralph L. Minker, Jr. (5) James J. Von Hagel (4) Grace Oriole: St. Andrew's Dames Quarter Stengle Addison L. Smith (2) St. Peter's Paul E. McCoy (1) Trinity St. Stephen's (A. A. Turkington) (14) Sharptown: Asbury Parsonsburg: Riverton F. Howard Truitt (7) Bethel Mt. Vernon Zion (William J. Garrett) (2) Mt. Hermon Wheatleys H. Norman Nicklas (8) Pittsville: Smith's Island: Ayres Ewell Nelson (Geo. L. Stellges) (2) Tylerton Wango Rhodes Point (W. Austin Hill) (2) Pocomoke: Snow Hill: Bethany-Quinton Elmer L. Bennett (2) Bates Trinity Harvey B. Flater (7) Salem-Cokesbury Whatcoat Howard Evans (3) J. Gordon Stapleton (2) St. Martins: Powellville: Campbelltown Friendship Friendship Mt. Olive Taylorville Mt. Pleasant Ebenezer (George D. White) (1) Mt. Zion Stockton and Girdletree: St. John's Portersville White's Chapel Remson (G. Francis Wilson) (6) (Herbert Gladden) (3) Trinity and Quindocqua: Omro M. Todd (1) Princess Anne (Eric D. Judy) (2) Phoenix Quantico: (A. T. P. Hudson) (2) Union Rockawalkin Whalevsville: Wetipquin New Hope R. Gordon Given (1) White Haven Howard L. Gordy, Jr. (3) Willards: Pittsville: (W. A. Donoway) (1) Grace WILMINGTON DISTRICT

R. JERVIS COOKE, Superintendent (1), 202 Alapocas Drive, Alapocas, Wilmington, Del. Home Phone: OLympia 5-4897 Office Phone: OLympia 4-9003 Office, 1213 Delaware Avenue Yrs. Service Church Minister Yrs. Service Church Minister Aldersgate: J. R. Hughes (5) Bayview: (Thomas C. Short) (2) Associate Vernon M. Sorenson (1) Bethel Asbury of Wilmington Manor: B. E. Reynolds (15) D. A. Littleton (1) Associate

Minister Yrs. Service Church Church Bellefonte, Del. (Leslie D. Missimer) (3) Mt. Pleasant, Maryland Cecilton, Maryland: St. Paul's Ira E. Crum (2) Zion Cedars George H. Pigueron III (3) Charlestown, Maryland: St. John's Harts Chapel Principio Wesley Chapel John W. Simpers, Jr. (2) Cherry Hill, Maryland: Baldwin (Elk Mills) Robert W. Helms (2) Big Elk Chesapeake City, Maryland: Bethel Robert P. Whitlock (4) Chester-Bethel C. Edwin Lasbury (3) William B. Hitchens (3) Christ Christiana, Delaware: A. B. Golden (9) Salem Claymont, Delaware A. J. Jackson (4) Delaware City, Delaware (James L. Plumline) (3) East Cecil Circuit: Leeds Moore's Chapel (E. S. Mitchell) (1) Union Ebenezer W. L. Robinson, Jr. (4) Elkton, Maryland Harold M. Davis (7) Hillcrest, Delaware Howell O. Wilkins (4) Hockessin, Delaware David J. Randolph (3) Holly Oak, Delaware Ralph A. Ellis, Jr. (4) Hopewell, Maryland (Dale S. Pruett) (1) Kingswood-of-Brookside, Del. Milton H. Keene (6) Kirkwood, Delaware (J. C. Steen) (12) Marshallton, Delaware R. E. Ferry (3) Minquadale, Delaware

METHODIST CHURCH

Minister Yrs. Service Mt. Lebanon (W. E. Fosnocht) (23) (Laurence H. Stookey) (3) Newark, Delaware John J. Bunting, Jr. (10) Newark, Delaware: Wesley Foundation Leland B. Hall (4) New Castle, Delaware W. B. Bundick (2) Newport. Delaware G. W. Goodley (1) North East, Maryland F. B. Bailey (4) Perryville, Maryland: C. H. Squires (1) Asbury Port Deposit, Maryland: Tome (E. B. Eckhart) (1) Red Lion, Delaware: Glasgow (Irwin Pusey) (4) Lebanon Richardson Park, Delaware David W. Baker (3) Rising Sun, Maryland: Janes Rowlandsville H. T. Caldwell (11) St. George's Delaware: E. Ray Carlson (4) Summit St. John's, Lewisville, Pa. (Robert C. Short) (3) Stanton, Delaware (R. H. D. Hughes) (4) Warwick, Maryland: Mt. Olivet Rehoboth (Sassafras) Town Point (Charles O. Huntington) (2) Wesley Community Chapel (P. R. Schauer) (6) West Cecil Circuit: Calvert Ebenezer Harold Fordham (1) Zion Wilmington, Delaware: Brandywine H. Kirby Krams (6) H. H. Conner (4) Calvary R. E. Van Cleaf (1) Eastlake W. F. Dunkle, Jr. (12) Grace Harrison Street J. E. Jones (6) (Robert G. Kelly) (1)

Church	Minister	Yrs. Service	Church	Minister	Yrs. Service
Madeley	(W. E	. Abbott) (9)	Silverbr	ook	
McCabe	J. B. D	Dickerson (10)		Richard C	. Stazesky (2)
Mt. Salen	n George	H. Moore (2)	St. Paul	's W. H. R	evelle, Jr. (1)
Peninsula	Preston	W. Spence (3)	Trinity	0. P.	Jefferson (1)
Assis	stant Chas	. D. Davis (1)	Union	G.	A. Foster (3)

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

1. With Annuity Claim Against the Peninsula Conference.

- E. E. Coleman, Chaplain, Veterans Administration Hospital, Wilmington, Delaware (10) Christ Church Quarterly Conference.
- George C. Godfrey, Director of Camp and Youth Work, Peninsula Conference Board of Education (2) Wesley, Dover Quarterly Conf.
- W. H. Owens, Associate Director, Homes for the Aged of the Peninsula Conference of The Methodist Church, Incorporated (1).
- George H. Pigueron, Jr., Executive Director, Homes for the Aged of the Peninsula Conference of The Methodist Church, Incorporated (3) Union Church, Wilmington Quarterly Conference.
- Donzell C. Wildey, Executive Secretary, Peninsula Conference Board of Education (4) Wesley, Dover Quarterly Conference.

2. Without Annuity Claim Against the Peninsula Conference.

- Charles I. Carpenter, Chaplain, U. S. Air Force (23) Union Church, Federalsburg Quarterly Conference.
- W. A. Glass, Registrar, Drew University (14) Christiana, Delaware Quarterly Conference.
- W. D. Geohegan, Assistant Professor of Religion, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine (6) Delaware City, Delaware Quarterly Conf.
- Vernon M. Goodhand, Chaplain, U. S. Air Force (13) Christiana, Delaware Quarterly Conference.
- Fred W. Hanna, Jr., Y. M. C. A., Wilmington, Del. (1) Christ Methodist Roselle Quarterly Conference.
- E. J. Hemphill, Chaplain, U. S. Navy (16) New Castle, Delaware Quarterly Conference.
- R. W. Hopkins, Chaplain, U. S. Navy (11) Perryville, Maryland Quarterly Conference.
- L. B. Troutman, Chaplain, U. S. Air Force (7) Hillsboro, Maryland Quarterly Conference.

APPOINTED TO ATTEND SCHOOL

Samuel James Seymour.

Thomas R. Merrill, Samuel James Seymour.

DEACONESS APPOINTMENTS

Genevieve Poppe, Director, Riddle Memorial Deaconess Home, Wilmington,

Jennie Propert, Parish Worker, Union Church, Wilmington, Delaware. Louise Whitsett, Parish Worker, Wilmington Manor, Delaware.

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REPORTS

(a) District Superintendents

DOVER DISTRICT

Roy L. Tawes, Superintendent

Bishop Oxnam and Members of the Conference:

After reading my report one year ago a man said to me: "Well, the honeymoon is over. I want to hear your report a year from now." Here is the second report, and I am still in love with my job. I sometimes tell this story at banquets: Said she: "Dearie, will you love me when my hair has turned to silver?" And he replied: "Why not, honey? I have loved you through five colors already." Love always wins the day. The romance of this ministry never ends. To keep alive a supreme concern for people, to sense eternity in the commonplace, is not to lose the vision splendid. Quoting George A. Gordon: "The minister's calling, to one who is fond of it, is an endless romance." The Dover District has made me a better man. Not all the paths have been smooth, but no place has been too difficult to get through. All the words spoken have not been pleasant, but there was never a time we could not pray. So do we come to the end of another year with a successful report made possible by our being in love with each other.

Newest members of the district family on earth are Susan Estelle Covington, born February 21, 1959, and Jay Arthur Blundon, born October 25, 1958. Newest members of the district family in heaven are the Rev. Charles W. Spry, Mrs. Anna E. Kelly, Mrs. Dorsey Blake and Mrs. D. T. Campbell. We have a fixed faith in the eternal worth of life. Life comes from God and returns unto God. Thought Edwin Markham: "The few little years we spend on earth are only the first scene in a Divine Drama that extends into Eternity."

Retiring this conference are J. E. Layton and L. E. Windsor. They have been good soldiers of Jesus Christ, and have had on whole armor of God. They retire in honor.

Our membership has increased this year by 1512. This is an increase over the previous year. Churches reporting more than ten accessions are:

Dover, Wesley 177; Lewes 97; Mt. Olivet, Seaford 54; St. John's Seaford 50; Houston 49; Rehoboth 48; Centenary, Laurel 45; Clayton 39; Hartly and Friendship 39; Milford, Avenue 36; Harrington, Asbury 35; Millsboro 35; Georgetown Circuit 34; Townsend 34; Wesley, Georgetown 31; Ellendale 30; Smyrna 30; Milford, Calvary 30; Grace, Georgetown 29; Camden 29; Nassau 29; Mt. Pleasant 28; Frederica 28; Wyoming 28; Blades 27; Laurel Circuit 26; Bethel 26; Selbyville 24; Middletown 23; Bridgeville 22; Dagsboro 22; Little Creek and Leipsic 21; George's 21; Cheswold 18; Felton 16; Ocean View 16; Magnolia 15; Greenwood 15; Harrington, Trinity 15; Gumboro 14; Milton 14; Mt. Zion-Wesley 14; Harbeson 13; Lincoln 13; Odessa 12; Reliance 12; Roxana 10. A word of caution needs to be said concerning the removal of names from the church roll. Every requirement of the Discipline and the conscience should be met. It

is never a light matter to terminate church membership. I kept one church from dropping a long list of names, because not a single effort had been made to locate or interest these people.

One woman, wearing a fur coat and diamonds, and driving a big car, commented on her district superintendent: "He's so mercenary!" Other officials of her church did not agree, and gave their ministers a raise in salary. I am very grateful for those leaders in my churches who see the need for adequate salaries, and this year have increased them to the amount of \$10,800. Additional amounts for expenses and utilities represent an increase of \$4975—a grand total for increased ministerial support to the amount of \$15,575.

Salary Increases	Expenses	Utilities	Salary Increases	Expenses	Utilities
Bethel \$600	\$200		Laurel Circuit		\$200
Bridgeville \$100			Lewes		\$250
Camden	\$300		Lincoln \$100		
Cheswold \$200			Milford, Calvary	\$500	\$100
Dagsboro \$500			Avenue		\$250
Dover, Wesley \$50	00		Magnolia	\$200	
St. Paul's \$100		\$400	Middletown \$500		
Ellendale \$100		\$100	Millsboro \$100	ALCOHOL:	
Farmington \$100		\$200	Milton \$500		
Frederica \$500		\$300	Mt. Pleasant \$700		
Georgetown, Grace	\$500		Nassau \$300		
Wesley		\$200	Ocean Viey \$200		
Circuit \$700			Rehoboth	\$250	
Gumboro \$200	\$25		Reliance \$200		
Harbeson \$100	\$200		St. George's \$500		
Hartley &			Seaford		
Friendship \$100		\$200	Mt. Olivet \$500		0000
Houston \$200			St. John's		\$200
Harrington			Seaford Cir. \$600		
Asbury \$400			Smyrna	\$300	
Trinity \$1000			Townsend \$500	0000	
Laurel, Christ	\$300		Whitesville	\$200	
Centenary		\$100	Wyoming \$200		

The district has paid on debt—\$165,330. The following churches have paid \$1000 or more:

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Blades	\$4066	Wesley	16,600	Milford	
Bridgeville	10,940	Circuit	3032	Calvary	14,000
Cheswold	1000	Hartly &		Avenue	5,000
Clayton	4082	Friendship	5268	Middletown	3700
Dover		Houston	2500	Mt. Pleasant	4400
Wesley	10.000	Laurel		Odessa	9103
Frankford	2300	Christ	1500	Reliance	3000
Frederica	1300	Centenary	25,900	Roxana	4000
Georgetown		Lewes	23,248	Seaford	
Grace	6654			Mt. Olivet	2000
				Seaford Ct.	1800

Churches of the district have raised \$344,335 on buildings and improvements. Those raising \$1000 or more are:

Bridgeville	\$3010	Harrington		Milton	5014
Cheswold	13000	Asbury	1000	Mt. Pleasant	4106
Cannon	3776	Trinity	5043	Nassau	1410
Dagsboro	1380	Laurel		Ocean View	33,764
Dover, Wesley	4336	Christ	1348	Odessa	4012
Felton	19.000	Centenary	1286	Rehoboth	10,328
Farmington	5900	Circuit	3210	Reliance	8300
Frankford	1200	Lewes	4415	St. George's	3587
Frederica	1320	Lincoln	2100	Seaford	
Grace	6938	Milford		Mt. Olivet	1409
Georgetown		Avenue	11,800	St. John's	101,250
Wesley	1215	Little Creek &		Circuit	2500
Circuit	3788	Leipsic	2384	Selbyville	2500
Greenwood	2782	Magnolia	1597	Smyrna	2275
Gumboro	1576	Middletown	\$1396	Whitesville	7500
Houston	41,600	Millsboro	2000	Wyoming	1277

St. John's, Seaford, has a new parsonage of colonial brick at a cost of \$29,000 paid in full. St. John's is erecting one of the largest social-educational units in the conference. The building, 65% completed, will cost \$250,000. Mt. Olivet, Seaford, is planning an expansion program. Ocean View is completing its educational unit. New educational units are up at Cheswold and Whitesville, and others are planned at Magnolia and Townsend. Rehoboth is expecting to start work on its new sanctuary in September, and Milton will begin to build in the near future. Rehoboth has \$86,000 in cash and pledges, and Milton has \$69,000. The remodeled sanctuary at Grace, Georgetown, does justice to the name of that church. The cost was \$58,468. A new organ was donated by the Methodist men at Goshen, Milton, and the organ rebuilt at Grace, Georgetown.

The home district has responded well to the Capital Improvement Fund for Wesley College. The total amount given is \$26,266. One church overpaid \$300, ten churches paid in part, and eleven churches did not share. For the Wesley Operation Fund the amount raised is \$9279. The amount raised for Wesley Theological Seminary is \$9087.

Three churches did not meet in full their acceptances on General and Annual Conference Benevolences. Rally Day offerings amounted to \$1679; Wesley Foundation \$5423; Methodist Youth Fund \$992; Advance Specials \$3912; World Wide Communion \$1432; Week of Dedication \$708; Board of Child Care \$4290. To this latter sum is to be added \$700 contributed by 1000 men in attendance at the Lenten breakfasts. John R. Rogers is an effective district lay leader.

Our Woman's Society of Christian Service has gone forward under the capable leadership of Mrs. Granville Tyndall. This year the annual pledge was increased \$1000. The new president, Mrs. Edgar Timmons, of Grace Church, Millsboro, will prove a worthy successor.

Many of the farmers have had the "blues" this year. They have had rough going in the chicken market. Our financial year however in the

church has been better. The chicken market will return to profitable figures. I have tried to cheer my people by saying: Chicken will always be on the menu as long as there are Methodist preachers to set the example. Seriously there have been times when, in my childhood and youth, I saw the waters fail to yield the harvest of the deep. Seamen were often hard up against the fact of existence, but they stayed by God and the Church until winds of the sea made happy music again.

It is told that a certain minister, during the baseball season, closed the morning lesson with "Thus endeth the seventh inning." Here ends my second report. Thanks to Bishop Oxnam, friendly counselor and constant friend, to my colleagues in the cabinet on whose nerves I must have sat hard many times, and to all my friends in parsonage and church without whose patience and understanding and prayers I could not report the triumphs of this hour.

There is this simple entry in Wesley's Journal: "I came into town and offered them Christ." That is what I want to do wherever I go. There is no greater mission on this, or any other, planet.

Long, long ago the hands of Christ Were nailed upon a tree, But still their holy touch redeems The hearts of you and me.

ROY LAWSON TAWES

EASTON DISTRICT

J. LEAS GREEN, Superintendent

Bishop Oxnam, Members of The Conference and friends.

God has been very good to us on the Easton District this year. The death angel has passed by our parsonages and a minimum of sickness has been experienced. We have welcomed with joy the coming of a son to the Liddicoats and a daughter to the Kees family.

I bring to you an accounting of our Stewardship. We have few outstanding achievements but our record is rather one of co-operative attainments. In its total I feel that we can take justifiable pride. Our churches are becoming better organized and our laymen are increasingly sharing in the various phases of our work. In our youth work, woman's work and with men we are definitely showing progress.

In response to Conference askings we have paid to General Administration and World Service \$53,866.00; to Wesley Foundation \$3,899.00; Wesley College operational fund \$6,459.00; Wesley Theological Seminary \$6,052.00; and to Wesley College for Capital Improvements \$12,166.00. In addition we have given to Advance Specials \$3,909.00; Fellowship and Suffering \$1,318.00; Week of Dedication \$478.00; Rally Day \$1,331.00; Methodist Youth Fund \$772.00; Race Relations \$384.00 and Child Care \$3,648.00. In most items we have shown an increase over last year. We have not done too well however on Wesley College Capital Improvements. Two reasons

are offered, First, several of our stronger churches had adopted their budgets before our conference met and secondly, the pressure upon several churches with heavy debts and building programs. We will definitely increase our response next year.

I am happy to report that \$104,714.00 has been paid on reduction of debt. The following churches and the amounts paid by each are: Bayside \$645.00; Grace Cambridge \$4,083.00; Zion Cambridge \$10,000.00; Centreville \$2,629.00; Christ Chestertown \$5,082.00; First Chestertown \$1,060.00; Church Creek \$4,000.00; Church Hill \$4,100.00; Easton St. Marks \$26,676.00; St. Michaels \$1,072.00; Friendship \$1,800.00; Harmony \$850.00; Hoopers Island \$600.00; Hurlock \$8,775.00; Ingleside \$430.00; Kent Island \$500.00; Preston \$7,733.00; Queenstown \$4,320.00; Ridgely \$883.00; St. James \$750.00; St. Thomas \$650.00; Secretary \$1,600.00; Sudlersville \$2,400.00; Trappe \$6,690.00; Vienna \$3,886.00; Wesley Chapel \$2,500.00.

While some churches were busy paying debts other churches spent on Building and Improvements \$283,317.00. These churches are: Bayside \$1,950.00; Beckwith-Spedden \$934.00; St. Pauls Cambridge \$5,978.00; Zion Cambridge \$71,694.00; Centreville \$2,000.00; Christ Chestertown \$1,599.00; First Chestertown \$68,538.00; Church Creek \$2,350.00; Church Hill \$1,536.00; Concord \$678.00; Crapo \$7,916.00; Easton \$43,943.00; St. Michaels \$750.00; East New Market \$556.00; Federalsburg \$5,964.00; Friendship \$700.00; Goldsboro \$8,701.00; Greensboro \$500.00; Harmony \$500.00; Hillsboro-Queen Anne \$1,900.00; Hoopers Island \$800.00; Hurlock \$4,404.00; Ingleside \$1,753.00; Oxford \$589.00; Queenstown \$3,042.00; Ridgely \$2,428.00; St. James \$12,300.00; St. Thomas \$1,802.00; Bucktown \$810.00; Still Pond \$1,938.00; Sudlersville \$690.00; Tilghman \$1,303.00; Trappe \$258.00; Vienna \$2,064.00; Wye Mills \$648.00.

Some outstanding achievements have been attained: Zion Church Cambridge has just successfully completed a campaign for \$150,000.00 which will finish paying the cost of rebuilding the church destroyed by fire nine years ago. The cost was nearly \$700,000.00. For sustained loyalty and generosity I know of no church more worthy of praise. First Church Chestertown has completed an excellent educational and social unit at a cost of \$168,198.00. The present debt is \$70,943.00 which is being amortized monthly. St. Pauls Cambridge is building an addition to its Educational unit expected to cost \$100,000.00. Queenstown is building a new Church. St. James is adding \$44,000.00 Educational and Social hall. Easton has finished the east wing of its Educational Building, expending nearly \$30,000.-00, and expects to begin its Sanctuary this year. Royal Oak has erected a \$10,000.00 Social Hall. Preston, through the generosity of two of its members, has completely remodeled its sanctuary making it one of the most worshipful spots on the District. Goldsboro has rebuilt its chancel and provided a study for its pastor. In addition Trappe and Church Creek have secured new parsonages and radical improvements to parsonages have been made or are in process at Ingleside, Crapo, Vienna, Secretary, St. James and Goldsboro.

The shortage of effective ministers is still acute and the necessity of recruiting candidates for the ministry and providing for their training and support is apparent to informed people.

Average salary is far below what is required to properly maintain an effective ministry. Our laymen are facing up to the problem and have responded with a total increase in ministerial support of \$14,160.00. Of this amount \$9,410.00 is for Salary, \$500.00 car expense and \$4,250.00 Utilities. Churches which have increased their support are:

	Salary	Expense	. Utilities
Bayside			\$500.00
Burrsville	\$ 300.00		
St. Pauls Cambridge		\$200.00	
Centreville	500.00		
Chestertown Christ	200.00		
Chestertown First	500.00		
Church Hill			200.00
Concord	30.00		300.00
Crapo	100.00		
Denton First			350.00
East New Market	400.00		
Easton St. Marks	4000.00		500.00
Goldsboro			600.00
Greensboro			20.00
Hillsboro-Wye Mills	1250.00		
Hoopers Island			200.00
Hurlock			200.00
Kennedyville	300.00		
Queenstown			150.00
Ridgely			200.00
Rock Hall	200.00		200.00
St. James			330.00
St. Michaels			200.00
St. Thomas			300.00
Secretary	1030.00		
Tilghman	100.00	200.00	
Trappe		100.00	
Vienna	600.00		

Real progress is being made in the readjustment of overlapping ministry. By charge realignment, union and discontinuance of churches which have become too few in membership to function effectively, the problems growing out of Methodist union and population shifts in farm and water Communities, are being resolved. This year we have achieved the union of Grace and Epworth Churches at Centreville; Trinity Downs and Kingsley and we believe Dominion on Kent Island, Chaplain Memorial and Bethlehem on Taylors Island, Gethsemane and Joppa at Madison. We have also put Hillsboro and Wye Mills together to form one of our most promising rural charges. Secretary and Friendship Charges have been united. The people have been cooperative and in all but one of these adjustments the churches participating have assumed increased pastoral support. On the District we have 19 churches with less than 30 members. Each church is very near

another Methodist church, the hope for growth in membership is gone, in many cases the few remaining members pass other Methodist churches to attend and worse a pastor to provide a worship service for from 7 - 15 people must be absent from the Church School in a growing church. We are recommending the discontinuance of seven of these churches at this session of our conference.

Throughout the entire year we have been stressing our Evangelistic needs and pastors with their Commissions on Membership and Evangelism have earnestly sought not only to increase their membership but to make membership more meaningful. One thousand thirty five have been received into church fellowship. The record by charges is as follows: Bayside 16, Beckwith-Spedden 8, Cambridge Grace 63, Cambridge St. Pauls 44, Cambridge Zion 62, Centreville 15, Chestertown Christ 26, Crumpton 28, Chestertown First 26, Church Creek 16, Church Hill 27, Concord 9, Crapo 9, Denton Grace 22, Denton First 36, Easton 103, St. Michaels 12, East New Market 23, Federalsburg 41, Friendship 10, Goldsboro 20, Greensboro 15, Harmony-Grove 2, Hillsboro-Queen Anne 15, Hoopers Island 4, Unity Washington 18. Williamsburg 14, Ingleside 1, Kennedyville 3, Kent Island 81, Marydel 11, Oxford 10, Preston 10, Queenstown 47, Ridgely 23, Rock Hall 11, Royal Oak 4, St. James 40, St. Thomas 8, Still Pond 25, Sudlersville 13, Tilghman 2, Trappe 12, Vienna 44, Wesley Chapel 3, Wye Mills 3.

In closing I would like to make a few observations. First we need a better fellowship among our ministerial brethren. 2nd. We need a deeper loyalty to The Conference program. 3rd. We need an enlarged vision of our potential here on this Peninsula. 4th. We need less uninformed criticism of administrative acts. 5th. We need to give validity to our Christian witness by showing our love for God in our love for and sympathetic understanding of our brethren. We do not all have to agree in what we undertake to do or in the way we try to do it, but we are under compulsion to seek the mind of Christ in our attitude toward these matters.

With gratitude to God for his continuing care and deep appreciation for the assistance of every minister and layman in achieving the measure of success we have attained I respectfully and with humility submit this report.

J. LEAS GREEN Superintendent Easton District

THE SALISBURY DISTRICT

JOHN E. FRENCH, Superintendent

Bishop Oxnam and Members of the Conference:

In his Autobiography, Mark Twain speaks of always having "some half-finished ship on the ways." Coming, as I do, from a long line of seafaring people, it is easy for me to seize upon the figure and to appropriate it for present use. My work is never done! And, today, as I read my third report to the Annual Conference I shall be talking about the same interests which have demanded my labor and my attention from the beginning. It would be easy for me, and indeed a pleasure, to put upon paper all of the little

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happenings connected with each and every charge on The Salisbury District. They pour into the mind like a flood, and the monotony of forty-four Quarterly Conferences is overshadowed by the recollection of happy pastors and happy people reciting the gains and accomplishments of their charges. Even when we have made "unwilling progress" we rejoice. For, to use a term of our Founding Fathers, somewhat out of context, progress is often made "very unwillingly" by people and churches. Most of us are forced by necessity to make changes for our continued existence. Very few high hours are planned in advance. And as Dr. McConnell has said, "great events take place, movements begin, lives are changed and long eras of human history get under way unnoticed. At some point a high hour may be registered on a clock or a calendar by a historian."

Membership and Evangelism

As the reporter from our district, I wish to speak first of Membership and Evangelism. Our pastors have received 1,076 new members into their churches, 489 of which come on Profession of Faith. For the second successive year no church has failed to receive some. Bethesda Church, Salisbury, leads with a gain of 130 new members. Galestown; Asbury Church, Salisbury; St. Andrews, Salisbury; Princess Anne and Willards each had 50 or more accessions. Berlin; Crisfield, Immanuel; Delmar, First; Delmar, Mt. Olive; Mardela; Ocean City; Powellville; Salisbury, Grace; Salisbury, Trinity; Stockton-Girdletree and Union each received 20 or more members. Our special efforts in this area of our work have been fruitful and the number of accessions reported this year represents a gain of 419 over last year. Dr. Harry Denman of The General Board of Evangelism will be with us next Fall (November 8th to 15th) to conduct a Preaching Mission and lead us in a District-wide campaign now being planned by Chairman Howard Evans and The District Committee on Evangelism.

Christian Education

In the field of Christian Education our district has profited by the splendid leadership of The Rev. Donzel Wildey and his Staff. I cannot begin to enumerate the countless activities carried on in our churches, or to appraise the value we receive from their training of our youth and leaders. I want to single out just one activity: This year, Mr. Wildey sent a trained staff of three Christian Workers to Smith Island, where, for the first time, a week-long Leadership Training School instructed one hundred and thirty workers from the churches at Ewell, Tylerton and Rhodes Point. Our churches have given \$1,339 in Rally Day Offerings; \$859 to The Methodist Youth Fund and \$4,020 to The Board of Child Care.

Christian Higher Education

In the field of Christian Higher Education we have increased our financial support in every instance. We have given \$8,607 to Wesley Theological Seminary; \$5,100 to the Wesley Foundation and \$8,568 to Wesley College, Dover, on apportionment. A total of \$22,275 represents an increase of \$1,005 over last year.

Wesley College

We were asked for \$33,734 for Capital Improvements at Wesley College, Dover. I am delighted to report that in this first year of the campaign 32 of our 44 charges accepted and paid their "asking" in full; two charges, Princess Anne and Bethesda Church, Salisbury have accepted the full asking over a period of five years. Forty-two of our forty-four charges are now cooperating in the program. Only two charges have rejected the request. This year we have paid \$28,491 for Capital Improvements and \$8,568 for operational costs, or a total of \$37,059 to Wesley College. The table below will indicate what each charge has done:

Charge	Yearly Asking	Amount Paid
Allen	. \$ 549	\$ 549
Berlin		890
Bishopville		627
Crisfield, Asbury	4 0 4 0	1,248
Crisfield, Immanuel		1,225
Crisfield, Mariners	0=0	182
Crisfield, Mt. Pleasant		690
Deal Island		532
Delmar, First		924
Delmar, Mt. Olive		701
Fairmount		412
Fruitland, St. John's		ration and 🗕 🗪
Galestown		315
Hebron		805
Mardela		198
Mt. Hermon		322
Mt. Vernon		157
Nanticoke-Bivalve		382
Newark		309
Ocean City		691
Oriole		50
Parsonsburg		282
Pittsville-Ayres		763
Pocomoke, Bethany		704
Pocomoke, Salem		904
Powellville		433
Princess Anne		205
Quantico		501
Salisbury, Asbury		3,202
Salisbury, Bethesda		1,814
Salisbury, Grace		1,133
Salisbury, St. Andrews		604
Salisbury, Trinity	1,680	1,680
Sharptown, Asbury		484
Sharptown, Mt. Vernon		451

Charge	Yearly Asking	Amount Paid
Smith Island	828	828
Snow Hill, Bates	728	728
Snow Hill, Whatcoat	775	775
St. Martins	336	257
Stockton-Girdletree	594	594
Trinity-Quindocqua	358	358
Whaleysville		
Willards-Grace		581

Last year I announced the creation of a ministerial scholarship of \$300 annually by our Stevenson Church at Berlin. This year I am happy to add that two other churches, Pocomoke, Salem; and Stockton-Girdletree have followed that example and have created similar scholarships for ministerial students from their congregations.

World Service and Conference Benevolences

Forty of our charges accepted in full their apportionments for World Service and Annual Conference Benevolences amount to \$65,938. Our District Womans Society of Christian Service, under the leadership of Mrs. Milton Pope, has given \$11,000 for missions and increased its pledge for the coming year. Twenty-eight charges gave a total of \$12,699 to General Advance Specials, an increase of \$2,335 over last year; and a total of \$34,830 for the first three years of this quadrennium. Special recognition should go to the following churches for contributing \$100 or more to this cause:

Charge	Amount for Advance Specials	Charge	Amount for Advance Specials
Berlin	. \$ 211	Salisbury, Trinity	\$2,240
Crisfield, Asbury	. 300	Smith Island	300
Delmar, First	. 183	Sharptown,	
Fruitland	. 125	Mt. Vernon	. 100
Parsonsburg	. 125	Salisbury, Grace	. 110
Pittsville	. 120	Snow Hill, Whatcoa	t 525
Salisbury, Asbury .	5,400	Stockton - Girdletree	e 173
Salisbury, Bethesda	. 2,400		

Offerings for World-Wide Communion and The Fellowship of Suffering and Service amounted to \$1,755.

Ministerial Support

The following table will indicate that a total of \$184,600 will be paid by the District for Ministerial Support during the coming year. That represents an increase of \$10,460 with 26 charges participating in the advance.

Charge	Salary	Expense	Utility	Increase
Allen	\$3300	\$500		\$200
Berlin	4400	500	\$100	200
Bishopville	3600	300		300
Crisfield, Asbury	6200	300		500

Charge	Salary	Expense	Utility	Increase
Crisfield, Immanuel	5200	300	575	
Crisfield, Mariners	3500	400		
Crisfield, Mt. Pleasant	4500	500		300
Deal Island	4000	300		
Delmar, First	5000	500		500
Delmar, Mt. Olive	4300	500		200
Fairmount	3100	500		
Fruitland	4700			500
Galestown	3000	300		600
Hebron	5000	300		
Mardela	4000	500		200
Mt. Hermon	2600			
Mt. Vernon	3500	300		
Nanticoke-Bivalve	4000			700
Newark	2500			260
Ocean City	5500	500		500
Oriole	4000			
Parsonsburg	3750	500		
Pittsville, Ayres	3300	500		
Pocomoke, Bethany	4500	500		200
Pocomoke, Salem	4500	500		
Powellville	3200	500	300	400
Princess Anne	4500	500	200	
Quantico	4000	500		500
Salisbury, Asbury	8000	500	600	200
Salisbury, Bethesda	8500	500	500	500
Salisbury, Grace	4900	500		200
Salisbury, St. Andrews	4000	400	250	250
Salisbury, Trinity	8000	500		1500
Sharptown, Asbury	400.0	500	100	500
Sharptown, Mt. Vernon	3600	400		200
Smith Island	4000	500		
Snow Hill, Bates	4500	500		500
Snow Hill, Whatcoat	4800	400	200	300
St. Martins	2900			
Stockton-Girdletree	3600	500		
Trinity-Quindocqua	3100	500	250	250
Union	600	180	NOT 414 61	
Whaleysville	3100	500		
Willards	3300	300		
	184,600	\$37,380	\$3,311	\$10,460

Debt Reductions and Building and Improvements

\$52,280 has been paid on debts with 19 charges participating. Forty-three charges have spent \$272,906. for Building and Improvements. New heating systems have been installed at Berlin; Crisfield, Immanuel; Hebron; Mt. Vernon, Asbury; Pocomoke, Bethany; and Snow Hill, Whatcoat, at a total cost of \$47,937.

New organs have been purchased by Delmar, Mt. Olive; and Whaleysville. The Dames Quarter Church received a new organ as a gift. Salem Church, Pocomoke City has signed a contract for a new organ to be installed shortly at a cost of \$21,000.

\$55,697. has been spent for the renovation of Sanctuaries at Delmar, Mt. Olive; Mt. Hermon; Mt. Vernon, John Wesley; Melson on the Pittsville Charge and Bethesda Church, Salisbury.

New buildings have been constructed at Dames Quarter where fire destroyed the church in the summer of 1957. The new edifice costing approximately \$16,000 was consecrated on April 5th. Here is one of the finest examples of cooperation and goodwill I have ever seen. Our District came to the aid of this stricken congregation and completely furnished the church, giving carpet, pews, hymnals, cross, candelabra, communion service, pulpit furniture, Bibles for the pulpit and lectern and \$1000 toward construction of the church.

Siloam Church on the Allen Charge; Mt. Pleasant on the Powellville Charge; and Quindocqua at Marion Station have built new church halls.

New educational units have been constructed by

Fruitland, St. Johns				.\$91,000
Parsonsburg, Zion				
Pittsville, Ayres				
Snow Hill, Trinity				

Whatcoat, Snow Hill has recently completed a very successful financial campaign for an educational building to cost \$112,000 and on which construction will soon begin. The minister of Asbury Church, Salisbury, writes: "We are approaching the \$200,000 mark in cash for our new church. We have decided not to begin until we have \$300,000 in cash. We are seeking to sell real estate which has been given to the church which we hope will help us soon attain this goal."

New properties adjoining present church property have been acquired by several congregations. Pocomoke, Salem Church has acquired a 13 room house valued at \$15,000.; Grace Church, Salisbury has purchased two dwellings for \$12,000. Stockton-Girdletree have sold two parsonage homes and purchased a new one for \$9,000 and Bethesda Church, Salisbury has bought and developed a new parking lot on Division Street near the church. One abandoned church, Ironshire, near Newark, Maryland has been sold by the Trustees of the Annual Conference.

There are many other things which could be said but I have not the time to say them, nor have you the patience to hear them. I shall leave them on the workbench. But before I go I want to thank you who have helped me, and to give you the credit, for, indeed most of it belongs to you. Your prayers and your kindly assistance have meant much to me—more than I can ever tell. And to my Heavenly Father who remembers me even when I forget Him, I offer my humble and my sincere thanks.

JOHN EDWARD FRENCH Superintendent

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

J. N. LINK, Superintendent

Bishop Oxnam and Members of the Peninsula Annual Conference:

For the sixth and last time I submit the report of the Superintendent of the Wilmington District.

Changes

Four retired ministers resident in the Wilmington District, and the widow of one of our deceased ministers, received the call to enter the Life Eternal during this Conference year: May 30, the Rev. J. Harry Wright; June 13, the Rev. Leonard White, D.D.; August 22, the Rev. J. L. Sparklin; November 13, the Rev. David J. Moore; February 27, 1959, Mrs. Robert G. Conner. Appropriate Memoirs have been prepared and will be printed in this year's Conference Journal.

Immediately after the adjournment of last year's Annual Conference session, Thomas D. Short, a Certified Lay Speaker of the Perryville Methodist Church and a graduate of Washington College, was appointed Student Pastor of the Bayview-Bethel Charge.

June 14, 1958, the Rev. Thomas D. Short and Miss Mary Hornbarger were married in the Perryville Methodist Church.

March 14, 1959, the Rev. C. Edwin Lasbury and Miss Kaylene McDade were married in the Chester-Bethel Methodist Church.

October 14, 1958, Sherri Lynn was born to the Rev. Charles O. Huntington, pastor of Warwick Charge, and Mrs. Huntington.

Conversions

2,421 persons were received into full membership in the District Churches this year, a decrease of 181 compared with last year. 1,383 were received on Profession of Faith and 1,038 by Letters of Transfer. It is gratifying that the District had no "Barren Charges" this year—that is, no Charges reporting no members received.

48 of the 57 Charges reported increases of 10 or more new members:

224—Asbury of Wilmington Manor	45—Red Lion
208—Aldersgate	43—Peninsula
130—Claymont	43- St. Paul's
120—Marshallton	39-—Holly Oak
109—Kingswood-of-Brookside	35—McCabe
103—Hillcrest	34—North East
100—Stanton	31—Brandywine
92—Newark	29—Chester-Bethel
82—Elkton	29—Christiana
81—Grace	29—New Castle
78—Richardson Park	28—Charlestown
76—Newport	27—Silverbrook
71Bethel-Chesapeake City	25—Cecil United Paris
58—Union	25—Harrison Street
46—Christ	24—Hockessin

22—Bellefonte	17—Cherry Hill
22—Port Deposit	16Rising Sun
22—St. Georges	16—Calvary
19—Cecilton	15—Eastlake
19-Mt. Salem	15—Madeley
19—Wesley Chapel	14—Trinity
18—Delaware City	12—Millington
18—Ebenezer	11—Hopewell
18—Perryville	11—Minquadale

Contributions

47 Charges accepted and paid in full their World Service and Benevolence Askings. One Charge, Bellefonte, paid more than double its Askings.

41 Charges paid in full the 50c per member Asking for the Wesley College Operating Fund. 10 Charges paid part of their Askings. 6 Charges, most of them of Mission status, paid nothing. The total Asking: \$12,166. Paid, \$10,497, a decrease of \$642 from last year's total.

31 Charges paid in full the Askings for the Wesley College Capital Improvement Fund. 19 made partial contributions. 7 Charges paid nothing. The total Askings were \$48,213. \$35,714 were paid, a deficit of \$12,499. However, it should be noted that several Churches which have heavy building or debt obligations have indicated that they accept their Askings as debts of honor and pledge themselves to pay these deficits when current building and/or debt pressures have been eased.

41 Charges paid in full the 30c per member Asking for Wesley Foundation work. 9 Charges made partial payments. 7 Charges paid nothing. \$7,265 were asked. \$6,241 were paid, a deficit of \$1,024.

40 Charges paid in full the 50c per member Asking for Wesley Theological Seminary. 12 made partial payments. 5 paid nothing. \$12,121 were asked. \$10,341 were paid, a deficit of \$1,780.

While the deficits for the Wesley College Operating Fund, the Wesley Foundation, and the Wesley Theological Seminary total \$3,446, when the total amount contributed for these three causes plus the amount contributed to the Wesley College Capital Improvement Fund are compared with the total amount contributed to them last year, the Wilmington District shows an increase of \$33,722 for Wesley College, Wesley Foundation, Wesley Theological Seminary.

Advance Specials this year totaled \$29,444, an increase of \$2,759 over last year. 25 Charges reported \$100 or more on Advance Specials in many parts of the world:

\$8,962—Grace	\$673—Union
5,050—Aldersgate	653—Cecil United Parish
2,500—Christ	500—Newport
1,962—Richardson Park	450—McCabe
1,300—St. Paul's	410—Rising Sun
1,230—Brandywine	375—Peninsula
1,030—Harrison Street	350—New Castle
900—Hillcrest	337—Ebenezer
720—St. Georges	305—Newark

300—Elkton	200—Kirkwood
287—Bellefonte	160—Kingswood-of-Brookside
246—Eastlake	100—Stanton
220—Silverbrook	

The Fellowship of Suffering and Service Offerings totaled \$2,318, a decrease of \$184.

Rally Day Offerings aggregated \$1,867, a decrease of \$82.

The Week of Dedication Offerings reported from 30 Charges amounted to \$1,735, a decrease of \$576.

The Methodist Youth Fund report amounted to \$1,574, an increase of \$138.

The Board of Child Care Offerings amounted to \$4,946, an increase of \$640.

37 Charges report a total increase in Ministerial Support for next year that aggregates \$21,441. This includes \$15,792 for increased Basic Salaries. \$2,375 for increased Auto Expenses. \$3,274 for increased Utilities.

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Charge	Inc. Salary	Auto Expense	Utilities
Aldersgate	\$1,000		\$ 200
Asbury of Wilmington Manor	700	Sept. Market beard	
Asbury Associate	4,500	500	300
Bayview-Bethel	400	25 1 16 8 1 1 1800	
Bethel-Chesapeake City	700		alt bank ett
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Cherry Hill	300	100	144
Chester-Bethel	also dia "	William - Carlo	250
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Elkton	500	er var – can	-
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Minquadale	500		
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New Castle	250	ance Y Televise	Market
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Perryville	100	175	
Red Lion	242	_	600
St. George's	400		100
St. John's of Lewisville	200	10 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40	_
Stanton	400	_	_

Charge	Inc. Salary	Inc. Auto Expense	Inc. Utilities
Wilmington: Brandywine		300	
Harrison Street	500		
Madeley	100	_	
McCabe	300	tolo glas <u>vo</u> dien	-
Mt. Salem	200		380
Peninsula	<u>—</u>	200	
Silverbrook		400	400
St. Paul's Assistant	600	_	— — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —

Cultivation

Christian Education continues to be stressed in all of its phases as is evidenced by the increased expenditures for Methodist Materials; construction or renovation of Educational Units; increased purchase and utilization of busses to reach into adjacent communities to reach the unreached; increasing numbers of Churches having Local Church Leadership Training Schools as well as supporting Denominational and Inter-Denominational Schools. 49 Charges held Vacation Church Schools with 5,777 pupils enrolled—an increase of one School and 451 pupils. Aldersgate Church serves some 2,000 young people weekly in all phases of the Church program: Church School, MYF, Recreation, Scouts, Kindergarten.

During this last year of the presidency of Mrs. Lucille Mangum, the District Woman's Society of Christian Service has continued growing in its informational and inspirational as well as organizational ministry to our Churches. The District Missionary Secretary, the Rev. D'Arcy Littleton, increasingly functions as a resource person throughout the Conference Year for pastors and Churches desiring Missionary Programs and Personnel. He has given much time and effort to helping the refugee family of Dr. Ching Yu Hsu become acclimated to Wilmington and in raising funds for this worthy project. There have been many returned missionaries and student nationals in the District this year. The Second Annual Missionary Workshop was stimulating.

44 Methodist Men's Organizations (an increase of 6 over last year) report 2,147 members, an increase of 260. The District Lay Leader, Clifford T. Foster, Jr., notwithstanding demanding duties as Vice President and General Manager of the Delaware Coach Company, has made his enthusiastic support and direction of this important work felt in every section of the District. The Devotional Breakfast Hour the third Sunday of each month in the DuBarry Room of the Hotel DuPont, started some years ago by the late Floyd W. Woodcock and Clinton H. Brown, increasingly becomes a spiritual power-house for the consecrated Local Church Lay Leaders of the New Castle County section of the District.

24 Methodist Young Adult Fellowships (a decrease of 2) report a membership of 793, a decrease of 69.

54 Methodist Youth Fellowships (an increase of one) report a membership of 1,726, an increase of 280.

An increasing number of District Churches send "Together" into the homes of all of their members.

Scott Church, recently closed and sold by action of its members and Quarterly Conference to Grace A. M. E. Zion Church, henceforth to be known as Scott A. M. E. Zion Church, is setting up a Scott Memorial Trust Fund to be invested by the Bank of Delaware, to be administered by the Board of Trustees of the Peninsula Annual Conference, Inc., upon recommendation of the Wilmington District Superintendent for Ministerial Education Scholarships with any surplus remaining in any year to be applied as Church Extension grants. Starting with \$40,000, it is expected that this trust fund will eventually reach \$50,000.

Construction, Expansion, Renovation

45 Charges report that during this past year, a total of \$299,828 was paid on indebtedness for past construction, an increase of \$17,198 over the preceding year. Charges paying \$1,000 or more on debt during this year are:

\$35,000—Aldersgate	4,270—Holly Oak
26,674—Grace	3,700—Hockessin
20,866—Asbury of Wilmington	3,000—Silverbrook
Manor	2,956—Trinity
17,764—Christ Church	2,913—-Mt. Salem
16,498—Richardson Park	2,900—St. Paul's
14.000—McCabe	2,725—Cedars
13.702—Newark	2,725—Galena
13,641—Kingswood-of-Brookside	2,500—Claymont
12.980—New Castle	2,395—Christiana
12,462—Principio of Charlestown	2,063—Newark: Wesley
Charge	Foundation
10,800—Newport	2,000—Elkton
9.826—Stanton	1,750—Perryville
7.838—Eastlake	1,700—North East
7.500—Peninsula	1,500—Delaware City
7.445—Marshallton	1,300—Cecil United Parish
7,000—Brandywine	1,100-Minquadale
5.313—Bethel-Chesapeake City	1.000—St. Georges
4.700—Union	1.000—Calvary
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During this Conference Year, construction, expansion, and renovation for building and improving Sanctuaries, Educational Units, Parish Halls, Parsonages, purchases of land and buildings for expansion in 52 of the 57 Charges totaled \$275,611, a decrease of \$349,245 from last Year's all-time record.

Charges paying \$1,000 or more on Building and Improvement this year are:

\$30,800—Kingswood-of-Brookside	14,746—Christiana 13,500—Baldwin of Cherry Hill Charge		
25,000—Galena 19,739—Asbury of Wilmington Manor	12,541—Delaware City 11,085—Chester-Bethel		

10,396—Union	2,400—Eastlake		
10,000—Aldersgate	2,372—Principio of Charlestown		
7,966—Bethel-Chesapeake City	Charge		
7,950—Holly Oak	1,955—New Castle		
7,748—Newark	1,787—Ebenezer		
7,355—Perryville	1,676—Richardson Park		
6,835—Newport	1,600—Rising Sun		
5,000—Elkton	1,500—Silverbrook		
4,422—Cecilton	1,415—Minquadale		
4,336—Red Lion	1,400—Trinity		
4,174—Brandywine	1,280—Madeley		
3,000—McCabe	1,200—Mt. Pleasant		
2,951—Hillcrest	1,100—Port Deposit		
2,814—Harrison Street	1,069—Millington		
2,617—Christ Church	1,043—Mt. Salem		
2,600—St. Paul's	1,032—Marshallton		
2,500—Calvary			

Asbury and Perryville Churches on Perryville Charge have renovated the Sanctuaries, Church House, and Parsonage at a cost of \$7,355.

Baldwin Church, Cherry Hill Charge, is now using the completed first unit of its new building, costing \$20,000, and is laying plans for the new Sanctuary which is the next step in its developing plan.

Bellefonte Church broke ground this past Sunday for a \$35,000 Educational Unit.

Brandywine has installed an electric organ in its Chapel.

Calvary, Wilmington, renovated its Church Kitchen at a cost of \$2,500.

Cherry Hill Church, at a cost of \$5,000, has renovated its Sanctuary, built a glassed-in, sound-proof "crying room" or nursery in its balcony, installed a fire-escape, completely wired the building for a public-address system; installed an electric organ.

Chester-Bethel has secured $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres to enlarge the cemetery; $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres for Church Expansion; construction has started on the \$84,000 William E. Habbart Memorial Building.

Christiana Church is already crowded in the educational unit just completed this year at a cost of \$2,500.

Delaware City's Ebenezer Church has completed re-building its former Sunday School room which has served as a Sanctuary since the disastrous fire of some years ago. The weight of the blizzard of March, 1958, weakened the structure necessitating major reconstruction. Several rooms have been added. Plans are maturing for the reconstruction of the former Sanctuary.

Ebenezer Church near Newark has constructed a new Vestibule at the entrance to its Sanctuary, installed hardwood floors on the first floor of its Church House, and has a Policy Committee studying further expansion.

Galena has completed its Parish Hall costing \$25,000. In addition, it has renovated its Sanctuary, replacing the antiquated chairs with pews.

Glasgow on Red Lion Charge has renovated its Sanctuary, replaced its heating equipment, installed an electric organ.

Kingswood-of-Brookside has built the shell of an Educational Wing at a cost of \$30,800. The men of the Church are finishing the interior.

Kirkwood has placed a new roof upon its Sanctuary.

Mt. Pleasant has built and furnished a Church Office and air-conditioned its Sanctuary.

Newport, at a cost of \$4,000, has partitioned its old Sanctuary into Class Rooms and a Chapel for its Youth Department. The Church Spire has been completed at a cost of \$2,435. A new bulletin board was erected at a cost of \$400.

Principio Church on Charlestown Charge has completed the construction of a Parish Hall costing \$21,300.

Richardson Park has renovated the interior and exterior of its buildings at a cost of \$10,500.

St. John's of Lewisville has made renovations to the extent of \$1,200. In addition, it now assumes the full support of its minister without any assistance from the Minimum Salary Fund.

Summit Church on St. George's Charge purchased a Community Hall, moved it to the rear of the Sanctuary on the Church site, and has remodeled it for a Parish Hall at a cost of \$10,000.

Union Church, Wilmington, has had its pipe organ rebuilt at a cost of \$10,000. In addition, the Sanctuary was renovated at a cost of \$3,000.

Concerning the future, the retiring Superintendent will leave for his successor a list of at least 28 Church Expansion and Church Extension projects which have been started and are uncompleted, or are in the planning stage. Included in this list are:

Aldersgate, a new Sanctuary.

Calvary, Wilmington, will macadamize a part of its site for a Parking Area.

Christ Church Congregation and Quarterly Conference have authorized an Educational Wing to cost \$110,000.

Claymont Congregation and Quarterly Conference have approved plans for an Educational Unit to cost \$137,000.

Hart's, Charlestown Charge, complete renovation is planned.

Hillcrest Policy Committee is working on plans for a new Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall to cost approximately \$300,000.

Hockessin—a new Sanctuary and Educational unit on the 4.1 acres recently purchased.

Hopewell: an Educational Unit and Parish Hall for which plans are now ready.

Kirkwood plans complete renovation of its Sanctuary, two Halls, in preparation for its 60th Anniversary in September.

Mt. Lebanon plans a new Parking Area.

North East needs to erect an Educational Unit on the lot across the street which was purchased last year and now serves as a parking lot.

Red Lion has awarded the contract for a \$70,000 Sanctuary Expansion and Educational Unit. Work will begin this month.

Rosebank Church, Calvert, Cecil United Parish, already finds its new building erected last year too small and is planning another unit to cost around \$30,000.

Salem Church, Christiana Charge, hopes to build a Parish Hall this summer.

St. Georges is facing the building of new Class Rooms or re-locating.

St. Paul's, Wilmington, faces the probability of relocation if the Wilmington Freeway is approved. If this happens, St. Paul's will probably relocate on the 5.75 acres in a strategic location on the Foulk Road purchased jointly by the Wilmington District Church Extension Society, Inc., and the Peninsula Conference Board of Missions.

Conclusion

The end of this report brings to a conclusion not only six years of superintendency but forty-six years of active ministry. Glancing backward across the six years, the record reveals:

8,258 persons have been received into full membership on Profession of Faith during these six years, and 5,340 by letters of Transfer, a total of 13,598.

\$2,475,435 have been spent on Building and Improvement.

\$1,155,646 have been paid on indebtedness.

\$126,270 have been paid on Advance Specials for Missions.

During the six years, pastors' salaries have increased \$82,839 and Auto Expense allowances \$13,160, a total of \$95,999. If data were available concerning utilities, it would take increases in total ministerial support well over \$100,000 during these years.

3 District Churches closed because of changing population trends, and their properties were sold. Asbury was sold to the Mt. Vernon Colored M. E. Congregation and is now known as Asbury Memorial C. M. E. Church. Kingswood was sold to the Kingswood Community Center for Youth. Scott has been sold to the Grace A. M. E. Zion Congregation which will now be known as the Scott A. M. E. Zion Church.

One new Congregation was started: Kingswood-of-Brookside was made possible by using the proceeds from the sale of old Kingswood to purchase the building site and parsonage in the new Brookside Housing Development outside of Newark. Started less than five years ago without a member, it will report more than 600 members to this Annual Conference. It has raised nearly \$40,000 for all purposes this year.

3 Congregations, Brack-Ex, Rosebank at Calvert in Cecil County, Wilmington Manor, have relocated on larger sites in more strategic situations. Several others, notably Stanton, are planning to relocate.

9 Churches have purchased, or are negotiating for, new sites.

15 Churches have purchased, or are negotiating for, additional land for expansion.

At least 17 Churches have added paved off-street parking lots.

4 new Sanctuaries have been erected.

32 Churches have added, or are planning to add, Educational Units and/or Parish Halls.

18 Charges have installed new organs or rebuilt old ones.

18 Charges have made major renovations.

7 Parish Parsonages have been built or purchased.

With but few exceptions, practically all of the Churches of the District have had a major expansion of some kind. In some of these the Superintendent had no part whatever. In most of them he has had some direct or indirect participation through suggestion, consultation, or supervision. Not a few of them were initiated by him.

On the District Level, six advances are noteworthy:

The District Church Extension Society, organized in 1954, with Sustaining Memberships on a voluntary basis at \$10 per Sustaining Member per year, has made available approximately \$20,000 for Church Extension incentive gifts and assistance in buying new sites.

The District Digest, a four page monthly news-letter, has brought the Conference and District programs nearer to the Local Churches for the past

The District Sub-Division into Sub-Districts—at first nine, now six, has

The District-wide Functional Commissions, although slow to get helped. started, are increasingly functioning in the District programs of Evangelism. Leadership Training, Ministers' Cooperation with Youth Work, Missions, Publicity, Social Concerns, Stewardship.

The District Office and Secretary were real steps forward in efficient functioning not only for the Superintendent but for the various agencies and activities of the District.

The District Parsonage relocation from a deteriorating residential section to Alapocas, from an expensive mansion to a functional house which combines dignified simplicity with adequacy, is a credit to the Methodist Church.

The retiring District Superintendent and his wife desire to express their sincere appreciation to you, Bishop Oxnam, the Colleagues of the Cabinet, the Ministers and consecrated Laymen and Lay-women of the District, for each and every courtesy, word and expression of friendliness, respect and cooperation received during these years. Both will carry into retirement glowing memories that will enrich the remaining years. Both covet for the choice and capable young minister whom our Bishop has indicated he will appoint to the Wilmington District Superintendency, and for his wife, the same courtesy and cooperation we have received.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN N. LINK

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON CHRISTIAN VOCATIONS

At no time has the need for dedicated young persons adequately trained for service to God through the many offices of the Church been more urgent than it is today. The Methodist Church faces today the precarious situation of pastorates without adequately trained ministers, schools needing teachers, churches seeking in vain for directors of Christian education, settlements short of social workers, hospitals needing doctors, nurses, and administrators. Overseas, too few missionaries are on the scene to minister to the needs of a world in crisis.

At the present time the annual personnel requirements of The Methodist Church in the United States include the following: 1,800 ministers, 250 directors of Christian education, 350 missionaries, 100 deaconesses, 245 college teachers, administrators and Wesley Foundation directors, and 3,000 doctors, nurses, technicians, and social workers.

The majority of the members of many, if not most, local churches have not yet understood and accepted the doctrine of Christian vocation. And, they neither know of the desperate shortage of workers in the church vocations nor are they concerned about it if they know it.

Christian people rally to the challenge of new insight, and the presentation of need when it is shown to them.

Your Commission on Christian Vocations functions as a possible answer to this unprecedented need by bringing about closer cooperation among the boards and agencies of the Peninsula Annual Conference in (1) promoting the philosophy of Christian vocation and (2) the recruitment of qualified young men and women for church-related vocations.

During the past year the following action was taken to accomplish these objectives, of the Commission.

In September, a Christian Vocation Workshop was held at Camp Pe-Co-Meth. The theme of the workshop was "The Development of a Christian Philosophy of Vocation." Dr. Marcus Birrell, Executive Director of Inter-Board Committee on Christian Vocations, was our platform speaker. The objective of the workshop was to present and discuss the ideas that underlie the Christian philosophy of vocation. No direct effort was made at this workshop to recruit persons for church vocations. Thirty-five (35) delegates and five (5) staff persons participated in the workshop.

"You, The Church, and God's Call" was the theme of the Church Vocations Conference sponsored by the Commission on Christian Vocations at Salisbury, Md., during February. The purpose of this workshop was to provide the youth and students of the Peninsula Annual Conference with the instruction and counsel that is necessary to answer the questions that are foremost in the minds of those who are considering church-related vocations as their chosen profession. The call to the conference was issued to those who were either committed or seriously considering committment to one of the following church-related vocations: The Ministry, Directors of Christ-

ian Education, Deaconess Work, Missions, Medical Vocations, Higher Education (College Teaching and College Chaplaincy), and Professional Scouting. Sixty-eight (68) delegates and a staff of nine (9) persons participated in the Conference.

With the assistance and guidance of Dr. Marcus Birrell, Executive Director of the Inter-Board Committee on Christian Vocations, a system for securing and maintaining careful records of the vocational decisions of youth was adopted. The Reverend George Godfrey, Conference Youth Director, has been placed in charge of Vocational Records.

Progress has been made toward the goal of a functioning Committee on Christian Vocations for every charge. During February, a workshop was held to train the chairmen of these local church committees. The purpose, composition and program of the local church committee on Christian Vocations were among the topics discussed at this workshop.

The Commission commends the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications for the work they are doing, pledges them our full support and urges them to continue to bring together for inspiration, instruction and fellowship, prospective and active ministerial candidates.

A quantity purchase has been made of the 1959 edition of the booklet, Methodist Service Projects. Distribution of the booklet will be made through summer conferences and one copy will be sent to each charge in the conference

Projected plans of the Commission include the following:

- 1. The establishment in each district of a counselor's bureau to aid local churches in their vocational guidance programs.
- 2. The disbursement of the booklet, Methodist Service Projects, a directory of Christian Vocations, to public school vocational counselors.

This fourth year of the quadrennial emphasis on the local church is on "enlistment." According to the interpretation given it by the Council of Bishops, this is to include enlistment for church vocations. Thus we are justified in calling upon the church for special support of our program.

The Commission, therefore, urges that the following action be taken during the coming year. That there be established in every church an active committee on Christian Vocations, that this committee should be named by the regular nominating committee of the Quarterly Conference, and that this committee reports annually to both the Quarterly Conference and the Annual Conference Commission on Christian Vocations. That each local church hold a vocational conference or develop some other means of presenting the many opportunities in church vocations to their youth.

The Conference Committee on Christian Vocations is happy to report the progress made during the past year. We shall seek to continue to promote programs which will develop within this generation the Christian idea of work.

Respectfully submitted,

LELAND B. HALL Chairman of The Commission

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PENINSULA CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT TO THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Conference Board of Education has developed and promoted a program of Christian education which provides guidance and help for the various agencies of Christian Education in the Conference. Churches, their organizations and members are increasingly turning to the Board for counsel and guidance as they expand their efforts to achieve a significant local program of Christian education. Every effort is directed to help the individual and local church grow and develop to the utmost.

Field Work

There are five areas under the general topic of Field Work. They are inter-related in planning and purpose, yet significantly separate in procedures and personnel.

First, the Department of Children's work with Miss Doris Hoover as Director has carefully studied the needs in the area of Children's Work and evolved a program which will meet these needs in the most constructive way. These plans call for the development of a better understanding of Methodist literature as well as increased teaching skills of the teachers responsible for the 31,000 Methodist Children enrolled in our Church Schools. A Laboratory School for teachers is planned for July with other experiences in teacher training and Vacation Church School Workshops being developed. Special observation classes in local church schools will also be added to the on-going program of teacher development.

Second, the Youth Work is being ably directed by the Rev. George C. Godfrey, fulltime worker with youth and the camp. Last year the significant rise in youth enrollment in the church schools-well over 1,000-showed many skeptics the fruits of our increased emphasis on program and personnel in this field. Local, subdistrict, and conference levels showed improved techniques and planning which led to a greatly expanded program. Every activity received increased interest and support from churches and individual youth. In any given month, when our M. Y. F. subdistricts meet, there are over 1,500 youth involved in this beyond-the-local-church activity of training, inspiration and fellowship. The adult and youth leaders of this phase of the youth program deserve our highest commendation.

Third, the Adult Work has been directed by Mr. John Rogers. The slight decrease in Church School Adult enrollment of a year ago caused new approaches to be developed by this department. The Family Camp Weekend was well supported. Five persons attended the National Family Life Conference at Chicago. The Older Adult Convocation gave new vitality to the work with this age group. Two Adult Bible Conferences attracted a total of 637 persons for the six nights of Bible study under Dr. Montgomery J. Shroyer from Wesley Theological Seminary. Thirty-two persons attended the Regional Adult Convocation at Buck Hill Falls. Increased interest and attendance was also noted at the meeting of lay persons at other training and fellowship sessions.

Fourth, Church Music has been under the direction of the Rev. William Hitchens. The most outstanding contribution was the Church Music Institute with 82 persons in attendance and which concluded with Professor J. Edward Moyer of Wesley Theological Seminary directing a unified choir in an inspirational music Festival. Increased interest in better music has been noted in the church schools and churches. Three persons are now certified as Ministers of Music in our Conference. This number is expected to increase as other local churches and qualified musicians learn of the value of such certification.

Fifth, the program of Leadership Training has provided opportunity to discover and put into action more helpful ways of giving training to our 6,500 teachers and officers in the Church School. This year the emphasis was that each local Commission on Education plan and carry out a training program which would be most helpful for its own situation. The Conference Board provided a Coaching Conference where fifty persons were trained in four areas and then made available for local and subdistrict schools. This instruction was planned to increase the quantity and quality of persons for this important task from our own Conference. Although complete statistics are not available from the local church training sessions, a large number of churches took advantage of this program. About 72 churches continued to cooperate in the beyond-the-local-church schools with about 800 persons receiving training in these schools. The plan for the coming year will again stress local classes but, in addition, make available an increased number of beyond-the-local-church schools, with priority given those areas not reached this year. It must be realized that a well organized church school with trained teachers using Methodist material is a necessity for the welfare of our people and the Methodist Church. This year a new service was offered to churches considering the construction of educational units. Glenn S. Gothard, Building Consultant from the General Board of Education, visited eight churches in the Conference giving guidance on planning, construction and utilizing units for Christian education. His invaluable service was sponsored by the Conference and the General Board of Education.

Wesley Foundation

Our work on the college campus, by means of Wesley Foundations, is under the direction of the Rev. William F. Dunkle, Jr. Careful and long-range planning has enabled the Peninsula Conference to contribute considerably to this important work with Methodist students at Salisbury State Teachers College, Washington College, and the University of Delaware. At Washington College the future of the Methodist Student Work has been enhanced by the purchase of a plot of land adjacent to the school which will be used for the education.

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expansion of this work as money becomes available. The Rev. William P. Kesmodel is directing the work at this school. The Wesley House, at the University of Delaware, has become a vital point of student contact with Dr. J. J. Bunting, Director, and Rev. Leland B. Hall as fulltime Co-Director. This effort continues to grow in significance as the University grows and the students from Methodist churches increase in number. The largest number of Methodist students in the Peninsula is to be found enrolled at the University. Top leadership and a dynamic program are essential to meet the ever increasing challenge that faces Methodism here. The importance of our work at Salisbury State will expand considerably as that institution expands. Mrs. Albert Bloodsworth is working with the students under the direction of the Rev. J. Robert Mackey. It is interesting to note the large percentage of Methodists enrolled in this student body. Our program of student work here has been growing steadily during the last few years and will continue to do so. The Methodist work in all three schools has been made possible because the local churches in the Conference have supported it financially by the 30 cents per member plan. This support has helped

Certification of Workers

the church play an important part in the lives of our youth seeking higher

The Peninsula Conference Board of Education, on the recommendation of their Committee on Directors of Christian Education and Church Music, approved the certification of the following persons for the 1959-60 Conference year:

Directors of Christian Education

Miss Doris Hoover, Newark Church, Newark, Delaware.

Miss Mary Graham White, Grace Church, Wilmington., Del.

Miss Genevieve Poppe, Riddle Memorial Deaconess Home, Wilmington, Del.

Educational Assistants

Miss Ruth Benoit, Avenue Church, Milford, Delaware.

Mrs. Albert Bloodsworth, Wesley Foundation, Salisbury, Md.

Mrs. Norman Eldridge, Christ Church, Federalsburg, Md.

Miss Christine Ferrand, Trinity Church, Salisbury, Md.

Mrs. Dorothy Moore, Salem Church, Selbyville, Del.

Mrs. Elva S. Nelson, Board of Education, Dover, Del.

Mr. Richard Reichard, Aldersgate Church, Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. T. H. Storus, Asbury Church, Salisbury, Maryland.

Ministers of Music

Mrs. Franklin H. Koonthz, Aldergate Church, Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Van Lier Lanning, Aldergate Church, Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Evelyn Swensson, Mt. Olivet Church, Seaford, Del.

Miss Gladys Steck, Director of Christian Education, has been transferred to the Southwest Texas Annual Conference and will serve in the First Methodist Church, Weslaco, Texas.

The Camp Program

New life has come into the camping program of the Peninsula Conference. Last Summer Camp PeCoMeth under the direction of Rev. George C. Godfrey served a total of 1,787 persons in planned training or camping sessions. An additional number of approximately 250 used the facilities in local church retreats. With camp running at capacity it was still necessary, due to lack of space, to turn away many requesting enrollment.

The Camp Development Committee of the Board of Education, with Mr. Thomas Lodge as Chairman, after careful study has approved the plan of development prepared by the nationally known camp architect, Bradford G. Sears of Syracuse University. These plans have been accepted by the Board of Education and are ready to be placed before the people and churches of the Conference. The plan includes increased accommodations for the summer program of Christian education and also facilities for year-round conference, camping, and training programs. Literature is now being prepared giving full information concerning these plans. The vitality for this expansion has grown out of the interest of persons and organizations having the true spirit of Christian concern for children, youth, and adults. Every person in the Conference will be benefited as PeCoMeth is expanded. It is expected that during this Summer the area for Day Camping and church picnics will be completed. Other areas in the program will be developed as quickly as finances are made available.

SCHEDULE

The following schedule is presented to enable churches and individuals to utilize the services of the Board of Education. As adjustments may be found necessary, notice of any change will be publicized.

PROPOSED 1959-60 PROGRAM

Peninsula Conference Board of Education

Cooperating in "Methodism's Year of Enlistment"

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MYF Presidents' Confab-PeCoMeth

TUNE	
JUNE	Camp Directors & Staff Training—PeCoMeth
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11	Ministers' Orientation—PeCoMeth
14	Methodist Student Day
14-19	Northeastern Regional Recreation Lab. School, Pennington, N. J.
14-20	Senior Week Camp
21-26	Girls' School of Missions
26-28	Young Adult Week-end
June 28-July 4	First Intermediate Camp
JULY	
5-10	First Junior Camp
10-11	Field Workers' Week-end
12-18	Second Intermediate Camp
17-24	MYF Regional Workshop-Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa.
19-24	Second Junior Camp
25-26	Church School Superintendents' Week-end
26-31	Third Junior Camp
26-31	Conference Children's Workers Lab. School—Dover
26-31	Seminar for Prospective Lab. School Instructors—Haddon- field, N. J.
July 31-Aug. 2	Senior Hi Week-end
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2-8	Third Intermediate Camp
9-15	Fourth Intermediate Camp
16-21	Fourth Junior Camp
23-29	Fifth Intermediate Camp
24-28	National Convocation of Methodist Youth, Purdue Univ., Lafayette, Ind.
Aug. 30-Sept. 4	Fifth Junior Camp
SEPTEMBER	
5-7	Family Week-end—PeCoMeth
12-13	Laymen's Retreat
18-19	Christian Vocation Conference—PeCoMeth
18-20	Coaching Conference for Leadership Training Instructors
27	Rally Day—Local Church
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OCTOBER	Complete Maria and Maria a
1-31	Local Church and Subdistrict Leadership Training Schools including visitation by Nashville Field Worker
17-19	Fall Youth Conference
24	Older Adult Conference
NOVEMBER	
3-8	National Conference on Christian Education, Cincinnati, Ohio
11-12	District Conference and Interboard Training School

DECEMBER	
1,2,3,4	Ministers' Pre-Marital Counseling Training Session
10-11	MYF Trip to United Nations, New York
27	Student Recognition Day, Wesley Foundation Emphasis
JANUARY	
16-17	Peninsula Family Life Conference
24	Wesley Seminary Day, Christian Ministry Emphasis
FEBRUARY	
14	Race Relations Sunday
19-21	Conference Church Music Institute
27-28	MYF Christian Witness Mission Workshop
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1-31	Local Church MYF Witness Missions
10-13	Regional Adult Convocation, Buck Hill Falls
APRIL	
2	Camp Counselors' Workshops
9	Camp Counselors' Workshops
17	College Day, Wesley College Emphasis
26-27	Vacation Church School Workshops
MAY	
1	Children's Day
1-8	National Family Week
3-4	Vacation Church School Workshops
14	Annual Youth Conference

In presenting this report we recognize that the progress here reported in the field of Christian education has been made possible by the cooperative efforts of the Cabinet, Members of the Board of Education, the Staff, the Ministers and Laymen of the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES R. HUGHES President of the Board DONZEL C. WILDEY Executive Secretary

PENINSULA CONFERENCE EDUCATION SOCIETY

Salisbury, Md., Saturday, May 16, 1959

Again this year your Society has received less funds from the Conference than last year. The reduction this year is about \$200.00. We had hoped that this year would reverse this trend but can now only hope for improvement next year.

The corporation's Annual Report is printed in the folder of Conference reports as of Jan. 1, 1959, pages 12 and 13. This is approximately unchanged except that the Riddle Fund Impounded item has been reinvested and the income from this investment will be included in the General Funds Account.

Hon. J. Millard Tawes, Governor of the State of Maryland, has served this corporation as Treasurer for some twenty years, now finds the press of matters of State make it necessary that he relinquish this position. We regret this necessity and have expressed to Mr. Tawes our very great appreciation of the conscientious efforts and time he has given us.

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation (Conference Education Society) was held in Salisbury, Md. on Friday, May 15, 1959 at approximately 4:30 P. M. Election of Officers, two ministers and two laymen to the Board of Managers for three year terms, two representatives on the Scholarship Committee for one year, and hold-over members of the Board of Managers are as follows:

Terms Expiring 1960:

Ministers: C. S. Clarkson, J. B. Vaughn, Willard L. Robinson Laymen: E. F. Dawson, Jacob H. Moore, Dr. John Shilling

Terms Expiring 1961:

Ministers D. T. Pritchard, R. S. Hodgson, Harold E. Nunemaker Laymen: Samuel Nowell, J. Millard Tawes, Wm. F. Messick

Terms Expiring 1962:

Ministers: William H. Hudson, F. Douglas Milbury Laymen: Ralph J. O'Day, S. Edward Simpson

Representatives on Conference Scholarship Committee: E. F. Dawson, Wm. H. Hudson

Officers of the Corporation:

President: Earl F. Dawson, 243 W. Main St., Newark, Del.

Vice-President: D. T. Pritchard, Oxford, Md. Treasurer: S. Edward Simpson, Trappe, Md.

Secretary: Wm. H. Hudson, Chestertown, Md.

E. F. DAWSON, President.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RELATIONSHIP WITH CHAPLAINS AND OTHER MILITARY PERSONNEL

Activities of the committee have paralleled those of past years. Personal contact has been maintained with members of the annual conference now with the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration. The conference program and official journal were sent to each chaplain on active duty.

Our representative on the Conference Commission on Christian Vocations is the Rev. A. M. B. Snapp, a person we feel is well qualified by his years of experience in the military chaplaincy to present this specialized ministry.

At our last session of the annual conference a luncheon was held to which all former and present military, auxiliary and institutional chaplains related to our conference were invited. The Rev. R. McLaughlin represented the Methodist Commission on Chaplains and was the speaker at the luncheon.

Rosters of former and present chaplains, both military and institutional, are maintained by the committee.

Your committee is in the process of rethinking and defining the nature and scope of the chaplaincy. To this end, and to make its program more effective, it has sought help from the Methodist Commission on Chaplains.

Many of our young men and women enter the military service each year. Local churches are urged to maintain personal contact with them and to send them religious literature on a regular basis.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. VANCLEAF, Chairman

COMMISSION ON CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE—1958-59

The Commission on Christian Higher Education presented to the Annual Conference of 1958 (refer to Conference Journal pp. 620-622) a clear and definite program for the support of Christian Higher Education in the Peninsula Conference. The response of local churches to the asking for Christian Higher Education is cause for rejoicing (refer to Conference Treasurer's report). This reflects the wisdom of our plan together with the loyalty of our District Superintendents, Ministers and Local Churches to a democratically agreed upon Conference Program.

Effective promotion of our cause has been accomplished in the following ways:

- 1. In Group Quarterly Conferences by District Superintendents and persons chosen by them to present the cause.
- 2. In District Conferences by The District Superintendents.
- 3. By the Conference Board of Education through correspondence and other materials made available.
- 4. By cooperative efforts of our Commission sub-Committees and the Institutions involved. (Materials were prepared by Wesley College, Wesley Seminary and Wesley Foundation and distributed).
- 5. By a letter sent to all of the Conference Ministers by the Chairman of The Commission on Higher Education.
- 6. Through the celebration of the following days each local church was requested to observe:
 - a. December 28, 1958—Student Recognition Day—Wesley Foundation highlighted.

c. April 19, 1959—College Day—Wesley College highlighted.

7. Through the following organization and assignment of responsibilities of this Commission on Higher Education:

Committees and Personnel

DISTRICT COMMITTEES ON CONVOCATIONS

Conference Chairman: Howard W. Amos

District Co-Chairman:

Dover, John Trader and Roy L. Tawes Easton, H. F. Chandler and J. Leas Green Salisbury, Wilbur Devilbiss and John E. French Wilmington, J. J. Bunting, Jr. and John N. Link

COMMITTEE FOR PROMOTION OF WESLEY COLLEGE

Conference Chairman: George W. Goodley

Representing Districts:

Dover, Mrs. Earl Sylvester

Easton, John C. North

Salisbury, R. J. Cooke

Wilmington, Paul E. McCoy

COMMITTEE FOR PROMOTION OF WESLEY FOUNDATION

Conference Chairman: W. F. Dunkle

Representing Districts:

Dover, D. C. Wildey

Easton, F. G. Livingood

Salisbury, Thomas Roe

Wilmington, Leland Hall

COMMITTEE FOR THE PROMOTION OF WESLEY SEMINARY

Conference Chairman: Walter H. Stone

Representing Districts:

Dover, Edwin Thomas

Easton, A. S. Miller

Salisbury, George P. Chandler

Wilmington, G. H. Pigueron

COMMITTEE ON SPEAKERS BUREAU

Conference Chairman: Edwin Thomas

Representing Districts:

Dover, William B. Simpson

Easton, Francis Holsinger

Salisbury, Elton Parsons

Wilmington, Clinton H. Brown

COMMITTEE ON DEPUTATION TEAMS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

Conference Chairman: J. Paul Slaybaugh

Representing Districts:

Dover, D. O. Hornung

Easton, Mrs. Mary Lord Hudson Salisbury, A. L. Fleming Wilmington, W. F. Lindell

Although the Annual Conference Program for the support of Christian Higher Education will continue until all objectives are reached, the special Quadrennial emphasis now enters the last year. It is important therefore that we make the best possible use of our time in the promotion of Christian Institutions on the College and University level. We, therefore recommend:

METHODIST CHURCH

1. That the District Superintendents be requested to use the Group Quarterly Conference of 1959 as a substitute for District Convocations on Christian Higher Education and that the program be planned in cooperation with The Commission's Committee on Convocations.

2. That a brochure including the total Christian Higher Education Emphasis be prepared and distributed in these Group Quarterly Conferences; and that this brochure be paid for by contributions requested from Wesley College, Wesley Foundation and Wesley Seminary and The Conference Commission on World Service and Finance.

3. That each local church be requested to celebrate the following days with the following emphasis:

- a. December 27, 1959-Student Recognition Day-Stress Wesley Foundation
- b. January 24, 1960-Anniversary of the conversion of St. Paul -Stress Call To Christian Ministry-Stress Wesley Seminary
- c. April 24, 1960-National College Day-Stress Wesley College We are genuinely grateful to our Bishop, our District Superintendents, our Conference Ministers and our Laymen for the acceptance of the program and for wholehearted cooperation and service given. We are confident that in time we will reach our goals and the results will be pleasing and satisfying to everyone sharing in this Christian work.

April 10, 1959

W. P. KESMODEL, Chairman

DELAWARE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Wilmington, Del., March 17, 1959

A Transmittal

A number of the judicatories of Christian denominations serving in Delaware adopted a joint resolution at their respective sessions in the spring of 1958 looking to the establishment of a State Council of Churches in and for Delaware. Tepresentatives were appointed by their respective denominational bodies, and a number of meetings have been held in the First Presbyterian Church of Dover. Consultants from the Maryland-Delaware Council of Churches, the Delaware Council of United Church Women, the Council of Churches of Wilmington and New Castle County and other interested individuals have been invited to help guide the formation of a Delaware State Council of Churches. Those who have been meeting have come from several denominations and from various Delaware localities.

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After reviewing the religious, social, and legislative matters in which Christian denominations have cooperated in Delaware or need to cooperate in Delaware, it was unanimously agreed that a State Council of Churches is clearly, perhaps even urgently needed. The group thereupon constituted itself a Steering Committee to effectuate such an organization, and the undersigned were elected officers. The attached Constitution and By Laws represents our study of Delaware circumstances, of similar documents from numerous other state councils, and our unanimous recommendation to our respective denominations.

It is not proposed that a Delaware State Council of Churches will supercede any local or county councils now in existence or likely to be organized nor that there shall be any organic relationship with national or international councils of churches. It is contemplated that a headquarters will be established in Dover, and that professional executive leadership will be secured.

Careful consideration has been given to financing a state council of churches. Recognizing that denominational budgets cannot be adjusted quickly, the following table of askings is submitted for a three year period:

	1959	1960	1961
Peninsula Methodist Conference	\$ 1,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 8,000
New Castle Presbytery	1,000	4,000	6,000
Episcopal Diocese of Delaware	1,000	4,000	6,000
State Baptist Convention	100	600	1,000
Delaware Lutheran District	100	300	1,000
Delaware Methodist Conference	100	1,000	1,200
A. M. E. Conference	50	300	500
All Others	100	500	1,000
	\$ 3,450	\$15,700	\$24,700

Several factors determined these askings, including ability to give, the ecclesiastical structure of the respective denominations, and their comparative numerical strength in Delaware. It was agreed that no fixed formula is either feasible or desirable. Your representatives are deeply convinced, however, that no organization representing cooperative Protestantism ought to be brought into being abortively and without adequate, assured financial backing. The above yearly totals represent basic, minimum requirements. Unless they can be subscribed in good faith, the movements to establish a Delaware State Council of Churches very probably should be terminated for the time being.

The Steering Committee stands ready to call the first General Assembly into session under the terms of Article V of the proposed Constitution and By Laws. Presiding officers of denominational judicatories are invited to send certifications of favorable action to the Steering Committee's Secretary, 301 N. State Street, Dover.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. DUNKLE, JR., Chairman LAWRENCE T. SLAGHT, Secretary

THE CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS OF THE DELAWARE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, INC.

PREAMBLE: In the Name of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost. Amen. In order to discover together and to fulfill more adequately their common Christian purposes, the Churches of Delaware do hereby constitute this Council as follows:

ARTICLE I. The name shall be the Delaware State Council of Churches, Inc.

ARTICLE II. The membership shall consist of those several religious communions whose judicatories most nearly correspond to the State of Delaware in their geographic area which accept this Constitution on behalf of their Constituents in the State of Delaware.

ARTICLE III. The governing body shall be an annual meeting called a General Assembly composed of the District Superintendents or Presiding Elders of Methodist districts in Delaware, the General Presbytery of the New Castle Presbytery of the United Presbyterian Church in the USA, the Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Delaware, the Executive Secretary of the State Baptist Conventions in Delaware, the Dean of the Delaware District of the United Lutheran Church, and the corresponding executive of any other member communion, provided that the communions these officers represent are or become members of the Delaware State Council of Churches; and four (4) persons elected by the respective state judicatories of each member communion, of whom two (2) shall be clergy, and two (2) shall be laity; and for each annual session following the first organizing session, a further number of persons, clergy and laity being equal in number, to be elected by the state judicatories of the member communions as proportionately determined annually by an Executive Board to be constituted as in Article IV.

ARTICLE IV: 1. There shall be an Executive Board elected by the General Assembly to consist of a President of the Council, a Vice-President of the Council, a Secretary of the Council, and a Treasurer of the Council, who shall exercise the duties normal to their offices for terms of one year each; twenty-one (21) Members-at-Large, who shall hold office for overlapping terms of not more than three years; ex officio, with full voice and vote, the heads of all departments of the Council which may be organized from time to time with the approval of the General Assembly; and ex officio, with full voice and vote, the President or Executive of such local councils of churches as may from time to time exist in Delaware, as the respective governing bodies of such local councils may determine; provided that each member communion shall be represented in the membership of the Executive Board.

2. The Executive Board shall meet at least semi-annually; shall at its first meeting effectuate the incorporation of the Council under the laws of the State of Delaware; shall act on behalf of the Council between meetings of the General Assembly; shall present annually to the General Assembly for its approval a recommended program of activities and a financial budget; shall collect, receive, and disburse the funds of the Council; shall employ and supervise any staff for the Council; and shall give general direction to

the affairs of the Council in administering policies and programs determined annually by the General Assembly.

ARTICLE V. The Delaware State Council of Churches, Inc., shall exist under this constitution upon the acceptance by the judicatories of any five (5) communions eligible for membership under the terms of Article II, ascertified by their respective presiding officers.

ARTICLE VI. 1. This Constitution and By Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting of the General Assembly by a two-thirds (%rds) affirmative vote of those present and voting, provided that any proposed amendment shall have been submitted in writing to all members of the Executive Board not less than thirty (30) days prior to the semi-annual meeting of the Board next preceding an annual meeting of the General Assembly.

2. Additional regulations for the operation and administration of the Council may be enacted from time to time in keeping with the terms of this Constitution and By Laws by a majority of the General Assembly upon recommendation in each case of the Executive Board.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF EVANGELISM

Let's Make the Methodist Church an Evangelistic Church

Evangelism is a matter of spirit rather than of organization. Let us not confuse evangelism with a method, or with a ritual, but let us realize that it is a throbbing experience.

To the Methodist, religion has always been an experience, and the emotions have been a very vital factor. The early Methodist preacher, as he traveled constantly, was primarily an evangelist. He gathered the scattered multitudes into small groups and taught them the Word of God. They believed in a divine call to the holy task of evangelizing under the guidance and power of the Holy Spirit.

John Wesley knew that evangelism was the open door to a new life, a new spirit, and new way; and he expected it to be the spirit behind and in all social service, education, missions, and all other organizations of the life and work of the Church.

Evangelism is now giving expression to the great central truth that the Church has one great mission—to reveal God to man and bring man to God through Jesus Christ. The Methodist Revival in England and the Great Awakening in America not only resulted in the conversion of individuals but became a mighty ethical force for changing society. Slavery was abolished. Prisons were reformed. New laws were passed. Education received the most hearty support it has ever had.

Today with conditions of uncertainty and confusion, a note of defeatism about the world in the voice of the pulpit, a spirit of retreat in the minds of a great many people, it is necessary for us to see that we are facing the most favorable challenge for a period of evangelism in Methodism. The hour has come for Methodism to know that any other than an evangelistic Church will be a failure. We have the finest buildings and equipment, and the most highly trained and educated ministry, the most attractive programs the Church has ever known. But these will not be the means of saving

the world if we lack that something bigger and better. The supreme business of the Church is to reach the people who have never had a change of heart, a new birth, a personal experience with Jesus.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has said, "The man who worships has a standard by which to judge his life; those who do not worship have no conception of sin." Then you will see that millions in America do not have the conception nor the standard by which even to judge their own lives. We need a new emphasis on the fact that religion can never take second place because it is the heart of life. We must drive toward a Christian America in our social, political, and economic conditions.

Any man or Church giving himself or itself to the cause of lifting all of life to our highest and noblest ideals will become immortal.

Our Evangelistic Opportunities in America Today

70,000,000 persons have no church affiliation. 20,000,000 of these are youth, 12-23 years of age. 35,000,000 persons move each year. Crime is growing four times as fast as population. How the unchurched need to be reached for Christ!

37,000,000 babies were born during the last 10 years. 48,000,000 babies will be born the next 10 years. 17,000,000 marriages will take place in the 10 years.

Population will increase more than 3,000,000 a year. By 1975 the population of America will be 228 million. By 1975 there will be 110 million young people (ages 12-23).

This America—the New America Must Be Reached for Christ

The Methodist Church must have a large share in the evangelism of reaching the new America.

Evangelism must become the main business of each Methodist Church.
Evangelism and witnessing for Christ must become the chief Christian
task of every church member, of every Methodist Christian.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

- 1. Must organize new churches to reach more persons for Christ.
- 2. Must have more preachers to serve these churches.
- 3. Must see that more churches have full time pastors.

We dedicate ourselves to this task

The Methodist Convocation on Local Church Evangelism at Washington, D. C., July 3-6, 1958 began an intensive movement for the two Quadrennial Emphases in the Local Church directed by the Council of Bishops. The Year of Expansion began March 1, 1958, and continued until March 1, 1959, when the Year of Enlistment began and continues until March 1, 1960.

EVERY LOCAL METHODIST CHURCH......MUST EXPAND

in becoming an evangelistic church.

in winning for Christ persons of every age.

in making every member a witnessing Christian.

in winning decisions for Christ at regular services.

in lay visitation and personal evangelism skills.

in training church school teachers to be evangelists.

in training persons for church membership and Christian living.

in assimilating new members in the life of the Church.

in establishing individuals and families in Bible reading, prayer, and the devotional life.

in winning whole families for Christ and in making homes truly

in using radio, the press, visual aids, literature, and all available means of communication for Christ and the Church.

in establishing a new church and church schools.

EVERY LOYAL METHODIST CHURCH......MUST ENLIST Itself and Every member

for a deeper faith in God and in Jesus Christ.

for a more compassionate love as the means to win persons to Christ.

for a greater concern to reach unchurched persons everywhere.

for a complete dedication of life to Christ.

for a vital experience of the presence of God.

for a greater zeal to establish the Kingdom.

Suggestions of the Board of Evangelism to the Peninsula Annual Conference

- 1. This Board wishes to inform the Conference that Dr. John L. Sandlin and Dr. Harry Denman of the General Board of Evangelism of Nashville will be at our District Conference on November 10 and 11. The emphasis will be on World Wide Church Attendance Movement in accordance with our Quadrennial program. World Wide Church Attendance Movement involves: Discovering prospective members for the church, winning persons for Christ, strengthening persons in their faith, enlisting persons in the service of the church, increased support of the church, arouses interest in the World Wide Missionary Enterprise, encourages persons to study the Bible, gives persons motivation for social action, reclaims the inactive, indifferent Church Members, leads in a person centered Evangelistic Movement, creates a sense of togetherness, etc.
- 2. We request that additional funds be allocated to our Board of Evangelism whereby we might become more effective with our work throughout the Conference. With the additional funds we hope to build an Audio Visual Aid Library that will be available to every Church in our Conference. At present we have one sound film strip. We desire to purchase two more sound film strips entitled:
 - a. Keep Them Faithful kit

b. Volume 11 Evangelism Soul Winning kit. Both can be purchased from Church Craft, St. Louis 3, Missouri.

3. We propose that every church in our Conference observe the Prayer Vigil, February 12, 1960, on the World Day of Prayer. We strongly urge that this Prayer Vigil be a twenty-four hour unbroken Prayer Watch.

4. We propose that every church have a regular friendly visitation team of dedicated persons visiting weekly the sick, the shut-in members

as well as the prospective members.

5. We propose that the Evangelistic emphasis be from Labor Day through Christmas. This will involve Visitation Evangelism, Membership Training Classes, and a concerted effort to keep Christ in Christmas. The Month of December being designated as the Month of Evangelism and Mass Evangelism.

6. We propose to cooperate with the Quadrennial program of the Local Church Emphasis on Year of Enlistment. This began March 1, 1959 and continues until March 1, 1960.

May evangelism in our Conference this year attain these high goals under the blessing of God, the leadership of Christ, and the ministry of the Holy Spirit.

H. CLIFFORD JEFFERS.

Chairman

D. O. CLENDANIEL,

Executive Secretary

GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF WILMINGTON

ANNUAL REPORT TO PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH 1958-59

Goodwill Industries provided employment and occupational training opportunities for a total of 75 persons during the year, the largest majority of whom were handicapped occupationally by physical and/or mental disabilities of such nature or to such a degree of severity, that employment in regular commercial industry was, for them, practically impossible.

Handicapping conditions encountered during the year included: cerebral palsy; infantile paralysis, spinal impairments, arthritis, amputations of limbs, total blindness, heart disease, defective hearing and speech, mental and emotional disturbances, social malajustments, and the disabilities occasioned by advanced age.

Ages of the workers ranged from 17 to 79 years, with the largest number concentrated in the 50 to 60 year bracket. 49 of the workers were male; 26 were female. 23 were married, with dependent children.

Considering its vocational-industrial program as its basic responsibility, and employment as the most commonly indicated need, Goodwill Industries provided a wide variety of jobs during the year and paid \$69,452.87 in opportunity wages to its handicapped workers, setting a new all-time high for wages paid during a twelve month period.

As in other previous years, Goodwill Industries' interest in, and service to, handicapped people extended further than meeting just immediate eco-

nomic needs. The agency concerned itself with the well-being of the whole individual and with other needs, often unexpressed and perhaps less evident than economic but certainly no less real. Medical needs and those involving physical restoration were obviously beyond the scope of the agency's program, excepting of course, such services as could be given in a referral capacity. Spiritual and social needs, however, continued to be a major concern and an environment built on these values was constantly maintained. Half-hour Chapel services were conducted three mornings each week throughout the year and personal counselling services were available to all workers whenever required.

With a total budget of more than \$109,000.00, the highest in the agency's history, Goodwill Industries was about 88% self-supporting during the year.

Advances were made in nearly every phase of the agency's work; more handicapped people were employed than ever before during a twelve month period; opportunity wages paid to handicapped workers reached a new all-time high; earnings from industrial activities continued to climb; and substantial gains were made in establishing better operating methods and procedures. Gains and advances in its basic operating activities are important to Goodwill Industries because progress in this direction means progress in effecting its real objective—the best possible service toward filling the needs of handicapped and disadvantaged people.

The following few short histories are included in our report as examples of the kind of cases and needs encountered during the year and as a means of suggesting how the agency's program, resources and facilities were utilized in producing its principal product—rehabilitated handicapped people.

Howard, at 29, stands well over 6 feet in height and weighs close to 350 pounds. He is married and has four children. One of Howard's arms has been amputated nearly to the shoulder, but this physical loss has had little, if any, influence on his willingness and determination to work and assume the full responsibilities of a husband and father. All he asked when he arrived at Goodwill Industries was for a chance to use the assets he had left—a stout heart, a capable mind, and one good right arm. He got his chance as one of the agency's truck drivers and it can be said of Howard that he leaves little to be desired in the way of ability to perform the duties associated with his job.

Elizabeth, still young at 28, came off second best in a "bout" with crippling arthritis. Both hands, both arms, and both legs bore the full brunt of the uneven contest but Elizabeth could still walk with some difficulty and could still manage to use her hands and arms to a limited degree. This remaining ability was important to Elizabeth because in 1958 it was necessary for her to find employment as a means of supporting not only herself but also her disabled and bed-ridden husband as well. Weighing less than a hundred pounds, crippled in both arms and legs, and with the signs of undernourishment plainly marked. Elizabeth's contacts with prospective employers were everything but productive. Her search finally ended at Goodwill Industries where she found the opportunity she sought. As a sorter of clothing, Elizabeth works safely, comfortably and happily, using her thin and knotted hands and arms in trying to meet her own particular needs.

Robert is 25 years of age and married He too, started his work with Goodwill Industries during the past year. Stone deaf and mute, Robert is an excellent shoe repairman and the chief handicapping condition in his case is based only on the fact that his physical disability makes it extremely difficult to gain recognition and acceptance from employers in commercial industry. Certainly, his disability interferes in no way with his ability as a competent worker. Goodwill Industries provides the opportunity for Robert to further develop his skill and gainfully utilize his ability until such time as some employer in industry can recognize him as a capable and dependable worker rather than just another deaf mute.

At 29, Vincent arrived at Goodwill Industries in October of 1958. He too, is married and has three children. Cerebral Palsy has crippled both his left arm and left leg. With the help of another agency, Vincent had managed to complete a business college course in general accounting but since his graduation in 1950 had been unable to apply his training in any commercial situation except for several very brief and temporary periods. His physical disability, the heavy responsibility of trying to provide for his family, the difficult experiences he encountered in competive fields, all combined to further encourage a natural tendency toward unhealthy introspection. Vincent arrived at Goodwill Industries completely confused and discouraged. Recognizing his basic needs, the agency arranged a work program which provided a measure of economic relief and at the same time instituted a fresh occupational approach. Work and training in upholstery formed the basis of the program designed to help Vincent help himself.

The past year was another in a long succession of years during which Goodwill Industries earnestly tried to meet the responsibilities of its steward-ship in bringing something of the more abundant life to handicapped and disadvantaged people. In many ways it was the best and most productive year in the agency's history. The progress achieved, the service rendered, would not have been possible without our Heavenly Father's ever present help. To Him we humbly offer our grateful praise.

Respectfully submitted,

J. CARLYLE SIMMONS

Executive Director

REPORT OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, INC.

The Historical Society is concerned with the past and its records only as they give meaning to the work of the church in this and in future time.

One of the forward steps in the matter of more adequate records is appearing as this year's statistical and financial reports in the Conference Journal are to be completed in the case of each of our churches. The tracing of the life of any one church is now made possible.

The location of Barratt's Chapel in the midst of our conference territory gives us a rare privilege. The administration of its affairs gives the Society a task of importance relating to the whole Methodist Church. Last

year, on the 178th anniversary of the Chapel, Dr. Albert E. Day, Chaplain and Director of Spiritual Life of Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D. C., was guest minister. It is the desire of the Society that the anniversary day continue to be of importance and usefulness.

Care of the Chapel property has included repair to the windows broken by storm and the painting of the outside woodwork. Insurance coverage has been increased to \$12,000. A personal liability coverage has been added.

Request has been made to the General Conference of the Methodist Church, through the Commission on Shrines, for the sum of \$1000 per year to be used toward maintaining the Chapel as a shrine.

The Lord's Supper was first administered in the Methodist fellowship in this country at Barratt's Chapel on November 14, 1784. This year is the 175th anniversary. Plans are in progress for appropriate observance of this historic event.

Recommendations

The Historical Society recommends:

- 1. The approval of the request of the Historical Society to the General Conference of the Methodist Church for the sum of \$1000 annually toward the maintenance of Barratt's Chapel as a Methodist shrine.
- 2. The appointment of a committee of three (3) to plan with the Directors of the Historical Society for fitting and significant observance of the 175th Anniversary of the first administration of the Lord's Supper in the Methodist fellowship in this country (at Barratt's Chapel on November 14, 1784).
- 3. The binding of the Annual Conference Journal (either annually or quadrennially) for the conference collection of historical materials.

WILLIAM O. HACKETT, Chairman PERRY O. HILL, Secretary

HOMES FOR THE AGED OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, INC.

For the gracious providence of God, for the love, the labors and liberal gifts of ministers and laymen who are sharing in the work of establishing The Methodist Country House, we, the trustees are truly grateful. Humbly and yet happily we present the following factual report:

At the first meeting of the trustees in this conference year on June 4, 1958, it became apparent to all of us the wisdom of completing the entire project, The Methodist Country House, as described in a previous report to this conference. On Oct. 9, 1958, the trustees unanimously passed a resolution, the substance of which is as follows, "That bids for the total construction of The Methodist Country House be secured, providing adequate F. H. A. financing or its equivalent be arranged." Mr. Carroll W. Griffith, the Chairman of the Building Committee, made the motion. It was seconded by Mr. J. Wallace Watson, the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

On March 3, 1959 at a meeting of the trustees the following resolution was unanimously passed, "That the bid of W. D. Haddock Construction

Company, being the low bid submitted and being satisfactory with respect to all the requirements imposed, be accepted by the Board provided however, that this acceptance shall not be binding until such time as a written contract is approved by the Building Committee and is executed by the proper officers of this corporation and W. D. Haddock Construction Company." Dr. J. I eas Green offered the resolution and it was seconded by Judge William J. Storey.

Meeting again, on March 17, 1959, our attorney, Mr. Arthur J. Sullivan, of Morris, James, Hitchens & Williams, presented the written contract for the erection of The Methodist Country House and explained the various sections thereof. On the motion of Mrs. Granville Hooper, seconded by Rev. Roy L. Tawes, the following action was unanimously adopted, "That the contract to build The Methodist Country House for the Homes for the Aged of the Peninsula Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, Inc., which had been assigned to the W. D. Haddock Construction Company, be signed by the trustees." In the presence of the trustees the contract was signed by the officers of the corporation, President J. Earl Cummings and Secretary Hartwell F. Chandler and President A. Albert Haddock of the Haddock Construction Company. Mr. Erling G. Dollar, our architect of Dollar, Bonner, Blake & Manning, was also present.

Through the offices of T. B. O'Toole, Inc., of Wilmington, contact had been made with lending agencies, governmental and private. On March 31, 1959, Mr. Aldwin I. Jarrett and Mr. H. A. Melick, representing T. B. O'Toole, Inc., the president and the executive secretary of our corporation, called upon the president of The Wilmington Savings Fund Society, Mr. Thomas Tatnall, and discussed with him our application for a mortgage and construction loans. On April 2, we were notified that the above named, long established banking company would grant a mortgage loan up to \$1,500,000 for a period extending over 25 years, this loan to be amortized during that period. And further, that it would arrange for construction loans. The proper papers were signed by the officers of this corporation and the bank in accord with legal counsel on April 20, 1959.

To date we have received in cash and bona fide pledges a total of approximately \$650,000. All bills to date have been paid in full including the purchase price of the land, the cost of drilling wells, the laying of a 1500 foot roadway and the architect's current bills. We now have on hand, \$29,000 in the regular checking account, \$100,000 in a savings account in the Wilmington Savings Fund Society and \$100,000 in U. S. Treasury bonds coming due on May 15.

The bid for the construction of The Methodist Country House was \$2,349,985. We expect to receive through Founder's gifts \$650,000, from the permanent mortgage \$1,500,000, from unpaid pledges \$100,000. The above items with our cash on hand of \$200,000 will total \$2,450,000. During the period of construction, approximately 18 months, additional funds will be received from donors who have not hitherto given and donors who will add to their previous gifts. To date we have pledged in Founder's Fees about \$90,000 with close to 10% of this amount in cash and held in a separate checking account.

We, the trustees, recognize the magnitude of the task in which we are engaged. And yet, all of us have felt the guiding hand of our Lord in the end we seek, a Christian home for our aged wherein they may find peace, security and comfort in the sunset years of their lives.

We wish to thank our resident bishop, Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, who has been advised of all the steps the trustees have taken and who has ever graciously given his wise counsel and helpful guidance.

The Chairman of the Bishop's Cabinet and every member of that Cabinet have also given wise and helpful aid along the way.

Our executive secretary, Rev. George H. Pigueron, Jr., has given himself whole-heartedly to the task of raising funds as well as attending to the infinite details involved in the proper planning for so large a project as The Methodist Country House.

To all the members of our Standing Committees and their chairmen we are grateful for fine services rendered, to Mr. Carroll W. Griffith, Mr. J. Wallace Watson, Dr. John N. Link, chairmen respectively of the following committees, Building, Finance, Admissions.

Our Treasurer, Mr. John F. Kelso, has served faithfully and efficiently. We do appreciate and are grateful for his fine service.

We are also appreciative of the many fine laymen and laywomen that time would fail us to name but who out of gracious and willing hearts have given of their time, money and energy in order that a dream will soon become a reality.

Again, we wish to thank Dr. John N. Link, the Superintendent of the Wilmington District, for his generosity in sharing his office at 1213 Delaware Ave. with The Methodist Country House.

We also wish to express our gratitude for the fine services of our architect, Mr. Erling Dollar, and our contractor, Mr. Albert Haddock, and the gracious spirit of cooperation they have exhibited on every occasion.

All of the trustees are thankful for all of you throughout our conference who through your prayers and your enthusiastic support have made possible the progress thus far attained. We covet your continued prayers and support and that of others in the days that lie ahead. We particularly request that every minister and every church will do their utmost to aid in the receiving of a generous offering on Mother's Day for The Methodist Country House.

Finally, this report could not be ended without a personal word of appreciation for the fine loyalty and the splendid cooperation in every way by all the members of this corporation and by our Conference Committee on Hospitals and Homes.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EARL CUMMINGS,

President

THE BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

The Board of Hospitals and Homes of an Annual Conference has as its primary function the promotion of a religious ministry in the name of Christ to the aged, orphans, or needy children, and to the ill. Hence, your Board has a great interest in the Methodist Country House, the Board of Child Care, and the Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia.

Out of the Annual Report of the General Secretary to the Annual Meeting of the Board of Hospitals and Homes in January come the following statistics: Affiliated Methodist hospitals and homes cared for 1,528,613 persons last year. The total number of such institutions now numbers 229, or an increase of 16 over last year's directory. This includes 14 new homes or agencies for older persons, one new children's home, and a new hospital.

To staff these institutions required 33,265 full-time personnel; there are 12,124 doctors affiliated with the staff, assets of affiliated institutions increased by 10 percent, to a total of \$415,566,557. There are sixty new building projects under construction representing, upon completion, more than \$37 million in value. Future expansion plans in seventy other institutions total better than \$72 million. To operate the existing hospitals and homes cost over \$150 million last year.

These institutions rendered benevolent services (free or part-pay) during the year to the extent of \$13,150,358; income from churches for hospital and home work totaled \$5,560,109.

Dr. Oeschger issued a plea for more qualified and dedicated individuals to serve in staff positions in hospitals and homes. More than 5,000 persons annually must be recruited, he said. He commended the work being done by the church's institutions of health and welfare, and called them "a bulwark against the inroads of materialism and naturalism . . . a very significant part of the church's corporate means of engaging in acts of goodwill and kindness, in deeds of love and helpfulness."

The Methodist Country House

This Board has given its support to the development of this project. Dr. J. Earl Cummings will make a detailed report for the Board of Trustees elsewhere in this book. We commend the Board of Trustees for their zeal in pursuing this task delegated to them by the Peninsula Annual Conference. They have given many hours of thought, service and prayer to this, and God has led to the actual letting of contract and breaking of ground. The Conference should feel justly proud in having a part in this through the Mother's Day Offering and special gifts already given.

This Board through a committee authorized has worked in conjunction with a Committee from the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Country House to develop plans for the Mother's Day Offering. Each minister and church is supposed to have received materials for taking the offering. An estimated report regarding receipts may be ready by the Annual Conference, since Mother's Day is actually in our new Conference Year. We recommend the continuation of such an offering annually by the churches of this Conference for the support of the Methodist Country House.

The Board of Child Care

Annually at Christmas time the churches in the Peninsula and Baltimore Conference contribute to the work of the Board of Child Care. In 1957-1958 our Conference gave approximately \$15,000. The Board of Child Care reports that during 1958 it ministered in the following ways to those from our Conference: five boys in Strawbridge; two girls in Kelso Home; use of one home for foster care—more are desired; one placement

in an adoptive home; one unmarried mother was served. It is necessary to keep in mind that the transition period through which the Board of Child Care is going at the present time in relation to the merger and relocation of the Strawbridge and Kelso Homes is retarding free movement of its services, especially in regard to the Kelso Girls.

We would like to remind our ministers that Dr. F. Reid Isaac and Dr. Robert L. Wood are available for preaching opportunities to present this good cause in your churches. They receive no offering and expect no expense money for their services.

We suggest that when problems arise in your parish regarding unfortunate children, you write to the Board of Child Care, 516 North Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland. Dr. Isaac and his staff are always ready to do what they can for you. We recommend an increasing annual support of this work by our churches through the Christmas Offering.

The Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

This Conference together with the Philadelphia, New Jersey, and Cental Pennsylvania Conference gives support to the Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa. This hospital served last year 6600 in-patients, and over 2600 private out-patients. Over 10,000 patients were treated in the Emergency Ward and over 17,000 in the Dispensary. More than 900 babies were born in the hospital. We commend them for this fine healing ministry and pray God that it may continue. We recommend that our churches encourage their girls to enroll in the School of Nursing there, and that our giving continue generously to the support of the hospital.

Dr. Gerald O. McCulloh in an address to a meeting of the Conference Chairmen of Hospitals and Homes in a National Meeting in St. Louis, observed that "the motivation of our concern for the health and welfare of man is in our Christian Faith grounded in God's purpose to give life, His providence in sustaining life, His plan for the healing and fulfilling of life, and His promise of the victory of life over death. Our supreme revelation of God's will and way is in Jesus Christ".

We nominate the following Trustees for the "Home For The Aged of the Peninsula Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc." for a three year term:

> Mrs. Granville Hooper, Rev. Gerald A. Foster, Rev. Brooks Reynolds, Dr. John W. Barnhart, Dr. John Link, Mr. Wm. T. Wood.

> > H. F. CHANDLER, Chairman

THE BOARD OF CHILD CARE TO THE BALTIMORE ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Services to homeless children are entering a new phase in the Baltimore and Peninsula Conferences. We are standing on the threshold of a new day. The Board of Child Care is leaving the "low vaulted" past to step out into a more fulsome future.

The property of the Kelso Home for Girls, located at Towson, Maryland was sold February 25, 1958 for \$300,000, to the Young Men's Christian Association. It thus became necessary to make living arrangements for the twenty girls for whom this had been home. The final date at the old home was Monday, August 25, 1958.

- 6 girls moved into residence at Business Girls Lodge, 607 Park Ave., Baltimore 1, Maryland, which space was rented by the Board of Child Care, whose staff continued to supervise these girls in this temporary location. This became headquarters for The Kelso Home for Girls.
- 3 moved to the Strawbridge Home to live with their brother at that location until their new Home could be completed.
- 5 girls returned to live with their own parents.
- 1 was placed with maternal grandmother in custody of, and under supervision of, a county welfare board.
- 3 were placed in foster homes under the same plan.
- 2 found employment and an apartment together, the Board of Child Care providing after care and supervision.

One of the natural results of such a transition is a reduced number of girls living under Kelso auspices. But it is important for our people to understand that the work of Kelso, though temporarily limited, continues to be carried on in these two locations. It will take on larger proportions again when new quarters for girls are built at Rockdale, Baltimore County, Maryland.

On November 7, 1958, the Board of Child Care purchased 20 acres of land at Rockdale, Baltimore County, Maryland. This is to be the location of the new Kelso Home for Girls and the new Strawbridge Home for Boys, as well as the Offices of the Board of Child Care—the home of the total service of the agency. This was the second step in the physical merger of the total program.

Next, the architectural firm of Tyler, Ketcham and Myers was employed to work with the Building Committee of the Board of Child Care, to design a center for the FOUR FOLD Program. Group care will be given in the new Kelso and Strawbridge cottages. Foster care, adoption and service to unwed parents will function through the Social Work staff housed in the Administration Building.

Our plans include five cottages, each for twelve boys or girls. In addition there is a Multi-service Building for food preparation, social recreation and worship as well as facilities for visiting groups from the community and the churches. The Administration Building is for the conduct of business, for promotion, for health and casework services, for board and committee meetings. A residence for the Executive Director will also be

Specifications and working drawings will be completed by the time this built. report is made. Bids will then be obtained. It is hoped that the ground breaking ceremony will take place in early summer with building to follow immediately.

The total physical plan has been shaped by the program. The buildings are fashioned to function in meeting the needs of children, living in group care. Much of the designing has been the result of advice received from our staff, the General Board of Hospitals and Homes of the Methodist

Church, The Child Welfare League of America and the Department of Public Welfare of the State of Maryland.

All of the children living in these cottages will have several advantages.

- 1. The cottages will be arranged for easy group living and supervision.
- 2. Brothers and sisters, boys and girls will be on the same location. This put us in conformity with the prevailing practice in Methodist children's homes throughout the nation.
- 3. Six different schools will be available for our children to attend. Other new schools are planned and will be built. We are also convenient to several vocational schools in Baltimore City on the Junior and Senior High School level.
- 4. Our location will be more accessible to volunteers, individuals and groups who can give assistance in recreation and school lesson preparation. Also, more easily reached by parents and relatives, whose visits are so very important to the progress a child makes in group care.
- 5. The most valuable asset will be an administrative unity with the full team of personnel readily available to think and plan for each child:—The administrator, caseworker, group worker and houseparents. Because of this a new child applying can be more easily oriented. The child in residence will also have the sustaining power of these resources to aid him in the development of his utmost capacity.

There will be no fund raising campaign for the new buildings. Capital funds will be available from the sale of the Kelso and Strawbridge properties and these along with other resources will be reinvested on the new location.

But such a step forward requires interpretation to the Methodist constituency of these two conferences. Therefore, the Board of Child Care engaged Dr. Robert L. Wood, a retired minister of the Baltimore Conference to pick up from the shoulders of the Director the heavy load of the public relations program, including promotion. Dr. Wood plunged in, using his gifts, abilities and energy, first, to carry on the Christmas offering campaign, while simultaneously editing the paper OUR BOYS AND GIRLS and giving leadership in furthering the Woman's Auxiliary work. His efforts have been characteristically strenuous and equally effective.

The Christmas offering campaign played the spotlight upon the FOUR FOLD or multiple nature of the services of the Board of Child Care. Unfortunately, our program has been envisaged solely in terms of 20 girls living at Kelso and the 40 boys at Strawbridge. It can't be stated too often or too emphatically that each of the four parts is as important as the others. The 25 babies and other children receiving foster home care, as well as the 22 babies placed permanently in adoptive homes, not to speak of the 22 unwed mothers that have been aided in rehabilitation, should loom as large in our consideration and in evaluation of our work as the children residing in our two institutions.

It is of some real significance that the seventy-four boys and girls in trouble in the courts could count on a Methodist agency to alert their local church to their situation.

The assistance we have given to unhappy, unfortunate and unwise, unwed parents is a truly Christian service to which we have not attached proper importance.

Yes, ours is a FOURFOLD PROGRAM of aid to children and their parents. It involves

- 1. Group care in Kelso and Strawbridge.
- 2. Boarding care in foster homes.
- 3. Placement with a new family for adoption.
- 4. Assistance to unwed parents.

Dr. Wood has given dynamic leadership in the campaign that drove these facts deeper into the consciousness of our Methodist supporters.

As a result, the churches of the Baltimore Conference contributed \$90,343.53,* while those of the Peninsula Conference gave \$17,005.69, or a total of \$107,349.22.

This result will enable us to enter this new phase by passing over the threshhold of the door that leads away from yesterday into tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT R. DeFORD, President F. REID ISAAC, Executive Director

REPORT OF BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES TO TWENTIETH SESSION OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The following report will, in part, show the increasing interest of our laymen in the work of Christ's Kingdom here in our Conference.

Methodist Men

Ten more new Methodist Men's Organizations have been chartered this year making a total of thirty toward our quadrennial goal of forty. There being more than 200 charges in this conference, obviously many represented here do not yet have Methodist Men's Organizations. A live men's organization can help your church a great deal. If you need help in getting started call upon your District or Conference Lay Leader.

Laymen's Banquets

All four Districts had laymen's banquets. In all, more than 1400 men attended. I was privileged to be present at all of them and with the others enjoyed the fellowship and received great inspiration. These banquets are getting better and better year by year.

Communion Breakfasts

One of the finest things our laymen do is sponsoring communion breakfasts. In the Dover District six were held with a total attendance of about 1000 men; in the Easton District five with 700 men attending; in the Salis-

^{*} Receipts to date.

bury District three with 575 men participating. In the Wilmington District we are still cooperating with the Federation of Men's Bible Classes in their annual Communion Service.

Laymen's Sunday

About 300 churches out of a total of about 390 in our Conference observed Laymen's Sunday. Again I urge you to observe this important day at the principal service in your church. Use your own laymen if possible. The date this year is October 18th.

Laymen's Week-end Retreat

Our outstanding event of the year was the Retreat at Camp Pecometh. Men who were there say it was the best ever, and with Dr. Harry Denman and Don Calame as our leaders it was the best ever. This year we will have at our retreat, Robert G. Mayfield, General Secretary of the Board of Lay Activities. We also plan a discussion group on church finances with our Conference Treasurer, John Kelso, in charge. The Saturday evening session will be directed by the Conference Board of Social and Economic Relations, Joseph Brosius, Chairman. The dates of the Retreat are September 12th and 13th, the week-end after Labor Day.

Northeastern Jurisdiction Assembly

We had eleven in attendance at this Assembly at Buck Hill Falls, including three District Lay Leaders and the Conference Lay Leader. These Assemblies are growing in interest and value year by year. The ninth will be held at Buck Hill Falls, October 23-24-25. These Assemblies are for District and Associate Lay Leaders and their wives and also for Church Lay Leaders and presidents of Methodist Men's Organizations. We have been assigned a quota of twenty.

Conference Lay Leader

In addition to the many meetings I have attended and the many services in which I have had the privilege of participating, we have been showing pictures of and telling the stories about our tour to Alaska, Japan, and the Hawaiian Islands in connection with the Fourteenth Convention on Religious Education in Tokyo. We have appeared about 70 times before Methodist Men's groups, Women's Societies and others, all at their request. We cannot but exclaim about the things we have seen and heard especially that great enterprise, the Alaska Methodist University and the marvelous International Christian University in suburban Tokyo, Japan.

One of the most helpful events of the year for me was to attend the Conference Lay Leaders Workshop in Chicago. It lasted two full days and I mean full days. We were inspired, instructed, informed and crammed full of every phase of laymen's work. A truly wonderful experience, so good, in fact, that by unanimous request it is being made an annual affair. The closing was a communion service on Saturday Evening in the Sky Chapel atop the great Chicago Temple just beneath the high spire that is the highest church steeple in the world. There in this beautiful chapel, 400

feet above the crowded sidewalk, we gathered in solemn silence. The steel girders have been concealed behind beautifully carved panels of wood with scroll and cross design. Overhead the deep blue ceiling is indirectly lighted with soft lights almost as though you were looking into the blue of Heaven. The floor is heavily carpeted for silence; the benches are backless. The front of the altar across one corner is beautifully carved with a portrayal called, the Christ of Chicago. There, with only the lights of the candles on the altar, we sang a capella, My Jesus I Love Thee, In the Cross of Christ I Glory, Beneath the Cross of Jesus, Bless be the Tie that Binds.

Then we received at the hands of a great Methodist Minister, Dr. Charles R. Goff, of Methodist Men's Hour fame, the Bread and the Wine. We heard him take us back across the centuries to another Upper Room comparing it to this upper room where we were communing and charging us that we were, in effect, responsible for the task laid on the shoulders of the first disciples.

Overhead, but seeming a part of the service, the great chimes struck the quarter hour and the half hour reminding us of time but also of the timelessness of God.

Still under the spell of that service, we went down a few steps out onto a terrace and looking out over the great City of Chicago at night, were awed by its ribbons of light beads; its flashing figures; its great shafts of light reaching upward but far below.

We could not talk for a long time. That night above that great City we sought and found God, and we offered ourselves, our souls and bodies a living sacrifice.

Respectfully submitted,

CLINTON H. BROWN, Conference Lay Leader

THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Your Legislative Committee has sought to keep abreast of the issues of particular concern to the churches. Last fall the committee worked closely with the Board of Temperance, the Board of Social and Economic Relations, and the Wilmington New Castle County Council of Churches, in an unsuccessful effort to defeat the Bingo-Gambling referendum. The Committee led in organizing the help of the clergy in the two lower counties.

Through various means of communication, the Committee has sought to keep the churches informed of legislation pending in the General Assembly of special interest to the welfare of the State.

The Committee has also been contacting the members of the General Assembly, personally and otherwise, expressing the interest and concern of our people in the many bills before it.

This Committee was formed by the Annual Conference in 1953 as an outgrowth of the Legislative Committee of the Wilmington and Dover Districts. It was formed because the Conference at that time had no other

organization fulfilling the function of keeping the churches informed about legislative matters. The newly formed Board of Social and Economic Relations authorized by the General Conference of 1952 was just getting underway. Since that time the Board and the Committee have cooperated in matters of mutual concern.

EDWIN C. THOMAS, JR.,

Chairman

A. EDWARD DOUGHERTY,

Secretary

MINISTERIAL TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS

The Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications has continued its program of interviews and orientation, and has introduced the Training Program For Newly Appointed Ministers which was authorized at the 1958 session of the Conference.

The first Training Program for Newly Appointed Ministers was held at Camp Pe-Co-Meth on June 14, 1958. Twenty-five newly appointed ministers attended this program. Representatives of ten Conference boards and committees presented the work of their groups to the ministers. Comments from those attending indicate the value of such a program for our new men.

A similar program will be held at Camp Pe-Co-Meth on Thursday, June 11. Further information will be available in the near future.

The fourth annual Orientation Program for Ministerial Candidates sponsored by the Board was held on Tuesday, December 30, 1958, at the Newark (Delaware) Church. The theme of the day was "Making Seminary Education More Effective." Dr. Earl H. Ferguson, Professor of Preaching and Pastoral Theology at Wesley Theological Seminary, spoke on that theme in the afternoon, after which the candidates and Board members discussed the theme in smaller groups. At the dinner, to which prospects for the ministry throughout the Conference were invited, Dr. Franz Hildebrandt, Professor of Christian Theology at Drew Theological Seminary, spoke on the subject, "Methodist Emphasis in Theological Training."

Prominent among the subjects discussed by candidates were the pros and cons of being married while in seminary, the role of the church in providing financial assistance to seminary students, and the respective functions of preaching and administration in the minister's work.

Attendance for the day was as follows: 28 candidates, 59 ministerial prospects and 13 Board members. 100 persons attended the dinner meeting.

Interviews have been conducted with twenty-four candidates, and psychological tests have been administered to six. At this writing, five men are scheduled to be received On Trial, and nine are to be received into Full Membership.

The School for Approved Supply Pastors will be held at Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D. C., from June 22 to July 17. This school is arranged so that a Supply can complete four courses during one session, thereby securing credit for a full year's work. Scholarships are available

from our Board on a pro rata basis. The Department of Ministerial Education of the Methodist Church, although it still continues the course of study through correspondence, now strongly urges Supplies to secure their training by attending such schools as this throughout the country. The advantages of such training as compared with correspondence work are obvious.

The 1959 edition of the booklet "Steps Into the Methodist Ministry" will be prepared shortly after Conference and one copy will be sent to each minister. This booklet is available to all persons interested in any phase of ministerial preparation beginning with the Local Preacher.

The Chairman, the Registrar, the Secretary and all other members of the Board are available at all times to be of assistance to those seeking ministerial training and advancement.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. BUNTING, JR.,

Chairman

WILLIAM H. REVELLE, JR.,

Registrar

J. ROBERT MACKEY,

Secretary

REPORT OF THE PENINSULA CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS

The Board of Missions has met four times during the conference year with two additional meetings of the Executive Committee. As this report will indicate, several matters of far-reaching significance have been considered and policies adopted which should increase the usefulness of this Board to the Conference and make it an ever more efficient steward in the administration of Conference funds.

We have been concerned with those matters relative to World Service giving, Advance Specials and the special benevolent causes of the Methodist Church as well as the specific matters which will be dealt with under the major headings that follow.

I. Cultivation

It is our firm belief that when our people are fully informed of the needs for World Service and other mission giving they will respond faithfully and sacrificially. The responsibility for an adequate program of missionary education rests upon our Conference Missionary Secretary, the Rev. William Hemphill, Jr. and his four District Missionary Secretaries: the Rev. D'Arcy Littleton, Wilmington; the Rev. Ira E. Doyle, Dover; the Rev. J. Howard Link, Salisbury and the Rev. John E. Irwin, Easton. The plans for the cultivation work of the year were made in consultation with the four District Superintendents at the Silver Bay Conference on the Christian World Mission early last summer. A program of unusual excellence has been carried to completion and we would express sincere appreciation to these consecrated leaders.

Four District Missionary Rallies were held in the early fall with the Rev. Dallas L. Browning, Director of the Advance Department of the Division of World Missions, as the inspirational speaker. Emphasis was placed on local church Commission on Missions.

January was observed as Missionary Cultivation Month. The Rev. Henry G. Wheeler and the Rev. Elwood Bartlett, missionaries on furlough from the Belgian Congo, were our resource persons. A total of 31 meetings were conducted in our Conference with approximately 2500 people in attendance.

Our missionary films continue to be well used. Our film library is being enlarged each year with the purchase of the latest motion pictures and film strips available on the current themes.

Our Conference Missionary Secretary has given a great deal of time during the year addressing varied groups on Mission themes, advising young people about careers in Christian Missions and corresponding with pastors and local Commissions on Missions on behalf of Advance Specials.

II. Special Projects

A convocation on the Urban Church was held in St. Paul's Church, Wilmington, on October 20, under the joint sponsorship of the Conference Committee on Urban Life and the Board of Missions. The Rev. Paul E. McCoy, Chairman of the Urban Committee, is largely responsible for the success of this program. This proved to be a most meaningful project, as it brought together not only the ministers and lay leaders of many of our urban churches, but also gave opportunity for representatives of social welfare and educational agencies to present their programs and opened avenues of communication between the churches and the agencies from which should result better understanding and increased cooperation.

We have continued those special projects begun previously in regards to the Dover Air Force Base; the Migrant Ministry in cooperation with the Del-Mar Migrant Committee of the Maryland-Delaware Council of Churches; the work of our deaconesses at Union Methodist Church, Wilmington, and the Wesley Community Chapel at DuRoss Heights.

III. Church Extension

In addition to those projects for which we have a continuing responsibility, we have made allocation during this year of funds to aid church extension projects at Dames Quarter, Maryland; Cheswold, Delaware; Rehoboth Beach, Delaware, Zion Church, Parsonsburg, and Kent Island, Maryland; Chester-Bethel, Delaware; Red Lion, Delaware; and Stanton, Delaware. Several of these projects are not yet ready to receive financial assistance, but they have been assured of aid when they have completed their plans and met in full the requirements of this Board. Certain other projects are under careful consideration and study by committees of the Board as we seek to remain ever alert to new opportunities.

In recent years, the Board has been studying the possibility of making loans rather than grants to those churches in unusually progressive situations in which it would seem most probable that they would be able to return Conference Funds for other projects. The Division of National

Missions has agreed to handle such loan funds for us and our Board is now ready to consider applications for loans as well as grants in aid. A church extension policy has been adopted by the Conference Board and is herewith presented for the information and guidance of those pastors and churches considering application to the Board.

"CHURCH EXTENSION POLICY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE"

- I. Church Extension Aid shall be restricted to three categories:
 - Incentive Gifts, in expanding communities where financially conservative congregational backgrounds require challenging financial priming to get necessary Church Expansion projects started.
 - 2. Supplemental Gifts, when necessary for the success of the projects involved after the local congregation has demonstrated its concern by sacrificial pledging and giving to the limit of its ability but, because of limited financial resources, is unable to undertake the expansion a growing situation indicates as imperative.
 - 3. Supplemental Loans, when funds are available, for emergency Church Extension situations on the basis of a 20-year mortgage (this may be a second mortgage) to run as follows:
 - a. The borrowing church shall pay 1% interest to this Board in semi-annual payments.
 - b. During the final 10 year period, the borrowing church shall repay the principal of the loan in equal, or graduated, semi-annual payments plus 1% interest on the remaining amount due. On this basis, the mortgage will be amortized at the end of 20 years, and the money will then be available to help with other church extension needs.
- II. The Relative amounts of an Incentive Gift (or Supplemental Gift) and a loan in any given situation shall be determined by the Board of Missions after careful study of the factors involved in each situation.
- III. No grant or loan shall be made to any church until the building plans have received the approval of the Department of Architecture of the Section on Church Architecture of the Section of Church Extension of the General Board, located at 1701 Arch Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.
- IV. This Board is not primarily a lending agency but rather an institution which seeks to assist with the cause of Church Extension within our Conference.
- V. Congregations accepting donations, whether as Incentive Gifts or as Supplemental Gifts have a moral obligation to help other Church Extension projects after they have achieved a position of strength for themselves.

IV. Missionary Aid

For information and guidance, we present the Missionary Aid policies of this Board which are based upon the Mission Aid procedures of the Division of National Missions of the Methodist Church but modified to meet our Conference needs.

"Missionary Aid Policies, Board of Missions, Peninsula Conference

- I. General Principles. The following general principles should guide the District Superintendents in applying to the Conference Board for Missionary Aid:
 - 1. By these appropriations we hope to aid the administrator to bring the project to self support at the earliest possible date. Appropriations are made for ONE YEAR ONLY AND MUST BE REVIEWED ANNUALLY by the Conference Board of Missions.
 - Appropriations are not made to a project or to a District because a certain amount was allocated the previous year. It is understood that appropriations are made for Pastoral Support, not for a particular minister or person. Every project must stand upon its own merits.
 - An Every-Member Canvass for financial support must be made annually and a report of the Canvass made to the Conference Board of Missions.
 - 4. The local group should be given an increased portion of the financial responsibility each year until it assumes it in its entirety. Very close supervision by the Superintendent should be given to the project and carefully selected leaders chosen.
 - In all cases where mission aid is given to a church or charge, the District Superintendent shall make known to the Quarterly Conference of such charge, the amount and source of such mission aid.

II. Projects which qualify for Missionary Aid:

- 1. Organization of new churches in rapidly-growing areas where these charges may be brought to self-support in a reasonably short period.
- 2. Mission churches ministering to minority groups.
- An adequate ministry in isolated sections where churches could not continue to serve but for the support of the Conference Board of Missions.
- 4. Provide a ministry for transient or uprooted peoples.
- 5. Necessary additional support in low income or blighted areas.
- Institutions which are church centered and church related serving needy groups through specialized ministries in urban or rural areas.

III. Projects which do not qualify for Missionary Aid:

- Specific Responsibilities of other Boards or agencies of The Methodist Church.
- Churches so located as to be in competition with each other or churches of cooperating demoninations.
- Support of secretaries, janitors, organists, etc; interest, pensions or taxes; purchasing of property, moving expenses and incidental expenses or bank charges in administering Home Mission funds.
- 4. Assistance for Annual Conferences' sustentation or minimum salary funds.
- 5. No support will be furnished churches renting or leasing their places of worship to other competitive religious groups.
- 6. Charges not using literature approved by The Methodist Church. See the Board of Education approved list.

- 7. Charges served by pastors giving part time service and who are otherwise gainfully employed.
- 8. Charges where the total pastoral support from all sources equals or exceeds the average cash salary of the Conference, except under special circumstances approved by the Conference Board of Missions.
- Charges served by a Retired Minister, if the total pastoral support from all sources, added to the pastor's annuity equals or exceeds the minimum salary adopted by the Conference.

V. Recommendations

In concluding our report, we would like to make the following recommendations:

- 1. That the month of January be designated as Missionary Cultivation Worth.
- 2. That there be a Missionary Rally or Institute on each District during the coming year.
- 3. That each church have an active Commission on Missions, that each pastor encourage the use of our fine missionary publications and that wherever possible the local church sponsor a School of Missions, utilizing one of the recommended study themes.
- 4. That the Church Extension policies and the Missionary Aid policies of the Board of Missions be printed annually in the Conference Journal with other permanent records of the Conference.
- 5. That the Rev. William Hemphill, Jr. be appointed Conference Missionary Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

R. JERVIS COOKE, President

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PENSIONS

The Board of Pensions is pleased to report to the Annual Conference concerning the administration of the pension program and the prospective annuity rate for the year 1959-60.

Your Board feels that we have achieved a very healthy situation in the investment of pension funds, which will make for continued stability of returns for pension purposes. We note with satisfaction also that there are steady increases in pastor's salaries from year to year, which makes possible continued increases in the annuity rate. We have maintained our place among the top Conferences in Methodism with respect to annuity rate paid. We are confident of continuing to make advances in this time of rising living costs, when our retired ministers and their dependents have great need.

In this pre-Conference report, your Board is not able to make recommendation as to annuity rate for next year. On the basis of full study of receipts from the local Churches for the year ending April 30th, we will make the recommendations on the Conference floor. (An annuity rate of \$58.00 for 1959-60 was recommended and approved by the Conference.) At that time a full report of the financial program will be given by our treasurer.

Again we wish to express appreciation to the capable laymen who serve on your Board of Pensions and who give such valuable direction to the pension program.

We wish to bring the following items to the attention of the Annual Conference:

- 1. The 1956 General Conference spelled out in detail the responsibilities of the individual ministers to see that pension apportionments are paid in full each year or pro-rated on salary paid. Especially do we call attention of all active pastors and retired ministers serving as supplies to Paragraph 1624, sections 3 and 5, of the 1956 Discipline. Under these provisions, your Board has no other alternative than to deduct pension benefits from retired ministers who have not been careful to see that conference claimants apportionments are paid in full each year on pastoral charges served. This is a responsibility for each individual minister.
- 2. We are pleased to be advised that the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications plans to propose a joint committee at the Annual Conference to study the status of a full-time and part-time supply service. We shall welcome the clarification of the status of many of our ministers.
- 3. We would remind ministers, laymen and local Churches to keep before our people the desirability of making bequests to our Conference Claimants Endowment Fund. Our pension program has benefited greatly from generous bequests made over the years, and your Board is grateful to those who have remembered this important part of our Christian stewardship. As the Endowment Fund is increased year after year from assessments on minister's salaries and from gifts and bequests we shall have a continuing sound basis for income for the retired minister and his family.

Submitted by

GEORGE W. GOODLEY, Chairman Board of Pensions

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS AND FRATERNAL GREETINGS

The Peninsula Annual Conference expresses thanks:

To God, our Heavenly Father, for His presence and watchful care during the sessions of this Annual Conference;

We wish to express our love and appreciation to Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, our resident Bishop, who has presided during this twentieth session of the Peninsula Annual Conference. We are grateful for his recovery from his recent accident;

To the committee on Conference Program and Entertainment;

To the minister, officials and members of the Bethesda Church, for entertaining this Annual Conference in a most wonderful way, we are indebted;

To the Minister's Wives Association for their floral arrangements;

To the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Bethesda Church for flowers and other dignities performed;

To the Conference guest speakers who have challenged and inspired us and to them we are grateful;

To Asbury Church for making their plant available for our Youth Annual Conference;

To Grace Church for entertaining retired members and wives to banquet;

To Trinity Church for entertaining Minister's Wives Association;

To the press and radio for their coverage of Conference news;

To the choirs and organists of Bethesda, Asbury and Trinity Churches for their ministry of music;

To the Senior High School Choir of Salisbury for entertaining the Conference with music;

To the Methodist Publishing House for their display of books and help-ful materials;

To those making available other printed materials and helpful information;

To the city of Salisbury and the local Police Department for their courtesies shown and service rendered to those attending the Conference;

To our Annual Conference Secretary, the Rev. Walter L. Beckwith, and his associates;

To all who in any way have enriched our Conference, whose names may not be mentioned here, we are very grateful;

To all who have provided leadership in the Conference Boards, Committees and Commissions; to those who are charged with administrative duties; to those who have cared for records, statistics and finances and in particular to the Conference Program Committee, so ably assisted by the District Superintendents, we express our appreciation for the entire Conference program and to all who have in any way been related to these Conference sessions.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. TRUITT, Chairman. R. S. GIBSON, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS PENINSULA CONFERENCE

The past conference year has been devoted to encouraging the commissions in the local churches to promote the principles set forth in The Social Creed of The Methodist Church. There are seventy-seven local commissions recorded as follows:

Dover District	12
Easton District	21
Salisbury District	18
Wilmington District	26

Each of the chairmen has been sent literature, a list of visual aids and a suggested program. In an effort to further stimulate interest and demonstrate a program, all chairmen in the Wilmington District have been invited to attend a supper meeting on April 16. It is expected that similar meetings will be organized in the other Districts.

Last October four laymen from the Peninsula Conference attended the First Industrial Relations Conference of The Methodist Church in Cincinnati, Ohio. This was the start of a national program of major significance. We expect to be represented at a similar but regional meeting at Buck Hill Falls in 1959.

We have requested an allocation of \$1,050. for the next conference year. A central office for board and committees, established in Dover, would facilitate the work and probably reduce the overall cost of conference administration. We urge that this conference consider action toward this end.

We respectfully suggest to the Cabinet that they consider an emphasis of the social issues at the District Conferences next fall. Our Board would be very happy to cooperate in developing a program.

This summer the Board will provide the program for one of the sessions at the Layman's Retreat at Camp Pe-Co-Meth. The retreat is growing in attendance and importance. We urge early registration.

Although race relations is by no means the only social or economic interest of The Methodist Church, it is a vital concern among the members of our Conference. At this time the integration-segregation issue is prominently before us. While the Social Creed of The Methodist Church stands for "freedom from discrimination", local applications must be developed by Christian citizens in each community and not all local situations are the same in Delaware and eastern Maryland.

Your Board is convinced that there is no better atmosphere in which citizens can share viewpoints, acquire information, and reach community decisions than in our churches. Rather than recommend a uniform race relations program for the Conference to pass along to all our churches, your Board believes it will be sounder Christian wisdom at this time simply to urge that every Charge have an active Commission on Social & Economic Relations to institute this year in each congregation a prayerful study of this subject. We are confident that prayer and open discussion in every church will insure sensible and practical progress in race relations. When Christian people face their problems honestly and spiritually, they are guided in right action.

But your Board desires to emphasize as vigorously as possible that every local church needs an effective Commission on Social & Economic Relations to be seriously prophetic and to continue in the tradition of John Wesley. Even reluctance to discuss race relations must not prompt our churches to avoid the study of the relations between the Christian Gospel and the many other contemporary problems of life today.

We are approaching the time for election of a president of the United States and other officers and representatives in the Federal and State Governments. Christians should be greatly concerned in the selection of proper candidates for both parties, and should actively participate in the consideration and selection of candidates.

We recommend that this Conference adopt a memorial urging the General Conference in 1960 to make the Commission of Social & Economic Relations mandatory in each Annual Conference and every Methodist Church.

Adopted by The Board of Social & Economic Relations Peninsula Conference.

April 9, 1959

JOSEPH W. BROSIUS, Chairman

THE BOARD OF TEMPERANCE TO THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

METHODIST CHURCH

Is it nothing to you as Christians and other moral leaders to know what alcoholic beverages are doing to our people in all areas of life? The apparent indifference of our people, including too many church members, is quite appalling. A close study by temperance organizations on the national, conference and local levels reveals the woeful lack of practical and concerted action to combat the bold and misleading action of the more and more firmly intrenched liquor industry in our society.

Your Board of Temperance has faced the fact of this indifference to the ill effects of liquor drinking in our society. We have tried to plan a program, with conscientious and devoted Christians, to combat this bold and misleading action of the liquor industry.

Let us repeat here what your Board of Temperance said in 1951. We quote: "To say the least, we know that beverage alcohol and crime are often found together: That at least some of the screams of horror that come from twisted auto wrecks on the nation's highways are caused by beverage alcohol—there are some boys and girls caught in the web of delinquency and immorality that have been led there because of beverage alcohol—that alcohol is a cause of marital unhappiness in at least some cases—that beverage alcohol will and does dull the spiritual sensitivity of the immortal soul God has endowed man with."

The more your present Board thinks about and works on these cancerous problems in our society, the more we have tried to lift our voices against these evils and have taken practical steps to limit their use. We have emphasized the importance of: Legislation; Education; Commitments; and Rehabilitation.

The District Directors, the Reverends William Bundick, A. M. B. Snapp, Howard Evans and Mr. Walter Palmer, have been asked to submit to all our local churches of the Conference, copies of the Board's program outlining suggestions for study and action in each field of work thus indicated. Perhaps too little headway has been made upon the body politic, but we have tried to help our churches combat the cancerous effect of liquor drinking by intelligent and prayerful efforts of concerned remedy.

We strongly feel that our churches must make our people—particularly our children and youth—realize that the drink problem is a moral issue, not just a scientific and legislative one. We have urged, as our predecessors have done before us, our churches to stress the fact that the moral problem is in our human relations. Persons are hurt by drink—this statement has already been proven; and if persons are thereby hurt, our churches must operate strongly against the evil that hurts them.

Years ago, no doubt our churches did not emphasize the scientific and the objective approach in combating the drinking of liquor; the effort was

perhaps made too much from the emotional approach. Still your Board hastens to say that we have done our best to guard against a possible danger of neglecting the emotions in the solution of our drinking problem. There is an obvious need for both methods.

Your Conference Board, therefore, wants to report that we plan to continue during the next Conference Year, the recommendations and goals as outlined by the Board in its report to you last year. We can only re-emphasize the problems facing us now as then, and we thus want again, to state our assets with which we have to work.

We quote from last year's report:

"In the Field of Economics—The revenue that our Government receives costs us from two to four dollars for every dollar we receive.

"In the Field of Safety—30% to 50% in some states of the fatalities have liquor involved. Another figure stated that 60% of all arrests involved drinking.

"These are some of the problems-here are some of the assets upon which we have to work:

- 1. There is a growing receptivity on the part of the public. Newspapers and magazines are concerned about alcohol more and more.
 - 2. We have a receptive church.
 - 3. We have a receptive school system.
 - 4. We have found that there is a 7% increase in abstinence.
 - 5. Our churches' youth are finding it a major interest.
- 6. There is a growing interest and activity in the field of rehabilitation."

Your Board joins the other Protestant groups in taking effective steps to protect our nation's youth from the brainwashing influence of alcohol advertising which is so misleading to all persons. We shall do all within our power to check alcoholism (approximately five million alcoholics in the United States today) and the fatalities from the drinking drivers (approximately 20,000 dead on the nation's highways annually).

Your Board commends the 200 national magazines that carry no alcohol advertising. In 1957 their total circulation was over 99 million. We vigorously oppose the T. V. network time for advertising beer and wine. We shall work as a Board, individually, and with all other groups who believe as we, such as the Temperance Leagues, W. C. T. U., the Allied Youth, and other groups, to combat the liquor evils in every possible way.

Some Goals We Will Continue Striving For

1. Increase the potential of Education. We urge all churches to name Temperance Committees and make the initial emphasis in temperance education on the analyses of facts. We strongly suggest the teaching of total abstinence by using: (A) Church School literature; (B) Films; (C) Speakers; (D) Discussions, panels and open forums; (C) and our Methodist Literature in the extended service of the Church School, such as, the Daily Vacation Bible School. We shall carefully make adequate preparation for our public school emphases using this means of approach whenever feasible. We shall continue to use the very valuable helps from our National Temperance Board of Washington, D. C. We shall support temperance legisla-

tion nationally and in the states of Delaware and Maryland whenever opportunity affords.

2. In the Area of Commitment, we shall help our Churches face the fact that all persons are either for or against ideas. We shall urge our people to be against drinking alcoholic liquors as a beverage by presenting the necessary scientific facts for study.

3. The rehabilitation of *the drinker must have our concern and sympathy. Institutions helping persons to become rehabilitated from drink will have our support.

We need help for such study and Christian action. We need every Pastor, all Christians, especially known as Methodists, in our labors combating the evils of the liquor industry. Much more we could say, but just now—may we appeal to you for prayers, concern and creative action for sobriety.

Respectfully submitted,

OTIS P. JEFFERSON, Director

THE TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

The Town and Country Commission is concerned with the welfare of the church of the open country and town, not only in its own area, but also in its relationships to the entire responsibility of the whole church.

Thoughtful study under the guidance of our rural leaders was given in the Regional Town and Country Conference at Towson, Maryland, June 24-26, 1958. Seven persons of our conference were in attendance.

The reprinting, in pamphlet form, of the Approved Parsonage Standards will make this information available for distribution to and use among those who are concerned.

The Fourth National Town and Country Conference is called to meet at Wichita, Kansas, July 21-24, 1959. Plans are in progress for sending a delegation to participate in this enterprise.

The Commission recommends the appointment of Henry T. Caldwell as the Secretary of Town and Country Work for the coming year.

PERRY O. HILL, Chairman

COMMITTEE ON URBAN LIFE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Committee on Urban Life planned and held a very successful one-day Seminar on the Urban Church in the Fall of this past Conference year. It was held in St. Paul's Methodist Church, Wilmington, Delaware. All members of the Conference were invited.

The committee Chairman and the Rev. Dr. John N. Link of the Wilmington District met several times with the Rev. Dr. Philip Edwards of the Department of City Work, Board of Missions office in Philadelphia, to plan the program.

There were four main facets to the all-day program. These were: "Qualifications for the Urban Church Ministry"; "The Urban Church Pro-

gram"; "Inter-City-Suburban Church Strategy and Cooperation" and "Urban Church Inter-Agency Cooperation."

There were addresses on the first two subjects given by the Rev. Dr. E. Cranston Riggin of Baltimore, Maryland and the Rev. Dr. William F. Dunkle, Jr., of Wilmington. The latter two subjects were presented by a panel, with ample opportunity given for questions and discussion. Such agencies as the Y. M. C. A., the Family Service Society, Council of Churches of Wilmington and New Castle Ccunty, Wilmington Housing Authority, Eugene duPont Memorial Hospital, Pierre S. duPont High School and the Wilmington Planning Commission sent their representative who spoke and answered questions.

The Seminar, we feel, met a real need in the life of our Conference. Indeed, we hope there will be others. The Urban Church is facing great problems and great opportunities. This day's program helped us to see that the church with a "changeless Christ" is needed more than ever in our urban centers. By facing up to our problems, by finding out about resources available in our communities, we can do our job.

PAUL E. McCOY, Chairman J. HOWARD LINK, Secretary Urban Life Committee

COMMITTEE ON MINISTER'S ASSISTANCE

The following ministers, or their heirs, have received the benefits of the Minister's Assistance plan during this conference year:

Leonard White—(Deceased—Conference Member)
John L. Sparklin—(Deceased—Conference Member)
Charles W. Spry—(Deceased—Conference Member)
E. Carroll Justis—(Age 72—Approved Supply)
John H. Andersen—(Age 72—Approved Supply)
Guy E. Leister—(Age 72—Conference Member)

In the eight years that the Minister's Assistance plan has been in effect, 51 ministers or their heirs have received the benefits as follows: 26 deceased, 11 because of disability, and 14 having attained the age of 72.

In accord with the Group Insurance Plan as adopted by the 1958 session of this conference all eligible ministers have been sent an insurance certificate. Members of the original Group Insurance plan and members of Minister's Assistance and not eligible under the new plan will receive the benefits originally agreed upon in their Group Insurance or Minister's Assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EARL CUMMINGS, Chairman OTIS F. FIGGS HENRY B. MITCHELL JOHN F. KELSO, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE QUADRENNIAL COMMITTEE ON THE LOCAL CHURCH

"The Quadrennial Program on strengthening the Local Church" has had its several emphases. The first was a "Self-Study" of the Local Church followed by the emphases on "Full Organization" and "Leadership Training". Then came "Christian Consecration" and "Expansion". Now we come to "Christian Concern—Christ and Our Mission" and "Enlistment".

Our year of Christian Concern is introduced by Bishop Arthur J. Moore's booklet, "Christ and Our Mission". Many churches started this Quadrennial year by distributing copies of it to their members. In this booklet Bishop Moore states, "Our Mission is to see clearly what Christ wants us to be and do, and then, using all available resources and straining every nerve to transform the vision into reality." He continues by saying, "We shall be thinking of our mission in terms of a personal trust in God and a personal dedication to the Church."

The emphasis on Enlistment refers to our reaching, in all areas of the church, new members, leaders and workers for the local church and for the church at large.

However, our churches are urged to concentrate during this year on enlistment through—

- 1. Church school membership
- 2. Membership classes for children and youths
- 3. Evangelism of persons for Christ and the Church
- 4. Enlistment and training of church and church school workers
- 5. Christian vocations conferences

Such enlistment needs local church leaders who are trained in the work of the Local Church Commissions. The officers of some of our Conference Boards have discussed this need and one way to help meet it. They have considered a series of interboard training conferences for the members of the Commissions to acquaint them with their work. A suggestion has been made that such training could be given in conjunction with the District Conferences.

We recommend that such interboard training conference be held this year, if possible.

J. J. VON HAGEL, Chairman

WESLEY COLLEGE REPORT OF MEMBERSHIP MEETING

A year ago we reported the beginning of the new day for Wesley. We told of securing advice from the most qualified persons concerning the future of the college. We told of developing plans, securing property, paying debt, raising salaries, providing retirement, increasing enrollment, and preparing a new charter. Receipts from alumni and friends had made possible the beginning of the classroom building, little theatre, and heating plant.

Now, we have moved into the active program of putting the plants into operation. The most tangible, of course, is the construction of the new campus. The new building, housing classrooms, faculty offices, seminar

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rooms, auditorium, and heating plant, is so far along it is expected to be finished by July, and the first group to use it will be the Woman's Society School of Missions. Progress is advanced enough on the women's dormitory that cornerstone laying for it and the classroom building will be held at commencement on June 7. Both will be ready for use at the beginning of the Fall term. Work was begun on the men's dormitory this week so that it will be completed a year from now.

In order to see how these things have been possible, let us turn to a report on the Development Fund by Mr. Ira T. Ellis, Treasurer, from June 4, 1957, to May 12, 1959:

\$388,468	
450,000	
4,680	\$843,148
119,446	
20,000	
8,547	
1,636	
768	\$790,841
	\$ 52,307
\$450,000	
13,000	
\$524,991	
\$ 99,462	
	\$490,125 150,319 119,446 20,000 8,547 1,636 768 \$450,000 22,941 5,000 34,050 13,000

The response of the churches in the first year of the Capital Funds program is a matter of rejoicing. This means the entire program can move ahead full speed. This also affects one of the questions raised by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, when its report looked for assurances of "sustained interest and commitment on the part of the Peninsula Conference." The leadership of our Bishop, his cabinet, pastors, and officials is to be commended.

And now a word must be said about the gymnasium. It has been declared a total loss by insurance adjusters, except for walls. Whether or not it can be used temporarily is being determined by engineering tests. Unfortunately funds are not in hand for the immediate building of a new gymnasium. How soon one shall be erected depends upon the tests and the availability of new money.

Buildings and a sound financial program alone do not make a first-rate educational institution. They do help create a fine setting, but an institution must have objectives and must set out to achieve them. The administration, faculty, and trustees have examined ours. They have been recast and are found in the catalog thus:

Its Specific Aims

- 1. To provide a campus climate conducive to the growth of students in the knowledge, acceptance, and practice of the Christian faith.
- 2. To offer students an educational program that will challenge their highest abilities and best efforts, and inspire a sustained interest in learning.
- 3. To afford students an opportunity to improve the techniques of learning and acquire the knowledge and skills essential for the continuance of formal education or the pursuit of a vocation.
- 4. To assist students in arriving at a true evaluation of themselves in the areas of physical health, academic ability, social attitudes, and professional and vocational interests.
- 5. To help students evolve a philosophy of life and an emotional maturity to enable them to deal rationally with the constantly changing political, social, and economical factors with which they will be confronted in their family, vocational, and community relationships.
- 6. To endeavor to enlist students' interest in civic affairs and through the study of the social sciences and opportunity for participation in related activities prepare them to assume their responsibilities of citizenship.
- 7. To recruit and help to train leaders and effective workers for the Christian church.

To this end the President, Dr. J. Paul Slaybaugh, has carefully chosen members of the faculty to spearhead the teaching of these objectives. The fact that no persons are planning to leave the faculty is an indication of an enthusiastic anticipation of the future. There is a considerable increase in enrollment, and at the same time there is a raising of the admission requirements. The great increase in the number of those who wish to enter institutions of higher education and the fact that more people in a wider area know about Wesley have made it possible to raise standards and still serve more young people.

The Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools conducted an evaluation of Wesley late

this winter. We have been continued on the accredited list for two years. Another evaluation will be conducted then. A number of recommendations have been offered to help strengthen the school. Some have already been put in effect. Others are being studied by the appropriate committees of the faculty and Board of Trustees. All will be given the serious attention they deserve and necessary action taken. We have come a long way, and this has created a sympathetic attitude. There is every reason to believe we shall meet the high standards of excellence set by the Association.

All—alumni, friends, faculty, administration, trustees, Peninsula Conference churches—are carrying their share toward the making of the new Wesley. I suggest two things on which you may concentrate: Keep up the financial support. Pay the Capital Improvement Fund and Operating Fund in full. Send some of your best students to Wesley.

Remember the words of Alfred Tennyson:

Ah, my God,

What might I not have made of thy fair world, Had I but loved thy highest creature here? It was my duty to have loved the highest. It surely was my profit had I known; It would have been my pleasure had I seen. We needs must love the highest when we see it.

HOWELL O. WILKINS, Chairman, Board of Trustees of Wesley College

May 13, 1959

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Bishop Oxnam, Members of the Peninsula Annual Conference, and friends:

I am pleased to submit the following report:

The women of Methodism have a distinct mission in relation to the needs of the world, and to the program of The Methodist Church. This mission has been executed most effectively thru the Woman's Societies of Christian Service and Wesleyan Service Guilds throughout our four districts, whose efforts the Peninsula Conference Woman's Society directs as provided in 1256 Art. 2 of the Discipline, which reads as follows:

"The purpose of the Conference Society shall be to plan and direct the work of the Society within the Conference in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of the Woman's Division."

This we have tried to do, using as our inspiration the Quadrennial Theme—"The Spirit of Christ—For All of Life," and as our guide the seven goals which accompanied the CALL to every member of every Woman's Society of Christian Service and Wesleyan Service Guild.

1. Commitment

The development of the spiritual life of our members is always a center of attention. In addition to the Week of Prayer and Self Denial held in the Fall each year, and the World Day of Prayer held the first Friday in Lent,

168 women sought personally to obtain the spirit of Christ thru attendance at a Retreat, held at Camp Pecometh in September, 1958 while hundreds of others attended Days Apart sponsored during the Lenten Season by the Districts. Practicing the principles of Christ in everyday living, thru the Fellowship of Intercession and Prayer Groups, has been an important factor in enabling our women to communicate to others the joy of discovering Christ.

2. Responsibility

Numbers do not tell a complete story, but they are significant. Our total number of adult members as of February 6, 1959 was 23,035. This figure is subject to correction, however, since accurate figures for the year will not be available until June 1, 1959. It is a deplorable fact that all Methodist Women are not members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, nor is our Conference Society 100% organized, there still being 14 unorganized churches. It is heartening, however, to observe that the majority of our members do accept responsibility in the total program of the local church, by giving of their time, and talent, sharing in church and community programs, helping train youth and students for Christian responsibility and thru financial gifts to the local church, which amounts to more than four times the amount of our missionary giving which goes to the Woman's Division. The Conference missionary pledge for the past year was \$50,000.00, while the actual amount paid on pledge was \$54,034.55, and the grand total of all funds sent in, for all purposes amounted to \$63,792.48. On the basis of pledges received from local societies for the coming year, an increase of \$1,000.00 has been set as the goal for 1959-1960. It seems timely to suggest that "support" to the total program of the local church, which includes support of the work of the Woman's Society, needs thoughtful consideration. The division of funds for "self" and "others" is all out of proportion.

3. Interpretation

Making known the objectives of our educational institutions and their relationship to the world mission of the church, is effected through the courses of study offered at the Jurisdiction and Conference Summer Schools, as well as the speakers who come to our conference. Mrs. Carl B. Searing, Vice-President of the Northeastern Jurisdiction, spoke at the Fall District Meetings, and Miss Rosalie Jenkins, our Peninsula Conference Missionary on furlough from Brazil, addressed the District Annual Meetings in March. At the Annual Meeting of the Conference Society, held May 7 in McCabe Memorial Methodist Church, Wilmington, approximately 400 women were privileged to hear Miss E. Gwendoline Narbeth bring "Tidings from Africa," while Miss Lillian A. Johnson, Secretary of the Wesleyan Service Guild, spoke on the afternoon theme "Here Am I! Send Me." It was with regret that we learned on the morning of our meeting that the Division President, Mrs. J. Fount Tillman, who was to have been with us, was unable to be present because of illness.

The work of our organization was also presented by one-minute reports supplemented by visual aids, all conference officers, secretaries, and chairmen of committees, participating. Officers were elected for the ensuing biennium.

Other means of promotion employed is thru the many meetings, officers training days and seminars, held on the district level, all of which are designed to interpret and clarify those phases of our work not completely understood by the local woman.

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4. Recruitment

With the great need for deaconesses, missionaries and other christian workers, this particular phase of our program needs strengthening. One means of alerting our young people to the needs of the world, and creating an awareness of the diversity of opportunities in missionary service is through our Girl's School of Missions, which was held last Summer at Camp Pecometh, from June 22-27, with 110 girls in attendance. As usual limited facilities prevented the attendance of all who applied. 19 girls received recognition for having attended the School for three years. 14 girls indicated interest in full time christian service. It is at this point that the local church needs to be emphatically confronted with the challenge of recruitment. During the past four years 56 girls have indicated interest in full time christian service; our Secretary of Missionary Personnel has sent this information to the local church and local society, yet, to my knowledge, none have begun preparation. If our girls are to dedicate themselves to full time christian service, they need the encouragement of the folks at home. Perhaps financial assistance should be offered. Thru our Conference Scholarship Fund, which is administered by the Woman's Division, one girl from Peninsula Conference, having met the requirements of the Woman's Division, has received assistance in her preparation for christian service during the past two years. In addition, \$100. is contributed each year, at the close of our Summer School, to Wesley College, which I understand is placed in the Scholarship Fund of that College.

5. Fellowship

Basically, practicing the principles of the Charter of Racial Policies of the Woman's Division—welcoming into worship and service all who seek to follow Christ, and urging persons of all cultures and races into the fellowship and activities of the church, is the goal of the Department of Christian Social Relations. To me, the highlight of my entire four years of service has been the ratification of the Charter of Racial Policies in Peninsula Conference, and the completion of our goal for one Intercultural and Interracial Workshop on World Understanding in each District as well as one on the Conference level. Other activities of this department have included continued interest in the negation of such legislative measures as the bingo bill, use of alcoholic beverages on air-liners, citizenship brunches prior to elections, the sponsorship of UNICEF observances and organizing trips to the United Nations.

Also included here should be the program of service rendered by our Board of Conference Projects, for certainly it strives through its work at the Riddle Memorial Deaconess Home and the Mary Todd Gambrill Neighborhood House, to create a fellowship without barriers. This urban work which is supported by the women of Peninsula Conference, has been supervised by our Deaconess Director, Miss Genevieve Poppe, who this year is

observing ten years of service in this field of endeavor. Miss Poppe with her staff of two full time, and one part time worker does a tremendous job. Several classes have increased to the point where it has been necessary to enlist volunteer help. In fact, the Neighborhood House in south Wilmington is much too small to accommodate the size of groups seeking admission, and our Board, of which Mrs. William R. Davis, is the Chairman, is already thinking in terms of a building project. In connection with this particular work, on May 20, 1958, the Board of Trustees of the Riddle Memorial Deaconess Home, deeded to the Peninsula Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service, Incorporated, the property located at 307 West Street, which had been used many years rent free. On October 15 of last year, the usual Open House and Donation Day was held at the Deaconess Home, at which time the 30th anniversary of our Neighborhood House was celebrated.

6. Identification

One of our three emphases is Missionary Education, and it is thru our Summer School of Missions and Christian Service, that our women are afforded the opportunity to become acquainted with the missionary program, cultivating opportunities to learn of other people of all races and cultures, and studying to know the spirit and principles of Christ. Here she may evaluate her own personal relationship with others, as she learns of their joys and sorrows, needs and achievements. Our School, held at Wesley College last July 13-18, was attended by 67 full time and 198 part time students, making a total of 265 women. 126 study classes using the approved text books have met the high requirements necessary to receive special Jurisdiction Recognition. The number attending educational seminars in the Fall was 837, an increase over the previous year. At our Summer School, the women may also attend workshops and clinics, set up to further knowledge of the missionary program, and the over-all program of the work of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, to the end that she may better identify herself with the peoples of the world.

7. Action

To me, our seventh goal indicates action. "To Speak and Act boldly in Christ's name, for Justice and Peace for all people" requires courage and strength. It requires studying to understand the meaning of justice and peace for all, and the practice of these principles in our daily attitudes.

One year remains in the Fifth Quadrennium. Looking backward, it would seems that our achievements have been few this past year, but the knowledge that the women in the local societies have been tireless in their devotion; that the consecration and team work of the conference and district officers has been demonstrated time and time again—more than compensates.

To the District Superintendents and the Pastors, I would express my appreciation. They have always graciously assisted whenever called upon.

With these remarks I conclude this, my final report to the Peninsula Annual Conference. The past four years have been a wonderful experience. I have performed the duties of my offic to the very best of my ability, always with the desire to reflect credit on Peninsula Conference, and honor and glory to Him in whose name I have labored. At times it has been extremely

difficult, but the great joy and satisfaction to be derived from service for such a great cause, more than balances any distress I may have known. With fear and trembling I accepted the office—with a deep sense of humility, I shall turn over to my successor, Mrs. Walter B. Palmer, Jr. of Denton, Maryland, the authority which was vested in me on June 1, 1955. It is my sincere wish that she may receive the same cooperation and loyalty which have characterized my four years of service. Having worked so closely with such a fine group of women, for so great a number of years, it is my earnest conviction that though we may have slowed down a bit during 1958-59, it was only to catch our breath, so that we might go on to a brighter and more glorious future in Peninsula Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

ISABELLA W. SYLVESTER, (MRS. EARL)
President, Peninsula Conference,
Woman's Society of Christian Service

REPORT OF COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

There will be no change in the Budget this year. Any additional amounts or new items will be paid from the Contingent Fund. Therefore, the apportionments for General and Conference Administration and World Service and Conference Benevolences and Askings will be the same as last year.

The following items are based on the Pastor's current cash salary and must be adjusted any time there is a change in salary:

Ep. Fund, 2% of Pastor's current cash salary
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Board of Pensions, Percentage of the Pastor's current cash salary as shown at the end of our report on page 661 in the 1958 Journal.

Minimum Salary, 1/2 % current cash salary

We make the following recommendations:

Minimum Salary:	1959-60	1960-61
Student Supply	\$2,600.00	\$2,800.00
Married Supply	3,200.00	3,400.00
Married Student	3,200.00	3,400.00
Single Member	3,200.00	3,400.00
Married Member	3,800.00	4,000.00

That all Churches pay the cost of basic phone service, the cost of heat, gas, electric, and water for the Parsonages. We request that within a period of three years it be in full operation.

An increase of \$1,000.00 for the Board of Pensions necessitous cases. \$1,000.00 per year for five years to be used by the Historical Society for the preservation of Barratt's Chapel.

\$1,000.00 for the Delaware Council of Churches.

That an amount up to \$200.00 be allowed for moving expenses of Pastors when retiring, to his own residence.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE P. CHANDLER, Secretary OTIS F. FIGGS, Chairman

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REPORT OF

(c) CONFERENCE STATISTICIAN

G. E. LEISTER, Statistician

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ACT OF THE	42	43	44	45	46	47a	47b	47c	48c	49a	49h
Barratt's Chapel	325		606	197	1800	1800		1900			
Blades	4066	852	1657	522		2900		1800 2900		108 174	10
Bridgeville	$10940 \\ 534$	3010 399		640		4200		4200		252	2
Camden		3776	1492	495 662	4000 3600	3600		4000 3600		240 216	
Cheswold	2000	13550		600	3500	3500		3500	550	210	2
Clayton	4082	576 1380		803 378		3700 3500		3700 3500		222	
Dover—Wesley Dover—St. Paul's	11095	4336		1315	7150		3316	9616		210 429	2:
Dover—St. Paul's			401	72	750	750		750		45	
Ellendale	516	859 6904				3700 2500		3700 2500		222	13
FeltonFrankford	1100	19000	1390	1074	3400	3400		3400		$\frac{150}{204}$	1.
Frankford	2300	1200		546	3500	3500		3500	700	210	2
Frederica	$\frac{1300}{6654}$	1320 6938	2878 4297	587 750	3200 5500	3200		3200 5500	400 500	192	1
Georgetown—Wesley	16600	1215		950	5000	5000		5000	500	330 300	3 3
Georgetown Circuit	3374	3788		891	3300	3300		3300	500	198	1
Greenwood Circuit	982	2782 1576		3052 418		3500		3500	500	210	2
Harbeson			231	917	2100	2100		3000 2100	400 100	180 126	18
Harrington—Asbury Harrington—Trinity Hartly—Friendship		1000	4298	732	4100	4100		4100	500	246	24
Harrington—Trinity	5268	5043 700	1328 1758			3500		3500	500	210	2
Houston	2500	41600		469 666	1800 3300	3300		1800 3300	450 700	108 198	11
Indian Mission			50	61	1200	800		800		48	
KentonLaurel—Centenary	$\frac{100}{26822}$	831 1286	884 8961	320	1200	900		900		54	915
Laurel—Christ	1802	1348	2656	626 418		4000		6100 4000	400 200	366 240	3 2
Laurel Circuit		3218	1319	754	3000	3100		3100	500	186	1
LewesLincoln	23248	4415 2337	11792	1382	6400	6400		6400	700	384	3
Leipsic—Little Creek		2324	842	519 233		1000		3000	400 200	180 60	1
Magnolia		1597	5570			3200		3200	200	192	2
Middletown	5448 7000	1396		550		4000		4000	650	240	2
Milford—Avenue Milford—Calvary Millsboro	14000	11800 368	17039 7687	1970 1180		4550		6500 4550	500 600	390 273	39
Millsboro		2000	4110	816	5200	5200		5200	500	312	3:
Millwood			9145	233	300	300		300	50	18	
Millville	120	5014 300	3145 351	912 185	4000 800	800		4000 800	200 400	240 48	2
Millville	5073	4106	3336	1443	3300	3300		3300	500	198	1
Mt. Zion		900		189	1800	1800		1800	100	108	10
NassauOcean View		$\frac{1410}{33764}$	1900 2125	895 573	3000 3700	3700		3100 3700	500 500	186 222	18 2: 2: 2:
Odessa	9103	4012	3020	386	4000	4499		4499	500	270	2
Rehoboth	3000	10328	2294	867	5000	5000		5000	250	300	30
Roxana	4134	8300	2800 2898	727 1262	1800 3900	1800 3900		1800 3900	100	$\frac{108}{234}$	10
St. George's Seaford—Mt. Olivet		3587	3842	1452	4000	4000		4000	500	240	2
Seaford—Mt. Olivet	2330	1592	6895	1349	7000		,.	7000	500	420	45
Seaford—St. John's Seaford Circuit	1800	$101250 \\ 1950$	14548 750	2873 808	5500 3300	5500 3300		5500 3300	500	330 198	33
Selbyville	131	2500	12699	966	6000	6100		6100	500	366	36
Smyrna	35	2275	6003	678	6000	6000		6000		360	36
Townsend	360	284 5800	1735	971	3200	3200		3200	500	192	19
		1279	3003	326 960	$\frac{3000}{4200}$	3000 4200		3000 4200	500	$\frac{180}{252}$	18 28
Total	178142	343364	214380		209550			212215	22337	12585	1260
Total Last Year	212472	216979	197284	45831	198950	199800	9910		19845	12585	1194
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	46	50a	50b	51a	51b	52a	52b	53	54	55a	55b	56a	56b	56c	57	58	59
23 4 5 5 6 7 8 9 10 112 133 144 15 16 6 7 18 19 20 21 12 22 33 22 45 25 26 27 8 28 9 30 4 12 4 33 4 4 4 5 5 15 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	Barratt's Chapel Bethel Bethel Blades Bridgeville Camden Cannon Circuit Cheswold Clayton Dover—Wesley Dover—St. Paul's Ellendale Farmington Felton Frankford Frederica Georgetown—Grace Georgetown—Grace Georgetown—Wesley Georgetown—Wesley Georgetown—Wesley Georgetown—Wesley Georgetown—Truit Greenwood Circuit Laurit Greenwood Circuit Laurel—Christ Laurel—Christ Laurel—Christ Laurel—Creuit Lewes Lincoln Leipsic—Little Creek Magnolia Middletown Milford—Avenue Milford—Aven	80 140 110 66 122 120 64 60 84 4197	110 66 122 120 64 60 84	1320 626 1525 1500 608 570 882	626 1525 1500 608 570 882 44251	35 28 18 31 30 16 15 21	20 35 28 18 31 30 16 15 21	17 50 40 17 13 22 1283	58 232 1600 2481 123 232 1600 2481 1499 1600 251 1499 252 244 252 250 250 250 250 250 250 250 250 250	14 17 13 22 11 19 19 33 46 15 38 32 14 11 18	46 15 38 32 14 11 18 1025	1889 2616 781 2223 1798 784 577 986	1020 1889 2616 781 2223 1798 784 577 986	812 913 913 6999 911 2734 1754 446 518 851 174 446 518 8752 1513 52 1513 52 1513 52 1513 52 151 1352 151 1352 151 1352 151 1352 151 1352 151 1352 151 1352 151 151 151 151 151 151 151 151 151 1	500	3 388	40 100 50 78 35 16 30 60
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List No.	Charge and Church	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Including W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Homes for Children. Youth and the Aged	Conference Advance Specials	Church School Rally Day	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total 42-45, 47c, 48c 50b, 51b, 52t-54, 55b, 56 57-74
		60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
	Barratt's Chapel	18			20		30	321	34		82		15	80	
	Blades			92	25	5		820	92		76			00	481 1386
4	Bridgeville	25	30.0	268	25	20		1325	146		50		35	19	2764
0	Camden	32		224	30			892	94		203		29		1101
7	Cannon Circuit			71 20	30		10	357 171	43		72		9		$ \begin{array}{r} 1051 \\ 2543 \end{array} $
	Clayton	12		203				820	84		111		30	2	1714
9	Dagsboro	42		212	18	20		314	94		325		30		984
0	Dover—Wesley	112		1310	32		25	2787	255		121	25	70	168	5525
2	Dover—St. Paul's Ellendale	6		37 40	10 25			174 50	21		60 10		10		195
	Farmington	55		69		15		482	46		10		41	10	$1245 \\ 1324$
4	Felton	47		202		10		372	56		68		87		2915
	Frankford			79				727	75		146				1222
7	FredericaGrace	24		54 144	63	5		500 760	95 50		97 256		34 40		1226
8	Georgetown—Wesley	20	::::	304	25	25		398	159		30		30		2938 3617
9	Georgetown—Grace Georgetown—Wesley Georgetown Circuit	143		84				882	96		131				2064
0	Greenwood Circuit	36		144	10			901	82		56		10	16	1829
	Gumboro	10		15	8			638	63		20		8		954
- 1	Harbeson	20		35 510	20	20		$\frac{275}{1026}$	35 138		80	25	26 50		390
	Harrington—Asbury Harrington—Trinity			320	20	20		266	80		20	35	90		1533 1347
5	Hartly—Friendship	25		65	10	10		452	53		91		15		1219
6	Houston			67	9	25		788	83				26		5322
	Indian Mission			10				140	15				:		140
	Kenton Laurel—Centenary	15 46		12 649	50	50		257 818	27 245		25 163		15 50		398 5135
	Laurel—Christ			166				802	78		58				1374
1	Laurel Circuit			45				491	84						1127
2	Lewes	70		489	95	60	75	2116	85	1000	135	20	75	79	5652
1	Lincoln Leipsic—Little Creek			30 10	10			658 154	71 28		24		30		954
5	Magnolia			148	35	10		50	20		32		36	50	431 1370
6	Middletown	40		360	50	20		1464	140		97		40	25	2191
7	Milford—Avenue	100		1062	60			2719	287	25			60	50	5584
	Millsbore			493		50		1593	173	50	50 90		55		3430
	Millsboro	66		550	25	75		1692 97	184 13	2	90		25 3	59	1923 88
1	Milton			235	10	10		188			20		15	5	1594
2	Millville			25	5			30			10		10		265
	Mt. Pleasant	87		116	62	55	15	1082	117	15	373		33	87	2238
5	Mt. Zion	14		20 173		10	13	329 833	38 90				33		607 1083
6	Ocean View	15		65	15	20	15	554	80	15	48	75	35	15	4391
7	Odessa			134				632	52		10				2455
8	Rehoboth	43		541	47			1282	145		99		50		2417
	Reliance	50		30 70	50			104 759	62 90	25	100		21 50		1800
1	St. George's	29		100	30			230	102	20	74		30	48	1592 1691
41	Seaford—Mt. Olivet	101		1260		75		1782	174		200		70	305	2842
3	Seaford—St. John's	50		703	50	35	60	844	289		246		60		13203
1	Seaford Circuit			110	25		15	796	88		1745	100	30		1149
	Selbyville	60		642 423	60	50 30	15	$\frac{2009}{1453}$	180 185		1745 188	100	60		3268 2188
7	Townsend	77.23		126	42			741	73	5	113		6	30	1017
8	Whitesville	29		50				560	60				38		1139
9	Wyoming	47		157	10			994	109		190		40	5	1398
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List No.	CHARGES	Received on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Trans. and Reinstated (Include Trans. from Other Denominations)	Removed by Trans. and Otherwise (Include Trans. to Other Denominations)	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Total Preparatory Members	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance Sunday School (All Ages)	Paid Local Work	Number Organized Churches	Value of Churches, Equipment. Parsonages and Other Property	Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages and Current Expenses
		2	3-4	5-7	8	9	12	19	20	33	37	38, 39, 40	41
$\begin{array}{c} 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 7 \\ 8 \ 8 \ 9 \ 10 \ 11 \ 11 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \$	Blades Bridgeville. Camden. Cannon Circuit. Cheswold. Clayton. Dagsboro. Dover—Wesley. Dover—St. Paul's & Air Base. Ellendale. Farmington Felton. Frankford Frederica. Georgetown—Grace. Georgetown—Grace. Georgetown—Grace. Georgetown—Grace. Harrington—Asbury. Harrington—Asbury. Harrington—Trinity. Hartly. Houston. Indian Mission. Kenton. Laurel—Christ. Laurel—Circuit. Lewes. Lincoln. Leipsic. Magnolia. Middletown. Milford—Avenue. Milford—Avenue. Milford—Avenue. Milford—Avenue. Milford—Avenue. Millwod. Millwod. Millwod. Millwod. Millwille. Mt. Pleasant. Mt. Zion. Nassau. Ocean View. Odessa. Rehoboth. Reliance. Roxana. St. George's. Seaford—Mt. Olivet. Seaford—St. John's. Seaford—Circuit. Selbyville. Smyrna. Townsend. Whitesville. Wyoming.	244 233 155 177 55 33 377 177 55 144 444 444 444 444 444 444 444 444	7 12 3 3 6 6 102	133 9 9 7 144 166 6 68 88 100 177 100 200 202 118 202 118 203 116 88 9 204 117 107 108 89 9 109 109 109 109 109 109 109 109 109 10	55 54 44 41 12 96 610 41 11 11 13 33 66 44 22 26 66 41 17 77 99 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11	305 284 950 63 293 159 360 260 335 449 543 345 283 210	70 63 	183 473 3555 315 301 183 280 481 1093 481 1093 481 11093 481 11093 316 468 468 163 323 206 309 508 1062 4144 520 340 552 611 27 367 644 572 213 321 361 322 340 322 444 553 323 226 339 508 1062 444 526 309 508 1062 444 526 309 508 1068 1068 3338 244 681 526	109 220 1922 166 143 135 175 225 345 25 169 207 264 145 157 289 188 185 72 289 188 294 449 229 127 127 358 398 294 249 229 127 127 358 398 294 449 229 11410	422 3453 1200 377 654 450 910 605 2957 1988 1616 3187 646 13182 646 13182 646 13182 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 13187 646 1499 9	33 11 13 2 2 11 11 14 43 3 3 2 11 11 12 2 2 2 11 11 11 13 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11	60000 118675 207500 80706 55850 94000 163700 85000 85000 85000 85000 142000 77900 142000 1120000 120000 1220000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 128000 129500 148550 188050 10001 120000 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 124500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500 125500	100 9600 26350

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		42-43	44-45	47e	48c, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b	53-55	56c	57-61, 63-71	72-74	62
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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10 10 11 12 13 14 15	Bozman Claiborne Sherwood Wittman Beckwith Spedden Antioch. Cambridge—Grace. Cambridge—St. Paul's Cambridge—Zion Centreville. Chestertown—Christ Chestertown—First Chestertown—Chreck	James Lake Church James Lake Church James Lake Church S. B. Leland S. B. Leland S. B. Leland R. C. Hubbard William Hemphill, Jr. Alton S. Miller Flwood W. Cursey William P. Kesmodel William Henry Hidson	477 222 699 688 911 1400 53 975 475 860 691 389 355	57 1 2 52 36 42 10	2 3 1 11 5 6	3 14	2 2 1 11 8 33 13	3 4	3 2 1 3 3 8	1 2 3 1 6 6 6 21 7 4 2	48 222 76 65 88 139 53 1021 497 814 683 404 360	3 2 4 2 33 18 16 13 5 3	4	3 10 21 25 26 88 58 20 30 2
16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	White Haven. Milton Joppa. Gethsemane Chaplain Memorial Bethlehem Church Hill Price Union. Concord Chestnut Grove Bloomery.	Edward B. Blevins. Charles L. Trader. Charles L. Trader. C. E. Barton, Jr.	58 53 34 24 26 33 244 104 28 127 59 55	6 3 15 12	1 2	i	6 1 2	26 11		i	58 52 33 24 32 37 220 106 26 134 58	8 8	 4 3 2 8 1	5 46 37 8 14
29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37	Bounds Ebenezer St. John's Streets.	Melvin Kay Melvin Kay Melvin Kay Melvin Kay Welvin Kay Melvin Kay Melvin Kay Melvin Kay Melvin Kay	14 44 21 27 18 71 510 263 33	6 3		1 2	4 3		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	::::	14 50 24 27 18 99 532 278 33	1 6	1 3 4	21 40
39 40 41 42	Trinity. Brookview. Eldorado. Easton—St. Mark's	Maxwell J. Roberts	167 45 54 1508	10 8 2 70	30		 1 27			2 15	177 53 55 1563	4 5 1 38	4 4 	28 7 5
44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58	Union Christ Friendship Chateau Goldsboro Greensboro Harmony Grove Hillsboro Matthews Hoopers Island Hosier Memorial Hurlock—Unity-Wash Ingleside St Paul's	Donald O. Clendaniel George H. Bennett George H. Bennett Omro M. Todd G. W. Wheatlev Richard D. Bailey Richard D. Bailey Harold Fordham Harold Fordham W. I. Collins Edwin J. Horney James H. Kees	582 203 106 21 150 280 107 48 245 12 100 22 426	5 5 18 15 2	2		2 1 13 8 3	5 2		3 3 1 1 1 1 	606 208 110 26 167 290 103 44 243 14 104 22 424	1 2 2 22	1 2 5 4 13 1	45 20 12 19 40 20 35 52
59 60 61 62 63 64 65	Marvin Memorial Busick Kennedyville Kent Island	James H. Kees James H. Kees Edward J. Bond	72 14 175 205 90 60	3 44 5 4	16	9 3	4 2 2		1	2 3 3 1	66 14 176 265 93 60	3 13 12 6 3	1 1 1 1	2 8 36 90 50 29

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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
67 68 69	Marydel Antioch Calvary Henderson Oxford, Md	Frederick A. Arndt Frederick A. Arndt	55 88 32 235	4 2	1 1	₂	4 	12 15 6	4	 1 5	49 72 27 238	4	2	1
71	Preston					3	-							
72 73 74 75	BethesdaBethlehemChoptankQueenstown	J. A. Irwin	181 23 19								183 23 19	1 1		60
76 77 78	Calvary	Joseph V. Holliday, Jr.	97 121 80	13 21	2 2					5 3	103 137	8 17		
79	Wye Ridgely	Vinton D Shufalt	197	6		4	2		5	5 4	75 201	10 9		
80 81	Thawley's Bridgetown	Vinton D. Shufelt	55 25	8 4						1	63 29	1 2	3	
82	Rock Hall	Samuel J. Seymour	170 26		1						182 26	7	2	
84	Royal Oak	J. Thomas Price	83	3	1		6			2	79			
86	St. James	William Dore	218 93	14 18			2			3	231 111	12 12		:::
37	WortonSt. Michael's	William Dore	74 400	3 8		1	2 4		3	9	76 387	12	····i	4
39	Negvitt	Paul E. Reynolds	127			2				3	126			1
00	St. Thomas Bethany Wingate Zion	O. Lloyd Townsend	46 42	2						1	47 41			
92	Wingate	O. Lloyd Townsend	54	3						1	56	12	1	
93	Zion	O. Lloyd Townsend	44 133							1	46 133			
95	Bucktown	Richard F. Burden	47				1				46			:::
96	Salem	Richard F. Burden	44 91			30	1	32	;		43			
98	Betterton	W. M. T. Hankins	112	5 9	2	21	5	15	1	5	84 122	3	6	5 6
99	Bucktown Salem Still Pond Betterton Lynch	W. M. T. Hankins	44	8			3	4			45		3	
01	Sudlersville Calvary-Asbury	H. Clifford Jeffers	242	8	5	200	1	0.0		1	253	5		
02	Calvary-Asbury Double Creek	H. Clifford Jeffers	48				;		2		46	6		
04	Tilghman	R. H. Payne, Jr R. H. Payne, Jr.	280 40		2		1			1 2	280 38	7		
05	St. John. Trappe. Faith Chapel.	Robert C. Wallace	202	5			2	7		2 2 5	196	3	5	2
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10 11 12 13 14 14	Antioch O Cambridge—Grace. O Cambridge—St. Paul's. Cambridge—Zion. Centreville. Chestertown—Christ. Chestertown—First. Chestertown Creek	8 9 9 12 19 7 44 32 46 32 34 29	16 11 15 43 27 17		10 14 13		4 23 5 39 76 16 359 192 215 43 81	70 28 46 43 104 146 55 831 549 648 336 316 350	40 222 46 30 61 84 34 490 310 110 180 221	75 12 30 36 100	35		35 87	1 1 1 1 1 1	12 190 164 118 118 67	
16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	White Haven Milton Joppa Gethsemane Chaplain Memorial Bethlehem Church Hill Price Union Concord Chestnut Grove Bloomery Crapo	11 7 7 5 15	5 10 14 9 2	28 12 20 12 6 62 31 8 11 9	20 25 39 8		34 20 5 21 19 15 18 8 26 28 29	100 64 52 45 33 126 88 19 98 58 78	50 42 41 20 100 57 15 85	32		10 15 25		1 1 1 1 1	61 20	
35 36 37 38	Ebenezer St. John's Streets Wesley Crumpton Denton—First Denton Arres Fast New Market	4 5 4 2 7 27 27 22 7		40 131 80 20	16 12 14 71	6	10 12 13 9 99 41 24	33 45 47 19 70 348 249 69	21 25 14 50 198 166	45			15	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	50	
39 40 41 42 43	Eldorado Faston—St. Mark's Federalsburg	17 5 10 61	3	52 23 22 327	40 25 9 182	17 12	66 25 44 250	195 78 85 930	115 46 46 404	30		20 30 .		1 1 1 1	35 .	
44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57	Union. Christ. Friendship. Chateau. Goldshoro. Greenshoro. Harmony. Grove. Hillsboro. Matthews. Hoopers Island. Hosier Memorial. Hurlock—Unity-Wash.	36 18 16 6 17 19 17 8 15 2 9 5 34	74 26 28 10 30 25 10 16 	138 98 5 60 140 70 33 94 3 45 13 96	44 .	20 50 15 	97 75 21 45 47 42 35 14 48 4 96	467 292 119 36 145 296 203 64 201 22 157 42 314	248 144 555 20 120 164 116 45 136 15 85 31 143	30 8. 15. 45. 40. 12.		25 10 15 20 	30 20 5 15 	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	134	
63	St. Paul's. Marvin Memorial. Busick Kennedyville. Kent Island Trinity Downes.	7 . 3 .	31	58 19 8 38	46 21 5 32	10 21	12 13 12 	137 60 28 110	80 36 15 82 .	7.		4		1 1 1 1 1	30 32	
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1	P'1	28	Yes No	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41
2	Bayside Bozman		1	111	1	26	75				1		8000		
3 4	Claiborne. Sherwood. Wittman. Beckwith.		1	30 175	1	20 26	400 120				1		15000		
5	Wittman	10	1	34 161	1	28 32	200				1	16000			
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11	Cambridge—Zion	30	1	886 1248	1	244 145	1667 3060	1 1	35 40	25 10	1 1	821000 175000	50000 40000		150000 6200
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40	Brookview	8	i		1	34	224				1	10000			
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56	Hurlock-Unity-Wash.	12	1	465	1	128	2462	1	35	18	1	175000	17500	1113	27000
58	Ingleside St. Paul's		1		1	23	565				1	44000	16000		738
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66	Marydel Antioch			1	155	1	26	394				1	6000	8000	5000	
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9	Henderson			1		1	15	244				1	7000			
1	Preston			12.75	195	1	65	1065			12	1	82500	21500		
2	Bethesda	4	1		156	1	55	1100			40	1	145000	10000		70
3	Bethlehem			1		1	31	210				1	10000			
4 5	ChoptankQueenstown			1		1	19	180				1	10000		3000	1
6	Queenstown Calvary Immanuel Wye.	4	1		124	1	31	1450				1	15000	4000	1000	
7	Immanuel	8	1	1300	187	î	30	828				1	90000	4000	2883	21
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6	Faith Chapel	2	1		75	1	9	223		14		1	5250	17000	1002	13.
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		42	43	44	45	46	47a	47b	47c	48c	49a	49b
2 3 4 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26	Cambridge—Grace. Cambridge—St. Paul Cambridge—Zion. Centreville. Chestertown—Christ. Chestertown—First. Church Hill. Concord. Crapo. Crumpton. Denton—First. Denton—Grace. East New Market. Easton. Federalsburg Friendship. Goldsboro. Greensboro. Harmony Hooper's Island Hurlock	4083 10000 2629 5082 3851 4000 4100 26676 2000 225 850	5978 71694 2000 1599 18193 2350 1536 678 7916 5704	14141 3640 7062 7599 2260 698	632 2944 1000 922 686 1217 3876 422 424 429 155 111 673 4111 11988 600 7010 488 472 472 472 472 472 472 472 472 472 472	5 22000 6 6000 7 7000 8 5500 9 4400 1 6000 1 6000 1 6000 1 6000 1 7000 1 7000 1 7000 1 3300 1 3300 1 3500 1 350	0 3500 0 7000 0 6000 0 5500 0 4400 0 3500 0 4300 0 5500 0 4300 0 5500 0 3500 0 7000 0 6000 0 7000 0 3500 0		35000 6000 5500 4400 3500 4300 2970 3000 1000 5500 3500 7000 6000 7000 6000 3250 33500 3250 3500	500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500	180 210 132 420 360 420 330 264 360 210 260 178 180 60 330 210 210 210 420 360 46 198 198 198 195 210	137 137 137 137 137 137 137 137
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36 37 38 39 40	Royal Oak St. James St. Michaels St. Thomas	750 1072 650 1600	12300 750 1802 847	500 1600 3555 3915 850	300 488 500 587 484	1600 4000 4700 3200 2500	4000 4700 3200 2500		1600 4000 4700 3200 2500	340 500 620 500 500	96 240 282 192 150	96 240 282 192 150
43 44 45	Still Pond Sudlersville Filghman Frappe Vienna	2529 6690 3886	1938 850 1303 258 2064	5706 3038 1483 1629 2930	576 734 725 250 448	4000 4700 3500 3800 4100	4000 4700 3500 3800 4100	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4000 4700 3500 3800 4100	800 500 200 500	240 282 210 228 246	240 282 210 228 267
16	Wesley Chapel	3138	55 648	800	360 215 358	3200 1000 2500	3200 1000		3200 1000 2500	400 500	198 60 150	192 60 136
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List No.	Charge and Church	Fellowship of Suffering	Televi		2	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advance	Church School Rally Day	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total 42-45, 47c, 48c, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b-54, 55b, 56c, 57-74
		60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
78 99 101 112 133 144 15 16 17 18 18 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 40 41 42 43 44 44 45 46 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47	Bayside Beckwith Beckwith Beursville Cambridge—Grace Cambridge—St. Paul Cambridge—St. Paul Cambridge—St. Paul Cambridge—St. Paul Centreville Chestertown—Christ Chestertown—Christ Chestertown—First Church Greek Church Hill Concord Crapo Crumpton Denton—First Denton—Grace East New Market Easton Federalsburg Friendship Goldsboro Greensboro Harmony Hillsboro Hooper's Island Hurlock Lingleside Kennedyville Kent Island Marydel Oxford Preston Queenstown Ridgely Rock Hall Royal Oak St. James St. Michael's St. Thomas Secretary Still Pond Sudlersville Filghman Prappe Wienna Wesley Chapel Williamsburg Wye Mills Total	10)) 33 4 33 4 42 4 42 3 42 3 74 5 50 100 33 177 299 13	5 111 55 11 11 55 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 1	13 10 15 6	400 600 977 400 668 1003 683 456 667 124 189 1557 296 522 1508 2067 100 271 312 363 363 363 364 365 365 365 365 365 365 365 365	66 8 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	55.200.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.0	22:	600		1	10962 3719 5 31100 11 28226 7 110501 10 19803 24365 5 43161 1 6957 1 6054 4 8139 2 5243 8 336 9 105 1 12636 2 7495 5 312 1 7454 8 877 9 598 4 11419 8 852 2 27608 8 497 2 956 1 1638 8 497 2 956 1 1638 1 1638 1 1419 1 1638 1
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CHARGES	Received on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Trans. and Reinstated (Include Trans. from Other Denominations)	Removed by Trans. and Otherwise (Include Trans. to Other Denominations)	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Total Preparatory Members	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance Sunday School (All Ages)	Paid Local Work	Number Organized Churches	Value of Churches, Equipment, Parsonages and Other Property	Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages and Current Expenses
	2	3-4	5-7	8	9	12	19	20	33	37	38, 39, 40	41
1 Bayside	14	6	3 12	6	211 280	13 74	187 305	138 179	795 2006	4 3	92000	
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No. List	CHARGES	Paid on Debt, Buildings and for Improvements (Including Interest)	Paid Current Expenses and Church School ** Administration, Etc.	Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's(s') Expense, Dist. Supt. Episcopal, Con. Cla., Minimum Salary Funds	CONNECTIONAL FUNDS: General, Jurisdictional, Area, Conference, District and Interdenominational	World Service and Conference Benevolences (On Apportionment)	All Other General and Conference Benevolences	All Other Benevolences	W. S. C. S. Cash Sent to Their Conference or District Treasurer
		42-43	44-45	47c	48c, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b	53-55	56c	57-61, 63-71	72-74	62
2	Bayside	934	3030	3000 3500	638 1398	162 199	750 921	112 821	36	108 159
3 4	Burrsville		12116	2200	561	90	420	448		
5	Cambridge—Grace. Cambridge—St. Paul.	5978	9806	7000 6000	2845 2310	556 336	2577 1557	1059 1604	5 31	859 604
7	Centreville—Enworth-Grace	81694	15141 4563	7000 5500	2845 2288	355	1645	897	77	847
8	Chestertown—Christ	6681	7742	4400	1698	216 283	999 1314	1066 1656	10 42	532 549
10	Chestertown—First Church Creek	22044 6350	8816 3876	6000 3500	2510 1498	281 162	1301	1492	135	583
11	Church Hill	5636	2684	4300	1266	211	748 980	845 774	10	18 193
12 13	Concord	678 7916	1289	2970 3000	1287 1325	145 88	673	958	34	10
14	Crumpton. Denton—First. Denton—Grace-Ames.		425 727	1000	205	40	410 185	166 283		30
15	Denton—First Denton—Grace-Ames	5704	6432 1811	5500 3500	2288 1498	331	1533	2566	239	650
17	East New Market	556	1846	3500	1498	165 124	765 576	446 930		151 78
9	East New Market. Easton—St. Marks Federalsburg—Christ-Union. Friendship	70619 5964	23400 6771	7000 6000	2845 2196	819 445	3773 2062	2736		1544
20	Friendship	2000	1400	754	696	50	230	3110 157		947
22	Greensboro	3926 500	2254 2010	3300 3300	1408 1408	130 172	602 798	652	1	181
3	Harmony Hillsboro—Queen Anne	1319	2287	3250	1443	99	461	387 484		205 258
5	Hooper's Island	1900 1400	2620 1180	3500 3500	1498 1498	182 142	843 660	587	24	26
6	Hooper's Island Hurlock—Unity-Washington. Ingleside	13179	4730	4500	1918	302	1398	$\frac{450}{1022}$	14	22 548
8	Kennedyville	2183	954 609	2800 1200	1242 556	111 59	516 271	544		147
9	Kent Island Marydel Oxford	500	3231	4000	1680	212	985	241 930		20 274
1 (Oxford	589	1688 1043	2800 3100	1242 1353	123 151	571 699	301 1011		88
2]	Preston. Queenstown	8417	4946	4000	1680	171	791	531	. 5	288 215
4]	Kldgelv	7463 3251	837 2497	4050 3400	1695 1435	187	869	1031		98
5]	Rock Hall	2754	3528	3900	1612	170 147	785 680	1152 1481	41	254 75
7 5	st. James	13050	800 2088	1600 4000	716 1680	25 226	115	75		54
3 5	St. Michaels	1822	4055	4700	2054	262	1047 1212	679		107 350
0 5	Secretary	2452 2447	4502 1334	3200 2500	1380 1164	117	543	807		116
LE	Still Pond	1938	6282	4000	1980	64 174	296 808	305 1054	10 85	66 248
3 7	Filghman	3379 1303	3772 2208	4700 3500	1934 998	215	995	758	5	216
17	St. James tt. Michaels. St. Thomas. Secretary still Pond. sudlersville. Filighman. Frappe. Vienna. Vesley Chapel. Villiamsburg. Vye Mills.	6948	1879	3800	1283	181 142	837 658	757 445		45 165
7 2	Vesley Chanel	5950 3138	3378 360	4100 3200	1713	145	671	71	36	51
V	Villiamsburg	55	215	1000	1280 201	154 44	713 206	876 260	5	65 10
9 .	Vye Mills	648	1158	2500	1112	47	216	302		45
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-	Totals	326977	178320	179024	72858	9212	42665	40208	845	12450

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List No.	Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Received this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conf.	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Barents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Xouth, Adults	ry Members Roll
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2 3 4	Allen. Siloam Washington Berlin, Md. Bishopville	E. J. Clawson E. J. Clawson Joseph B. Vaughn	131 120 101 490	16	 1 7	 i	1 4 		 1 5		135 101 101 490	2 3 10		3
12 13 14 15	Bishopville Wilson Showell Zion Crisfield—Asbury Crisfield—Immanuel Crisfield—Mariners St. Peter's Westover Crisfield—Mt. Pleasant Deal Island	Harry M. Guyer W. A. Donoway	115 147 106 624 646 119 26 26 308	3 1 3 18 3	3 5		 7 8		 1 3	6 1 11 8 2	119 147 107 611 554 96 26 26 322	2 3 2 13 11 3 1 		31 41 75 153 19 5
16 17 18 19 20 21	St. John's. St. Paul's. Rock Creek. Delmar—First. Delmar—Mt. Olivet. Mills Chapel. Fairmount	Frank A. Baker Frank A. Baker Frank A. Baker Chas. E. Clarkson Louis C. Randall Louis C. Randall	91 107 62 527 340 22	COMPANY COM	4	 3 4	11 10	11 60 13		9 2 1 9 6	70 84 55 486 328 22	7 7 4 8	1 1 1 1	16 15 10 52 80 4
23 24 25 26 27 28 29	Christ. Mt. Olive. Rehoboth. Fruitland—St. John's. Galestown. Cokesbury. Woodland Hebron	Harold P. Spedden Harold P. Spedden Harold P. Spedden F. M. Volk Edward M. Gladden Edward M. Gladden Edward M. Gladden	150 42 58 405 50 78 75	Reserved to the second	2 1 5	1000	19433-194			2 1 1 2 2 2	159 41 49 369 79 91 110	6 8 5 	1 2 1	31 5 7 11 5 5
31 32 33 34	Charity	Waldo L. Dise	107 142 201	3 5 8			2			2 2 2	108 145 205	5 4 6	i	25 50 60
35 36 37 38 39 40	Emmanuel St. Paul Snethen Mt. Pleasant Mt. Hermon St. Luke's Mt. Vernon	James O'Neil James O'Neil James O'Neil James O'Neil James O'Neil George D. White George D. White	75 65 87 49 175 40	11 2 9 	····· 2 ···· 1		2 21	20		2 2 1 6	84 65 96 48 130 42	 2 1 4 1		33
42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49	Asbury. John Wesley Friendship. Nanticoke Bivalve Tyaskin Oak Grove Newark, Md.	B. Gordon Givens B. Gordon Givens B. Gordon Givens George W. Bishop George W. Bishop George W. Bishop George W. Bishop	114 74 30 70 48 43 17	<u>i</u>				1	 2 	1 i 2	116 71 30 69 49 48 15	1 2 3	2 1	····· 2 ···· 3
50 51 52	Bowen (Newark) Wesley (Cedartown) Ocean City	Clifton Hope	141 28							1 2	148 26	i	4	28 3
53 -54 -55	Oriole	Ralph L. Minker, Jr Ralph L. Minker, Jr	275 50	11 2	11 2	3 2	6 3			6 3	277 50	12 1	1	113 21
56 57 58	St. Peters	A. A. Turkington A. A. Turkington A. A. Turkington	206 19 34	5	3					2	207 19 34			14
59 60 61 62	Parsonburg Bethel Jerusalem Zion	William J. Garrett William J. Garrett William J. Garrett	68 172 103	 2	1 2	2	3 3			i	69 170 104	3 1 1		27 24 16

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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70	Quinton	George L. Stellges	211 216 57 318 33 449 70	3 2 5 7	3	 i	4 5 10	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			212 52 315 33 413	₂	3	43: 14 12: 50
71 72 73 74	St. John's. White's Chapel Mt. Zion Mt. Pleasant. Mt. Olive. Friendship. Princess Anne—Antioch. Quantico. Rockawalkin. White Haven. Wetipquin. Salisbury—Asbury. Salisbury—Bethesda. Salisbury—Grace. Salisbury—Trinity. Stengle. Salisbury—Trinity. Sharptown—Asbury. Riverton. Sharptown—Mt. Vernon Mt. Hermon. Wheatley's	Herbert Gladden Herbert Gladden Herbert Gladden Herbert Gladden Otho G. Brewer, Jr. Howard L. Gordy, Jr. J. Robert Mackey Howard M. Amoss J. J. VonHagel Addison L. Smith Addison L. Smith R. Jervis Cooke F. H. Truitt F. H. Truitt H. Norman Nicklas H. Norman Nicklas	156 37 22 1415 1426 692 215 46 842 214 47 113 56	8	33 1 32 32 10 18 18	7 28 5 2 4	1 3 20 28 16 14 3	222 266 77 54 465 4		8 2 	100 48 75 88 56 497 50 165 38 22 1460 1482 694 252 48 793 207	18 25 27 15 8 5 26 9	3 5 32 15 2 4 9	155- 233- 233- 211 157- 55- 12-
94 95 96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 110	Ewell Union. Calvary. Snow Hill—Bates. Trinity. Snow Hill—Whatcoat. St. Martins. Campbelltown. Ebenezer Friendship Taylorville Stockton—Girdletree. Stockton Portersville Remson. Trinity. Quindocqua Phoenix Union.	W. A. Hill W. A. Hill H. B. Flater H. B. Fla	278 122 99 292 125 385 55 27 31 42 56 128 73 40 109 75 81	6 5 12 12 5 8 8 1 1	2 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	3 1	6 2 2 3 3 1		4 1	5	277 121 99 290 125 386 555 28 31 422 47 77 45 113 74 79 29 47 120 102	9 1 4 6 		95
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	Hammer, Lov	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
1 2 3 4 5	AllenSiloamWashingtonBerlin, MdBishovville	9 6 10 22	18	16 26 15 160	24 16 30 60	2	31 51 51 120	80 99 106 407	152			10		1 1 1 1	27 13	
12 13 14	Wilson. Showell Zion Crisfield—Asbury. Crisfield—Immanuel Crisfield—Mariners. St. Peter's Westover. Crisfield—Mt. Plesaant.	20 23 11 23 30 10 6 4 25	10 10 5 28 15 9 25	47 37 23 109 135 30 12 10 57	43 32 38 65 98 18 5	6 6 5 30 25 5 1 1	96 75 81 143 210 54 18 12 133	222 183 163 398 513 126 42 27 305	74 223 278 72 23 18	39 125 30	46	13 10 33 25	24	1 1 1 1	71 12 26 115 98 74	
16 17 18	Deal Island St. John's St. Paul's Rock Creek Delmar—First Delmar—Mt. Olivet Mills Chapel Fairmount	12 10 11 32 25 4	 15 8	40 45 29 91 99 8	18 40 22 58 76 7	24 22	40 35 37 157 217 22	110 130 99 377 447 41	93 42 202 141			12 7 22 9	15 12	1 1 1 1 1 1	65 37 1	
23 24 25 26 27 28 29	Christ. Mt. Olive. Rehoboth. Fruitland—St. John's. Galestown. Cokesbury. Woodland	18 10 5 25 10 7 9	29 2	60 7 5 148 36 17 20	30 8 8 89 15 18 20	20	55 11 20 154 24 30 30	163 36 38 465 85 74 99	30 25 233 51 50		10 10 10	21 12 8		1 1 1 1 1 1 1	8 100 45 45	
31 32 33 34	Hebron Charity Nelsonia St. Paul's Mardela	7 18 40	37	20 51 55	16 30 65	6	36 65 80	79 207 240	104			15	40 60		10 40 42	
35 36 37 38	Emmanuel. St. Paul St. Paul Snethen Mt. Pleasant. Mt. Hermon St. Luke's Mt. Vernon	15 8 10 6 12 5	9 2 10 2	15 19 24 7 55 11	26 20 35 8 32 14	22 30		128 74 123 45 129 50	85 28 85	8		8 4 15 12	12	1	60	
42 43 44 45 46 47 48	Asbury. John Wesley Friendship. Nanticoke Bivalve Tyaskin Oak Grove.	25 10 3 10 12 5	12 11 	63 14 10 15 43 26	25 7 14 27 6	4 2 	78 60 20 60 27 10	207 102 33 101 109 47	40			10		1 1	53 5	
49 50 51 52 53	Newark, Md. Bowen (Newark) Wesley (Cedartown) Ocean City Atlantic. Bethany	10 14 6	28	39 95 17	17 26 19	 9 14	10 83 35	76 255 95	100			10		1 1 1	38	
55 56 57 58	Oriole St. Peters St. Stephens Dames Quarter	12 1 5		1828	49		93 12 19	172 13 61	135	14		14	20			
59 60 61 62	Parsonburg Bethel Jerusalem Zion	7 10 9	6 24 3	14 30 42	22 53 45	6 4	35 81 75	84 204 178	48 83 100	10		12		1 1 1	 89 77	

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64	Pittsville—Ayers Melson	18	19	56 30	21 24		81 110	194 187	100 106			8 7		1		
65	Wango Pocomoke—Bethany	18	22	26 25	5		20 78	55	27					1		
67	Quinton	4		8		:::::	10	174 22	87 11		65	15	55			15
68 69	Pocomoke—Salem Cokesbury	14		106 21	50 8		100		175			15		1	50	
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71 72	St. John's	17 16		20 34	55 33	18			103					1	36	
73	Mt. Zion						48	131	58					1	12	
74 75	Mt. Pleasant	8		22	17		33	80	56					1		
76	Friendship	12		16 15	16 10		19 25	63 58	40	::::			::::	1 1		
77	Friendship. Princess Anne—Antioch. Quantico	48		142	97		120	455	191		35	25	15	1	120	
79	Rockawalkin	11 21		26 50	18 27	6	47 77	104 181	43			16	::::	1	14	
80	White Haven	6		16	14		14	50	20			12		1	30	
81 82	Wetipquin Salisbury—Asbury	68	97	362	179	53	374	1133	442					;		
83	Salisbury—Asbury Salisbury—Bethesda Salisbury—Grace. Salisbury—St. Andrew's.	43	20	248	139	35	331	816	303	50	81 20	28	70	1	110	
85	Salisbury—Grace Salisbury—St. Andrew's	51 16	70	306 138	151 58	34	375 102	987 314	429 190		20	24 45	8	1	105	
86	StengleSalisbury—TrinitySharptown—Asbury	7	14	78	25	2	20	146	60			11	5	1	50	
87	Salisbury—Trinity	48 18	50 14	263 69	123 45	47	166 86	697	275		103	59			84	
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92	Mt. Hermon Wheatley's	10	2	15 20	9	2	35 27	80 61	42 38			12		1		
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95	Ewell Union	14		73 39	75 26		130 21	299 100	128 90					1		
96 97	Calvary Snow Hill—Bates Trinity	7		20	20		23	70	40	50		5000		1		
98	Trinity	18	22 10	86 34	29 11	19 17	55 35	229 115	122	9	24	13	18 12	1	72 40	
99	Snow Hill—Whatcoat	19	12	91	44		22	188	130			15		1	98	
100	St. Martins Campbelltown	4 5	13 15		22 6	11 24		50 50	18						14	
102	Ebenezer	7	19		22	39		87	38				::::	1		
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105	Stockton—Girdletree	15	2	36	32		55	85 140	89	55		20	35 20	1	75	
106 107	Stockton	8	2	32			19	77	59	55		10	20	1	35	
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111	Quindocqua Phoenix	9 5	4	28 16	14		14 14	69 43	52 31	12				1		
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113	Whaleyville	12 11		35 28			49 34	109 90	75 65					1	38	
115	New Hope			7	2		9	18	12				::::	1	23	
116 117	Willards	13 11	3	57 35			83 41	197 115	90					1	64	
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List No.	Charge and Church	Church School Members Joining the Church on Profession of Faith	Are All Lesson Materials Used Approved by the Methodist Church?	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevolences	No. of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups		Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (Including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebt. on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
		28	Yes No	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41
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	02-1-2-1-2-1-303	28	Yes N	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41
64	Wango Pocomoke—Bethany Quinton Pocomoke—Salem Cokesbury	5 	···i	1 586 1 693 294 497 22 261	1 1 1 1 1 1	15 154 20 158	950 1795 192 698 75 482 251	1	35	3 2 6	1 1 1 1 1 1	59000 88500 7200 75000 7000 150000 4000	4800 4800 2400 12000	1550	1800
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List No.	Charge and Church	Paid on Principal Interest on Old debtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Year	1	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor a Associate Pastor(s	Paid Pastor's and Associate's (s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid
		42	43	44	45	46	47a	47b	47c	48c	49a	49b
4 56 67 78 9 10 111 123 134 155 166 177 188 199 202 223 224 225 226 227 233 333 343 340 340 340 340 340 3	Mt. Hermon Mt. Vernon Mt. Vernon Nanticoke Newark Ocean City Oriole Parsonburg Pittsville Pocomoke—Bethany Pocomoke—Salem Powellville Princess Anne Quantico Salisbury—Asbury Salisbury—Bethesda Salisbury—Trinity Sharptown—Asbury Sharptown—Asbury Sharptown—Mt. Vernon Smith Island Snow Hill—Bates Snow Hill—Bates Stockton—Girdletree Trinity Union Whaleyville Willards	1042 1400 3000 140 4688 650 500 2161 300 17122 1038 6068 7467 1558 1236	9500 10481 1395 463 1500 7588 1236 1996 4226 3219 2250 77969 2687 2530 2200 4000 3125 2425 897 1966 15670 12688 17384 6000 5267 2762 4091 2038 11300 12012 1391 21342 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842 13842	1025 3470 3100 9834 18917 964 4171 12529 3974 3003 1233 3822 450 1910 7255 550 1928 1478 1075 7115 1602 2100 3436 3220 4659 2100 3436 3220 4659 9518 1176 30566 4945 3276 3066 4945 3276 3515 988 2880 1122 227 1128 1162	400 520 520 520 795 669 690 272 4588 616 900 735 794 480 800	3100 4200 3300 5800 3200 44000 4500 2700 5000 2600 3500 2240 3200 4000 3200 4000 3200 4500 4500 4500 4500 4500 4500 4500 4	1 4200 1 3300 1 5800 1 5200 1 5200 1 4200 1 4000 1 4500 1 4000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 2 5000 3 5000 2 5000 3 5000 2 5000 3 5000 3 5000 3 5000 4 4000 3 5000 4 5000		3100 4200 3300 5800 3500 4200 3500 4200 3100 4000 2700 5000 2600 3500 2240 4000 3750 3300 4500 4500 4500 4500 4500 4500 45	600 300 300 400 500 300 500 500 250 300 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500	252 198 348 312 210 252 240 270 258 186 240 162 300 240 156 210	1866 1886 1886 1886 1886 1886 1886 1886
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	Charge and Church	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Including W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advance Specials	Church School Rally Day	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total 42-45, 47c, 48c, 50b, 51b, 52b-54, 55b, 56c
1	en la vac des	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
1	Allen	23 50	10000	189	25			901			47		25		17
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1	Crisfield—Asbury	148		556		60		1872			20 171	50	10 58	51	13
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5	Crisfield—Mariners	63		122	15			281	30		20		10	20	8
1	Crisfield—Mt. Pleasant Deal Island	25		464	45			1096			20		45	500	18
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)	Delmar—Mt. Olive	33		349	55		43	1452 1049			154	6	50 40	4 14	19
	airmount	17		24	10		5				66		16	5	20 10
	Fruitland	40		173	25	35		598	179		20		25		91
1	Galestown	42		82				520			53				8
1	Hebron			239 122	20 10			1257			75		20		15
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1	Nanticoke	17		89				560			33		10		11
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6	Ocean City	10	10	171 60	10		10	1016			55		10	60	20
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11	ittsville			126	56	20		1250			94		38 15	97	25 31
H	ocomoke—Bethany	43		402	44	10	5	1060			150		40	31	19
11	ocomoke—Salem	32		655		20		1424	156		75	10	33	8	21
F	Powellville	56		$\frac{45}{317}$. 35			782	122		114				12
16	Duantico			179	33	10		665 765	138 80		238 71		30	14	40
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S	alisbury—Bethesda	150		1312	50	100	25	3240	428	0.00	700		100	210	67
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00	alisbury—St. Andrews alisbury—Trinity	105		262	;			866	78		50		22	56	15
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S	harptown—Asbury harptown—Mt. Vernon.	32		197	10	10		653	60		31	50	15 10	17	10
2	mith Island			71	34			1328	150		92		32	55	14 15
S	now Hill—Bates	12		500	15	20	10	1126	125		100		40		31
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U	nion			55				50	14				10		9
N	Vhaleyville	12		124				196	57		55			19	9
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List No.	CHARGES	Received on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Trans. and Reinstated (Include Trans. from Other Denominations)	Removed by Trans, and Otherwise (Include Trans, to Other Denominations)	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Total Preparatory Members	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance Sunday School (All Ages)	Paid Local Work	Number Organized Churches	Value of Churches, Equipment, Parsonages and Other Property	Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages and Current Expenses
	au-ce III-ii	2	3-4	5-7	8	9	12	19	20	33	37	38, 39, 40	41
56 67 89 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 122 122 123 124 125 126 127 128 138 149 149 159 169 169 169 169 169 169 169 169 169 16	Allen Berlin Bishopville Crisfield—Asbury Crisfield—Minmanuel Crisfield—Mt. Pleasant Deal Island Delmar—First Delmar—First Delmar—Mt. Olive Fairmount Fruitland Galestown Hebron Mardella Mt. Hermon Mt. Vernon Nanticoke Newark Ocean City Oriole Parsonburg Pittsville Princess Anne Quantico Salisbury—Asbury Salisbury—Bethesda Salisbury—Bethesda Salisbury—Bethesda Salisbury—Trinity Sharptown—Mt. Vernon Smith Island Snow Hill—Bates SnowHill—Bates SnowHill—Whatcoat St. Martins Steney Gride Frinity Jinion Whalesville Willards Willards	216 144 33 188 33 188 111 322 22 33 36 44 13 55 77 222 30 122 49 700 188 41 11 121 131 131 131 131 131 131 131 131	4 8 8 2 3 6 100 8 2 2 2 1 4 18 3 5 11 6 6 7 7 2 2 6 6 19 6 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	21 19 4 88 26 22 25 50 74 41 33 22 24 41 31 1 20 56 61 13 13 13 14 15 16 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17	$\begin{array}{c} \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \cdot \\ \cdot$	373 611 554 148 322 209 486	6	285 407 568 398 513 195 305 339 377 488 5258 5268 5268 5257 766 436 196 436 436 196 4356 5455 335 1133 816 987 246 440 697 277 469 359 344 488 217 488 526 526 527 766 527 766 527 528 529 529 529 529 529 529 529 529	153 1522 290 223 278 113 162 202 165 130 233 333 146 260 234 115 15 161 233 233 233 233 233 243 250 299 191 161 442 250 275 157 157 157 157 157 157 157 157 157 1	804 1618 1755 691 1177 2258 831 1759 905 905 914 1375 805 1742 22171 1200	1 3 1 1 3 1 3 1 2	207000 114000 507857 199000 113500 173000 142000 300000 146000 78000	15240 15240 15240 1795 300 13900 1000 1050 2200 3000

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	CHARGES	Paid on Debt, Buildings and for Improvements (Including Interest)	Paid Current Expenses and Church School Administration, Etc.	Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's(s') Expense, Dist. Supt. Episcopal, Con. Cla., Minimum Salary Funds	CONNECTIONAL FUNDS: General, Jurisdictional, Area Conference, District and Interdenominational	World Service and Conference Benevolences (On Apportionment)	All Other General and Conference Benevolences	All Other Benevolences	W. S. C. S. Cash Sent to Their Conference or District Treasurer
		42-43	44-45	47c	48c, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b	53-55	56c	57-61, 63-71	72-74	62
Al	llen	9600	1425	3100	1353	187	867	1127		1 6
D:	erlinishopville	$\frac{11523}{2795}$	3990 3895	4200 3300	1839 1209	303 213	1406 990	2048 1131	51	,
C	risfield—Asbury	463	10503	5800	2085	425	1972	2856	10	
C	risfield—Immanuel	3000 758	20417 1236	5200 3500	1938 1367	417 141	1934 655	2322 419	20	
C	ishopune: risfield—Asbury risfield—Immanuel risfield—Mariners risfield—Mt. Pleasant	1236	4629	4200	1747	235	1087	1353	500	
D	eal Island	2136	3145	4000	1480 1823		840 1459	937 2137	178	
D	elmar—Firstelmar—Mt. Olive	4226 7907	4874 3738	4500 4300	1751	246	1143	1469	14	
F	airmount	2250	2027	3100	1353	140	651	928 1047	5	
F	ruitlandalestown	77969 2687	4302 790	4000 2700	2010 717	370 108	1715 501	665		
H	ebron	2530	1910	5000	1879	274	1271	1589		
M	[ardella	2850	725 675	4000 2600	1477 689		743 508	505 622		
M	It. Hermon	4500 3125	2394	3500	1298		477	415		
N	anticoke	2425	1708	2800			604	646		
N	ewark	897 1966	1145 8730		571 2075	105 235	487 1089	608 1304	16 60	
0	cean City	15670	1787				684	265		
P	arsonburg	14849	2959	3750	1605		887	1129	97	
P	ittsville	17364 6000	5269 3744				1206 1111	1822 1495	91	
P	ocomoke—Bethanyocomoke—Salem	5910	5351		1873	308	1428	1767	8	
P	owellville	5267	725				900 1478	1122 1147	14	
P	rincess Anne	19884 5129	10579 1873				791	964	27	
S	alisbury—Asbury	2038	32757	8000	2980	1090	5052	11135	10	2
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00	alisbury—Grace	3148	3886				953	1033	56	
		3430	17953				2652	5437 928	20	1
S	harptown—Asburyharptown—Mt. Vernon	1100 3959	1300 3723				764 712	928	17	
200	mith Island	1342	5179	4000	1680	282	1308	1963	55	
S	now Hill—Bates	18776	3732	4000			$\frac{1150}{1223}$	$\frac{1480}{2205}$	20	
S	now Hill—Whatcoat	3907 1554	4335 1303				530	556	20	
200	t. Martinstockton—Gridletree	10083	3854	3600	1526	3 202	936	1537		6610
T	tockton—Gridletree	2575	1521				563 206	629 64		
U	Inion	394 1946	304 1587				537	411	19	
V	Villards	411	1838	3300			918	1277		
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List No.	Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Received this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conf.	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children,	Preparatory Members Now on Roll
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1 2 3 4 5	Bay View	Thomas C. Short Leslie D. Messimer	1061 122 55 119	14	102	52 1	41 1 3 2	5 5	11 1 4	1 1 3	1213 120 46 129	39 2	22	70 54 22 14
6	Trinity	R. P. Whitlock	293 53	2			2 2		1		342 53	25 3		122 15
10	Zion St. Paul's	Ira E. Crum	172 49						::::	1 1	188 48	13		125 27
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	Total Total Last Year	2255 2521	3082 4184	28132 31133	1526 1382	1483 1403	782 625	56236 23480	6359 7049	320	8881 4820	1700	1828	20087	1723971
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CHARGES	Received on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Trans. and Reinstated (Include Trans. from Other Denominations)	Removed by Trans, and Otherwise (Include Trans, to Other Denominations)	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Total Preparatory Members	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance Sunday School (All Ages)	Paid Local Work	Number Organized Churches	Value of Churches, Equipment, Parsonages and Other Property	Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages and Current Expenses
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Aldersgate Bayview Bellefonte Bethel. Cecilton Cecil United Parish. Cedars. Charlestown Cherry Hill. Christ Christiana Claymont Delaware City Ebenezer. Elkton. Galena. Hillerest. Hockessin Holly Oak Hopewell. Kingswood of Brookside. Kirkwood. Marshallton Milnigston. Minquadale Mt. Lebanon Mt. Pleasant. Newark New Castle. Newport. North East. Perryville. Port Deposit. Red Lion. Richardson Park Rising Sun. St. George's St. John's Stanton. Warwick Wesley Community Chapel. Wilmington—Brandywine. Calvary East Lake. Grace. Harrison Street. Madeley. McCabe Mt. Salem Peninsula Scott Silverbrook St. Paul's Trinity. Union Wilmington Manor.	54 55 144 611 611 611 611 611 611 611 611 611	3 15 18 20 6 18	6 139 4 50 18 27	$\begin{array}{c} 4 \\ 23 \\ 35 \\ 52 \\ 29 \\ 91 \\ 13 \\ 3 \\ \\ 6 \\ \\ 10 \\ 11 \\ 11 \\ 11 \\ 12 \\ 20 \\ 4 \\ 41 \\ 33 \\ 22 \\ \\ 77 \\ 33 \\ 44 \\ 420 \\ 45 \\ 51 \\ 188 \\ 39 \\ 91 \\ 188 \\ 30 \\ 77 \\ 63 \\ 30 \\ 91 \\ 188 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ 30 \\ $	1213 166 129 395 236 456 104 208 196 252 517	70 677 144 1377 1-146 220 165 329 16 655 198 366 267 944 688 111 322 2200 2100 2100 125 1288 69 40 123	1679 154 157 309 309 604 121 276 196 228 573 327 948 79 196 599 183 598 140 324 162 558 133 464 269 224 140 385 575 531 369 398 714 430 353 182 621 138 459 221 138 459 221 138 578 575 531 11 139 578 428 357 531 152 336 743 311 139 578 428 357 152 362 374 386 387 386 386 387 387 387 387 387 387 387 387 387 387	498 124 92 203 363 390 68 8187 143 143 143 140 350 168 416 54 140 265 77 227 85 264 69 205 112 200 108 338 395 170 108 232 100 232 100 232 101 109 108 1109 1109 1109 1109 1109 11	4483 1016 4133 805 1399 396 1182 2698 3600 454 353 2615 1315 1315 1079 500 1143 23277 254 12577 1336 556 600 361 1483 8855 4222 610 2060 1525 590 488 588 588 1328 1513 100 1080 1080 1080 11804 3230 11804 3230 11804 3230 11804 3230 1190 11804 11512 1700 1484 11512 1700	$\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 6 & 6 & 1 & 4 & 3 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1$	362625 117000 26000 220000 255500 275000 255500 72500 147815 175500 312144 265500 388000 295904 849970 281208 86000 155300 85000 2077600 98000 013800 077000 216625 2323000 4257000 216625 223000 2155000 21550000 21550000 21550000000000	9933 4100 177 1193 886 4439 1022 455 500 1800 444 8103 1455 6755 6755 6755 766 12600 1800 1800 1355 190 55199 5534 411 1420 1800 1800 1800 1800 1800 1800 1800 18

	OPERA EXPE	TING	MINIST	PORT			BENEVO	LENCES	
CHARGES	Paid on Debt, Buildings and for Improvements (Including Interest)	Paid Current Expenses and Church School Administration, Etc.	Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's(s') Expense, Dist. Supt. Episcopal, Con. Cla., Minimum Salary Funds	CONNECTIONAL FUNDS: General, Jurisdictional, Area, Conference, District and Interdenominational	World Service and Conference Benevolences (On Apportionment)	All Other General and Conference Benevolences	All Other Benevolences	W. S. C. S. Cash Sent to Their Conference or District Treasurer
	42-43	44-45	47e	48c, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b	53-55	56c	57-61, 63-71	72-74	62
Aldersgate	36000	85000	6000	2607	832	2875	5532	50	72
BayviewBellefonte	474	1508 3007	3000 2500	964 963	206 139	424 536	829 1096	64	12 11
Bethel	13824 4422	6876 3769	3600 3140	1773 1225	289 195	988 702	935	59	12
Cecil United Parish	2908	3732	8385	1420	424	1546	191 2438	425	11 24
Cedars	1104	3659 723	$\frac{1600}{3500}$	1036 1653	139 119	503 407	325 545		
Cherry Hill	10301	3878	3200	1630	311	1019	832	106	
Chester—Bethel	11601 20381	4045 9285	4000 5300	1680 1670	218 505	796 1839	$1054 \\ 4307$	642 487	3
Christiana	17141	5261	3700	1555	222	805	996	42	1
Claymont	3673 9040	$\frac{23681}{1182}$	7000 700	2845 647	1037 59	3623 202	5450 274	10	5
Ebenezer	2630	4909	4000	1680	258	938	1540	68	2:
Elkton	7931 27225	$14266 \\ 1723$	5000 2600	2075 1389	694 14	2465 49	3356 45	700	10
Hillcrest	26392	20620 1104	6400	2888 490	587	2119	2458	60	47
Hockessin	4010 12220	6960	2500 3600	1526	117 69	346	107 83	113	13
Hopewell. Kingswood of Brookside	227 49945	1842 8639	2700 5700	1216 430	97 56	326	475	80 53	24 38
Kirkwood	1092	1160	700	560	86	259 280	366 497	53	(
Marshallton	10795 5669	20884 1685	$\frac{4500}{3200}$	1873 2092	203 234	462 615	1112 738		39
Minquadale	2214	506	2000	1030	18		136	5	
Mt. Lebanon	300 3769	437 2815	2600 1600	715 876	101	329 329	685 95		(
Newark	21450	29071	7500	3013	1301	4173	5291	307	201
New Castle	14935 20266	6929 16385	5000 7200	$\frac{2120}{2500}$	472 765	$\frac{1645}{2724}$	1931 3022	284 252	62
North East	2414	4324	3500	1702	340	1205	1482	197	19
Perryville	4105 1100	5075 2800	3400 3300	1135 1357	270 126	966 585	1196 40	50	20 63
Red Lion	4363 18174	4592 16447	3258 6000	1395 2410	199	693	936	25	2
Richardson Park	1335	5036	4000	1680	734 352	2660 1267	3508 3701	367	68
St. George's	1900 500	4049 1381	3300 2300	1308 1099	219 101	776 360	1778 435	452 21	14
Stanton	10561	7769	3900	1612	303	1036	1535	81	17
Warwick		366 895	2500 610	490	105	380	531 2556		4
Wilmington—Brandywine	10341	13775	5800	2085	590	2176	2556	625	172
Calvary East Lake	4319 10298	4953 7114	3700 4400	1892 1798	219 380	793 1411	1128 1256	254 260	25 47
Grace	55867	44866	12500	4688	1960	7403	19998	6355	549
Madeley	3419 1280	9776 1975	5300 2800	2070 1242	477 146	1764 536	3135 806	163 88	174
McCabe	15200 3956	30384 5468	8500 4300	3348 2092	1072 285	4043	4100	150 150	166 53
Peninsula	12034	12423	7000	2545	764	1027 2808	916 3700	70	111
ScottSilverbrook	75 4474	1595 14134	500 4700	303 1434	113 367	458 1195	415 1333	85 179	30 70
St. Paul's	5517	21633	11000	3429	810	3142	4802	350	159
Trinity Union	4345 15449	5960 22170	4000 9335	1880 3308	148 667	452 2360	659 1645	6188	26 76
Wilmington Manor	29050	38480	6900	2953	326 .		1045	50	19
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CHURCH	Church School Membership		Youth Division- stas Years	16	4617 3200 3161 4862	15840	615	PR		lue of Church Equipment,	Estimated Va Buildings, I and Land	38	7599238 5494315 5875655 10850360	29819568 27992404	1827164
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		chers	Officers and Tea	13	1881 1399 1394 1935	6609	52	-OH	HZ		Membership	35	1043 691 1061 2094	4888	762
		претв	Preparatory Mer Mow on Roll	12	3514 1624 2539 5907	13584 12230	354	MET	MEN	pered	Number Char Groups	34	118 128 144 144	105	12
	Baptisms	lren,	All Others: Child Youth, Adults	11	196 186 181 420	983			100	oW Isoo I rot	bisq tanomA	33	85923 67845 67226 72106	293100 283944	9156
	Bap	d by	Infants Presented Parents or Gu	10	6 684 9 511 2 390 1 1065	8 2650 7 2699	1	S. C.S		(blind) esivre	Wesleyan S	2	5821 84772 65748 65649 7	21990 29 22227 28	937
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TABLES #1 and 2 — RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS

MEMORIAL FUNDS FOR CONFERENCE CLAIMANT ENDOWMENT To William A. Clash, husband; Eben E. Payne, father; and Maria Coe Payne, mother. By Mrs. William A. Clash, Cambridge, Md. \$ 7,000.00 To Mrs. Eliza P. Clark, Milford, Del. By action of the Conference in recognition of bequest \$ 7,100.00 To Mrs. Annie C. West, Middletown, Del. By action of the Conference in recognition of bequest \$ 3,254.35 To William Chance, father; and Susan Chance, mother. By Charles B. Chance, Sudlersville, Md. \$ 150.00 To Rev. John Hough, father, and Rebecca E. Hough, mother. By Mrs. James P. Hoffecker, Smyrna, Del. \$ 500.00 To Margaret Layton Grier, mother. By Mrs. G. Layton and Frank L. Grier, Milford, Del. \$ 1,000.00 To Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wilson, parents. By Timanus J. Wilson and wife, North Tonawanda, N. Y. \$ 1,000.00 To Rev. John R. Bailey, of the Philadelphia Conference, father. By Henry J. Bailey, Wilmington, Del. \$ 1,000.00 To Eli Saulsbury, former U.S. Senator, and official of Wesley Church, Dover, Del., uncle. By Senator Willard Saulsbury, Wilmington, Delaware \$ 1,000.00 To Rev. Alfred T. Scott, father. By Henry P. Scott, Wilmington, Delaware \$ 5,000.00 To Emma Prettyman, wife. By Rev. C. W. Prettyman, Carlisle, Pa. \$ To Vaughan S. Collins Fund \$ 500.00 To Anna Victoria Collins Fund of Victor, N. Y. By Mary Collins Sprague, Executrix, Claremont, Va. \$ 3,156.26 To Etta Pilchard, mother. By Dr. S. N. Pilchard, Salisbury, Md.\$ To J. Thomas Kinder Memorial Fund \$20,000.00 To Dr. T. A. H. O'Brien and M. Cornelia O'Brien, his wife. By children Dr. Theo. W. O'Brien and Miss Annie R. O'Brien \$ 500.00 To Rev. S. M. Morgan \$ 2,965.00 To Rev. I. G. Fosnoch \$ 500.00 To Mrs. Wm. A. Clash, Cambridge, Md. By Action of the Conference in recognition of bequest \$ 4,625.00 To Rev. T. S. Holt, in honor of his gift. By Action of Con-To Rev. Edwin H. Deshiell, D.D., Ex. Sec. of Conf. Claim End. Comm. 1916-20. By Rev. & Mrs. Ralph C. Jones, 1945 .. \$ 1,000.00 To the Rev. A. D. Dick, my grandfather, for more than 50 years a member of the Maryland Conference. By Wilmer Fell Davis \$ 1,000.00 To Mrs. Samuel B. Wright, Mrs. Mollie E. Fisher and Mrs. Carrie C. Short. By Clarence A. Short \$ 300.00 To William Francis Asbury Humphreys. By Ruth Wood Humphreys \$ 500.00 To Rev. Thomas H. Haynes, father. By Edgar L. Haynes of Wilmington, Delaware \$600,000.00 From the Thomas H. Bock estate \$ 25,000.00

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

Peninsula Annual Conference of the Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

1959

In accordance with instructions we have made an audit of the cash received and disbursed by the Treasurer of

THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

for the twelve months ended April 30, 1959 and present herewith our report as contained in the following:

Folio 2 Exhibit "A"—Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement

Folio 4 Exhibit "B"—Cash Receipts and Disbursements—Minister's
Assistance Fund

Folio 5 Schedule No. 1-Annual Conference Benevolences

Folio 6 Schedule No. 3-Annual Conference Administration

Folio 7 Schedule No. 3-Other Benevolences

Respectfully submitted,

COE, LUKENS & O'DONNELL

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware May 7, 1959

FOLIO 2, EXHIBIT "A"

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Balance April 30, 1958:			
Checking Account	\$	47,289.10	
Savings Account	i delmini i	1,211.90	\$ 48,501.00
Ministerial Support:			
District Superintendents and Parson	nages—		
Received on Apportionment	2	48,302.00	
Disbursed \$	45,078.95		
Transferred to Contingent		2、1000年以後中	
Fund	3,223.05	48,302.00	
Episcopal Fund—	ar toeroles		
Received on Apportionment		16,100.00	
Disbursed		16,100.00	

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Conference Claimants—			
Received on Apportionment		171,884.00	
Disbursed		171,884.00	
Minimum Salary—			
Received on Apportionment	4,054.00		
Savings Account Interest	42.39	4,096.39	
Disbursed	AMORE AMORE	3,250.00	846.39
World Service and Conference Benevolences:		karakan madi menanan Mbangsalamoni b	
Received on Apportionment Received through Children's	220,609.52		
Service Fund	96.00	220,705.52	
Disbursed—	o established		
World Service	113,851.14		
Annual Conference Benevolence	S		
(Schedule No. 1)	106,854.38	220,705.52	
Administration:			
Received on Apportionment-			
Conference-wide	52,830.48		
Wilmington District	5,270.00		
Miscellaneous Receipts and			
Refunds	1,857.43		
Transferred from Contingent			
Fund	5,853.70	65,811.61	
Disbursed—	uta selmatice		
General Administration	4,777.00		
Jurisdictional Administration	2,966.00		
Area Administration	5,000.00		
Annual Conference Administr.			
(Schedule No. 2) Wilmington District Office	24,016.61		
Expense	5,270.00		
Cooperation	3,782.00		
Delaware	20,000.00	65,811.61	
Other Benevolences (Schedule No. 3)):	1 3 3 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	
Received on Apportionment		285,894.56	
Disbursed		285,266.56	628.00
Contingent Fund:			

Balance, April 30, 1959:	* 1 * 100 *	
Checking Account	46,090.45	
Savings Account	1,254.29	\$ 47,344.74

FOLIO 5

SCHEDULE NO. 1

ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES

For Twelve Months Ended April 30, 1959

	Expended	Appropriated
Board of Missions	\$ 57,954.38	\$ 55,000.00
Board of Education	21,000.00	21,000.00
Board of Evangelism	400.00	400.00
Board of Lay Activities	600.00	600.00
Board of Temperance	500.00	500.00
Board of Ministerial Training	1,200.00	1,200.00
Board of Social and Economic Relations	500.00	500.00
Conference Claimants, Necessitous Cases	5,000.00	5,000.00
District Superintendents Contingent Relief	2,000.00	2,000.00
Ministers' Assistance	10,000.00	10,000.00
Wesley Theological Seminary	3,000.00	3,000.00
P. O. A. U	500.00	500.00
Commission on Town and Country Work	500.00	500.00
Delaware Legislative Committee	150.00	150.00
Methodist Television Ministry	3,500.00	3,500.00
Quadrennial Commission-Local Church Pro-		
gram	50.00	50.00
	\$106,854.38	\$103,900.00

FOLIO 6

SCHEDULE NO. 2

ANNUAL CONFERENCE ADMINISTRATION

	Expended	d Appropriated
Annual Conference Sessions Expenses	\$ 7,162.5	58 \$ 7,000.00
1958 Conference Journal	3,103.2	25 3,000.00
Interest and Reduction of Debt-Dover District,		
Parsonage	3,346.9	5,000.00
Maintenance of Residence—Executive Secretary,		
Board of Education	255.0	750.00
Insurance	703.6	600.00
Treasurer's Salary	2,500.0	2,500.00

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800.00

550.00

Treasurer's Assistance and Expense 957.00

Bonding and Auditing 507.25

Improvements—Dover District Parsonage 1,462.23 Completion of Salisbury District

Parsonage 1,612.27 Repairs—Canton District

District Superintendent Contingent Relief Association Deficit 500.00 371.29

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\$ 24,016.61 \$ 31,700.00

4,930.99

FOLIO 7

10,000.00

SCHEDULE NO. 3

OTHER BENEVOLENCES

For Twelve Months Ended April 30, 1959

	Received	Disbursed
General Advance Special	\$ 38,293.00	\$ 38,273.00
Week of Dedication	3,527.00	3,527.00
Fellowship of Suffering and Service	6,995.00	6,995.00
Student Day	4,136.00	4,136.00
Rally Day	5,914.00	5,914.00
Methodist Youth Fellowship	3,769.00	3,769.00
Race Relations	1,528.00	1,528.00
Wesley College—		
Current Expenses	36,615.00	36,615.00
Capital Improvement	99,462.00	99,462.00
Wesley Theological Seminary	34,639.00	34,639.00
Wesley Foundation	20,908.00	20,300.00
Hospitals	307.00	307.00
Homes—		
Board of Child Care	15,135.00	15,135.00
The Methodist Country House	3,713.00	3,713.00
Conference Advance Special—		
Wilmington District Church Extension Society	1,454.00	1,454.00
Other	461.00	461.00
Wilmington Council of Churches	2,993.00	2,993.00
Drew University	250.00	250.00
Other	5,795.56	5,795.56
00.76%	\$285,894.56	\$285,266.56

METHODIST CHURCH

FOLIO 3

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF FUNDS

	Balance April 30, 1958	Balance April 30, 1959
Contingent Fund		\$ 36,010.28
Minimum Salary Fund		4,905.21
Wesley Foundation		6,359.25
Jurisdictional Fund Reserve		
Income Taxes Withheld on Salary	50.00	50.00
General Advance Special	_	20.00
	\$ 48,501.00	\$ 47,344.74

FOLIO 4, EXHIBIT "B"

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT MINISTERS ASSISTANCE FUND

Balance, April 30, 1958: Delaware Trust Company—Checking Account Wilmington Savings Fund Society—Savings	\$ 12,811.73	
Account	5,490.52	\$ 18,302.25
Receipts:	A STANDARDS	
Peninsula Annual Conference	10,000.00	
Premium Received	140.00	
Interest on Savings Account	192.15	10,332.15
		\$ 28,634.40
Disbursements:		
Benefits Paid	\$ 5,750.00	
Refund of Premiums	80.00	
Group Insurance Premiums	9,548.64	
Miscellaneous Administrative Expense	155.00	15,533.64
Balance, April 30, 1959:	01.94 0 0 0 0 0	A
Delaware Trust Company—Checking Account Wilmington Savings Fund Society—Savings	\$ 7,418.09	
Account	5,682.67	\$ 13,100.76

BOARD OF PENSIONS

Statement of Cash Received and Disbursed

	Conference Y		Conference Y	
Balance		\$ 13,300.76		\$ 13,453.04
Conference Pensions	\$168,782.88		\$157,416.75	
Conference Special	5,000.00		5,000.00	
Mortgage Interest	26,779.35		32,673.51	
Dividends	27,466.31		25,074.26	
Bond Interest	6,698.06		3,458.67	
Methodist Publishing House	6,614.05		6,408.77	
Miscellaneous	285.92		265.91	
Total Receipts		\$241,626.57		\$230,297.87
		\$254,927.33		\$243,750.91
DISBURSEMENTS:				
Pensions Paid:				
Ministers	\$135,312.00		\$126,241.00	
Widows	76,622.00		70,762.00	
Supply	15,046.00		13,638.00	
Clearing House	3,446.71		5,814.64	
Special	5,320.00		5,604.00	
Total Pensions	\$235,746.71		\$222,059.64	
Servicing Mtgs. & Inv. Council			4,708.81	
Salaries	2,300.00		2,500.00	
Mileage & Luncheons	455.42		529.94	
Taxes on Real Estate	315.41		7.55	
Printing, Postage & Supplies	278.35		151.80	
Miscellaneous	535.98		492.41	
Total Disbursements		243,758.35		230,450.15
Cash Balance, May 1		11,168.98		13,300.76
Invested Balance		87,061.12		87,061.12
AVAILABLE FOR PENSIONS MAY 1, 1959		\$ 98,230.10		\$100,361.88

Statement of Assets Endowment Fund

			Co	nference Y	ear 1958-5	9	Conference	Ye	ear 1957-58
		Book Value		Market Value	Per Cent of Fund		Book Value		Market Value
Cash	\$	14,766.46	\$	14,766.46	1.05	\$	4,400.16	\$	4,400.16
Mortgages		425,829.16		425,829.16	30.31		484,217.67	56)/	484,217.67
Stocks		602,980.66		761,302.25	54.20		568,347.47		542,560.51
Bonds		191,268.31		195,452.50	13.97		167,246.02		174,764.63
Miscellaneous		6,797.98		6,797.98	.47		7,959.31		7,959.31
Value of Fund	\$1	,241,642.57	\$	1,404,148.35	100.00	\$1	1,232,170.63	\$1	1,213,902.28

Statement of Cash Received and Disbursed Endowment Fund

Balance May 1	1958-59 \$ 4,400.1		Tear 1957-58 \$ 12,883.86
Mortgage Payments \$ 58,198.3 Sale Securities 61,088.4 Ministers Contributions 6,679.5 Miscellaneous 6,787.2 Legacies 6,787.2	2	\$ 68,917.29 17,809.48 8,929.21 798.98 43,817.18	
Total Receipts	132,753.6	7	140,272.14
DISBURSEMENTS:	137,153.83	3	153,156.00
Securities Purchased 119,957.5 Miscellaneous 2,429.8		148,062.94 692.90	
Total Disbursements	122,387.3	7	148,755.84
CASH BALANCE	\$ 14,766.4	6	\$ 4,400.16
Value of F	und		
		Conferen	ce Year
		1958-59	1957-58
Value of Fund		\$1,232,170.63	\$1,001,760.44
Ministers Contributions		6,679.59	8,929.21
Profit Sale Securities		5,548.19	112.90
Miscellaneous Contributions Legacy E. L. Haynes		500.00	594.00 208,962.22
DEDUCT:	dinois sub	1,244,898.41	1,220,358.77
Loss Sale Securities		3,255.84	3,188.14
		1.241.642.57	1,217,170.63
Add: Reserve		15,000.00	15,000.00
BOOK VALUE OF FUND		\$1,256,642.57	\$1,232,170.63
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IRA S. PRUITT, Treasurer

(e) OTHER TREASURERS

Thomas C. Roe, Treasurer Peninsula Conference Board of Education The Methodist Church Salisbury, Maryland

Dear Sir:

In accordance with instructions we have made an audit of your books and records as Treasurer of

PENINSULA CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION THE METHODIST CHURCH

for the twelve months ended April 30, 1959 and present herewith a cash receipts and disbursements statement for that period.

All cash received as recorded in the Cash Receipts Record was traced to their deposit in bank. Cancelled checks, together with supporting requisitions, were examined and traced to the disbursements records. Bank balances were reconciled with amounts reported by the depositories.

Respectfully submitted,

COE, LUKENS & O'DONNELL

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware May 11, 1959

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT

Balance, April 30, 1958		
Regular Fund	68.07	
Special Account for Chestertown Wesley Foun-		
dation	1,079.40	1,147.47
Receipts:	in vo spaa	
Conference Appropriation—1957-58	4,400.00	
Conference Appropriation—1958-59	15,600.00	
Rally Day—1957-58	941.00	
Rally Day—1958-59	5,039.00	
Conference Treasurer—Wesley Foundation	15,300.00	
Camp Pecometh	2,500.00	
Church Music Institute	230.47	
National Council of Churches (Refund)	31.80	
Miscellaneous	76.07	44,118.34
		45,265.81
Disbursements:		
Executive Secretary—Salary	6,000.00	
Office Secretary—Salary 3,399.96		
less: Taxes Withheld, not disbursed 51.33	3,348.63	

4,000.00	
125.62	
95.50	
471.17	
371.58	
350.28	
396.00	
245.25	
2,000.00	
563.49	
306.11	
496.10	
1,146.93	
39.04	
431.66	
181.00	
125.46	
6,205.00	
26 898 82	45,265,81
	125.62 95.50 471.17 371.58 350.28 396.00 245.25 2,000.00 563.49 306.11 496.10 1,146.93 39.04 431.66 181.00 125.46

Wesley Foundation—		
University of Delaware—Salary	5,000.00	
less: Taxes withheld not disbursed	3.00	
not dispursed		
	4,997.00	
Expenses—1957-58 .	1,300.00	
Expenses—1958-59 .	3,483.33	
Expenses—House		
Rent	1,265.00	
Rental Deposit	100.00	
Withholding Tax of		
Prior Year	3.00	11,148.33
Washington College—		
Salary	1,500.00	
Expense	1,000.00	
Purchase of Property	1,183.19	3,683.1
Salisbury State Teachers	College-	
Salary	1,500.00	
less: Taxes withheld		
not disbursed	25.82	
	1,474.18	

Expense 1,000.00			
Withholding Taxes of			
Prior Year 20.65	2,494.83		
Payroll Taxes	34.09		
Student Work Miscellaneous Administrative Ex-	300.00		
pense	423.78	18,084.22	44,983.04
Balance, Regular Fund, April 30, 1959.			282.77

Conference Secretary Peninsula Annual Conference of the Methodist Church

Dear Sir

1959

In accordance with instructions we have made an examination of the Treasurer's records of

CAMP PECOMETH

PENINSULA CONFERENCE METHODIST CAMP OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

for the period April 29, 1958 to April 10, 1959 and found the cash receipts and disbursements recorded therein to be correct as summarized below:

Balance April 28, 1958	\$ 446.63 32,303.21
Disbursements	32,749.84 32,661.77
Balance April 10, 1959	88.07

Respectfully submitted

COE, LUKENS & O'DONNELL

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT BOARD OF MISSIONS

For Twelve Months Ended April 30, 1959

Balance, April 30, 1958			30,311.17
Peninsula Annual Conference			58,536.18
		in disease	88,847.35
Dispursements:		2121 - 1 2 4 2 2	
Missionary and Supplemental Aid— Deaconess—Du Ross			
Heights 3,000.00			
less: Payroll Taxes			
deducted, not dis-			
bursed 44.23	2,955.77		
Deaconess—Wilmington—Union	2,000.00		
Maryland Avenue Mission	270.00		
On Ministerial Salaries	2,100.00	7,325.77	
Special Projects—	10: 1950		
Cultivation Fund	1,200.00		
Migrant Work	1,000.00		
Dover Air Base	1,500.00		
Urban Conference	76.32	3,776.32	
Church Extension—			
Aldersgate	3,000.00		
Allen—Parsonage	500.00		
Asbury (Salisbury)	5,000.00		
Baldwin	1,000.00		
Chester-Bethel	5,000.00		
Cheswold	3,000.00		
Church Creek	1,500.00		
Crapo—Parsonage	960.00		
Dames Quarter	500.00		

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FOLIO 3, EXHIBIT "B"

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES GENERAL FUND

Balance, April 30, 1958:		
Checking Account	926.04	Laterand
Savings Account	1,098.19	2,024.23
Receipts:	X 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 10	
Mortgage Amortizations—Schedule No. 1	5,340.42	
Melson & O'Hora—Refund of Smith Mortgage	4,000.00	
Interest Received on Mortgages—Schedule No. 1	1,828.97	
Dividends Received	335.20	
Interest Received on Savings Account	38.44	
Insurance Refunds	669.17	
Service Charge—Washington Foster Estate	58.76	
Poole Estate Income Transferred to General		
Fund	3,975.19	16,246.15
		18,270.38
Disbursements:		
Melson & O'Hora—Smith Mortgage	4,000.00	
Repayment of Funds Held For Investment-		
Schedule No. 2	9,200.00	
Commissions—Melson & O'Hora	172.21	
Telephone and Travel Expense	155.34	
Legal and Court Expenses	255.36	
Annual and Special Meetings	88.80	

988	PENINSULA CONFERENCE	E .	MAY	1959	METHODIST CHURCH		989
		836.00			Tr.	OLIO 5, EXI	HIRIT "D"
	Salary	300.00					
	Salary	100.00		CASH	RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS	STATEMEN	r
Interest Pai	Serviceid on Funds Held for Investment	100.00 $1,563.34$	AL CONTRACTOR		BARRATT'S CHAPEL FUND		
	aha—Proceeds of Sale of Trinity nodist Church—Cambridge, Md	362.70	17,133.75		For Twelve Months Ended April 30	, 1959	
		81619		Balance, April	30, 1958:		
Balance, April	30, 1959:				ount		1,323.81
Checking A	ecount	_		Desciptor			
Savings Acc	ount	1,136.63	1,136.63		eceivedeived on Savings Account	67.52 46.82	114.34
CAS	SH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENT	FOLIO 4, EX		Balance, April Savings Acc	30, 1959: ount		1,438.15
CHO	I WEEL IS MID DISBURDING	SHAIRME	\ <u>\</u>				
	POOLE ESTATE			Comment vans	F	OLIO 6, EXI	HIBIT "E"
	For Twelve Months Ended April 3	0, 1959		CASE	I RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS	STATEMEN	\mathbf{T}
Balance, April					WASHINGTON FOSTER ESTA		
Checking A	ccount		2,190.32		Day Wash - Ended April 20	1050	
Receipts:					For Twelve Months Ended April 30	, 1999	
Mortgage A	mortizations—Schedule No. 1	5,763.14		Balance, April			
Refund—Pu	irchase 6 shares American Tel. &			Checking A	ccount	1,693.52	
	Stock	6.30		Savings Acce	ount	657.62	2,351.14
	eived on Mortgages—Schedule No. 1	1,497.36					
Dividends F	Received	580.50	7,847.30	Receipts:		0.005.00	
					mortizations—Schedule No. 1	3,935.08	
Disbursements			10,037.62		eived on Mortgages—Schedule No. 1	546.17 19.85	
	-American Tel. & Tel. Stock	959.00			eived on Savings Account	200.00	4,701.10
	s—Melson & O'Hora	252.00		Dividends R	deceived	200.00	4,701.10
Educational	Grant—Ebenezer Methodist Church,	149.74				100 mm to 100 mm	7,052.24
	ware City	1,000.00		Disbursements			
	Grant—Newport Methodist Church	1,000.00	CHID STEELS		Wills, Cecil County, Maryland	1.00	
Transfers to	General Fund	3,975.19	6,376.93		Wesley Chapel	5.40	
	Terminal of boundaries				Bond Premium	13.33	
Balance, April					s Neck Pastor	600.00	
Checking A	ccount		3,660.69		pel—Cemetery Fund	9.00	
				General Fu	nd Service Charge	58.76	

Commissions—Melson & O'Hora

Balance, April 30, 1959:

31.49

5,655.79

677.47

718.98

6,333.26

FOLIO 7

990	PENINSULA	CONFERENCE

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7,018.60 954.64 2,409.01 4,376.88 3,527.52 \$28,020.44

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88.43

1,311.88 5,000.00

286.57

1,598.45

405 Spearman St., Wilmington, Del. ... 110 Smyrna Ave., Gwinhurst, Wil-mington, Del.

General Fund:
Cole. Oliver Jr. and Mable L.
Dorsey, James W. and
Margaret D.
Edmonds, Claudia V.
France, Robert G. and
Lquise F.

719 E. Sixth St., Wilmington, Del.

Fairwinds, Bear, Del.

Christiana Acres, New Castle, Del.

Lemon, Clarence M. and
Lillian M.
Moody, Abram H. and
Loretta E.
Snelling, G. Melvin and
Frances C.
Tamone, Victor J. and
Mildred V.

Liberty Grove, Md.

Marshallton Heights, Wilmington, Del.

1-59

122.86

1,792.90

2,158.00 2,399.77 243.57

2,158.00 1,940.04

4 Laurel Ave., Gwinhurst, Wilmington, Del. 1006 Poplar Street, Wilmington, Del.

2,399.77

12,600.76

Poole Estate:
Archer, F. Emerson and
Susanne Agnes

Wilder, Addison D. and Bertha T.

Phillips, James and Charlesetta Ross, Samuel J. and May V...

1029 Lombard St., Wilmington, Del. Hamilton Park, New Castle, Del. 816-18-20 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.

296.96 216.98 1,828.97

153.02

3,680.54

908 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.

5,340.42

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353.04 200.84

4,729.92

106.96

63.05

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756.43

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 $222.98 \\ 91.94$

2,645.26 1,417.85

27.02

2,672.28 7,998.19

Elkton, Md.

Washington Foster Estate:
Allender, Garrett A. and
Clara E.
Creswell, Grover, M.D. and
Stella R.

Runions, Allen P.

231.25

3,700.00

3,700.00

\$29,595.01

1,497.36

\$23,831.87

546.17

\$ 4,063.11

3,935.08

60

1959

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FOLIO 8

SCHEDULE NO. 2

FUNDS HELD FOR INVESTMENT

	Balance		Balance.
	4/30/1958	Decreases	4/30/1959
Chesapeake City, Md. Church	1,000.00		1,000.00
St. Pauls Church, Clayton	400.00		400.00
Parsonsburg Church	750.00		750.00
Goshen Church, Milton	2,000.00		2,000.00
Chaplains Chapel, Greenwood	500.00		500.00
Beckwith Church, Cambridge	2,650.00		2,650.00
Historical Society—Conowingo	2,670.43		2,670.43
Crumpton	500.00		500.00
Ebenezer Church, Rehoboth	250.00		250.00
W. S. C. S., Parsonsburg, Md	1,000.00		1,000.00
Callie I. Fishburn	564.22		564.22
Eaton Memorial Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
Frederica Church	1,000.00		1,000.00
W. S. C. S., Warwick	684.00		684.00
Warwick Cemetery Association	145.00		145.00
Oakwood Church	500.00		500.00
Educational Society Peninsula Conf	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Henry T. Caldwell	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Mrs. Hortense Fleckenstein	500.00		500.00
Wesley Methodist Church, Wango	1,200.00	1,200.00	or a factor of
John Price Hyatt Trust Estate	500.00		500.00
Beckwith Church, Cambridge	358.07		358.07
Bethel Methodist Church Cemetery Corp.	3,300.00		3,300.00
Trinity Methodist Church,	1,000.00		1,000.00
James Methodist Church, Rising Sun, Md.	2,000.00	2,000.00	1168 3.00°
Cannon—Lofland Estates	500.00		500.00
	30,971.72	9,200.00	21,771.72

FOLIO 2, EXHIBIT "A"

STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCES

APRIL 30, 1959

ASSETS

Ge	ner	al	Fu	ind	:

Cash—Bank of Delaware	
Cash—Wilmington Savings Fund Society	1,136.63
Investments-Mortgages-Schedule No. 1	28.020.44

INVESTMENTS-MORTGAGES

SCHEDULE NO. 1

97,642.71

Investment Committee			
Investment—Securities:			
48 shs Atlas Powder Co	3,108.00		
10 shs General Motors Corp. Com.	404.54		
100 shs Socony Mobile Oil Co	4,900.00	8,412.54	37,569.61
Poole Estate:			
Cash—Bank of Delaware		3,660.69	
Investments-Mortgages-Schedule No.	1	23,831.87	
Investments-66 shs American Tel. & 7		11,460.37	
Due from General Fund—Cash Transferr	ed	3,975.19	42,928.12
Barratt's Chapel Fund:		aD legation	
Cash—Wilmington Savings Fund Society		1,438.15	
Investment-15 shs E. I. duPont de Ne			
Co., \$4.50 Preferred		1,288.02	2,726.17
Washington Foster Estate:		percent	
Cash—Bank of Delaware		5,655.79	
Cash—Artisan Savings Bank		677.47	
Investments-Mortgages-Schedule No.		4.063.11	
			14,418.81
Investment—100 shs General Motors Co	m	4,022.44	14,41

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

General Fund:		
Funds of Others Held for Investment-Schedule		
No. 2	21,771.72	
Poole Estate—Funds Transferred	3,975.19	
General Fund Balance	11,822.70	37,569.61
Poole Estate:		
Fund Balance	42,928.12	42,928.12
Barratt's Chapel Fund:		
Fund Balance	2,726.17	2,726.17
Washington Foster Estate:		
Fund Balance	14,418.81	14,418.81
		97,642.71

Note: Trustees are liable on Bond and Mortgage on district parsonage, S. State Street, Dover, Delaware having a balance of \$9,750.00 as of April 30, 1959. Interest and principal payments on above mortgage are paid by Conference Treasurer from general funds.

Conference Secretary
Peninsula Annual Conference of the
Methodist Church

Dear Sir:

1959

In accordance with instructions we have made an examination of the Treasurer's records of

MINISTERIAL CONTINGENT RELIEF FUND OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

for the period April 15, 1958 to April 8, 1959 and found them to be correct as summarized below:

Balance April 15, 1958	\$1,900.89 2,114.29
Disbursements	4,015.18
Balance April 8, 1959	2,165.18

Respectfully submitted,

COE, LUKENS & O'DONNELL

Conference Secretary
Peninsula Annual Conference of the
Methodist Church

Dear Sir:

In accordance with instructions we have made an examination of the Treasurer's records of

TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION OF THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

as Summarized below:	be correct
Balance May 14, 1958	\$ 841.97
Receipts	500.00
	1,341.97
Disbursements	120.00
Balance May 20, 1959	1,221.97

Respectfully submitted,

COE, LUKENS & O'DONNELL

TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

For the Period May 14, 1958 to May 20, 1959	
Balance May 14, 1958	\$ 841.97
Receipts	
Aug. 8, 1958—Received from John F. Kelso	200.00
Nov. 5, 1958—Received from John F. Kelso	100.00
Feb. 7, 1959—Received from John F. Kelso	100.00
May 8, 1959—Received from John F. Kelso	100.00
Total	\$1,341.97
Expenses	
July 21—Paid Rev. Henry Caldwell for Registrations District Conference	\$ 120.00

Balance May 20, 1959 \$1,221.97

ELLWOOD GRUWELL, Treasurer.

WILMINGTON CONFERENCE EDUCATION SOCIETY TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1959 Student Riddle General Riddle Fund Day Fund Impounded Fund 1958 Receipts May 7 Balance \$ 547.17 \$ 477.57 \$ 739.27 \$3,316.19 June 7 Security Trust Co. 7 Interest on Conference Notes ... 225.00 Sept. 27 Security Trust Co. 61.47 61.46 27 Rev. Kirby Krams a/c Note Nov. 3 Interest on Conference Note 112.50 Nov. 3 Return of Conference Note 5,000.00 Dec. 19 Security Trust Co. 36.95 29 Interest on U. S. A. Bond 22.50 Total Receipts \$ 942.17 \$ 638.83 \$5,900.51 \$3,316.19 1958 Disbursements Oct. 1 C. Merrill Eckhart#365 75.00 Albright College 1 Robt. S. Phillips 366 Syracuse University 75.00 1 J. Edw. Vaughn 367 Duke University 75.00 1 Miss Geraldine Harris 368 75.00 Ohio Wesley 1 Rev. G. L. Stellges 369 State Teachers College 100.00 1 Lance Maxwell 370 University of Maryland 75.00 1 Miss Maubra J. Bundick .. 371 100.00 Drew University 1 Wm. Tarcher, Jr. 372 Crozer Seminary 100.00

CONTROL OF THE PROPERTY OF THE		General Fund	Riddle Fund	Riddle Fund Impounded	Studen: Day Fund
1 Miss Barbara Holland	373				100.00
Western Maryland Colleg 1 Miss Carolyn Powell Western Maryland Colleg	374	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			100.00
1 Miss Eleanor M. White Western Maryland Colleg	375 e	needs <mark>til a</mark> s			100.00
1 Rev. Charles E. Barton, Jr. Wesley Seminary	376				100.00
1 Rev. Geo. H. Pigueron, 3rd Wesley Seminary	377		400000 998		100.00
1 Rev. Richard D. Bailey Temple Theological Semi	378 nary		6 800 d	Dau less	100.00
1 Rev. R. H. Pagne, Jr Wesley Seminary	379				100.00
1 Rev. Olin J. Shockley, Jr Temple Theological	380		ago ro a	assas as a	100.00
1 Rev. Chas. E. Strickler Temple Theological	381	Herriera Herri	Like the second		100.00
1 Brian B. Loss Temple Theological	382		-		75.00
1 Alyn Waters University of Tennessee	383		4 97 <u>93 1</u> 9		100.00
1 Miss Betty Anne Robinson University of Delaware	384				75.00
1 Roland H. Kinsley University of Delaware	385		41.7.25.20	1571	75.00
1 Robert L. Loss, 3rd University of Delaware	386		Palif. 10		75.00
1 Rev. L. E. Staton	387	—	100.00	Profession	alauwa
1 David J. Randolph, Jr Drew Theological	388		100.00	1000)(10	7 8 P.—
1 Jno. T. Randolph Brother College—Drew	389	150.00		(0.108) 3(D 4 3(1) - 3 (G 2) - 3 (D 4 3(1)	2012 (42 ₀)
Nov. 15 Wesley J. College *	390			:	\$1,000.00
15 Claude Brown State Teachers	391		6. 		100.00
15 Geo. C. Godfrey				<u></u> -	1,00.00
15 Harvey T. Sturges, Jr University of Delaware	393	2007.758	T (1) (00.00)	E SECULE.	50.00
Total Disbursements		\$ 150.00	\$ 200.00	=	3,225.00
Jan. 1 Balance		\$ 792.17	\$ 438.83	\$5,900.51	91.19
*The following students have been a covering the amount of money allow 1958-59.	ward	ed Peninsi to Wesley	ıla Confe	rence Schol	
Wesley Howard Bennett				\$	100.00
Franklin O. Bunting					100.00
Donald Charles Culver					100.00
Joyce Ann Downing					100.00
Wm. O. Hudson		z 4 mod 4			100.00
Louisa Jane Kearney					100.00
Lucille Marie Olsen					100.00
Dale Ross Pruitt					100.00
Willard Earl Schultz					100.00
Ronald Carson Thomas					100.00
Total paid to Wesley Jr. Colle	ge, 1	1958-1959 .	•••••	\$	1,000.00

\$ 538.70

996	PENINSULA CONFERENCE	MAY
	STATEMENT OF ASSETS	
Cash Balance		\$7.222.70
U. S. Government	Bond	1,000.00
1,00,000		\$8,222.70
Notes Receivable		
Rev. Charles E	Krams Strickler	\$ 100.00
John C. Street,	Bridgeville, Del	90.00 100.00
	Carl Street Street Carlot And Art and Arter on the street	-
	DANK SMARKING	\$ 290.00
Dec. 29, 1958—Bank	BANK STATEMENT of Crisfield—Balance	
Boss Outstanding (Hecks	
#383—Alyn	Waters \$ 10	0.00
392—Geo.	C. Godfrey 10	0.00 200.00
January 1, 1959—Ca	sh Balance	\$7,222,70
	Respectfully submitted:	
	THE REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF	
THE MUTUAL DI	ACCOUNT TO THE PARTY OF THE PAR	
CONFEDENCE	ELIEF ASSOCIATION OF THE PENINSUI	A ANNUAL
CONTENENCE	OF THE METHODIST CHURCH INCOR	PORATED
TI	REASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR	
	1958-59	
Balance on hand as	of Mor. 12, 1050	
consisting of:	of May 13, 1958	\$ 479.40
	nt Transactionality by a probable to the original transaction of the original transact	
Checking Accou	nt \$ 379.08	5
Checking Acco	unt 100.35	5
Received on Assess	ments \$ 479.40)
Received from Pon	incula Confession	\$1,806.00
received from Fen	insula Conference	\$ 500.00
TOTAL R	ECEIPTS	
		\$2,785.40
~	Disbursements	
Claim No.		
1—Rev. J. Hai	ry Wright5/30/58 \$ 300.00	
2—Rev. Leona	rd White6/13/58 300.00	
3—Rev. John	L. Sparklin8/22/58 300 00	
4—Rev. Charle	s W. Spry	
5—Mrs. Thoma	s E. Woodford11/ 9/58 300 00	
6—Mrs. Nellie	Conner2/27/59 300.00	
7—Mrs. Rebecc	ca Smith3/22/59 300.00	
19.491 S., 15.		
Filing of Annual R	on ont	
Postage, Mimeograpi	hing oto	
Honorarium to Tree	CHINO	
The state of the s	surer 50.00	
TOTAL DI	SBURSEMENTS	00 040 50
Balance on hand as	of May 13 1959	\$2,246.70

Balance on hand as of May 13, 1959

This balance consists of Savings Account Checking Account	\$ 179.05 359.65
	\$ 538.70

OTHO'G. BREWER, JR., Secretary-Treasurer

May 13, 1959

1959

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION RETIRED MINISTERS

Annuity Rate \$58.00

Year 1959-60				Penir	sula (Confere	nco	
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NAME	Total App'v'd Years	m	Annuity		Annuity	Total Annuity		w ty
	p'y ars	ears	nu	LT	nı	al	ief	pl.
	Lo Ye	Ye	\n	Years	=	ot	Relief	Supply Annuil
Adams, James P.	22	7	406	15		1222	Я	w 4 ⊨
Atkins, Charles H.	351/4	351/4	2045	10	926	1332		
Bailey, Harry N.	22.1/4	221/4	1291			2045 1291		305
Baker, Frank A.	311/4	311/4	1813					44
Barlow, W. G.	19	19	1102			1813	000	174
Bicking, John R.	451/4	45 1/4	2625			1102	200	
* Bond, Edward J.	421/4	91/4	537	27	1728	2625		
Branford, Charles W.	321/4	32 1/4	1871	41	1728	2265		
Branford, Harry V.	29	29	1682			1871		131
Briggs, William H.	20	20	1160			1682		131
Collis, Ralph H.	431/2	41/2	261	39	2012	1160	200	
Connelly, Olie H.	47	47	2726	99	2013	2274		
Crockett, Ewell E.	121/4	121/4	711			2726		87
Davis, Charles E.	41	36	2088	5	905	711	723	109
Diehle, John R.	291/4	291/4	1697	9	285	2373		
Dobson, C. H.	16	5	290	11	071	1697		131
Donaway, Walter A.	33	29	1682	4	674	964	466	44
Elderdice, Charles M.	501/4	411/4	2393	9	240 558	1922		
Ennis, William J.	141/4	141/4	827	3	998	2951		54
Flory, Chas. I.	40 3/4	2 3/4	160	38	2128	827	416	
Frey, Alpha B.	401/2	371/4	2161	31/4	163	2288		
Geohegan, Joseph H.	43	43	2494	0 7/4	103	2324		
George, John P.	321/4	251/4	1465	7	100	2494		44
Godwin, William F.	10	9	522	1	420	1885		174
Graham, Edward C.	32	19	1102	13	45	567		
Grant, W. Stanley	34	281/2	1653	51/2	786	1888		174
Gunby, Walter E.	411/4	411/4	2393	9 1/2	330	1983		305
Hamblin, Sylvanus T.	36	36	2088			2393		
Hanby, Jacob C.	22	22	1276			2088		44
Hastings, Robert W.	15	15	870			1276		348
Henvis, Edmund W.	35	35	2030			870	750	
Hodgson, Robert S.	401/4	401/4	2335			2030		
Holdway, Henry G.	281/4	101/4	595	18	010	2335		
Hungerford, Marion E.	361/4	271/4	1581	9	816	1411		
Jackson, Leolan	43 1/2	341/2	2001	9	542	2123		44
James, Oden E.	16	16	928	9	444	2445	000	
Jones, Clarence N.	421/4	421/4	2451			928	200	
Jones, John W.	451/4	451/4	2625			2451		44
		10 /4	2020			2625		87

		Р	enin.	(Other			
NAME	Total App'v'd Years	Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity	Total Annuity	Relief	Supply Annuity [1630, § 16
Jones, Ralph C.	421/4	421/4	2451			2451		44
Jones, Roy L.	321/2	141/2	841	18	1080	1921		
Jones, Thomas C.	44 3/4	19	1102	25 3/4	1546	2648		
Kelser, Charles M.	141/4	7	406	7 1/4	424	830		
* Landon, J. P.	31	9	522	16 1/2	687	1209		392
Leister, Guy E.	391/4	311/4	1813	8	480	2293		
Link, John N.	451/4	14	812	311/4	1912	2724		
* Mc Clain, Dayton E.	211/4	5 1/2	319			319		
Mc Dale, Howard R.	391/4	261/4	1523	13	832	2355		
* Mc Farland, Andrew T.	401/2	183/4	1088	15 3/4	567	1655		
* Mc Kee, Wm. J.	321/4	131/4	769			769		
Mills, Rufus W.	19 3/4	19 3/4	1146			1146		402
Morgan, Lewis B.	361/4	361/4	2103			2103		
Parker, John E.	29.1/4	291/4	1697			1697		348
Pettis, Joseph B.	371/2	191/2	1131	18	1080	2211		
Price, J. T.	28	28	1624			1624		87
Reed, Otis B.	381/4	381/4	2219			2219		174
Reiter, Charles L.	181/2	8 1/2	493	10	534	1027		
Revelle, Wm. H., Sr.	421/4	421/4	2451			2451		44
Ross, Gilbert S.	381/4	321/4	1871	6	372	2243		
Sard, Thomas J.	371/4	371/4	2161			2161		87
Schauer, Peter M.	361/4	26 1/4	1523	10	620	2143		87
Shockley, Earl M.	28	2.8	1624			1624		87
Short, Wingate D.	221/4	221/4	1291			1291		283
Smith, Tilghman	411/4	411/4	2393			2393		44
Strausburg, Charles R.	46	28	1624	18	1108	2732		76
Strickland, Clarence W.	43	43	2494			2494		
Thawley, Roy T.	411/4	411/4	2393			2393		22
Thomas, Essell P.	421/4	421/4	2451			2451		
Townsend, John W.	391/4	311/4	1813	8	480	2293		
Turner, Gilbert E.	32	24	1392	. 8	496	1888		
Wheatley, Melvin E.	461/4	461/4	2683			2683		87
Whedbee, John H.	331/4	331/4	1929			1929		65
Wimbrow, Lawrence E.	341/4	29 3/4	1726	41/2	270	1996		athietic
Windsor, Lester E.	431/4	431/4	2509			2509		
Wood, George E.	43	43	2494			2494		
Wootten, John W.	381/4	381/4	2219			2219		87
	2536	20521/41	19037	431¾	24586	143623	2955	4890

* MRPF Years—Bond, Edward J., 6; Landon, J. P., 5½; Mc Clain, Dayton E., 15¾; Mc Farland, Andrew T., 6; Mc Kee, Wm. J., 19. Total—52¼.

Brittingham, Otto W. (VA)			44
Green, Alonzo H. (BALTI.)			44
Latshaw, Blair S. (R RIV)			44
Mc Guire, Wm. T. (NK)	1000		65
Robey, Charles B. (BALTI)	1		87

Bradley, Sidney B.—Relinquished
Holt, Thomas S.—Relinquished
Loss, Robert F.—Relinquished

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION WIDOWS Annuity Rate \$43.50

Year 1959-60	Peninsula Conference							
	,	P	enin.	Ot	her			
NAME	Widow's App'v'd Years	Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity	Total Annuity	Relief	Supply Annuity [1630, § 16
Alderson, George T.	37 1/4	371/4	1620			1620		
Allen, George S.	15	15	653			653		326
Andrews, Milton S.	19 3/4	19 3/4	859			859		
Bennett, William O.	30 3/4	30 3/4	1338			1338		
Blundon, Arthur E.	311/2	3 1/2	152	28	784	936		
Brinton, Thomas B.	10	8 1/2	370	11/2	47	417		
Broadway, Luther M.	16	16	696			696		
Budd, Henry G.	261/2	26 1/2	1153			1153		
Bunting, John J., Sr.	35 3/4	35 3/4	1555			1555		
Butler, C. P.	16 3/4	16 3/4	729			729		
Cain, F. S.	33		783	15	650	1433		
Carpenter, Frank F.	32 3/4	32 3/4	1425			1425		
Clark, J. A.	221/4	221/4				968		
Colona, J. W.	37 1/2	37 1/2	1631			1631		
Compton, Wm. P.	6 1/4	61/4	272			272	120	
Cullum, C. M.	43	30	1305	13	560	1865		
Cummings, Wade H.	13	13	566			566	235	
Davis, Wilson	10 3/4	4 1/2	196	6 1/4	280	476		
Dawson, George W.	151/2	15 1/2	674			674		
Dawson, Wm. F.	13	13	566			566	235	
Dearholt, Moreland E.	25	11	479	14	569	1048		
Ennis, Charles E.	131/4	131/4	576			576		
Ford, Daniel J.	281/2	281/2	1240			1240		
Goodhand, Arthur W.	29	29	1262			1262		
* Gould, Robin	36 1/2	3	131	30 1/2	904	1035		
Grey, Arthur L.	6 3/4	6 3/4	294			294		147
Habbart, William E.	38	38	1653			1653		
Harris, Charles C.	343/4	34 3/4	1512			1512		
Harris, William G.	301/2	301/2	1327			1327		
Hastings, Goldsboro W.	2.7	27	1175			1175		
Herson, Frank	321/4	301/4	1316	2	90	1406		
Hines, George	34	24	1044	10	428	1472		
Holland, Francis R.	10	5	218	5	210	428	295	
Holland, Frank A.	40	26	1131	14	595	1726		
* Hopkins, J. C.	34 3/4	261/4	1142			1142		
Hufnal, Harvey O.	24 3/4	24 3/4	1077			1077	235	
Jacobs, D. W.	301/4	301/4	1316			1316		
Jones, C. Turner	26 1/2	251/2	1109	1	38	1147		
Jones, George P.	34 3/4	34 3/4	1512			1512		
Jones, Omar E.	45	45	1958			1958		
Kelso, Hugh B.	47	47	2045			2045		
Kelso, John M.	411/4	411/4	1794			1794		
Kniceley, Asa E.	19 3/4	123/4	555	7	176	731		
Lewis, Raymond H.	9	9	392			392		
Louhoff, Frederick C.	27	27	1175			1175		228
Mc Cabe, Joshua B.	8	8	348			348		

Other Penin. Supply NAME Mc Corkle, F. K. 27 25 1088 1172 371/4 371/4 1620 1620 Mc Coy, Jesse C. 313/4 Mc Dowell, Emory W. 31 3/4 1381 1381 Mark, J. H. 3 3 131 131 150 Morris, G. A. 11 10 435 42 477 Mumford, William C. 1834 816 13 - 547 1363 313/4 Nichols, J. L. 14 609 913 23 1/2 Powell, Lucian L. 23 1/2 1022 1022 Prettyman, John W. 28 3/4 283/4 1251 1251 * Richardson, James T. 36 30 1305 1305 633 Roberts, Winfred P. 43 1/2 29 1262 141/2 1895 Rood, John A. 291/4 221/4 968 302 1270 Rowlenson, John T. 33 33 1436 1436 Sherwood, Wm. N. 12 10 435 519 1434 642 2.1/2 112 754 * Short, Francis B. 331/4 Smith, W. C. 2 87 2 172 Spry, Charles W. 33 33 1436 1436 Sterling, George E. 45 % 45 3/4 1990 1990 Sutton, John W. 27 27 1175 1175 Van Blunk, Joseph M. 143/4 143/4 642 642 Walter, A. J. 15 12 522 648 Woodell, W. R. 26 1/2 121/4 533 141/4 1052 Wright, J. Harry 271/2 27 1/2 1196 1196 Yingling, J. M. 4 4 174 174 180 Zimmerman, August F. 22 3/4 22 3/4 990 990

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STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION CHILDREN

Annuity Rate \$14.50

Year 1959-60		F	Peninsula	Conference	
Name of Mother or Guardian Name of Child Age	Approved Years		insula Annuity	Total Annuity	Supply
Ennis, Mrs. Charles E. John Albert	131/4	131/4	192	192	
Ennis, Mrs. Charles E. Sarah Della	131/4	131/4	192	192	
Powell, Mrs. Lucian L. Carolyn Reva 20	231/2	231/2	341	341	11
Powell, Mrs. Lucian L. Ruth Ann 12	231/2	231/2	341	341	11
	731/2	731/2	1066	1066	22

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Annuity Rates: Retired \$43.50; Widows \$32.63

Year 1959-60	Penins	sula Conference	
Name	Years	Annuity	Relief
MINISTERS			
Anderson, John H.	201/2	892	
Graham, John T.	37	1610	
Hudson, A. T. P.	23	1001	
Justice, E. Carrole	201/4	881	
Kirby, Robert L.	30	1305	
Knotts, L. L.	231/4	1011	
Layton, J. Edward	35	1522	
Mc Williams, Guy H.	123/4	555	
Turkington, Albert A.	19	827	
Wilkins, Clarence	121/2	544	
WIDOWS			
Barrett, Mrs. Emma C.	16	522	
Cannon, Mrs. Bertha B.	14	457	
Horner, Mrs. Ella	18	587	
Mc Clintock, Mrs. Mary	23	750	
Prettyman, Mrs. Elizabeth	20	653	
Romans, Mrs. M. T.	12	392	
Smith, Mrs. Rona May	10	326	
Thomas, Mrs. A. G.	6 3/4	220	125
Travers, Mrs. Alonzo	22	718	
Wilson, Mrs. R. H.	30	979	
Wood, Jessie	14	457	
Wright, Mrs. Minnie G.	27	881	auties .
Total	212 3/4	6942	125

(g) CIRCUIT REPORTS

Note: The Statistical Information Usually Found In This Report Is Included This Year In The Report Of The Conference Statistician.

DOVER DISTRICT

Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Bethel	1,400.00	312.00	201.00
Portsville	400.00	89.00	64.00
Blades	1,450.00	995.00	334.00
Asbury	725.00	247.00	166.00
Epworth	725.00	247.00	167.00

^{*} MRPF Years—Gould, Robin, 3: Hopkins, J. C., 8½; Richardson, James T., 6; Short, Francis B., 16. Total—33½.

Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	westey Jr. College
Cannon	1,728.00	460.00	308.50
Cokesbury	936.00	150.00	109.00
Trinity	936.00	240.00	176.50
Dagsboro			
Bethel	3,000.00	847.00	105.00
Christ	500.00	260.00	52.00
Ellendale	2,400.00	239.00	25.00
Chaplins	650.00	104.00	25.00
McColleys	650.00	105.00	25.00
Farmington			
Bethel	625.00	157.00	19.25
Epworth	625.00	158.00	19.25
Salem	625.00	157.00	19.25
Todd's	625.00	158.00	19.25
Felton	2,060.00	507.00	172.00
Manships	90.00	169.00	112.00
Viola	90.00	169.00	
	20.00	100.00	
Frederica			
Trinity	2,750.00	625.00	218.00
Sardis	450.00	170.00	124.00
Georgetown			
Bethesda	825.00	269.25	180.50
Providence	825.00	269.25	180.50
St. John's	825.00	269.25	180.50
Zoar	825.00	269.25	180.50
Greenwood	1,700.00	691.00	446.00
Grace	1,300.00	335.00	203.00
St. Johnstown	500.00	176.00	115.00
Gumboro	1,500.00	411.00	267.00
Bethel	750.00	205.00	133.00
Westwoods	750.00	205.00	133.00
Harbeson	1,600.00	721.00	213.00
Sand Hill	500.00	164.00	
Hartly	1,000.00	293.00	57.00
Friendship	800.00	231.00	32.00
Houston	3,150.00	904.00	130.00
Williamsville	150.00	34.00	8.00
Laurel			
Horsey's Grove	500.00	100.00	30.00
Shiloh	800.00	279.00	37.00
St. Paul's	700.00	278.00	37.00
Trinity	1,100.00	278.00	37.00

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Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Lincoln	1,500.00	271.00	270.00
Cedar Neck	500.00	135.00	90.00
Slaughter Neck	1,000.00	405.00	180.00
Little Creek	5,00.00	61.00	97.00
Leipsic	500.00	54.00	85.00
Magnolia	2,600.00	739.00	50.00
Bowers B.	600.00	150.00	
Millsboro			
Carey's	1,040.00	415.00	276.78
Grace	4,160.00	1,661.00	1,109.22
Mt. Pleasant	1,100.00	443.00	297.00
King's	1,100.00	443.00	369.00
St. George's	1,100.00	443.00	416.00
Mt. Zion	1,300.00	593.00	293.00
Wesley	500.00	192.00	74.00
Nassau			
Conley's	1,550.00	511.00	341.00
White's	1,240.00	410.00	273.00
Zion	310.00	102.00	69.00
Roxana			
Hickory Hill	1,000.00	307.00	130.00
Sound	1,500.00	460.00	315.00
Zion	1,500.00	460.00	164.00
Seaford		世紀 主動物で 計画等 一	2.1846.93
Bethel	1,200.00	317.00	50.00
Concord	1,200.00	316.00	50.00
Wesley	1,200.00	316.00	50.00
Townsend	00.00	200 824 1 7	
Immanuel	2,600.00	763.00	500.00
Scott	600.00	190.00	119.00
Whitesville			watvitootil
Bethany	900.00	210.00	29.10
Bethesda	600.00	141.40	19.40
Line	1,500.00	351.00	48.50
Wyoming	3,400.00	971.00	50600
Union	400.00	114.00	160.00
Woodside	400.00	114.00	50.000
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Church	Pastor's Salar	y Benevolences	westey Jr. Col	lege
	EASTON I	DISTRICT		
Bayside				
Bozman	700.00	248.00	11.00	
Claiborne	550.00	106.00	18.00	
Sherwood		213.00	26.00	
Wittman	600.00	230.00	20.00	
Beckwith	1,120.00	358.00	181.00	
Antioch	630.00	214.00	107.00	
Spedden	1,750.00	590.00	278.00	
Burrsville			210.00	
Hickman	450.00	76.00	50.40	
Wesley	900.00	153.00	100.80	
Prospect	750.00	127.50	84.00	
Union	900.00	153.00	100.80	
Church Creek	30,436	10.00	100.00	
Bethlehem	389.00	102.00	19.00	
Chaplain Mem.	389.00	102.00	13.00 13.00	
Gethsemane	289.00	102.00		
Joppa	389.00	102.00	$13.00 \\ 27.00$	
Milton	389.00	202.00		
White Haven	1,550.00	300.00	44.00	
Church Hill				
Price	2,510.00	769.00	212.00	
Union	990.00 800.00	290.00	90.00	
		132.00		
Concord	1,562.00	409.00	273.00	
Chestnut Grove	751.00	204.50	136.50	
Bloomery	667.00	204.50	136.50	
Crapo				
Bounds	575.00	87.00	7.00	
Ebenezer	785.00	168.00	22.00	
St. John's	575.00	89.00	11.00	
Streets	420.00	56.00	13.00	
Wesley	645.00	98.00	9.00	
East New Market				
Brookview	850.00	175.00	73.00	
Eldorado	844.00	175.00	77.00	
Trinity	2,062.00	350.00	115.00	
Federalsburg				
Christ	3,250.00	1,837.00	265.00	
Union	4,250.00	1,837.00	1,280.00	.72
Friendship	404.00	230.00	50.00	
Chateau	350.00	221.00	14.00	
Grace	2,916.66	775.00	123.33	
Ames	583.34	155.00	24.67	

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Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Harmony	2,425.00	468.00	51.00
Grove	825.00	235.00	146.00
Hillsboro	3,100.00	921.00	123.00
Matthews	400.00	104.00	60.00
Hooper's Island			
Hosier Mem.	2,337.00	335.00	41.00
Hooper Mem.	1,163.00	167.00	20.00
Ingleside			
Busick	364.00	82.00	49.00
Marvin Mem.	945.00	212.00	140.00
St. Paul's	1,491.00	333.00	166.00
Kent Island			the sect of the section of
Dominion	532.00	199.00	30.00
Kingsley	1,210.00	299.00	46.00
Trinity Downs	2,258.00	699.00	102.00
Marydel			
Antioch	750.00	238.00	50.00
Calvary	1,400.00	329.00	00.00
Henderson	650.00	127.00	
Queenstown			
Calvary	1,350.00	352.00	232.67
Immanuel	1,350.00	352.00	232.67
Wye	1,350.00	352.00	49.67
Ridgely	2,040.00	610.00	396.50
Bridgetown	510.00	124.00	88.00
Thawley's	850.00	221.00	151.50
Rock Hall	3,800.00		
Grace	600.00	670.00	528.00
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Secretary	1,580.00	225.00	59.00
Bucktown Salem	460.00	60.00	5.00
	460.00	75.00	15.00
Still Pond	1,500.00	364.00	236.00
Betterton	2,000.00	444.00	287.00
Lynch	500.00	174.00	113.00
St. James	2,000.00	637.00	441.00
Salem	1,280.00	407.00	256.00
Worton	720.00	229.00	97.00
St. Michaels			
St. Luke's	3,700.00	1,080.00	355.00
Neavitt	1,000.00	394.00	
St. Thomas	1,067.00	220.00	31.00
Bethany	533.00	110.00	15.00
Wingate	533.00	110.00	15.00
Zion	1,067.00	220.00	31.00

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Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Sudlersville			
Calvary-Asbury	3,800.00	988.00	121.00
Double Creek	900.00	222.00	24.00
Tilghman	3,100.00	891.00	375.00
St. John's	400.00	127.00	86.00
Trappe	3,660.00	725.00	80.00
Faith Chapel	140.00	75.00	20.00
Vienna	2,600.00	1,241.00 444.00	
Elliott Reid's Grove	800.00 700.00	405.00	10.00
Wesley Chapel	2,400.00	1,660.00	110.00
Raum Chapel	1,200.00	778.00	40.00
Wye Mills	1,375.00	180.00	31.00
Cordova	675.00	28.00	
Starr	450.00	80.00	9.00
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Allen			
Asbury	1,550.00	473.00	66.00
Siloam	982.00	344.00	60.00
Washington	568.00	237.00	50.00
Bishopville			
Showell	1,100.00	426.00	270.00
Wilson	1,100.00	426.00	270.00
Zion	1,100.00	426.00	270.00
Deal Island			
Rock Creek	1,000.00	255.00	159.00
St. John's	1,800.00	460.00	243.00
St. Paul's	1,200.00	306.00	257.00
Delmar			a very 45 fra.
Mount Olive	4,000.00	1,345.00	871.00
Mills Chapel	300.00	44.00	8.00
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Fairmount Christ	2,000.00	475.00	322.00
Mt. Olive	550.00	133.00	90.40
Rehoboth	550.00	133.00	124.60
Renoboth			
Galestown	900.00	203.00	139.00
Cokesbury	900.00	203.00	139.00
Woodland	900.00	203.00	139.00
Hebron			
Charity	600.00	186.00	123.00
Nelson's	2,000.00	618.00	413.00
St. Paul's	2,400.00	741.00	494.00
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Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Mardela			
Emanuel	1,800.00	360.00	47.00
Mt. Pleasant	400.00	113.00	29.00
Snethen	720.00	203.00	49.00
St. Paul	1,000.00	283.00	33.00
Mariners	2,400.00	530.00	
St. Peters	1,200.00	266.00	
Westover	300.00	10 (0.00 (1.	
Mt. Hermon	2,150.00	476.00	88.00
St. Luke	450.00	141.00	20.00
Mt. Vernon			
Asbury	1,500.00	437.00	274.00
Friendship	500.00	115.00	77.00
John Wesley	1,500.00	287.00	195.00
Nanticoke	1,072.54	530.35	158.65
Bivalve	1,072.54	530.35	158.65
Oak Grove	528.00	259.58	49.62
Tyaskin	627.00	307.72	94.08
Newark, Md.			
Bowen	1,820.00	460.00	319.00
Wesley, Cedartown	420.00	132.00	75.00
Parsonsburg		0.005-174-99	
Bethel	800.00	234.00	34.00
Jerusalem	1,600.00	532.00	86.00
Zion	1,350.00	312.00	52.00
Pittsville			
Ayres	1,320.00	586.00	402.00
Melons	1,320.00	586.00	402.00
Wango	660.00	294.00	204.00
Pocomoke City			
Bethany	4,100.00	1,228.00	802.00
Quinton	400.00	123.00	80.00
Powellville			
Friendship	442.00	380.00	28.00
Mt. Olive	442.00	470.00	42.00
Mt. Pleasant	442.00	423.00	35.00
Mt. Zion	758.00	500.00	23.00
St. John's	758.00	688.00	57.00
Whites Chapel	758.00	674.00	48.00
Quantico	640.00	193.00	126.00
Rockawalkin	1,600.00	480.00	317.00
Wetipquin	384.00	115.00	76.00
White Haven	576.00	173.00	114.00

Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Salem	4,000.00	1,565.00	1,036.00
Cokesbury	500.00	171.00	128.00
Sharptown			analas II AM
Asbury	3,500.00	779.00	561.00
Riverton	500.00	150.00	24.00
Sharptown			
Mt. Vernon	2,730.00	574.00	309.00
Mt. Hermon	600.00	196.00	155.00
Wheatley	270.00	96.00	88.00
Smith Island		÷	110.00
Ewell	1,800.00	716.00	112.00 57.00
Rhodes Point	900.00	358.00	
Tylerton	1,300.00	516.00	81.00
Snow Hill			140.00
Bates	3,000.00	932.00	140.00
Trinity	1,500.00	466.00	69.00
St. Andrew's	3,550.00	941.00	699.00
Stengle	850.00	217.00	98.00
St. Martin	700.00	337.00	104.00
Campbelltown	300.00	148.00	47.00
Ebenezer	500.00	252.00	82.00
Friendship	700.00	337.00	104.00
Taylorville	700.00	337.00	104.00
Stockton	1,007.00	237.00	160.00
Girdletree	1,625.00	418.00	281.00
Portersville	437.00	138.00	88.00
Remson	1,031.00	348.00	240.00
Trinity	1,470.04	616.00	240.00
Phoenix	659.92	308.00	120.00
Quindocqua	1,470.04	616.00	240.00
Whaleysville	1,550.00	365.00	106.00
New Hope	1,216.00	288.00	90.00
Rehoboth	334.00		A SUPPLIANCE
Willards	1,700.00	575.00	394.00
Grace	1,600.00	541.00	355.00
	WILMINGTON	DISTRICT	
Der Wiew	2,150.00	436.00	56.00
Bay View Bethel	850.00	255.00	33.00
		140.00	73.00
Bethel-Chesapeake City		915.00	400.00
Trinity	2,700.00	313.00	100.00

Church	Pastor's Salary	Benevolences	Wesley Jr. College
Cecilton			
St. Paul's	848.00	230.00	14.00
Zion	2,292.00	623.00	
Cecil United Parish	Held hand terms some		
Calvert	1,375.00	289.00	198.00
Ebenezer	1,200.00	313.00	191.00
Leeds	1,275.00	270.00	145.00
Moore's Chapel	1,475.00	332.00	217.00
Union	1,425.00	304.00	168.00
Zion	1,875.00	366.00	283.00
Charlestown, Md.			
Hart's	662.00	119.00	81.00
Principio	1,029.00	139.00	94.00
St. John's	1,029.00	139.00	94.00
Wesley	180.00	99.00	68.00
Cherry Hill	2,300.00	386.00	
Baldwin	1,400.00	416.00	280.00
Big Elk Chapel	300.00	113.00	75.00
Christiana	2,467.00	653.00	420.00
Salem	1,233.00	326.00	210.00
Galena	2,200.00	nara san alaa a ati	
Town Point	400.00	60.00	34.00
Perryville	2,600.00	822.00	131.00
Asbury	800.00	352.00	26.00
Port Deposit			
Tome Memorial	3,300.00	711.00	#144 (16) 17 <u>0 10 0</u> 10 0
Red Lion			
Glasgow	675.00	170.00	139.00
Lebanon	2,825.00	672.00	550.00
Rising Sun			
Janes	3,500.00	1,357.00	883.00
Harmony	500.00	183.00	118.00
St. Georges	2,310.00	1,831.00	437.00
Summit	990.00	594.00	187.00
Warwick, Md.			
Mt. Olivet	1,870.00	404.00	300.00
	630.00	58.00	

MEMOIRS

JOHN L. SPARKLIN

The Reverend John L. Sparklin was born October 27, 1870 near Preston, Maryland. He was educated in the Public Schools of Caroline County, Maryland, the Wilmington Conference Academy, Dover, Delaware and at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut, graduating with the Bachelor of Arts degree.

Following his graduation he served as principal of the schools at Bantom and Roxbury, Connecticut and Federalsburg, Md. During this period he served as a pulpit supply in several churches.

In 1906 he joined the Wilmington Methodist Conference which is now the Peninsula Conference. His several appointments until retirement in 1942 were as follows: Farmington, Del. 1906-07, Cordova, Md. 1908-11, Sudlersville, Md. 1911-12, Odessa, Del. 1912-14, Church Hill, Md. 1914-17, Millsboro, Del. 1917-19, Wyoming, Del. 1919-21, Georgetown, Del. 1921-23, Newport, Del. 1923-30, Madley Church, Wilmington 1930-31, Hurlock, Md. 1931-33, St. Georges, Del. 1933-42.

Brother Sparklin was married in 1898 to Miss Anna Rodriguez of New York City. Mrs. Sparklin died in 1937. After his retirement he and his daughter, Virginia Sparklin, made their home at 622 Geddes Street, Wilmington, Delaware.

He was a member of Union Lodge A. F. and A. M. No. 5 in Middletown, Delaware. His church membership after retirement was at Grace Methodist Church, Wilmington, Delaware.

Surviving him are four children: Mrs. Dorothy Holloway, Selbyville, Delaware, Mrs. Edith McLain, Detroit, Michigan, James D. Sparklin, Rochester, New York and Miss Virginia Sparklin, Wilmington, Delaware.

During his last illness his family surrounded him with loving care until his death in the Delaware Hospital on August 22, 1958. His funeral services were conducted by his minister, the Reverend W. F. Dunkle of Grace Methodist Church, Wilmington, Delaware. Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery, Federalsburg, Maryland. Reverend Ralph Jones, retired, conducted the service at the cemetery. Many ministers and a host of friends were present at his funeral out of deep respect for a brother minister and friend who had graced the world by his character and work in the church he loved.

The writer of this memorial as a minister can with utmost sincerity say

"He was a man whose heart was good, Who walked with men who understood. His was a voice that spoke to cheer, And fell like music on the ear. His was a smile folks loved to see, His was a hand that asked no fee For friendliness or kindness done, And now that he has journeyed on, His is a name that never ends, He leaves behind uncounted friends."

W. H. BRIGGS

JOHNSON HARRY WRIGHT

The Reverend Johnson Harry Wright exemplified the best attributes of Christian gentility. He was a clergyman of culture, a gentleman of refinement, and a churchman of devotion. Born in Wilmington, Delaware, on May 23, 1891, the son of Alonza and Ann Wright, he died in his native city on May 30, 1958, survived by his widow, Ethel Calvert Wright. Few Wilmingtonians have been more widely or better known in all circles of the community's life.

After business training at Beacom College, Mr. Wright completed the Bachelor of Religious Education, Bachelor of Sacred Theology, and Master of Sacred Theology degrees at Boston University. He joined the Wilmington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1922 and subsequently served as pastor of Cookman Church in Wilmington, First Church in Chestertown, Ebenezer Church in Easton, Silverbrook Church in Wilmington, and Asbury Church in Harrington. He retired in 1951 to return to Wilmington.

Genial in manner, Harry Wright had the gift of friendliness to a marked degree, and especially attracted the comradeship of men. He was recognized by various honors in ecclesiastical, fraternal, and civic organizations because his fellows trusted him, liked him, appreciated his abilities. He could win the affection of the wealthy and the poor, the distinguished and the disinherited, and move with simple dignity in all levels of the life about him.

To the end, though not in good health, Harry Wright maintained an alert, inquiring mind. To his Christian faith he added a high order of intelligence and was never narrow in his outlook. He kept abreast of the better books as they appeared and knew the trends of contemporary Christian thought.

Few of our clergy have kept a better balance between the liturgical and the evangelical. His zeal was warm and concerned, but he appreciated order and seemliness. His ministry reflected Methodism and the Wesleyan traditions at their best.

Johnson Harry Wright is transferred to the Church Triumphant, and his brethren who remain in the Church Militant offer this certificate of transfer in all fraternity and with abiding love. He was among the best among us.

WILLIAM FREDERICK DUNKLE, JR.

DAVID J. MOORE

In the year of 1880 came into the home of Philip Henry and Mary Foreman Moore of Worton, Maryland, a son. He was given the name of David J. Moore.

He received his early education in this area and later attended the Wilmington Conference Academy, now Wesley College in Dover.

On April 29, 1908 he was united in Holy Matrimony to Nellie Frances Casey of Rock Hall, Maryland. At the time of this marriage David was engaged in the mercantile business in Chestertown, Maryland. During the early part of this union David felt the urge and answered the call to the

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Christian Ministry. In 1910 he applied for work as a supply pastor and was assigned to Elk Neck Charge in Cecil County, Maryland. In 1911 he

joined the then Wilmington Conference.

During the 37 years of his ministry in this area, he served at Christiana, Queenstown, Trappe (twice), Parsonsburg, Millington, Mt. Vernon, Felton, Ridgely, Millsboro, Ocean View, Chester-Bethel and Red Lion. Following his retirement in 1948 he spent a year supplying the Englewood Methodist Church in the Florida Conference.

In 1950 Mr. Moore and his wife moved into their home in Richardson Park and united in Christian fellowship with the members of the Methodist Church. On Sunday evening, September 9, 1951, outside the church, Mrs. Moore was suddenly stricken with a fatal illness. This marriage gave to the churches assigned to their spiritual care a dedicated ministry. They both lived in intimate relationship with their Heavenly Father.

On October 5, 1952, Mr. Moore married a widow, Mrs. Beulah Willey, a resident of Richardson Park. They both gave to each other a faithful devotion and service in periods of serious illness. During the declining years of David's life she was a companion that gave far beyond that which was expected of her. The last few years found his interest in the Church and the Kingdom increasing while his activities were curtailed because of his physical condition.

On November 13, 1958, David J. Moore, after bearing the image of the earthly for 78 years, entered into the Church Triumphant with the image of the heavenly. Services were held on Saturday, November 15th, in the Gebhart Funeral Home, New Castle, with the writer as his pastor, conducting the service with Dr. John N. Link, District Superintendent of the Wilmington District, assisting. Interment was made at Wesley Chapel, near Rock Hall. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Beulah W. Moore, a brother, John Moore of Fairlie, Maryland, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Berger of Rock Hall, Maryland.

David was a good man!

"A good man never dies—
In worthy deed and prayer,
And helpful hands and honest eyes,
If smiles or tears be there;
Who lives for you and me—
Lives for the world he tries
To help—he lives eternally.
A good man never dies."

DAVID WILLIAM BAKER, SR.

CHARLES WHITTINGTON SPRY

Charles Whittington Spry, son of Jonathan C. and Temperance Whittington Spry, was born at Church Hill, Maryland on March 14, 1881. When he was only two years old his mother died, and his Aunt, Mrs. Hannah Peacock, took him and reared him on her farm in Kent County, Maryland between Golts and Massey. After he was grown he assumed charge of her farm.

The writer first met him while serving an emergency pastorate at Golts in 1905. A little later Charles confided to him that he felt he was called to be a minister. He soon closed out his farm business and became a student at the Wilmington Conference Academy, graduating there in 1909.

He then began his ministry, and in 1911 united with the Wilmington Conference and served actively in it and its successor, the Peninsula Conference, until his retirement in 1949. In 1912, Dr. Clarence T. Craig, then pastor of Grace Church in Wilmington, was elected President of Morningside College in Iowa. He induced Charles to go with him as a student. Two years later, when his father was severely ill, Charles returned east and remained here.

On June 30, 1915 he was married to Miss Nellie Majors, who lived near Salisbury, Maryland. Dr. T. E. Martindale, pastor of Asbury Church, Salisbury, performed the ceremony. The Lord entrusted them with five children: Jay F. Spry, who lives at Hastings on the Hudson, N. Y., Mrs. Margaret Spry Cadell, Catonsville, Maryland, Mrs. Charlotte Spry Larimore, Seaford, Delaware, Mrs. Genevieve Spry McGee, Laurel, Delaware and Miss Ruth Anita Spry, Baltimore, Maryland.

The support the family received was very meagre indeed, and the problem of providing an adequate education beyond high school for all five of the children would have been solved with just four words "It can't be done" by many parents, but not by these. Their accomplishments seemed to many of us a miracle—yea five miracles. After years of ingenuity, hard work, and much sacrifice it was done, well done.

He was repeatedly chosen Chaplain of Legislatures, having served full terms in the Delaware House of Representatives and the Senate, and also for briefer periods in the House of Delegates and in the Senate of Maryland.

In 1949, due to waning strength he took the retired relation. It was not until 1954 that a cherished dream was realized. It was then that he and Mrs. Spry moved into their own home in Dover which they had had built. Here God permitted him to spend nearly five pleasant years, relieved of the responsibilities of a pastorate which had become too arduous for him. Yet he engaged in many activities in his home, church and community, to which participation he had eagerly looked forward. Here it was that on September 28, 1958, "He was not for God took him." Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Dr. John A. Trader, at Wesley Church, Dover, assisted by Reverends E. R. Wilkins, Melvin E. Wheatley, L. E. Windsor and Tilghman Smith. Interment was at Lakeside Cemetery, Dover.

He was intensely loyal to his friends. He was optimistic, courageous and outspoken. He did not recognize defeat nor retreat. A happy warrior was he.

"And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long Steals on our ear the distant triumph song And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong "Alleluai! Alleluia!

"From earth's wide bounds, from oceans farthest coast Through gates of pearl streams in the mighty host. Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost "Alleluai! Alleluia!

TILGHMAN SMITH

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REVEREND LEONARD WHITE

Leonard White was born in the city of Wilmington on August 13, 1880, son of the Reverend John White, local preacher of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Louisa White. He was educated in the Wilmington Public Schools, which he attended for only eight years. On June 12, 1901 he was married to Anna Springer Cole of Wilmington, who died in 1936. Into their home came five children, John Harvey, William Herbert, Ruth Edna, Mildred Hope, and Anne Elizabeth, all of whom survive except Ruth, who died in 1957.

It was after he had been married for five years, had settled in industry and to a normal life as a consecrated Christian Layman, that he was uniquely and positively called to the Christian Ministry. He had already received his Local Preacher's License in the Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church of Wilmington. In 1906 he accepted the appointment as Supply Pastor at Bayside, and 1907 to Wye Mills. By now his course was settled and in 1908 he was received into the Wilmington Annual Conference on trial and appointed to Fairlee. He was, in 1910, ordained a Deacon and received into full membership of the Wilmington Annual Conference and, in 1912, was ordained Elder, serving the following appointments until he retired in 1943: Fairlee, 1908-09; Assistant Superintendent, Peninsula Anti-Saloon League, 1910; Cordova, 1911-13; St. Michaels, 1914-16; Centerville, 1917-18; Mt. Salem, 1919-22; Dover, 1923-25; Delmar, 1926-28; Superintendent, Salisbury District, 1929-34; Newark, 1935-38; and Deals Island, 1939-42.

The writer of this memoir first came to know Leonard White when he became the pastor of Mt. Salem Church, in which I was then a lad of fifteen years. I do not claim to have known him better than a number of other persons but I am sure I knew him intimately, and am deeply indebted to him for guidance and encouragement in my youth. As I remember him, of his many fine characteristics two take precedence. He was a man of deep and profound conviction and he possessed unlimited courage.

His conviction was basic to his ministry and life. This was, perhaps, most forcibly expressed in his dealing with the liquor problem. It was no accident that, in 1910, he was sought after by the Anti-Saloon League, for he had rich talent which made him a desirable and forceful speaker at any public meeting. He had seen, first hand in his work at the rolling mill, the effects of alcohol on men. He was its foe as long as he had breath. However, this conviction went far beyond the areas of social concern. He knew his Lord. He knew Him first-hand. His mind, though denied what would be considered adequate formal training, was ever alert. He read the best books and soon became known as a preacher of rare insight and profound understanding of the rich truths of the gospel. Whenever and wherever he preached these great but simple truths, all who heard knew that he believed them with all his body and soul, and were stronger Christians since he had shared with them, his convictions.

His courage was indissolubly linked with this conviction. His courage was what it was, of course, because of his faith. This faith-sustained courage supported him all along his pathway of life. When he gave up his secular work to accept a supply pastorate, he gave expression to this courage.

Across his ministerial pathway his courage marked his decisions, for he sought not to be with the crowd, but where he believed to be the right. This courage sustained him on those occasions when the currents of life ran swift against him. So it was in December 1943, just after he had married in October of 1943, Mrs. Minnette Richardson of Ocean Grove, that he was discovered to have cancer. All around him despaired, but he did not lose courage. Three major operations followed in what seemed to us rapid succession. He directed the Doctors and Surgeons to go deep and get it all. This they succeeded in doing, and he rejoiced that he had been cured. However, part of his left jaw bone and jugular vein were removed and he, who had spoken so fluently, lived the balance of his days with a partially locked jaw.

Then in 1949, after two years of lingering illness, his second wife died. Through these years when she was in a nursing home, he had been living and continued to live with his unmarried daughter, Ruth. Her devotion to him, while she carried her responsibilities as a nurse in the University of Delaware infirmary, will never be forgotten. In 1952, following a period of three years during which he suffered constant lessening of eyesight, he became blind. During this period, Miss Rachel Mitchell had come into the home of the Whites to act as housekeeper and nurse. Her genuine Christian character made her infinitely more than an employee, but in truth, a friend of the family. So she acted, receiving the appreciation of both family and friends. In 1957, after a relatively brief illness, Ruth succumbed to cancer.

A few weeks before his death, I was in his home and expressed to him how much his life had meant to me, particularly the manner in which he conducted himself in the hard tests of life. With a smile, he lifted his face and while apologizing for relying on a thing secular, he stated that his philosophy, he supposed, was expressed in the following lines, which he recited in that rich musical voice which so often had thrilled his congregation.

When you walk through a storm, keep your chin up high, And don't be afraid of the dark,
At the end of the storm is a golden sky
And the sweet silver song of a lark.
Walk on through the wind, walk on through the rain,
Though your dreams be tossed and blown,
Walk on, walk on, with hope in your heart—
And you'll never walk alone!

A few weeks later, on June 13, 1958, just one year to the day from the death of Ruth, the earthly career of Leonard White came to its end, quietly and peacefully as he sat in his favorite chair, undoubtedly thinking of her, who had been so kind to him. On June 16th, following appropriate services conducted by the writer, assisted by Reverend George H. Moore, pastor of the Mt. Salem Church, and Reverend W. H. Briggs, a long time honored friend, we took his body and placed it by the side of daughter, Ruth and his wife, Anne, in peaceful Mt. Salem Cemetery, near the Church and parsonage home in which he had served and lived.

We live in deeds, not years, in thoughts and breaths, In feelings, not in figures on a dial.

We should count time by heart-throbs.

He lives most,
Who thinks most, feels the noblest,
Acts the best.

Life's but a mean unto an end: that end
Beginning, mean, and end to all things,
God.

PRESTON W. SPENCE, JR.

NELLIE ROSETTA HANSON CONNER

Nellie Rosetta Hanson, daughter of Henry Harry and Mary Elizabeth Hanson, was born March 4, 1877, at New Castle, Delaware. She was a loyal Christian from early youth when she united with the Church.

She was married on November 15, 1899, in Old Asbury Church, Wilmington, to Robert Gambrill Conner, a young business man of Wilmington. In 1930 Brother Conner felt a call to the ministry and was accepted as a Supply Pastor by the Conference. Mrs. Conner readily joined him in his decision and consecrated her time and talents to the fulltime work of her Lord.

They served successively: Ellendale, Marydel and Kenton-Hartly charges. An invitation then came to them to become pastor of his home church, Madeley, Wilmington, where they labored for ten years. This good wife rendered valuable service as pianist, singer and teacher in every charge. In the parish visitation she displayed a warm heart that enabled her to enter with sympathy into any home where there was sorrow, death or other distress and give competent counsel, thus bringing a ray of the heavenly sunlight of her own soul to others.

Loss of eyesight forced her to give up much of her former activity, but her home was always open, and she was ready to hear the call of need and bring relief. The day following their golden wedding anniversary she fell and broke a hip, from which time she was confined to her bed. After Brother Conner's retirement they moved into their own home on New Castle Avenue. Brother Conner was in failing health and was soon confined to his bed also. A daughter, Miss Ruth, who was a missionary teacher in Brazil under the Woman's Division of Christian Service, resigned her position and came home to care for her parents. She was ably assisted by a sister and other members of the family.

Five children were born into this lovely Christian home, all of whom survive. They are: Robert Henry of St. Petersburg, Fla., Rev. Harry Hanson, Minister of Calvary Church, Wilmington, John Leroy of Seaford, Del., Mrs. Helen Conner Abbott, wife of the minister of Madeley Church, Wilmington, and Miss Ruth P. Conner, of Wilmington. There are also six grand-children, two of whom reside in this city: Miss Roberta E. Conner and Harry Faulkner Conner.

Deprived of eyesight for fifteen years and confined to her bed for more than ten years, she was a patient sufferer. No word of complaint fell from her lips. She rejoiced always in the mercies of her Saviour and bore testimony to her faith in His Divine Will.

This consecrated servant of her Lord entered the life immortal on February 27, 1959. Funeral services were conducted at the McCreery Funeral Parlors on March 3, with the Reverend John Edward Jones and the writer participating. An important cabinet session kept the District Superintendent from attending. Her mortal remains were placed beside her late husband in the beautiful Riverview Cemetery.

"Make me a blessing, make me a blessing!
Out of my life may Jesus shine.
Make me a blessing, O Saviour, I pray;
Make me a blessing to someone today."

R. T. THAWLEY

MRS. REBECCA SHOCKLEY SMITH

Mrs. Rebecca Shockley Smith was called to her Heavenly Home on March 22, 1959, at the age of 84 years. She was a resident of the John B. Parsons Home for Aged Women at Salisbury, Md. She had been in failing health for a year, and death came at the Peninsula General Hospital, where she was a patient for only one day.

She was the widow of the late Rev. Samuel J. Smith, who served several churches in the Maryland Annual Conference, including Bethesda Church here, where she was a member for the past 21 years.

She was a daughter of the late Elisha R. and Amanda Riggin Shockley, of Whiton, Md. Her marriage, which took place on August 5, 1908, was terminated with the death of her minister-husband in 1913 (March 26).

She was a public school teacher in Wicomico County, having taught at Pittsville and Bivalve.

For twelve years she was a nurse at the John B. Parsons Home. On June 25, 1956, she entered the Parsons Home as a "guest", where she often did substitute nursing when needed. She was a very devout Christian, and her good works do follow her.

Her funeral was conducted from the Parsons Home on March 24, 1959 by the Rev. Lawrence E. Wimbrow, Associate Pastor of Bethesda Church. Interment was in the Parsons Cemetery, Salisbury, Md.

L. E. WIMBROW

MARY ELIZABETH VANDYKE WOODFORD

The history of most ministers' wives is so completely interwoven with that of their husbands one has the feeling it is not necessary to write additional word. The one obituary covers both husband and wife. This is certainly true in our present record. That she outlived her husband and continued her activities for ten years is only a supplement to that united life and work.

Both Dr. Woodford and his wife were born and reared in Queen Anne's County, Maryland; he in Centreville and she on a near by farm. Their love began there, though their marriage was delayed for ten years; after he had completed his education for the ministry. In the meanwhile she and her sister had moved to Baltimore and developed an extensive business of their own.

The story since then is a part of Dr. Woodford's obituary published in the 1946 Peninsula Conference journal. It was a complete blend of service; a record of sterling and dedicated achievement. As in everyone's life, there are usually one or two outstanding periods or events. With the Woodfords it was the founding of a Book Concern in connection with the Board of Publication of the Methodist Protestant Church, he the Agent, which developed into what is now one of the branches of the Board of Publication of the Methodist Church. He remained in this capacity for eight years. In the meanwhile the Woodfords founded the Wilton Heights Church, Baltimore, and much of this enterprise became Mrs. Woodford's responsibility and care.

Yearning again for the pastorate Dr. Woodford resigned from the Directory and after a short pastorate accepted the superintendency of the Pine Ridge school in the mountains of Kentucky, remaining here for seventeen years in conspicuously beautiful and sacrificial service. Because of failing health, he with heart trouble, she with serious eye trouble, it became necessary to retire from the burdensome field. Once again in the pastorate and then retirement to live in Orlando, Florida.

It was while they were in Kentucky I visited the School, which led to this transcript from Tom's obituary: "One day on a visit out there I was talking with Mrs. Woodford about the limitations under which they labored, the sacrifices involved, and asked her if at times she might not yearn for the comforts and life of the back home country. No, she replied. It really doesn't matter. Anywhere Tom and I can work for the Master is all right; I am well satisfied where we are. But those of us who knew their background; their lovely homes, how they had grown up, their fine parentage, what they had been accustomed to, could well appreciate what the difference in material and physical things must mean, but as usual with such people they had meat to eat the world knew nothing about." Bess had abandoned all the lovely things which once she had known in her commitment to the people with whom she had to live; if by any means . . .

After Dr. Woodford's decease Bess continued her residence in Florida and serving in Goss Memorial Church. In her youth she had been interested in elocution and dramatics. Now in retirement she wrote a number of sketches and plays depicting her mountain people, and in their production impersonating each character of the play. Then with eyesight nearly gone she became a member of the Asbury Home at Gaithersburg, Md., Oct. 19, 1953, remaining there until her death, Nov. 9, 1958.

I asked Dr. Wilson, superintendent of the Home for a word:

"Mrs. Woodford was an unusual woman; always bright and cheerful in spite of her handicap. Before she became ill she participated in the activities of the Home, even memorizing and reciting selections at our Home entertainments. In all the time she was with us I never heard her make a single complaint. She was a real asset to the Home and we miss her."

JAMES H. STRAUGHN

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1886 Wm. R. Mowbray	Mov 8 1930	Wilmington, Del	65 32	
1907 Ransom P. Nichols 1876 Wilbur F. Corkran	May 10 1939	Salisbury, Md Lewes, Del	85 53	
1883 Vaughn S. Collins	July 7, 1939	Wilmington, Del	80 46	
1885 Ellenzie C. Sunfield	Mar. 20, 1940	Wilmington, Del Wayne, N. J	80 35	
1892 John A. Wright	Nov. 17, 1940	Delmar, Del	80 37	
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1881 John A. Rood	Apr. 1, 1945	Chesterville, Md	89 35	
1894 Henry G. Budd	Aug. 10, 1945	2. Chesterville, Md 2. Dover, Del 2. Salisbury, Md	78 37	
1902 James H. Gardner	Aug. 19, 1945	2 Salisbury, Md	71 40	
1876 Edmund L. Hoffecker	June 8, 1945	2. Easton, Md	89 42	
1895 Daniel J. Givan	Sept. 2, 1943	2. Snow Hill, Md.	77 45 68 37	
1905 Jesse C. McCoy	Dec. 29, 1947	2. Easton, Md. 2. Snow Hill, Md. 2. Rising Sun, Md. 3. Salisbury, Md. 3. Elsmere, Del. 4. Delmar, Del. 4. Jacksonville, Fla. 4. Snow Hill, Md. 4. Mystic, Conn. 4. Wilnington, Del.	64 31	
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1905 William R. Woodell .	Jan. 19. 1944	4. Delmar. Del	72 29	
1914 Marion W. Marine	Feb. 18, 194	4. Dover, Del	59 30	
1890 Virgil E. Rorer	June -, 194	4Jacksonville, Fla	- 43	
1896 Luther E. Poole	July 4, 194	4. Snow Hill, Md	74 38 80 34	
1891 George P. Jones	Oct. 17, 194	4. Mystic, Conn	75 39	
		4. Wilmington, Del	84 2	
1892 Dorsey Blake	Mar. 20, 194	5Milford, Del	00 50	
1897 John W. Prettyman .	May 14, 194	5 Zion, Md	80 39	
1899 Thomas R. Woodford	June 21, 194	5Orlando, Florida	73 37	
1914 Norman C. Benson	July 21, 194	5. Philadelphia, Pa	$\begin{array}{ccc} 70 & 31 \\ 75 & 30 \end{array}$	
1905 Daniel J. Ford	Oct. 23, 194	5. Milford, Del. 5. Zion, Md. 5. Orlando, Florida 5. Philadelphia, Pa. 5. Camden, Del. 6. Wilmington, Del. 6. Milford, Del. 7. Tampa, Florida	75 30 75 33	
1904 Frank M. Clift 1902 James W. Colona	Apr 24 194	Wilmington Del	74 41	
1905 John T. Bailey	Sept. 27, 194	6. Milford, Del	74 33	
1904 Joseph A. Buckson	Feb. 9, 194	6. Milford, Del. 7. Rehoboth Beach, Del. 7. Tampa, Florida 8. Port Republic, N. J. 7. Baltimore, Md. 8. Seaford, Del. 8. Perryville, Md. 7. Rising Sun, Md. 8. Felton, Del. 9. Wilmington, Del. 9. Wilmington, Del. 8. Lewes, Del. 8. Milford, Del. 8. Federalsburg, Md.	82 28	
1903 George S. Thomas	Jan. 23, 194	7Tampa, Florida	75 38	
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1912 W. F. Bauscher	July 11, 194	C. Baltimore, Ma	80 47	
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1903 Arthur W. Goodhand	Feb. 6, 194	9Wilmington, Del	86 38	
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1911 Oren B. Rice	Aug. 31, 194	8. Trappe, Md	76 28	
1921 Francis R. Holland .	May 194	8. Salisbury, Md	82 9	
1903 William E. Habbart .	Feb. 1, 195	8. Trappe, Md 8. Salisbury, Md 0. Wilmington, Del	76 40	
1893 George W. Hines	Mar. 28, 195	9. Unadilla, N. Y	80 51 74 43	
1906 Benjamin M. Johns 1898 Hugh B. Kelso	Mar 11 195	Wilmington Del	74 47	
1931 John H. Mark	Jan. 28, 195	O. Bridgeton, N. J.	74 10	
1900 William C. Poole	Dec. 24, 194	9. Lewes, Del	74 35	
1912 Ivanhoe Willis	Sept. 21, 194	9Wilmington, Del	76 27	
1902 Oram T. Baynard	May 11, 195	O. Dover, Del	76 38 75 35	
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1916 C C Harris	May 3, 195	2. Faston, Md	65 36	
1902 W. E. Matthews	June 23, 195	1Smyrna, Del 2Blades, Del	93 20 80 27	
1914 F. K. McCorkle 1918 J. T. Rowlenson	July 14 105	1 Dagshoro Del	67 33	
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1896 Frank A. Holland	Mar. 6, 195	3 Hurlock, Md	82 40	
1905 W. P. Roberts	Nov. 23, 195	2. Blades, Del. 1. Dagsboro, Del. 2. Wilmington, Del. 3. Hurlock, Md.	70 43	

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1912				68	36
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1927					30
1913				50	23
1930					46
1884				91	
				63	23
1929					37
1895					40
1893	John P. Outten	une 20,	Springfield, S. C		
1904					46
1909	John J. Bunting, Sr.	May 10,	1955. Wilmington, Del	72	22
1927	John A. Clark	May 11.	1055 Faston Md	45	8
1947	Wilson Davis	Oct. 10,	1955. Easton, Md	72	27
1922					45
1899	John L. Johnson	Jan. 20,	1956. Smyrna, Del	63	32
1924					38
1900	Howard Davis	Apr. 3	, 1957. Lewes, Del	90	47
1889	Vinal E. Hills	Jan. 25	1957. Wilmington, Del	70	27
1928	Frederick C. Louhoff	Nov. 24	1956. Wilmington, Del	. 74	10
1942	Thomas B Brinton	Oct. 3,	1957. Wilmington, Del	80	50
1898	Omer E Jones	Dec. 10,	1957. Seaford, Del	68	46
	Coorgo E Sterling	Jan. 17	1958. Wilmington, Del	08	37
1912	David T Moore	Nov. 13	1958 Rich. Park, Del	78	36
1911	David J. Moore	Aug 22	1958. Wilmington, Del	87	
1906	John N. Sparkill	Sent 28	1958. Dover, Del	77	37
1911	Charles W. Spry	Tuno 13	1958. Wilmington, Del	77	35
1908	Leonard White	Mor 20	1958Wilmington, Del	67	29
1922	I Harry Wright	May 30	1 1000		

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HISTORICAL

(a) CONFERENCE SESSIONS

No.	Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
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1 Oct.	31, '39		E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bickin
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(b) GENERAL

General Conference Delegates

1940 J. J. Bunting, W. A. Hearn, T. C. Mulligan. Lay—Orlando M. Shockley, Bettie S. Brittingham, Wilmer Fell Davis.

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates and Reserves to General Conference

1940 D. W. Jacobs, W. E. Gunby, Winfred P. Roberts, E. P. Thomas, E. C. Hallman. Lay—H. B. Wright, Frederic P. Adkins, Harry E. Walls, Luther Bennett, C. N. Satterfield.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

J. L. Green, J. R. Bicking, Frank Herson. Lay—W. L. Overdeer, Granville Hooper, H. H. Nuttle.

General Conference Delegates

1944 O. J. Collins, W. A. Hearn, T. C. Mulligan. Lay—T. Blair Ely, Elwood F. Melson, Wilmer Fell Davis.

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates Reserves to General Conference

1944 J. J. Bunting, R. C. Jones, J. R. Bicking, J. E. Cummings, E. P. Thomas. Lay—C. Norman Jefferson, C. N. Satterfield, J. W. Smith, Granville Hooper. V. E. Hearne.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

S. B. Bradley, H. P. Fox, O. A. Bartley. Lay—Luther Bennett, Willis L. Overdeer, Norman P. Walters.

General Conference Delegates

1948 E. P. Thomas, T. C. Mulligan, R. M. Green. Lay—Wilmer Fell Davis, J. A. Wright, T. Blair Ely.

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates

Reserves to General Conference

1948 H. P. Fox, L. E. Windsor, O. A. Bartley, J. R. Bicking, L. E. Wimbrow. Lay—A. R. Hudson, Mrs. Phillips E. Douglas, F. F. Melson, R. O. Dulany, Granville Hooper.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

1948 S. B. Bradley, R. C. Jones, R. E. Green. Lay—C. Norman Jefferson, Fulton Downing, W. L. Overdeer.

General Conference Delegates

1952 R. M. Green, L. E. Wimbrow, L. E. Windsor. Lay-J. Millard Tawes, Wilmer Fell Davis, Mrs. Harry Hygate.

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates

Reserves to General Conference

Joseph Dickerson, John French, R. T. Thawley, Robert Green, John J. Bunting, Jr. Lay—Granville Hooper, Clinton Brown, F. J. Downing, A. R. Hudson, O. M. Shockley.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

1952 H. P. Fox, A. J. Jackson, D. E. McClain. Lay—Blair Ely, Elias Tingle, J. A. Wright, Jr.

General Conference Delegates

1956 O. A. Bartley, J. N. Link, C. I. Carpenter. Lay—Granville Hooper, John Downing, Wilmer Fell Davis

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates

Reserves to General Conference

1956 J. Leas Green, John French, J. J. Bunting, Jr., P. W. Spence. Lay—Clinton H. Brown, Mrs. Earl Sylvester, S. Edward Simpson, Fulton Downing.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

1956 A. J. Jackson, R. M. Green, W. F. Dunkle. Lay—Harry Nuttle, Arthur Hudson, Leonard Barnes.

General Conference Delegates

John E. French, Roy L. Tawes, J. J. Bunting, Jr., Lay—George P. Chandler, Clinton H. Brown, Wilmer F. Davis.

Jurisdictional Conference Delegates

(Reserves to General Conference)

J. Leas Green, J. B. Dickerson, William F. Dunkle, Jr., Paul McCoy, R. Jervis Cooke. Lay—Granville Hooper, Fulton J. Downing, Walter Palmer, Elton Parsons, Otis F. Figgs.

Reserves to Jurisdictional Conference

1960 Walter L. Beckwith, J. Robert Mackey, Howell O. Wilkins. Lay—Russell P. Smith, Jr., S. E. Simpson, Leonard Barnes.

X

REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS

For Receiving Local Preacher's License, Annual Conference Membership and Ministerial Orders in the Peninsula Conference.

- 1. It is the policy of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications to follow the disciplinary requirements. Therefore this Board:
 - a. Requires that all necessary documents be presented to the Board before it officially will interview applicants for recommendation for Admission on Trial. The Board will, however, always be available for guidance.
 - b. Refuses to recommend any candidate who has not fulfilled all disciplinary requirements according to the rules of the Board.
 - c. Will oppose the election of such candidates.
- 2. Summarized Procedures required by the Methodist Discipline, 1956; and the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications of The Peninsula Conference.
 - a. Procedures For Obtaining A Local Preacher's License:
 - 1) Paragraph 305 of the Methodist Discipline says: "No member is authorized to preach without a license."
 - 2) Since the Peninsula Annual Conference holds District Conferences, a person desiring a Local Preacher's License must take the following steps: (Paragraph 306, 1, The Methodist Discipline 1956)
 - a. Secure the recommendation of the Quarterly Conference of the church of which he is a member.
 - b. Apply to the district superintendent in writing.
 - c. Appear before, and secure the written approval of, The District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications.
 - d. Pass satisfactory written examinations in the studies prescribed for candidates for License to Preach.
 - e. Be examined on the subjects of Doctrine and Discipline.
 - f. Agree to abstain from the use of tobacco and other indulgences which may injure his influence.
 - b. Procedures For Retaining a Local Preacher's License:
 - 1) Make a report by October 1 to the District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications concerning activities during the past year and desire for renewal of Local Preacher's License.
 - 2) A local preacher who is enrolled as a pretheological or theological student in a school, college, university, or school of theology accredited or approved by the University Senate, preparing for the traveling ministry shall present annually to the District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications a statement of his academic progress from the school he is attending.

- 3) A local preacher who is not a student as defined in 1) above shall pursue the four-year ministerial course of study under the Department of Ministerial Education. The course must be completed within eight years after the date of issue of the first license to preach; provided, however, that this shall not apply to those licensed before May 1, 1956.
- c. Procedures For Receiving Annual Conference Membership:
 - 1) On Trial

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- a) Present a recommendation duly signed by:
 - (1) The President and secretary of The District Conference.
 - (2) Or by the chairman and secretary of The District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications.
- b) Must be a graduate of an approved Liberal Arts College.
- c) Must have completed at least one fourth of the work required for a bachelor of divinity or equivalent degree in a school of theology accredited or approved by the University Senate. The Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications shall require a transcript of credits from each applicant before recognizing any of his educational claims.
- d) Deposit with the registrar of The Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications:
 - (1) The prescribed form containing satisfactory written answers to questions as to age, religious and church experience, call to the ministry, educational record, and plans for service in the church.
 - (2) A satisfactory certificate of good health. This physical examination is to be made by a physician chosen by the candidate. (See 3 c below.)
- e) Be approved on the basis of a psychological test and interview administered at the University of Delaware in Newark, Delaware. ((See 3 d below.)
- f) Under special conditions the Annual Conference, by a threefourths vote, may admit a candidate in accordance with the provisions of The Discipline.
- 2) Full Membership
 - a) Must be a graduate of a Theological Seminary accredited by the University Senate. At least one year of Seminary work should be done in a Methodist Seminary. Where it has not been, then special work shall be required to secure adequate instruction in Methodist History, Doctrine and Policy.
 - b) Must have served under regular appointment under the supervision of a district superintendent in one of the positions specified in Paragraph 432, Section 1-6 of the Discipline, for at least two years since being admitted on trial.

- c) Must have been elected to Deacon's Orders.
- d) Must answer before the Conference the questions in Paragraph 345 of the Discipline.
- e) Must present a recently issued Certificate of good physical health. (See 1 d 2) above).
- f) Any candidate for admission into full connection on the basis of a bachelor of divinity or equivalent degree whose transcript does not show the equivalent of two semester hours of credit in Methodist history, polity, and doctrine shall be required to pass examinations in these subjects administered by the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications in accordance with the standards established by the Department of Ministerial Education.

d. Procedures For Receiving Ministerial Orders:

1) Deacons:

- a) Have authority to:
 - (1) Preach
 - (2) Conduct Divine Worship
 - (3) Perform the Marriage Ceremony
 - (4) Administer Baptism
 - (5) Assist an Elder in Administering The Lord's Supper

b) Eligibility:

- (1) Seminary Students:
 - (a) Must have been Local Preachers two full years.
 - (b) Must have been admitted on trial.
- (2) Members on Trial in the Course of Study:
 - (a) Must have been on Trial in The annual Conference two years.
 - (b) Must have completed satisfactorily the first two years of the Conference Course.
- (3) Approved Supply Pastors:
 - (a) Must have been approved supply pastors under appointment for two consecutive years.
 - (b) Must have completed:
 - 1. The Introductory Studies for the Ministry.
 - 2. The first two years of the Conference Course of Study.
- (4) Local Preachers:
 - (a) Must have been Local Preachers for four consecutive
 - (b) Must present to the Annual Conference a recommendation for Deacon's Orders from The District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications.
 - (c) Must have completed two years of the ministerial course of study.

2) Elders:

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- a) Have Authority to:
 - (1) Preach
 - (2) Conduct Divine Worship
 - (3) Administer the Sacraments of Baptism and The Lord's Supper
 - (4) Perform the Marriage Ceremony
- b) Eligibility:
 - (1) Seminary Students
 - (a) Must have been Deacons for at least one year.
 - (b) Must have been admitted into Full Connection.
 - (2) Course of study graduates
 - (a) Must have been received into Full Connection in The Annual Conference
 - (b) Must have been Deacons for at least two years.
 - (3) Approved Supply Pastors
 - (a) Must have been under appointment for two full consecutive years as deacons and have completed the ministerial course of study under the supervision of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications.
 - (4) Local Preachers
 - (a) Must have been Deacons for four consecutive years.
 - (b) Must present recommendation for Elder's Orders from the District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications.
 - (c) Must have completed the entire ministerial course of Study.
- e. Ministers from Other Churches:
 - 1) Ministers coming from other evangelical churches, provided they present suitable testimonials of good standing through the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, and give assurance of their faith, Christian experience, and other qualifications, and give evidence of their agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, and present a satisfactory certificate of good health on the prescribed form, from a physican approved by the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, and meet the educational requirements, may be received into our ministry, as indicated in Paragraph 411 of the Methodist Discipline.
- f. Other Specific Regulations
 - a) Studies:

- Studies for License to Preach and The Introductory Studies for the Ministry are to be taken through the Correspondence Office of In-Service Training, Department of Ministerial Education, Post Office Box 871, Nashville 2, Tennessee.
- 2) Approved Supply Pastors are reminded of the School for Approved Supplies at Wesley Theological Seminary this year from June 22 to July 17. This school, like others throughout the country, is arranged so that a Supply can complete four courses during one session, thereby securing credit for a full year's work. Scholarships are available from our Board on a pro rata basis to Approved Supplies who are high school graduates. These same courses can be taken through the Correspondence Office, but the Board strongly recommends the Approved Supply Pastors' School for a more thorough program of study and helpful contact with instructors and fellow-ministers.
- 3) The Student's Handbook, which can be purchased at the Methodist Publishing House, 516 North Charles Street, Baltimore 3, Maryland, is to be used in connection with all courses taken through the Correspondence School. It contains questions which are to be answered on the various books.

b) Personal Interviews:

- Each candidate for Admission on Trial, and for Admission into Full Membership, must appear before the Executive Committee of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications at Wesley College, Dover, Delaware, Monday, March 14, 1960 for personal interviews concerning his qualifications and fitness for the Christian Ministry. Each candidate will be contacted concerning the hour of his interview.
- Notification of intention to appear before the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications shall be sent to the Registrar at least ten days before this meeting.
- c) A recently issued certificate of good health shall be required of each candidate for admission on Trial, and another when he applies for Admission into Full Membership.
 - This certification shall be on the comprehensive form provided by The Commission on Ministerial Training, and may be secured from the Registrar.
 - 2) The cost of the physical examination is to be paid by the candidate.

d) Psychological tests:

1) The date for these tests is being set for Monday, February 15, 1960 and will be administered at Newark, Delaware. Each

- candidate will be contacted concerning the hour of his tests for February 15 or, if necessary, on another date.
- Interviews concerning the tests are being set for Monday, February 29, 1960, and will be arranged by appointment with each candidate for February 29, or if necessary on another date.
- The purpose of the psychological testing is to provide counsel and guidance for the candidates.

e) Approved Supply Pastors:

- 1) Any local preacher desiring to become an approved supply pastor must have his character, fitness, training and effectiveness passed by a three-fourths majority vote of the District Committee on Ministerial Qualifications, and by the Annual Conference after an interview and recommendation by the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications.
- 2) Any one wishing to become an Approved Supply for the first time must apply in writing to the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications through its Chairman or Registrar at least ten days before the opening session of the Annual Conference in order for him to be considered for that status. Failure to do this shall prevent the applicant from being appointed to a charge at the Annual Conference, although it will not preclude the ad interim appointment of a Local Preacher to a pastoral charge between sessions of the Conference. However, when a ministerial student having an Approved or Student Supply status in another Annual Conference of the Methodist Church is appointed by our Bishop as a Student Supply Pastor of the Peninsula Annual Conference while attending an accredited college or theological seminary, his status shall be recognized by the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications of the Peninsula Annual Con-
- 3) Any person wishing to become an Approved Supply for the first time shall have administered to him a psychological test to be arranged by the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications. The purpose of this testing shall be to ascertain emotional stability and fitness for the ministry. If there is insufficient time for such a test to be administered before the Annual Session of the Conference, it shall be administered during the subsequent year and used as a basis for considering the continuance of the status for the next year. This regulation shall not apply to college and seminary students who are planning for Reception On Trial into the Conference, who shall have the tests administered to them as part of the regulations for Reception On Trial.
- Full time approved supply pastors other than seminary students, who are giving their full time to pastoral work under

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(a) CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER

- Rule 1. The Conference shall meet at 9.00 A. M., and adjourn at 12.30 P. M. But the Conference may, in its discretion, alter the time of meeting and adjournment.
- Rule 2. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such an appeal the question shall be taken without debate, except that the appellant may make a simple statement of the grounds of his appeal.
- Rule 3. All resolutions and motions shall be in writing, if the President. Secretary, or any two members request it.
- Rule 4. When a motion is made and seconded, or a resolution is introduced and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.
- Rule 5. The motion to Lay on the Table, or to Take from the Table, and for the Previous Question, shall be taken without debate.
- Rule 6. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene, which shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed. namely:
 - (1) To fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn.
 - (2) To Adjourn.
 - (3) To take a recess.
 - (4) To lay on the table.
 - (5) For the previous question.
 - (6) To postpone to a given time.
 - (7) To refer.
 - (8) To substitute.
 - (9) Amendment.
 - (10) To postpone indefinitely.

A motion to amend shall be in order, and a substitute for bot. amendments may be received, which substitute may be amended only once, and if a substitute be accepted. it shall operate as an amendment to the original proposition.

- Rule 7. When a member is about to speak in debate, or to deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall rise and respectfully address the President, but shall not proceed until recognized by him.
- Rule 8. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the question. or uses personalities or disrespectful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

the district superintendents are required to take the conference course of study, including The Introductory Studies for the Ministry, and to complete the entire course within eight

- 5) Any approved supply pastor who fails to meet these requirements shall not be appointed by a district superintendent.
- 6) A part-time approved supply pastor shall be required to complete at least two books annually in the Conference Course of Study, until the course is completed.
- 7) An unordained approved supply pastor, only while serving as a regularly appointed pastor of a charge, shall be authorized to administer the Sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper and, if the laws of the state permit, to perform the marriage ceremony within the bounds of the charge to which he is assigned; provided that (a) he shall have passed the introductory studies for the ministry and (b) each succeeding year he shall be enrolled as a regular full-time student in a pretheological or theological course in a college, university, or school of theology accredited or approved by the University Senate, or shall have passed one full year of the ministerial course of study looking to full ordination. Failure to complete one full year annually shall cause suspension of this privilege.
- 8) A part-time approved supply pastor (other than a student pastor) who completes each year two books of the conference course of study, and continues until he is graduated from the course, shall be authorized to administer the Sacrament of Baptism, and if the laws of the state permit, to perform the marriage ceremony, within the bounds of his pastoral charge.
- 9) As soon as possible after each Annual Session of the Conference, there shall be an Orientation Program for the purpose of providing information and training in the work of the local church and Conference activities for pastors appointed to charges for the first time at the Conference. This shall be considered a part of the training of Approved Supplies and Conference members who are in this category. Plans for this day's activity shall be made and executed by the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications.

The program for 1960 is being held on Thursday, June 11, at the Conference Camp.

- 9. When a member desires to a question of privilege, he shall briefly Rule state the question; but it shall not be in order for him to proceed until the President shall have decided it a privileged question.
- Rule 10. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than ten minutes at one time, without leave of the Conterence: nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.
- Rule 11. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider is a non-debatable motion and shall be decided without
- Rule 12. No member shall absent himself from the service of the Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.
- Rule 13. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar of the Conference at the time when such question shall be put by the President, except by leave of the Conference when such member has been necessarily absent.
- Rule 14. Every member who is within the bar at the time a question is put shall give his vote, unless the Conference, for special reasons, shall excuse him.
- Rule 15. It shall be in order for him to move that the question be taken without further debate on any measure pending, except in cases in which character is involved, and if sustained by two-thirds, the question shall be taken.
- Rule 16. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except, (1) when a member has the floor; (2) when a question is actually put, or a vote is being taken; (3) when the question is pending on seconding the demand for the previous question; (4) when the previous question has been called and sustained, and is still pending; and (5) when a motion to adjourn has been negatived and no business or debate has intervened.
- Rule 17. All reports of the Boards, Commissions and Committees, shall be published and mailed to the Members of the Annual Conference ten (10) days prior to the date of meeting of the Annual Conference. Reports to be included in this mailing must be in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to such Session.
- Rule 18. No report shall be received or adopted by the Conference until a copy has been placed in the hands of the Secretary.
- Rule 19. These rules shall not be suspended or amended except by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

F. A. BAKER, Chairman W. I. COLLINS E. C. THOMAS W. L. ROBINSON Chaplain, CONRAD HAMER

XII PASTORAL RECORD

Adams, J. P.—1916, Maryland; 16-17—Mapleside and Fairview; 18—Mt. Tabor, Wash.; 19, without appointment at his request; 20, Broadway and Lauraville, Ass't.; 21, without appointment at his request; 22-23, withdrawn; 24. Reliance; 25, Calvary and Walker's Chapel; 26, Mt. Nebo; 27, Clayton; 28, Graceland Park; 29, Dir. Rel. Work, Starr Church; 30, Greenbackville; 31, Harmony; 32, Emmanuel; 33, Superannuate; 34, Amelia; 35, Marley; 36, Cumberland Cir.; 37, Grove; 38, Deer Creek; 39, Dover; Pen. Conf. 40. Queenstown; 41—Retired. Archer, William T.—1959 Peninsula; 59—Wesley Chapel, Rock Hall, Md. Atkins, C. H.—1917, Wilmington M. E. Conf. 1917—Leipsic; 18-21—Lincoln; 22-28, Concord; 29-31, Tilghman; 32, Galena; 33, Wil. and Peninsula Conf. 33-41 Zion Cir.; 42-46, Peninsula Conf., East New Market; 47-51, Marydel; Retired 52. Amoss, H. M.—1957, Pen. Conf.; 1957—Salisbury-Bethesda. Bailey, F. B.—1921, Maryland M. P.; 1921-23, West Wilmington; 25, Lauraville;

Bailey, F. B.—1921, Maryland M. P.; 1921-23, West Wilmington; 25, Lauraville; 26-27, Wallace Memorial; 28-29, Mardela; 30-34, Deer Park; 35-36, Calvary, (Balto.); 37-44—Maryland and Peninsula, Federalsburg (Christ); 45-55, Laurel (Christ); 56—North East, Md.

(Christ); 56—North East, Md.

Bailey, H. N.—1924, Wil. Conf.; 1924, Farmington; 25, St. Paul's (Dover); 26, Marydel; 27-29, Crapo; 30-31, Seaford Circuit; 32-33, Hopewell; 34-36, Tangier; 37, Deal's Island; 38-45, Wil. and Peninsula, Perryville; 46-51, U. S. Veterans Administration Chaplain; 52—Sabbatical Leave; 53—Retired.

Bailey, R. D.—1957, Pen. Conf.; 57—Farmington, Del.; 58—Harmony-Grove.

Baker, D. W.—1939, Wil. Conf. and Peninsula, 39-40, Stanton; 41-42, Warwick; 43-, Rehoboth Beach; 47-49 Milford (Calvary); 50-56—Laurel Centenary; 57—Richardson Park.

Baker, F. A.—Wilmington Conf., 1925-26, Millington; 27-30, Newark, Md.; 31-34, Fruitland; 35-39, Dagsboro; Peninsula Conf. 40-43, Federalsburg; 44-45 Mt. Salem, Wilmington; 46-47, Hillsboro-Queen Anne; 48-55—Salisbury (Grace); 56—Crisfield-Asbury; 57—Retired.

Barlow, W. G.—1923, Wil. Conf.: 1923-24—Smith's Island; 25—Bishopville; 26-27, Georgetown Cir.; 28-29, Pittsville; 30, Cherry Hill; 31, Church Hill: 32-34 Tilghman; 35-37, Galena; 38-39, Beckwith; Pen. Conf.; 40-41, Wye Mills; 42-Retired.

Barton, Chas. E .- 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57-58, Concord-Grove; 59-Dorchester, Cambridge, Md.

Baynard, F. O.—1940, Peninsula Conf. 40—At School; 41-42—Stanton; 43-45 Hosier Mem. and Hooper's Island; 46-47, Church Hill; 48-50, Wyoming; 51-54, Frankford; 55—Queenstown; 56-58, Greenwood Circuit; 59—Clayton, Del.

Beckwith, W. L.—1936, Wil. Conf.; 36-38, Church Hill; Wilmington and Peninsula, 39-42—Magnolia; 43-47—Millsboro; 48-56—Smyrna; 57—Crisfield-Asbury.

Benjamin, N. B.-1950 Pen. Conf.; 1950-54, Chester-Bethel; 55-58 Millington, Md.;

59—Harrington, Trinity.

Bennett, E. L.—1935, Wilmington Conf.; 35-36, Elliott's; 36-37, Beckwith and Spedden; 38-49—Smith's Island; Peninsula Conf. 1940-45—Dagsboro; 46-49—Mt. Pleasant (Crisfield); 50-53, Berlin; 54-56, Centreville; 57—Salisbury-Andrews

Pleasant (Crisfield); 50-53, Berlin; 54-56, Centreville; 57—Salisbury-Andrews & Stengle; 58—Pocomoke-Bethany.

Bicking, J. R.—1907, Wilmington Con. 1907, Elk Neck; 08-09, Cherry Hill; 10-12, Eastlake; 13-16, Centreville; 17, Ridgely; 18-21. New Castle; 22-23, Pocomoke City; 24-26, Deal's Island; 27-30, Scott; 31-35, Berlin; 36-41, Wil. and Penin; Immanuel (Crisfield); 42-46, Rising Sun: 47, Supt. Anti-Saloon League of Delaware; 48-49, (Trinity) Wilmington: 50-51, Millington, Md.; 52, Retired.

Blundon, A. Jason—1951, 51, Odessa; 52—Asst. Pastor Grace-Wilmington; 53-55—Ocean View; 56, Bridgeville.

Bond, E. J.—1904, Phil. Conf. 04-5—Safe Harbor Cir.; 06-7, Strasburg; 08-9, Mt. Hope; 10-11, Eddystone; 12-17, Searles Memorial; 18-21, Grace (Phila.); 22-26, First (Lancaster); 27-31, Holy Cross (Reading); Northeast Ohio Conf. 32-37, Elyria (First Church), Wil. and Pen. Confs., 38-46, McCabe Memorial (Wil.); 47—Retired.

Elyria (First Church), Wil. and Pen. Conts., 38-46, McCabe Memorial (Wil.); 47—Retired.

Bradley, S. B.—1926, Wilmington Conf.; 1926, Secretary; 27-29, Crumpton; 30-31, Ebenezer; 32-34, Chester-Bethel; 35-38, Fruitland; 39-40, Wil. and Peninsula, Delmar; 41-46, Seaford (St. John's); 47-48, Cambridge (Zion); 49, Sab. Leave; 50, "Sv."; 51, Retired.

Bready, R. H.—1928, Ohio. '28, E. Pearl St., Cin'ti; 29-30 Elmwood Place; '31, withdrew, incapacitated; '45-'47 Union Grove (Balt.); '48-'51 Holly Oak (Pen.) 1952 Pen. '52. Milton, Grace; '53, At School, Assoc. Pastor Calvary, Wash., D. C.; '54 Still Pond-Betterton. 55—Kent Island.

Branford, C. W.—1926, Wilmington Conf.; 1926, Pocomoke Cir.; 27-32, Ocean View; 33-36, Chincoteague; 37-40, Wil. and Peninsula, Scott; 41, Middletown, 42-45, Berlin; 46, Easton (Trinity); 47-51, (Calvary) Wilmington; 52-55, Delmar-Mt. Olive; 56-57, Pocomoke (Bethany); 58—Retired.

Branford, H. V.—1926, Wilmington Conf.; 1926, Ayres Chapel; 27-28, Marion: 29-33, Nanticoke; 34-35, Rehoboth; 36-39, Centreville; Peninsula Conf.; 40-43, Lewes; 44, Harrington (Asbury); 45-47, Federalsburg (Christ); 48-55, Kent Island; 56—Harbeson & India Mission; 56—Harbeson & Indian Mission; 57—Retired. Retired .

Brewer, O. G.—1922, Maryland M. P. 22-23, Quantico; 24, Fairfax, Va.; 25-26, Reliance; 27, Bedford, Pa.; 28-29, Liberty, Md.; 30, Dagsboro; 31-34, Greenbackville, Va.; 35, Dorchester; 36-40, Maryland and Peninsula Confs.; Mardela: 41-42, Wesley Chapel; 43-44, Clayton, (St. Paul); 45, Frankford; 46-47. Hosier Mem. Hoopers Island; 48-49, Cambridge Circuit; 50-51, Church Hill; 52-54. Millington; 55-56, Concord Grove; 57—Hebron-Nelson; 58—Frederica; 59—Nanticoke & Bivalve.

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Brewer, O. G., Jr.—1949, Peninsula; 49-50, Wye Mills-Cordova; 51-58, Princess Anne; 59—Denton, First.

Briggs, W. H.—1907 Wilmington Conf. 1907-9, Colora; 10-13, Zion Cir.; 14-15.

Briggs, W. H.—1907 Wilmington Conf.; 1935, Pocomoke Cir.; 36, Annamessex Preston; 16-20, Selbyville; 21-25, Easton; 27-30, Supernumerary; 31—Retired Preston; 16-20, Selbyville; 21-25, Easton; 27-30, Supernumerary; 31—Retired Preston; 42-43, Wilmington Conf.; 1935, Pocomoke Cir.; 36, Annamessex 37-38, Charlestown; 39-41, Wil. and Pen. Concord: 42-43. Bishopville: 44-47, Quantico: 48-49, Whaleyville; 50-53, Port Deposit; 54-55, Townsend; 56—Centreville-Grace; 57-58, Camden, Del.; 59—East New Market.

Bundick, W. B.—1950 Pen. 1950-51, Townsend, Del.; 52-53, Dagsboro-Bethel; 54-57, Mt. Salem; 58—New Castle, Del.

Bunting, J. J., Jr.—1941, Pen. Conf. 1941-43, Camden; 44-45, Easton (Trinity); 46, Supernumerary; 47-48, (First) Chestertown); 50—Newark, Del. Caldwell, H. T.—1930, Wil. Conf.; 1930, Church Hill; 31-35, Felton; Wil. and Pen. 36-41, Chesapeake City; 42-44, Hockessin; 45-48, Sharptown (Asbury); 49—Rising Sun.

Carlson, E. R.—1958 Peninsula, 58—St. George's, Del.

** 36-41, Chesapeake City; 42-44, Hockessin; 45-48, Sharptown (Asbury); 49—Rising Sun.

**Carlson, E. R.—1958 Peninsula, 58—St. George's, Del.

**Carpenter, C. I.—1929-30, Newark Conf. 31-33, Wil. Conf. Rehoboth; 34-36, Federalsburg; Wil. and Pen., 37—Chaplain, U. S. Army.

**Chandler, H. F., Jr.—Pen. Conf. 1953; 54, Easton, Md.

**Churn, Thomas—1950 Pen. 1950; 53, Galena, Md.; 54-55, Mardela; 56-58, Whaleysville, Md.; 59—Frederica, Del.

**Clarkson, C. S.—1936, Baltimore Conf.; (South) 1936, South Covington. Va.: 37-38, Nokesville. Va.; Pen. Conf. 1939-40, Goldsboro; 1941-43, Oxford: 44-46, Hill-crest; 47-49, North East; 50-56—Wilmington Brack Ex.; 57—Georgetown-Wesley; 58—Delmar, Del. First.

Clawson, E. J.—1958 Peninsula, 58—Allen, Md.

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**Claman, E. E.—1926, Maryland Conf. 24, Lewistown; 25, Wilm. (First): 26-27, Cecil; 28-32, Kemptown: 33-35, Delmar: Mary, and Pen. 36-42. Seaford (Olivet): 43-45, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 46-49, Middletown; 50—Chaplain, Va.

**Collins, W. I.—1926, Virginia Conf. ME. South: 1926, Phoenix; 27-28, Spotsylvania; 29-32, Lancaster; 33-36, Middle Bedford: 37-38, Cambridge, Md.: Wil. and 29-32, Lancaster; 33-36, Middle Bedford: 37-38, Cambridge, Md.: Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Salisbury (South); Pen., 42-45, Church Hill; 46-47, Mardela; 49-53, Bishopville; 54-57, Deal Island; 58—Hooper's Island.

**Collins, Ralph H.—1951, 52-53, Mt. Salem; 54, Assoc. Pastor, Wilmington-Grace: 55—Assoc. Asbury, Salisbury; 56, Retired.

**Connelly, O. H.—1912, Wil. Conf. 1912. Piney Neck: 13, Christiana; 14, Claymon, 15-16, Colora; 17-19, Roxana; 20-22, Millington: 23-26, Townsend; 27-29, Ep. worth. Wil.: 30-33, Dagsboro: 34-35, Lewes: Wil. and Pen. Confs. 36-41. Bernin; 42-45, Middletown; 46-49, Tilghman; 50-54, Allen, Md.; 55-58, Willards-Grace: 59—Retired.

**Conner, H. H.—1941, Pen. Conf. 41-52, Frederica; 43-44, Holly Oak; 45-47, Still-Conner, H. H.—1941, Pen. Conf. 41-52, Frederica; 43-44, Holly Oak; 45-47, Still-Conner, H. H.—1941, Pen. Conf. 41-52,

Grace; 59—Retired.

Conner, H. H.—1941, Pen. Conf. 41-52, Frederica; 43-44, Holly Oak; 45-47, Stillpond and Betterton; 48, Rising Sun; 49, Hebron (Nelson); 50-51, Delmar (Mt. Olive); 52, Sharptown Asbury; 53-54, Greenwood; 55, Sy.; 56, Wilm., (Calvary).

Cooke, R. J.—1941, Pen. Conf. 1941, At School; 42-43, Kingswood and Delaware City; 44, Bethel and Town Point; 45, Chaplain. U. S. Navy: 46-47. Trappe: 48-59; Centreville (Epworth); 50-56, Seaford-St. John's; 57-58, Salisbury, Trinity; 59—Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.

Covington, C. E.—1953; 53-55, Marydel; 56, Ocean View, Del.

Crockett, E. E.—1935, Wil. Conf. 1935-37, Girdletree; Wil. and Pen. Confs. 38-41, Nanticoke; 42-44, Mt. Pleasant: 45-49, Retired; 49-50, Seaford Circuit; 51, Retired.

Retired.

Crum, Ira E.—1936, Wil. Conf. 1936-37, Burrsville; 38-39, Houston; Pen. Conf. 40-41, Ellendale: 42-43. Willards and Stengle: 44-46. Bayside: 47-48, Laurel (Mt. Pleasant); 49-51, Georgetown Circuit; 52-54, Powellville; 55, Allen; 56-57, Tilghman; 58—Cecilton, Md.

Cummings. J. Earl—1921, Maryland Conf. 1921—Cambridge Cir.: 22-24, Pipe Creek: 25-27, St. Paul's, Balto.; 28-32, Laurel, Del.: Christ; 33-35, Westminster: 36-39, Peninsula. (Wil.) Pen. Conf.; 40-44, Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 45-52, St. Paul's (Wil.): 53, Selbyville.

Cursey. Ellwood W.—1945 Pen.: 45-47, Stanton: 48-49, Allen: 50-52, Hurlock

Cursey, Ellwood W.—1945 Pen.: 45-47, Stanton; 48-49, Allen; 50-52, Hurlock (Washington); 53-54, St. Michaels; 55-56, Milton; 57-58, Centreville, Md.;

Davis, Charles D.—1959, Pen. Conf.; 59—Assoc. Peninsula Wilmington.

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Davis, C. E.—1921, Wil. Conf. 1921, At School; 22-24, Cheswold; 25-26, Prof. Wesley Collegiate Inst.; 27-29, Cherry Hill: 30-33, Hockessin; 34-35, Asbury, Wil.: 36-38, Cecilton; Wil. and Pen. Confs. 39-40. Still Pond: 41-42, Queenstown: 43-44, Ocean View; 45-48, Greensboro; 49-51, Pittsville (Ayres); 52-56—Wilmington-Trinity; 57—Retired.

Davis, Harold H.—1941. Pen. Conf. 1941; 42, Farmington; 43-45, Odessa; 46-52, Milton (Goshen); 53, Elkton, Md.

Dickerson, J. B.—1933, Wil. Conf. 1933-35, Stanton; 36-38, Hillcrest; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Rising Sun; 42-46, Cambridge (Zion): 47-49, D. S. Salisbury District: 50—Wilmington (McCabe).

Dickey, K. M.—Received by transfer from Southern Illinois Conference, May 15, 1946. Peninsula Conf., 1946, Cecilton; 1947, Allen; 1948-49, Newark, Md.; 50-52, Hosier Memorial; 53, Sabbatical Leave; 54-55, Tilghman; 56, Nassau, Del

Del.

Diehl, J. R.—1927, Wilmington Conf.; 1927-28, Greenwood; 29, Ellendale; 30, Mt. Vernon; 31-33, Cherry Hill; 34-35, Hopewell; Wil. and Pen.; 36-42, Parsons-burg; 43-46, Felton; 47-48, Seaford Circuit; 48-50, Frederica; 51-55, Crisfield, Mariners; 56, Retired.

Dise, W. L.—1935, Wil. Conf. 1928-34 United Lutheran Church; 1935, Pittsville; 36-38, Wyoming; Wil. and Pen. Cons.; 39-42, Fruitland; 43, Hurlock (Washington); 44-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Sabbatical Leave; 47-50, Rehoboth; 51-52, Retired; 53-55, Centreville-Grace; 56-57, Smith Island; 58—Hebron-Nelson.

Nelson.

Dobson, C. H.—1917, Maryland Conf. 17, Bivalve; 18-19, Deer Park; 20, Pipe Creek 21-22, Northumberland; 23-24, Lisbon; 25-26, Federalsburg; 27, Greenbush and Tasley; 28, Wallace Mem.; 29, Dorchester; 30, Harpers Ferry; 31, Mariners; 32, Harmony; 33—Retired.

Donaway, W. A.—1926, Maryland Conf. 25, Snow Hill Cir.; 26-28, Powellville; 29-29, Accomac; 33-35, Wesley Chapel of Kent; Mary, and Pen. 36-40, Delmar; 32, Accomac; 33-35, Wesley Chapel of Kent; Mary, and Pen. 36-40, Delmar; 41-42, Preston; 43-47, Fruitland; 48-50, Hillsboro; Wilm., Trinity, 51; St. Georges 52, 56 (Clarksville); 57-58, Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 59—Retired.

Dore, William—1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56, St. James

Dongherty, A. E.—1947-48, (Ewell) Clayton; 49-57, Lewes-Groome; 58—Avenue Milford.

Milford.

Doyle, Ira E.—1952, Mt. Pleasant; 53-55, Camden, Del.; 56, Rehoboth Beach, Del.

Dunkle, W. F., Jr.—Peninsula Conference, 1948—(Grace) Wilmington).

Elderdice, C. M.—1906, Maryland; 06-07, Christ Ch., Balto.: 08-14, Federalsburg;

15-16 transferred; 16-25, Crisfield (Mt. Pleasant); 26-32, Westminster: Mary.

and Pen. 33-45, Crisfield (Mt. Pleasant); 46-47, Easton (Calvary); 48-55, Magnelia: 56. Retired.

Ellerdice, C. M.—1906, Maryland; 06-07, Christ Ch., Baito; 08-14, Federalsburg; 15-16 transferred; 16-25, Crisfield (Mt. Pleasant); 26-32, Westminster; Maryland, 19-18, 38-36, Crisfield (Mt. Pleasant); 48-47, Easton (Calvary); 48-55, Magnolia; 56, Retired.

Elliott, Lec—1928, Maryland, 1928 Mar, and Pen.—Laurel Cir.

Ellis, R. A.—1958 Peninsula, 58—Holly Oak, Del.

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Ennis, W. J.—1930, Wil; 1930-36, Quantico; Wil and Pen. 37-40, Camden; 41-43, Selbyville, 1944—Retired.

Evans, H. E.—1956 Pen; 53, Mt. Vernon; 54-56, Salisbury, St. Andrews; 57—

Snow Hill, Whatcoat.

Ferry, R. E.—1945, Royal Oak; 45-48 Transferred Erie Conf.; 1949 Peninsula Conf., 1947, Erie, 1948, Peninsula Conf., 1949, Peninsula Penin

Godwin, Wm. F.—1950—Retired—Dania, Florida.
Golden, A. B.—1951; 51, Christiana, Del.
Goodhand, V. M.—1936, Wil. 36-37, Pittsville; Wil. and Pen. 38-40 Christiana;
1941-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Newport; 47—Chaplain U. S. Army.
Goodley, G. W.—1939, Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Charlestown; 41, Ebenezer; 42-45,
Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46-47, Associate Pastor, Asbury (Salisbury); 48-55,
Hillcrest; 56-58, Denton (First); 59—Newport, Del.
Gordy, H. L., Jr.—1956 Pen. Conf.; 56—School; 57—Quantico, Md.
Graham, E. C.—1920, Maryland; 16-21, Clayton; 22-27, New Church; 28, Pittsville;
29-30, Crisfield; 31-33, St. Paul's, Balt.; 34-37, Accomac; Mar. and Pen. 38-42,
Hebron; 43-46, Greenwood (Grace and Cannon); 47-51, Dagsboro Circuit;
52 Retired

52, Retired.

Grant, W. S.—1917 Wil. Conf. 17-19, Houston; 20-23, Rehoboth; 24-26, Church Hill; 27-32, Rock Hall; 33-34, Epworth (Wil., Del.); 35-38, Ocean View; 39, Tangier; 40-44, Virginia Conf.; 45-47, Pen. Conf., Trinity, Wil., (Del.); 48-50, Houston;

61. Retired.

Green, J. Leas—1919, Maryland; 17-18, Melvin's Chapel; 19-20, Hurlock; 21-24, Mt. Olivet, Va.; 24-33, Edmondson Ave. (Balt.); Mar. and Pen. 34-56—Salisbury-Bethesda; 57—District Supt. Easton District.

Green, R. E.—1928, Wil; 1928, Pomona; 29-30, Fairle; 31-32, At School; 33-35, Greenwood; 36-37, Magnolia; Wil. and Pen. 38-42. Harrington (Asbury); 43-47. Smyrna; 48-53, (Asbury) Crisfield; 54-57, Milford-Avenue. 58—Lewes &

Groome.

Green, R. M.—1931, Wil.; 1931-37, Christiana; Wil. and Pen. 38-41, Hockessin; 42-51
—Executive Secretary, Board of Christian Education; 52-58, Newport; 59—
Sabbatical Leave.

Gunby. W. E.—1903, Wil.; 1903-4, Queenstown; 05-6, Odessa; 07-11, Princess Anne; 12-13, Easton; 14-17, Wesley (Dover); 18-22, Cambridge; 23-28, Supt. Dover Dist.; 29-34, Newark, Delaware; Wil. and Pen. 35-40, Supt. Wil. Dist.; 41-43, Easton; 44—Retired.

Easton; 44—Retired.

Hackett, W. O.—1942, Pen. 1942-3, Elk Neck; 44-47, Wyoming-Woodside; 48-56—Georgetown-Wesley; 57—Seaford-St. Johns.

Hall, L. B.—1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56, Wesley Foundation (Newark).

Hamblin, S. T.—1921, Wil. 1921-22, At School; 23-25, Houston; 26-28, Rehoboth; 29-31, Odessa; 32-33, Crapo; 34-35, Fairlee; Wil. and Pen. 36-42, Hopewell; 43-48, Wesley Chapel of Kent; 49-52, Sudlersville; 53-55, St. Georges-Summit; 56—Hopewell, Del.; 57—Retired.

Hamer, Conrad—1927, Wil. 1927, Ellendale; 28-29, At School; 30-32, Kenton; 33, Parsonsburg; 34-35, Rock Hall; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Rehoboth; 41-42, North East; 43, Harrington (Asbury); 44-56, Chaplain U. S. Air Force; 57-58, Milton; Del.; 59—Laurel-Christ.

Hamilton, Richard L.—1959 Pen. Conf.: 59—Goldsboro, Md.

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Hanby, J. C.—1931, Wil. 1931-33, Houston; 34-38, Mt. Pleasant; Wil. and Pen. 39-43, Townsend; 44-45, Sudlersville; 46-50, Asbury (Wil.); 51-52, Minquadale; 53-54, Retired; 55, Blades; 56, Retired.

Hankins, Wm. M. T.—1956 Peninsula Conf.; '56-57, Marydel, Md.; 58—Still Pond-

Betterton.

Hanna, Fred W., Jr.—1959, Pen. Conf.; 59—Y. M. C. A. Wilm., Del.

Hastings, Arthur—1952, 53, At School; 54-55, Stanton; 56-58, Laurel (Christ);
59—Middletown, Del.

Hastings, R. W.—1938, Wil. 1938, Farmington; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Church Hill;
42-44, Sharptown (Mt. Vernon); 45-47, St. Michaels (Sardis); 48-52, (Salem)
Pocomoke City; 53, Retired.

Hays, Clarence H.—1959 Pen. Conf.; 59—Bethel, Del.

Helms, R. W.—1957, Pen.; 57—Minquadale, Del.; 58—Cherry Hill, Md.

Hemphill, E. J., Jr.—1941, Pen. 41, Kingswood; 42-3, Ebenezer; 44—Chaplain,
U. S. Navy.

Hemphill, Wm., Jr.-1949 Pen.; 49-52, East New Market; 53-56-Sudlersville, Md.;

U. S. Navy.

Hemphill, Wm., Jr.—1949 Pen.; 49-52, East New Market; 53-56—Sudlersville, Md.; 57—Cambridge-St. Pauls.

Henderson, Gerald M.—1959, Pen. Conf.; 59—Mt. Pleasant-St. Georges.

Henvis, E. W.—1918, Wil. 1918, Elk Mills; 19-21, At School; 22-23, Claremont; 24-25, Onancock; 26, Newark, Md.; 27-28, Sudlersville; 29-33, St. Michaels; 34-35, Cecilton; 36-38, Felton; Wil. and Pen. 39-42, Millsboro; 43, New Castle; 44-45, Salisbury (South and Allen); 46, Sabbatical Leave; 1947, Supernumerary; 48-53, Bayview & Bethel; 54-57, Supernumerary; 58—Retired.

Higgins, D. G., Jr.—1953, Still Pond-Betterton; 54-55, Federalsburg-Christ; 56-58, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 59—Mt. Pleasant, Crisfield.

Hill, Perry O.—1944, Genesse Conf.; 45-47, Pen. Conf. Queenstown; 48-50 (Christ) Federalsburg; 51-56—Cecil United Parish; 57-58, St. Georges-(Clarksville), Del.); 59—Milton, Del.

Hitchens, Wm.—1950, Pen.; 1950-52, Felton; 53-56—Clayton, Del.; 57—Christ Church, (Brack Ex. Wilm.)

Hodgson, R. S.—1918, Wil. 1918, Canteroury; 19-20, At School; 21-24, Odessa; 25-26, Sudlersville; 27-20, Townsend; 31-33, Milton; 34, Dagsboro; 35-37, Red Lion; Wil. and Pen. 33-40, North East; 41-3, Newport; 44-49, Princess Anne; 50-55, Perryville-Asbury; 56-57, Still Pond-Betterton; 58—Retired.

Holdway, H. G.—1921, Holston; 21, Charleston, Tenn.; 22-23, Oltewah, Tenn.; 24, Concord, Tenn.; 25, Bradford, Va.; 26-29, Fries, Va.; 30-33, Appalachia, Va.; 34-36, Bramwell, W. V.; 37, Coalwood, W. V.; 38, Sabbatical Leave; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Somerset; 41-42, Cambridge Cir.; 43-46, North East; 47-48—(Eastlake) Wilmington; 49 Retired.

Holliday, J. V.—1955, Pen. 55—Georgetown Circuit; 56, Queenstown, Md. Hopkins, R. W.—1941, Pen. 1941-2, Charlestown; 43, Port Deposit; 44-45, At School; 46-47, Perryville; 48—Chaplain U. S. Navy.
Horney, E. J.—1948, School; 49-55, Ebenezer; 56, Hurlock, Md.
Hornung, D. O.—1938, Detroit; 1938-39, Clio; Pen. Conf. 41-42, Pomona; 43-44, Crumpton: 45-47, Ingleside and Barclay; 48-53; Ocean City; 54-58, Hillsboro;

1959

Hornung, D. O.—1938, Detroit; 1938-39, Clio; Pen. Conf. 41-42, Pomona; 43-44, Crumpton: 45-47, Ingleside and Barclay; 48-53; Ocean City; 54-58, Hillsboro; 59—Centreville, Md.

Hubbard, R. C.—1935, North East, Ohio; 35-36, At School; 37, Kenilworth, N. J. (Student Charge); 38, Seville, Ohio; 39-41, Peninsula, Ohio; 1942, N. J. Conference; 42-45, Spring Lakè, N. J.; 1946—Peninsula Conf. Cambridge (Grace).

Hudson, W. H.—1940, Pen. 1940, St. Martins; 41, At School; 42-45, Milton (Goshen); 46-49, Brack-Ex; 50—Chestertown (First).

Hufman, Charles C.—1959 Pen. Conf.; 59—Preston, Md.

Hughes, R. E.—1949 Pen.; 49-54, Queenstown; 55—Aldersgate.

Hughes, R. E.—1955, Pen.; 55-56—Hockessin; 57—School.

Hungerford, M. E.—1909, Maryland Conf. 1909-11, Wallace Memorial; 12-13, Mariners; 14, New Market; 15-16, Chincoteague; 17-19, Milton; 20-22, Conquest; 23-25, Union; 26-30, Georgetown; 31-38, Sharptown; Wil. and Pen. 39-44, Milford (Calvary); 45—Retired.

Irvin, John A.—Pen. Conf., 1954; 54, Farmington; 55-56—East New Market: 57-58, Preston, Md.; 59—Millsboro, Del.

Jackson, A. J.—1918, Pen. Conf. 41, Pres. Wesley Junior College; 42-49, Newark, Del.; 50-55, Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 56, Claymont, Del.

Jackson, A. J.—1918, Pen. Conf. 41, Pres. Wesley Junior College; 42-49, Newark, Del.; 50-55, Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 56, Claymont, Del.

Jackson, Leolan—1897, Atlantic Mission Conf., 1897-1903; Holston Conf.; 04-05, Willmington Conf.; 07-08, Beckwith; 09-10, Wyoming; 12-14, Crapo; 15-16, Magnolia; 17-19, Princess Anne; 20-21, Tilghman; 22-24, Sudlersville; 25-26, Ridgely; 27-29, Madeley; 30-33, Kent Island; Wil. and Pen. 34-40; 41—Retired.

James, O. E.—1907, Wil. 1907, Queenstown; 08-09, Roxana; 10, Fruitland; 11-12, Gumboro; 13-14, Farmington; 15, Annamessex; 16, Sy; 17-18, Colora; 19, Red Lion: 20-22, Mt. Lebanon; 23, Ebenezer; 24—Retired.

Jeffers, H. C.—1950; 52—Trinity & Quindocqua; 52-56—Preston, Md.; 57—Sudlersville, Md.

Jefferson, O. P.—1926, Wil. 1926-27, Crumpton; 28-29, Ocean City; 30-31. Chinco-

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Jefferson, O. P.—1926, Wil. 1926-27, Crumpton; 28-29, Ocean City; 30-31, Chincoteague; 32-33, Chesapeake City; 34-39, Perryville; Pen. 40-43, Centreville (Epworth); 44-46, Peninsula (Wil.); 47-49, (St. Johns) Seaford; 50-52, Crisfield (Immanuel); 53-58, East Lake, Wilm.; 59—Wilm. Trinity.

Jones, C. N.—1900, Wil. 1900, Leipsic, 01-02, At School; 03, Colora; 04-05, Cookman; 06, Chesapeake City; 07-08, St. Georges; 09-10, Preston; 11-12, Delaware City; 13-15, Hopewell; 16-19, Clayton; 20-22, St. Michaels; 23-24, Denton; 25, Princess Anne; 26-27, Ocean City; 28-30, Milton; 31-34, Townsend; 35-39, New Castle; Pen. 40-41, Epworth (Wil.); 42 Retired.

Jones, J. E.—1935, Wil. 1933, Williamsburg; 34-36, Cheswold; 37, Nanticoke; Wil. and Pen. 38-41, Roxana; 42-45, Brack-Ex; 46-49, Berlin; 50-53, Millsboro; 54, Wilmington-Harrison Street.

Jones, J. W.—1898, Wil. 1898, Annamessex: 99-03, Cookman; 04-5, Townsend; 06-7.

Jones, J. W.—1898, Wil. 1898, Annamessex; 99-03, Cookman; 04-5, Townsend; 06-7. Ridgely; 08, Ebenezer; 09-10, Rising Sun; 11-12, Deals Island; 13-15, Frederica; 16-17, Middletown; 18, McCabe, 19-20, Cape Charles; 21-25, Delmar; 26-30, Pocomoke City; 31-35, Mt. Salem; 36, Camden; Wil. and Pen. 37-42, Porposit; 43—Retired.

Jones, R. C.—1915, Wil. 1915, Vienna; 16-17, Bishopville; 18-20, At School; 21-24, Kent Island; 25-29, Silverbrock; 30-33, Lewes; 34-38, Delmar; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Brandywine; 41-46, Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 47-49, (Centenary) Laurel; 50-52—Milford (Calvary); 53-55—Federalsburg; 56—Ridgely, Md.; 57— Retired.

Retired.

Jones, R. L.—1923, Virginia Ccnf. 21, Hog Island; 22-23, Brightwood; 24-25, Rapidan; 26, Schuyler; 27-30, Mt. Pleasant; 31-32, Luenenburg; 33-35, Burkeville; 36-38, Pocomcke Cir.; Vir. and Pen. 39-40, Hosier Mem.; Pen. 41-2, Dorchester; 43, Burrsville; 44, Farmington; 45, Harbeson; 46, St. James; 47-49, Cecilton; 50, Somerset; 51-53, Frederica; 54, Retired.

Jones, T. C.—1914, Balt. South. 1904-5, Woodstock; 06, Bakerstown; 07, Shenandoah Junction; 08, At School; 09-10, Roanoke; Oklahoma Conf. 11, Konawa, Ok.; 12, Oklahoma City; Maryland M. P. 13-14, Leeds; 15-18, Reliance; 19-20, New Church; 21, Dover; 22-28, Nichols Mem. (Balt.); 29-35, Wilton Heights Balt.); 36, Orlando, Florida; Wil. and Pen. 37-40, Easton; 41-46, Harrington (Trinity); 47-48, Ocean View; 49—Retired.

Kay, J. M.—1931. Maryland. 1931, Kent Island; 32-33, Claremont; 34-36, Green-

(Trinity); 47-48, Ocean View; 49—Retired.

Kny, J. M.—1931, Maryland, 1931, Kent Island; 32-33, Claremont; 34-36, Greenwood: Mary. and Pen. 37-45, James; 46-50, Concord-Grove; 51-55, Fairmount & Westover; 56-57, Mardela, Md.; 58—Crapo, Md.

Keene, M. H.—1938, Wil. 1938, Henderson; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Kingswood; 41-3, Mardela (Emmanuel); 44-45, Hurlock (Washington); 46-48, Chestertown (Christ); 49-53, Harrison St.; 54, Kingswood-Brookside.

Kelsor, Charles-Maryland Annual Conf., 58-Retired in Pen. Conf.

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Kesmodel, W. P.—1937, Maryland, 36, Harpers Ferry; 37, Walkers Chapel; 38, Whaleyville; Mary. and Pen. 39-40. Sharptown (Mt. Vernon): 41-48, Georgetown (Grace); 49-56—Richardson Park; 57—Chestertown-Christ.
Kirwan, R. W.—1933, Wil. 25-26, Powellville; 27-28, Annamessex; 29-30, Farmington; 31-33, Cheswold; 34-36, Queenstown; 37-38, Bishopville; Wil. and Pen. 39-44, Greensboro; 45-48, Clayton (St. Paul's); 49-50, Easton (Calvary); 51-53—Goldsboro; 54-56—Dagsboro, Bethel & Christ; 57—Houston, Del.

Kohl, W. H.—1931, Wil. 1930-33, Pittsville; 34-35, Cherry Hill; 36-37, Houston; 38-39—Blades; 40-42—Smith's Island; 43-52—Hebron (St. Paul's); 53-56—St. Thomas; 57-Roxana, Del.

Krams, H. K.—1938, Balt. Conf. (South), 36, Pulaski Cir. (Holston Conf.); 37-38

Hiram Cir. (North Georgia Conf.); Baltimore and Penn. Conf. 39-40, Ingleside
and Barclay: 41-44, St. Michaels (Sardis); 45-53, Marshallton; 54, Brandywine.

Landon, J. P.—1908, Col. Conf. 1908-30, Wil. Conf. 1931, Girdletree; 32-33, St.

Thomas; 34, Nanticoke; 35-36, Bishopville; 37, Kenton; 38-39, Bayside; 40—

Retired

Langrall, J. F.—1931, Wil. 1931, At School; 32-35, Farmington; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Kent Island; 41-42, Hoopers Island and Hosler Mem.; 43-46, Roxana; 47-49, Deals Island; 50—Gumboro.

Lasbury, C. E .- 1955, Pen.; 55-56-Assistant, St. Paul's Wilm.; 57-Chester-Bethel.

Leary, C. R.—1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56, Frederica, Del.

Leister, G. E.—1919, Maryland, 1919-25, Greenbush and Tasley; 26-36, Federals-burg; Mary, and Pen. 37-42, Pocomoke (Bethany); 43-48, Centreville (Grace); 49-52, Clayton; 53, Bethel-Dover Dist.; 58—Retired.

Link, J. Howard—1942, Balt. Conf. 40-41, Prospect-Marvin; 42, Winfield Cir.; 1943, Oct. 28, Pen. Conf., 43-44, Port Deposit; 45-46, Hockessin: 47-49, Preston; 50-52, Centreville (Grace); 53-55, Rehoboth; 56-58, Crisfield, Emanuel); 59— Smyrna, Del.

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Link, J. N.—1913-15 Fairfax Circuit, Virginia; 1916-17 Warwick Circuit, Maryland; 1918-19 Accomac Circuit, Virginia; 1920-24 Deer Park Circuit, Maryland; 1925-27 Grace Church, Baltimore; 1928-34 Starr Church, Baltimore; 1935-37 First Church, Newark, New Jersey; 1938-46 Professor of Practical Theology, Westminster Theological Seminary; 1947-52 Peninsula Church, Wilmington; 53-58, District Superintendent, Wilmington District; 59—Retired.

Littleton, D. A.—1933, Wil. 1933, Pocomoke Cir.; 34-36, Ocean City; 37-39, Townsend; 40-45, Pen. Conf. Chaplain U. S. Army; 46, Odessa; 47-54, Chaplain Veterans Administration: 55-56, Cherry Hill, Md.; 57-58, Wilm.-Trinity; 59—Assoc. Wilm. Manor.

Assoc. Wilm. Manor.

Loss, R. F.—1937, Maryland, 1936, Harmony; 37-38, Greenbush-Hallwood; Virginia and Pen. 39-40, Allen; 41-42, Kent Island; 43-45, Hillsboro-Queen Anne; 46-47, Vienna-Elliott; 48-49, Millsboro; 50—Retired.

Lucia, Frank-1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Georgetown Circuit; 59-Camden, Del.

Lucia, Frank—1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Georgetown Circuit; 59—Camden, Del. Mackey, J. R.—1938-48, Epperson; Norman, Jax Dist. 38-40; Jacksonville Beach, Jax Dist. 40-48; Peninsula Conf. 48, Asbury, Salisbury.
McClain, D. E.—1910, 1910-33, East Maine Conf.; 09-13, Milo Junc. and Milo; 14-15, Calais, Knight Mem.; 16-18, Bar Harbor; 19-20, Centenary; 21-26, Field Agt., Board of Education; 27-32, American University; 33, Supt. Anti Saloon League of Del.; Wil. Conf. 34-36, Deals Island; 37-38, Cambridge (Zion); 39-50 Vice Pres. American University; 51, Retired.
McCoy, P. E.—1938, Wil. 1938, At School; 39, Burrsville; Pen. 40, Warwick; 41, Galena; 42-43, Hillicrest; 44-45, Newport: 46, Grace (Wil.), Associate Pastor; 47-48, (Ebenezer) Easton; 49, Chaplain U. S. Army; 50-52, Easton (Ebenezer); 53-58, St. Paul., Wilm.; 59—Salisbury-Trinity.
McDade, H. R.—1905-19, Pnila. Conf.; 1920-21. Claymont; 22, Salisbury Cir.: 24-25

Sa-58, St. Paul., Wilm.; 59—Salisbury-Trinity.
McDade, H. R.—1905-19, Pnila. Conf.; 1920-21, Claymont; 22, Salisbury Cir.; 24-25, St. Peters; 26, Tilghman; 27-29, Kent Island; 30-33, Newport; 34, New Castle; 35-36, Port Deposit: 37-38, Frankford; 39, Chincoteague; Pen. Conf. 40-44, Sharptown (Asbury); 45, Trappe; 46—Retired.
McFarland, A. T.—1919-21, Dakota Conf.; 22-27, Nebraska Conf.; 1938-, Millington; 40-41, St. Peters; 42-46, Calvary (Wil.), 47-48, (Union) Federalsburg; 49, Easton (Ebenezer); 50-56—Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 57—Retired.

Mc Ginnis, W. S .- 1955 Pen. 55-Chester Bethel

McKee, W. J.—1914, 1914-31, Northern Minn. Conf.; Wil. 32-33, Somerset; 34, Roxana; 35-36, Epworth (Wil.); 37, Leave of Absence; 38-42, Supernumerary; Pen. 43-45, Powellville; 46-47, Houston; 48-49, Hosier Memorial; 50—Retired. Merrill, Thomas R.—1959, Pen. Conf.; 59—School.

Milbury, F. D.—1930, Wil. 1930, At School; 1931-35, Wyoming; 36-39, Federalsburg; Pen. 40-43, Mt. Salem; 44-46, Laurel (Centenary); 47, Newport; 52-55, Dir. Religious Education; 56, Milford (Calvary).

Miller, A. S.—Pen. Aug. 1949; 49, Cambridge (Zion).
Mills, R. W.—1927, Wil. 1927-33, St. Peters; 34-35, Seaford Cir.; 36, Leave of Absence: Wil. and Pen. 37-41, Supernumerary; 42-44, Harbeson; 45-48, Stockton-Girdletree; 49—Retired.

Minker, R. L., Jr.—1950 Pen., 1950, Whaleyville; 51-54, Fruitland; 55—Ocean City. Moore, G. H.—1952; 52-53, Bayside; 54-55, Greenwood; 56-57, Federalsburg (Christ); 58—Mt. Salem.

Morgan. L. B.—1905, Wil. 1905, Leipsic; 06-08, Williamsburg; 09-10, Concord; 11-13, Georgetown Cir.: 14-23, Chincoteague; 24-29, Richardson Park; 30-35, Elkton; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Middletown; 41—Retired.

Mulligan. T. C.—1922, Maryland, 1919-21, Marley; 22-26, Payson St.; Maryland and Pen. 27-44, Cambridge, (St. Pauls); 45-50, Dist. Supt. Dover Dist.; 51, Georgetown, Grace.

Georgetown-Grace.

Nicklas, H. N.—1932, Maryland Conf. 31-32, Warwick: 33-35, Powellville: 36-39, Cecil; Pen. 40-42, Odessa; 43-47, Magnolia; 48-51, Trappe; 52, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon.

Nunemaker, Harold—1955, Pen. Conf.; 55-56, Assistant Cecil United Parish; 57-58, Cecil United Parish; 59—Vienna, Md.

- O'Neil, James—1928, Wil. 1928, Farmington; 29-31, Nassau; 32-33, Blades; 34-36, Kenton; Wil. and Pen. 37-40, Quantico; 41-42, Pittsville (Ayers); 43-44 Fairmount; 45-47, Greenwood; 48-51, Ellendale; 52-55, Ingleside; 56-57, Crisfield (Mariners); 58—Mardela.
- Owens, W. H.—1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Perryville (Asbury); 59—Assoc. Dir. Home for Aged.
- Parks, H. M.—1925, Wil. 1925-26, Little Creek; 27-28, Mt. Lebanon; 29-31, St. John's; 32, Delaware City; 33-35, Marshallton; Wil. and Pen. 36-42, Asbury (Wil.); 43-47, Salisbury (Grace); 48, St. Michaels; 49-51, Rock Hall; 52-53, Townsend; 54-58, Port Deposit; 59—Millington, Md.

Payne, R. H., Jr.-1958 Peninsula, 58-Tilghman, Md.

- Pettus, J. B .- 1921, Virg. (South) 1916-17, East Albemarle; 18-20, Vol. Worker of the Salvation Army with soldiers in France and Germany; 20-21, Scottsville; 22, South Dorchester; 23-24, West Lancaster; 25-26, North Patrick; 27-28, St. Martin's; 29-31, Brightwood Cir.; 32-35, Hyco Cir.; 36-38, Allen; Vir. and Pen. 39-40, Cambridge Cir.; 42-43, Somerset; 44-47, Westover; 48-49, Quantico; 50, Whitesville; 51, Church Creek; 52, Ellendale; 53-55, Red Lion; 56, Retired.
- Phillips, Roy B.—1955, Pen.; 55, Wesley Chapel; 56-58, Townsend, Del.; 59-St. Georges, Clarksville.
- Pigueron, G. H.—1942, Pen.; 42—Vienna; 43-46—Pocomoke (Bethany); 47-56 Wilmington-Union; 57—Ex. Dir. Home for Aged.

Pigueron, G. H., III,-1958-Peninsula, 58-Cedars.

- Price, J. T.—1908, Wil. 1908, Royal Oak; 09-10, Charlestown; 11-12, Tilghman: 13, St. John's; 14, Burrsville; 15-16, Blades; 17-19, Camden; 20-23, Hurlock; 24-25, Perryville; 26, Madeley; 27, Deals Island; 28, Frankford; 29-31, Fruitland; 32-33, Still Pond; 34-35, Chesapeake City; 36—Retired.
- Pritchard, D. T.—1934, Wil. 1934-35, Somerset; 36-39, Newark, Md.; Pen. 40-41, Mt. Pleasant (Laurel); 42-46, Millington; 47-48, Odessa; 49-51, Harrington (Trinity); 52, Oxford.
- Randall, L. C.—1923, Maryland, 23-24 Wil. (First Ch.); 25-27, St. James; 28-29. Hurlock; 30-31, Milton; Pen. Mar. and Pen. 32-42, Centreville (Grace); 43-45, Chaplain U. S. Navy; 46-47, Hurlock (Washington); 48-50, Zion Circuit, Leeds and St. Johns; 51-52, Rehoboth; 53-55, Pocomoke-Bethany; 56, Delmar (Mt.
- Randolph, D. J., Jr.-1957, Pen.; 57-Hockessin, Del.
- Reed, O. B.—1916, Wil. 1912-13, Milford Neck; 14-15, Marydel; 16-18, Church Hill; 19, Chesapeake City; 20, Hockessin; 21-24, Hillcrest; 25-27, Hockessin; 30. Vienna; 32, Trappe; 33-34, Mt. Vernon; 35-38, Ridgely; Wil. and Pen. 39-43, Wyoming; 44-47, Kent Island; 48-49, Millington; 50-55, Bethel-Chesapeake City; 56, Retired.
- Reiter, C. L .- 1957, Pen.; 57-Readmitted and Retired.
- Revelle, W. H.-1907, Wil. 1907, Annamessex; 09-10, Quantico; 11-14, Newark. Md.; 15-17, Mt. Vernon; 18-19. Somerset; 20-21, Hillsboro; 22-26, Rock Hall; 27-29, Trinity (Wil.); 30-32, North East; 33, Cookman; 34-37, Hockessin; Wil. and Pen. 38-43, Sudlersville; 44-48, Lewes; 49—Retired.
- Revelle, W. H., Jr.—1945 Pen. Conf. 45-48, Port Deposit; 49-56—Chestertown, Christ; 57-58, Smyrna-Asbury; 59—Wilm., St. Paul.
- Reynolds, B. E.—Wil. 1938, 1938-39, Hoopers Island; Wil. and Pen. 40-42, Newark, Md.; 43-44, Marshallton; 45—Wilmington Manor (St. Marks).
- Reynolds, P. E.—1927, Wil. 1927-28, Vienna; 29-32, Hillcrest; 33-35, North East; 36-46, Chestertown (First); 47-48, (Bethany) Pocomoke City; 49-57, New Castle; 58—St. Michaels.
- Robinson, W. L.—1951; 51-52, Asbury, Wilmington; 53-55, Charlestown, Md.; 56, Ebenezer-Newark, Del.
- Ross, G. S.—1918, Maryland; 1918, Greenback; 19. Harpers Ferry; 20-23, Harmony; 24, Rowlandsville; 25-28, Cannon; 29, Kent Island; 30-34, Mardela: Mary. and Pen. 35-40: Milton: 41-3, Seaford Cir.; 44-48, Goldsboro; 49-50, St. Georges-Delaware City; 51-52, St. Georges-Summit; 53-55, Minquadale; 56, Retired.
- Ruth, D. L.—1947, Bozman; 1948-52, Easton-Trinity; 53-56—Cambridge-St. Paul; 57—Laurel Centenary.
- Sard, T. J.—1910, Wil. 1910-11. Burrsville: 12-13, Armory (Dover); 14-17, Tangier; 18-22, Scott: 23-25, Chestertown; 26-32, Asbury (Crisfield); Wil. and Pen. 33-46, Union (Wil.); 47—Retired.
- Schauer, P. M. R.—1915, Maryland, 1914, Salem; 15-17, Kennedyville; 18-19, Mount Nebo; 20-23, Maryland Line; 24-25, Poplar Springs; 26, Laurel, Del.: 27-28, Chesaco Pk.; 29-35, Harbeson; 36-37, Wye; Mary. and Pen. 38-39, Warwick; 40-41, Leeds; 42-45, Concord; 46-47, Whaleyville; 48-52, Red Lion; 53, Retired.

- Seymour, S. J.—1958, Peninsula; 58—Rock Hill, Md.; 59—School.
- Shield, E. R.—1936, Mary. Con. 36-38, Powellville; Mar. and Pen. 1939-52, Snow Hill-Bates Memorial; 53-57, Pocomoke-Salem; 58—Georgetown-Wesley.
- Shockley, E. M.—1919, Wil. 1919, Bayside; 20-22, At School; 23-25, Still Pond; 26-29, North East; 30-33, Brandywine; 34-35, Selbyville; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Dover; 41-43, Harrison St.; 44-46, Easton (Ebenezer); 47—Retired.
- Shockley, O. J.-1957, Pen.; 57-Cheswold, Del.
- Short, W. D.—1922, Wil. 1922, Greenwood; 23, Charlestown; 24, Crapo; 25, Trappe; 26-28, East New Market; 29, Still Pond; 30-31, At School; 32, Millington; 33, Ridgely; 34-35, St. Peters; 36-37, Smith's Island; Wil. and Pen. 38-41, Madeley; 42, Kenton; 43, Sabbatical leave; 44-46, Supernumerary; 47—Retired.
- Simpers, John W.-1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, School; 58-Charlestown, Md. Smith, Addison L.—1940, 41, Hinsdale, New Hampshire; 1942, 43, Rochelle, Louisiana; 1943, Louisiana Conference. 1943-47 Second Church, New Orleans; 47, 48, St. Francisville; 48-50, Baton Rouge; 50-52, Conway, N. H. (Maine Conf.); 1953 Peninsula Conf. 1952, 53, Wye Mills; 53, East New Market; 55-57—St. Michaels; 58—Salisbury-St. Andrew's.

- Smith, Tilghman—1907, Wil. 1907, Canterbury; 08, Christiana; 09-10, Pomona; 11, Girdletree; 12-14, Marion; 15-17, Bethel; 18-19, East New Market; 20-22, Still Pond; 23-25, St. Michaels; 26-29, Marshallton; 30-34, Port Deposit; 35-36, Clayton; 37-38, Greensboro; Wil. and Pen. 39-43, Princess Anne; 44-17. Townsend; 48-Retired.
- Snapp, A. M. B.—1928, Balto. South; Pen. 1940-41, Church Hill; 42-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46-47, South & Allen (Salisbury); 48-50, Perryville; 51-53 Chaplain U. S. Army; 54-55, Dover Air Base-St. Pauls.; 56, Wyoming, Del.
- Soronsen, Vernon M .- 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-Assoc. at Aldersgate Wilm.
- Spence. P. W.—1926, Wil. 1926-29, Christiana; 30-31, Denaware City; 32-33, Mt. Lebanon; 34-38, Preston; Wil. and Pen. 39-42, Bridgeville; 43-50, Claymont; 51-56—Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 57—Wilm.-Peninsula.
- Squires, C. H.—1938, Wil. 1938, Girdletree; 39, Willards; Pen. 40-43, Bayside; 44-46, Hurlock (Unity); 47, Newark, Md.; 48-53, (St. Andrews) Salisbury; 54, Ocean 55-56, Cheswold, Del.; 57-58, Dagsboro-Bethel; 59—Perryville-Asbury.
- Staton, L. E.—1958, Peninsula; 58—Minquadale, Del.; 59—Assoc. Easton-St. Marks. Stapleton, J. G.—1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, Trappe, Md.; 58—Pocomoke-Salem.

Starnes, Ronald W .- 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-Dagsboro, Del.

- Staszesky, R. C .- 1949 Pen. 49, School; 50, Wilm. (Trinity); 51-57, School; 58-Silverbrook.
- Stone, W. H.—1932, Maryland, 1930, West Wilmington; 31-32, Carroll Cir.; 33-35, Uniontown; 36-39, First (Wil.); Pen. Conf. 40-42, Hillsboro and Queen Anne; 43—Seaford (Mt. Olivet).
- Strausburg, C. R.—1901, Maryland, 1900, Montgomery Cir.; 01, Kemptown (Asst.); 02, Canton; 03-4, Talbot; 05, 1st (Wil.); 06-8, Cecil; 09, Marley; 10-11, Greensboro; 12-13, Alexandria, Va.; 14-17, Lisbon; 18-21, Snow Hill; 22-24, Milford; 25-28, Cumberland; 29, Alnutt Mem.; 30-31, Trinity-Salem; 32, Accomac; 33-34, Mt. Nebo; Mary. and Pen. 35-39, St. Michaels; 40-44, Fairlee; 45-46, Marydel; 45-4
- Strickland, C. W.—1892, Wil. 1892, Little Creek; 93-94, Elliotts Isl.; 95, Pocomoke Cir.; 96-97, Parsonsburg; 98-99, Chincoteague; 00-1, Quantico; 02-4, Nassau; 05, Williston; 06, Newport; 07-8, St. Peters; 09-10, Greenwood; 11-12, Bozman; 13-15, Nanticoke; 16-18, Frankford; 19-22, Pittsville; 23, Deals Island; 24-29, Tangler; 30-32, Epworth, (Wil.); 33-34, Clayton; 35—Retired.
- Tawes, R. L.—1928, Wil. 1928-29, Millington; 30-32, Ridgely; 33, Ocean City; 34-36, Magnolia; 37, Seaford Cir.; Wil. and Pen. 38-42, Hurlock (Washington); 43-48—Silverbrook; 49-53—Milford-Avenue; 54-56—Wilm.-Peninsula; 57—Dist. Supt. Dover District.
- Thawley, R. T.—1916, Wil. 1916-17, Red Lion; 18-24, At School; 25, Mt. Vernon: 26, Port Deposit; 27-28, Tilghman; 29-31, Cecilton; 32-35, Centreville; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Selbyville; 41-46, Brandywine; 47-48 (Wesley) Dover; 49-51, Federalsburg (Union); 52, Stanton, Del. Appt. & Conf. Treas.; 53, No Appt.; 54-55—Asbury & Scott; 56—Scott; 57—Retired.
- Thomas, E. C.—1949, Peninsula; 49-51, Greenwood (Grace & Cannon); 52-58, Odessa; 59—Queen Anne, Md.
- Thomas, E. P.—1914, Wil. 1914-15, Pittsville; 16-17, At School; 18-20, Ocean City; 21-22, Epworth (Wil.); 23-28, Laurel; 29-32, Smyrna; 33-35, Dover; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Easton; 41-44, St. Paul's (Wil.); 45-50, Supt., Easton Dist.; 51-55, Claymont; 56, Retired.
- Todd, O. M .- 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Goldsboro. Md.; 59-Princess Anne, Md.
- Townsend, J. W.—1919, Maryland, 19-22, Cannon; 23-25, Milton; 26-27, Calvary, Va. and Walker's Chapel: 28-33, Calvary, Va.: 34-39, Snow Hill: Peninsula Conf. 40-43, Peninsula (Wil.); 44-57, Delmar (First); 58—Retired.
- Trader, Charles-1950 Pen.; 50, Fairmount-Westover; 51-55, Vienna; 56, Church Hill, Md.

- Trader, J. A.—1923, Maryland, 1921-23, Haddonfield, N. J.; 24-25, Cumberland; 26-28, Lauraville; 29-34, Cherrydale, Va.; Mary. and Balt. 35-39, Lewis Mem. (Wash.); Pen. 40-48, Trinity (Salisbury); 49—Dover (Wesley).
- Troutman, L. B.—1949 Pen. 49-50, Ridgely; 51-52, Hillsboro-Queen Anne; 53, Chaplain U. S. Air Force.
- Truitt, F. H.—1936, Wil. 36-37, Pomona; 38-39, St. Johns; Pen. 40, Mt. Vernon; 41-46, Nassau and Unity; 47-49, (Trinity) Harrington; 49-52, St. Michaels (Sardis); 53, Sharptown-Asbury.
- Turkington, T. J.—1922, Maryland: 1922-24, Chincoteague: 25, Wilmington, (Second Ch.); 26-30, First Ch. (Washington); Maryland and Pen. 31—Denton, (Grace).
- Turner, G. E.—1920, Maryland, 1920-21, Cecil; 22-24, Dorchester; 25-29, Belair; 30, Sharptown; 31-33, Leeds; 34-36, Kemptown; 37-39, Harrington; Pen. 40-41, 1st Church (Wil.); 42-45, St. Peters; 46-47, Powellville; 48-51, Smith Island;
- Van Cleaf, R. E.—1935, Maryland, 1935-39, Clayton; Pen. Conf. 40-43, Hurlock, (Unity); 44-45, Chaplain U. S. Army; 46-48, Mt. Vernon (Sharptown); 49-50, Georgetown (Grace); 51-55, Harrington-Asbury; 56-58, Middletown, Del.; 59— Eastlake-Wilmington.
- Vaughn, J. B.—1931, Wil. Conf.; 1931-35, Bethel and Town Point; 1936-37, Madeley; Wil. and Pen. 1938-41, Milton; 42-43, Salisbury; 44-47, Centreville (Epworth); 48-49, (Washington) Hurlock; 50-54, United Parish; 55—Houston,
- Volk, F. M.—Maryland Conf.; 1920-21, Melvin Chap., Cumberland; 22-23, Rowlandsville; 24-27, Kemptown; 28-30, Pipe Creek; 31, Harpers Ferry; Maryland and Pen. 1932-40, Pittsville; 41-45, Scott; 46-49, Mt. Olive (Delmar); 50-52, Cambridge (St. Pauls); 53-54, Milton-Goshen & Grace; 55—Fruitland.
- Von Hagel, J. J.—1932, Maryland, 1933-35, Walkers Chapel; 36-38, Claremont; 39-41, Greenwood, Grace and Cannon, Pen. Conf.; 42-43, Milton, Grace and Indian River; 44-46, Vienna; 47-51, Frankford; 52-55, Wyoming; 56, Salisbury

Wallace, R. 0 .- 1958 Peninsula, 58-Trappe, Md.

- Whentley, G. H.—1929, Wil. Conf. 29-32, Onancock; 33-35, Newark, Md.; 36-39, St. Peters; Wil. and Pen. 40-41, Marian (Trinity); 42-43, Ingleside and Barclay; 44-48, Rock Hall; 49—Greensboro.
- Wheatley, M. E.—1910, Wil. Conf.; 1910-11, Blades; 12-13, Burrsville; 14-15, St. John's; 16-18, Concord; 19-21, Centreville; 22-24, Ridgely; 25-29, Denton; 30-34, Middletown; 35, Silverbrook; 36-41, Elkton; 42-49, Crisfield (Immanuel); 50-55, North East, Md.-56, Retired.
- Whedbee, J. H.—1919, Wil. Conf. 1919, Trappe; 20-21, Cordova; 22-24, Last New Market; 25, Seaford Cir.; 26-28, Bethel; 29-31, Hopewell; 32-33, Magnolia; 34, Pittsville; 35-36, Nanticoke; 37-38, Bethel; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Nassau; 41-44, Stockton; 45-56, Deal Island; 47, Millington; 48-50, Bayside; 51, Retired; 52, Bethel, (Dov. Dist.); 53, Retired.
- Whitlock, Robt .- 1957, Pen.; 57-Chesapeake City, Md.
- Wilcox, C. E .- 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Harrington (Trinity); 59-Odessa,
- Wildey, D. C.—1943, Calif.-Nevada Conf., Feb. 1, 1949 Peninsula; 49-52, Ocean View; 53-55, Milford-Calvary; 56, Dir. Religious Education.
- Wilkins, Edw. R .- 1954-55, At School; 56, Assoc. Pastor, Wesley, Dover.
- Wilkins, H. O .- 45-46, St. Johns; 47-49, Camden; 50-55, Middletown; 56, Hillcrest,
- Wimbrow, L. E.—1923, Wil. 23-25, Assoc. Pastor, Grace, (Wil.); St. Johns River Conf., 26, White Temple (Assoc.); 27, Allapattah Temple; 28, First (Melbourn, Fla.); Wil. Conf. 29-30, Grace, (Wil.), Assoc.; 31-33, Pocomoke City (Salem); 34-36, Scott (Wil.); 37-38, Millsbore; Wil. and Pen. 39-42, First (Denton); 43-50—Bridgeville; 51-56—Snow Hill-Whatcoat; 57—Retired.
- Windsor, L. E.—1916, Wil. 1916, Henderson; 17, Little Creek; 18-20, Mt. Pleasant; 21-22, At School; 23-25, Dagsboro; 26-35, Seaford: 36-39, Mt. Salem; Pen. 40-51, Conf. Treasurer; 52-55, Wilm.-Calvary; 56-58, Frankford, Del.; 59—
- Wood, G. E.—1886, Wil. 1886, Crumpton; 87, Kings Creek; 88-9, Hallwood; 90, Chincoteague; 91-4, Claymont; 95, Bishopville; 96-7, Cannon; 98-9, Parsonsburg; 00-1, Magnolia; 02-3, E. N. Market; 04-6, Mt. Pleasant (Laurel); 07-8, Newark, Md.; 09-10, Onancock; 11-13, Sy.; 14, Cherry Hill; 15-16, St. Georges; 17-18, Rockland; 19, Girdletree; 20-21, Bethel; 22-23, Lincoln; 24-25, Frederica; 26-28. Trappe; 29, Marion; 30-31, Beckwith; 32—Retired.
- Wootten, J. W.—1918, Wil. 1918, Westover; 19-21, Fruitland; 22-25, Tilghman; 26-29, Somerset; 30, Ocean City; 31-33, Scott; 34-35, Cape Charles; Wil. and Pen. 36-41, Pocomoke; 42-45, Grace (Cambridge); 46-48, New Castle; 49-50, Snow Hill (Whatcoat); 51-55, Bridgeville; 56, Retired.

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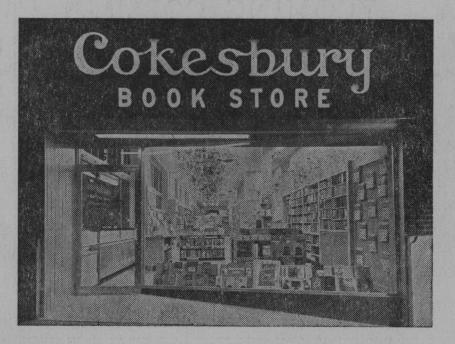
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