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# Standing Rules

- 1. The District Steward, the Recording Steward and the Lay Leader of each charge are ex-officio members of the District Conference. Besides these, each charge is entitled to four delegates.
- 2. The Presiding Elders are a standing committee to nominate all the boards and regular standing committees at each session of the Conference.
- 3. The Presiding Elders are required by Conference resolution to send to the Secretary of the Conference, immediately after the meeting of their respective boards of District Stewards, a copy of the assessments made on each charge, and these assessments are to be recorded by the Secretary as the official assessment against the several charges of the Conference.
- 4. A Teller shall be elected quadrennially at the session following the General Conference, whose duty it shall be to receive all funds collected for the purpose known as Conference Collections which may be brought to the Annual Conference, and turn the same over to the several Annual Conference Poards as soon as practicable after the Conference meets. He shall be assisted by a representative of the Conference Boards.
- 5. The Treasurer of each of the Conference Boards shall forward in duplicate all receipts for moneys paid him by the pastor during the interim between the sessions of the Conference, and the Treasurer shall forward the receipts of the Secretary of the Auditing Committee, and the Auditor forward the duplicate receipts to the Pastors.
- 6. The Presiding Elder of each district shall appoint an editor of the statistical reports of his district, whose duty it shall be to collect all the statistical reports from the preachers in charge within the district and see that they are correctly made out. And when the District Editors shall have collected and edited these reports, they shall turn them over to the Statistical Secretary of the Conference, during the first day of the Conference session.
- 7. The Chairman of Committee on Admissions shall make written report to be filed with the Secretary of the Conference, concerning each one admitted into the Conference. This report shall embrace: full name; name of parents; date and place of birth, conversion and license to preach; date of marriage; name of wife, and such other facts of his life as may be deemed important.
- 8. The appointment of any member of the Conference to the presiding eldership shall automatically vacate his membership on any of the quadrennial Boards, to take effect at the opening of the ensuing session.

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Crow, B. S., Loving.
Culver, Frank P., Folytechnic, Tex.
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\*Yancey, B. H., Grapevine.

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\*Gunter, J. B., Abbott.

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Barcus, W. J., Lorena.
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\*Hudson, H. J., Lorena.
\*Woodson, W. W., Mart.

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I. L. Rawdon, Mansfield.
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M. W. McDaniel, Fort Worth, Texas.
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J. D. Fallin, Polytechnic, Texas.
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A. E. Morris, Meridian.

T. R. R. Iley, Meridian.

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J. V. Prochasda, L. P., Georgetown, Tex.

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A. Layne, L. D., China Springs, Tex.

J. L. Layne, L. D., Waco, Tex.

J. L. Tucker, L. P., Waco, Tex.

J. L. Tucker, L. P., Waco, Tex.

J. L. Tucker, L. P., Waco, Tex.

J. B. Redding, L. P., Waco, Tex.

W. A. Sisk, L. P., Elm Mott, Tex.

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H. B. Jones, L. P., Waco, R. 3.

H. B. Jones, L. P., Mart, Tex., R. 3.

H. B. Daily, L. P., Mart, Tex., R. 3.

M. B. Daily, L. P., Mart, Tex., R. 3.

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P. E. Bearden, L. P., Maypearl, Tex.

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J. J. Patterson, L. P., Bardwell, Tex.

C. Saterfield, L. P., Forreston, Tex.

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J. J. Kelley, Weatherford.
R. D. Cade, Weatherford.
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R. M. Ford, Mineral Wells.
C. C. McBrayer, Mineral Wells.
R. M. Ford, Mineral Wells.
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R. M. Erim, Graham.
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W. G. Ditzler, L. E., Brownwood, Tex.
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M. W. McGaugh, L. D., Elklins, Tex.
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Langston, Roy A.
Little, Chas. H.
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Kornegay, Geo. F.
Kinslow, W. T.
House, Willie C.

Dalton, Tolbert M.
Hawk, E. B.
Bowden, Marvin W.
Neill, W. A.
Turner, Olander B.
Kidwell, Jas. R.
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# **CONFERENCE JOURNAL**

### OPENING DAY.

The Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its second annual session in the Methodist Church, Polytechnic College, Fort Worth, Texas, at nine o'clock a. m., Wednesday, November 8th,

Bishop James Atkins called the Conference to order and led the opening worship as follows:

Hymn No. 2:

"Come, Thou Almighty King."

Prayer, led by the Bishop.

Reading: II Cor. 4:1-18.

Hymn: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing."

The roll was called by Rev. Jno. M. Barcus, the Secretary of the last Conference, and 173 clerical and 14 lay delegates answered to their names.

(For list see Conference Roll).

On motion of Jno. R. Nelson, Jno. R. Morris was elected Secretary, and on his motion, S. J. Rucker, J. H. Stewart, J. B. Berry, J. J. Creed and E. P. Williams were elected assistants, the last three to act as Statistical Secreta-

As alternate from Cisco District, J. W. Tunnell was seated in place of T. L. Overby.

The report of the Presiding Elders nominating the Standing Committees was read by Jerome Duncan and on motion adopted by the Conference.

(See Standing Committees).

W. B. Wilson was placed on Committee on Admissions in place of J. Sam Barcus, transferred.

On motion of H. M. Long, time of meeting was fixed from nine a. m. to twelve o'clock.

Bar of the Conference was fixed to include all the main auditorium from second pillars forward.

The Presiding Elders announced the following as Secretaries to audit statistical reports from their districts:

- J. W. Patison, for Brownwood District.
- S. L. Culwell, for Cisco District.
- W. C. House, for Cleburne District.
- H. B. Landrum, for Corsicana District.
- E. L. Lloyd, for Dublin District. H. M. Long, for Fort Worth District.
- J. A. Rufner, for Gatesville District. E. P. Williams, for Georgetown District.
- J. W. Head, for Hillsboro District.
- J. D. Hendrickson, for Waco District.
- S. B. Sawyers, for Waxahachie District.

Frank Singleton, for Weatherford District.

The Secretary read the report of the Joint Board of Publication and it was referred to the Committee on Books and Publications.

Various communications were referred without reading to their appropriate Boards and Committees.

Question 22.—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" The following made their reports and their characters passed: Jas. Campbell, T. S. Armstrong, W. B. Andrews, Horace Bishop, W. H. Vaughan, S. J. Vaughan, Jerome Duncan, M. K. Little, John R. Nelson, E. A. Smith, C. E. Lindsey, J. A. Whitehurst.

The following were introduced to the Conference: Dr. C. F. Reid, Secretary of Laymen's Movement; F. S. Parker, General Secretary of Epworth League; John R. Stewart, Agent of the Superannuate Endowment Fund; John M. Moore, Home Mission Secretary; A. E. Rector, of the Galveston Emigrants' Home, and C. N. N. Ferguson, of the Northwest Texas Conference.

Judge Ocie Speer was introduced, and delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by the Bishop.

J. R. Stewart addressed the Conference in the interest of the Superannuate Endowment Fund.

Resolutions concerning John M. Barcus, long Secretary of this Conference, were read by C. S. Field.

(See Resolutions).

Report of the Educational Commission appointed by the last Conference was read by the Secretary and referred to the Board of Education.

J. R. Nelson moved that a special session of the Conference be held at 3:30 p. m. Thursday to consider our Home Mission work, and the motion was adopted.

Jerome Duncan read a paper from J. H. Wiseman announcing his withdrawal from the ministry and membership of the M. E. Church, South, and the surrender of his credentials, and on motion of J. Duncan it was accepted.

Various announcements were made.

M. W. Stanford was seated as an alternate lay delegate from Waco District in place of H. J. Hudson.

Committee on Public Worship announced that Dr. F. S. Parker would preach at 3 p. m. and Sunday School anniversary would be held at 7:30 p. m.

The doxology was sung and the benediction pronounced by R. C. Armstrong.

# SECOND DAY-MORNING SESSION.

The Conference was called to order by H. A. Bourland, who led the opening worship.

Bishop Atkins took the chair.

The minutes of the first day were read and approved.

The Secretary called the roll of those who did not answer to first roll call and those present were noted. (See roll).

W. R. Sikes, lay delegate from Weatherford District, was seated.

Question No. 22.—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

This question was called and resumed from day to day until the name of every clerical member of the Conference was called and in each case the answer was "Nothing against him," except in the case of J. H. Wiseman, who had already withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the Church.

The following were called, their characters passed and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations:

For Supernumerary Relation-E. J. Maxwell, A. D. Livington.

For Superannuate Relation—D. C. Ellis, W. F. Lloyd, S. T. Cherry, C. E. Gallagher, W. C. Harris, J. C. Carter.

The following were called, their characters were passed and having passed an approved examination on the Conference Course of Study, they were elected to Elders orders: E. R. Stanford, J. N. Tinkle, J. F. Luker, W. Vinsant, T. W. Taylor, J. H. Baldridge, C. C. Hightower, W. J. Mayhew.

The characters of the following were passed, and not having been before the Examining Committee, they were continued in the class of the fourth year: W. W. Nobles and Walter Griffith.

The following were called, their characters were passed, and having passed on the Conference Course of Study, were advanced to the class of fourth year: Alonzo Monk, H. F. Brooks, E. M. Wisdom, J. F. Adams, E. P. Swindall, E. L. Lloyd. Clovis G. Chappell, a transfer, was added to this class.

The following, not having passed the examination, were continued in the class of the third year: H. C. Bowman and Henry Francis.

The following were called, their characters were passed and they were elected to Deacon's orders and advanced to the class of the third year: John W. Hawkins, F. A. Ray, Roy A. Langston, Chas. H. Little, W. A. Neill, O. B. Turner, E. B. Hawk, W. T. Singley, M. W. Bowden, Geo. F. Kornegay,

The following, being already Deacons, were passed to the class of the third year: W. C. House, Josephus Lee, T. M. Dalton.

The following were called, their characters were passed and, having passed the Course of Study, were continued on trial and advanced to the class of second year: J. D. Smoot, Preston Broxton.

- A. C. Lackey, being already in orders, was advanced to the class of the second year.
- H. B. Landrum, having been for three years a local preacher and one year on trial, was elected a local deacon and passed to the class of the second year.

The character of G. F. Harris was passed and he was discontinued at his own request. Answering Question 3: "Who are discontinued?"

W. L. Hightower, not having been before the Committee of Examination, his character was passed and he was continued in the class of the first year:

The following transfers were announced by Bishop Atkins, answering-Question 6:

J. W. Fort, Northwest Texas Conference.

L. A. Webb, Northwest Texas Conference.

John M. Anstrong, Northwest Texas Conference.

Frank Hughen, Northwest Texas Conference.

Geo. F. Winfield, Northwest Texas Conference.

Luther G. White, North Texas Conference.

Franklin Moore, North Texas Conference.

W. B. Wilson, North Texas Conference.

Samuel G. Thompson, East Oklahoma Conference.

John P. Cox, East Oklahoma Conference.

Clovis G. Chappell, West Oklahoma Conference.

Warner Moore, Memphis Conference.

J. F. Clark, North Alabama Conference.

Frank P. Culver, North Alabama Conference.

H. B. Urquhart, Alabama Conference.

Various communications were referred to appropriate Boards or Committees.

On motion of H. Bishop, Samuel J. Rucker was elected editor of the Conference Journal.

- C. M. Bishop, President of Southwestern University, was introduced to the Conference.
- H. M. Hamill, Superintendent of "Teacher Training," was introduced to the Conference and spoke in the interest of his work.

Dr. Gross Alexander, Editor of the Southern Methodist Review, was introduced and made a few remarks regarding the Review.

H. A. Bourland, North Texas Conference; J. G. Miller, Northwest Texas Conference; J. D. Scott, West Texas Conference, and J. H. Gambrell, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, were introduced to the Conference

The Committee on Public Worship reported as follows:

The Anniversary of the Board of Education will be held this evening at 7:30.

Announcements were made, the doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by C. F. Reid.

# SECOND DAY-AFTERNOON SESSION.

Pursuant to Adjournment, the Conference was called to order in special session by John R. Nelson and opening worship was conducted by J. G. Miller.

On motion of John R. Morris the further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

The Chair stated the object of the meeting to be to consider our Home Mission work and introduced E. H. Rawlins, Secretary of the Educational Department of the Board of Missions, who delivered the principal address of the special session.

Bishop Atkins appeared and took the chair.

Further remarks were made by John M. Moore, Home Mission Secretary; A. E. Rector, Superintendent of the Immigrant Home; Bishop Atkins and A. J. Weeks, District Missionary.

On motion of Horace Bishop it was ordered that the Central Texas Conference make as its goal seventy-five cents per member for Missions.

On motion of John R. Nelson the Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

### THIRD DAY.

Conference met at 9 o'clock a. m., Bishop Atkins in the chair.

Dr. F. S. Parker led the opening worship.

Minutes of both morning and afternoon sessions were read and approved.

S. B. Ferrell, alternate from Cleburne District, was seated in place of J. J. Hiner.

Question 22.—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was resumed. (See minutes of second day).

The following were called, their characters were passed and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations:

For Supernumerary Relation-R. J. Tooley, J. F. Neal, J. W. Dickinson.

For Superannuate Relation—E. F. Boone, E. B. Chenoweth.

The following were called, their characters were passed and they were announced as having transferred: Arthur Thomas, W. I. Caugran, Geo. Smallwood, John M. Barcus, Henry Stanford.

The following were called, their characters were passed, and having passed an approved examination on the Conference Course of Study, they were advanced to the class of the fourth year: Chas. E. Wilkins, M. L. Latham, H. L. Vincent, B. E. Kimbrow.

J. A. Siceloff, not having been before the committee, his character was passed and he was continued in the class of the fourth year.

The following were called, their characters passed, and having passed an approved examination, they were elected to elder's orders: W. H. Keener, A. C. Chappell.

Having passed the committee, W. T. Kinslow was elected a deacon, and advanced to the class of the third year.

- J. R. Kidwell, whose character was passed the day previous, was elected a deacon.
- W. B. Vaughn, having been three years a local preacher, and one year in the traveling connection, having passed an approved examination, and being recommended by the Fort Worth District Conference, was elected a local deacon.

The characters of N. A. Phillips and J. O. Leath were passed, and having stood an approved examination, they were advanced to the class of the third year, being already deacons.

The following were called, their characters passed, and having passed the examination on the Conference Course of Study, were advanced to the class of the second year: J. F. Isbell, R. O. Sory, H. W. Gillette.

The character of F. P. Hunsucker was passed and he was discontinued at his own request, answering question 3, "Who are discontinued?"

Question 8.—"Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?" was called. Answer: S. Barcus Knowles, a traveling elder in the Methodist Episcopal Church, having certified his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, was admitted into the traveling connection on condition that he take upon him our ordination vows.

The following were introduced to the Conference: C. T. Caldwell, pastor Presbyterian Church; J. G. Putnam, Northwest Texas Conference; W. F. McMurray, Church Extension Secretary; S. A. Barnes, Northwest Texas Conference; L. A. Webb, transfer from Northwest Texas Conference; D. W.

Carter, Mexican Border Mission Conference; H. B. Urquhart, Alabama Conference; J. B. Cox, Central Mexico Mission Conference; S. G. Thompson, Oklahoma Conference; C. C. Bell, Texas Conference.

Dr. Gross Alexander, Editor Southern Methodist Review, addressed the Conference in the interest of this periodical.

The Committee on Public Worship reported as follows: Meeting of Woman's Home Mission Society this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. This evening at 7:30 the Anniversary of the Church Extension Society, Dr. McMurray, Church Extension Secretary, being the speaker.

Announcements were made, the doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by D. W. Carter.

#### FOURTH DAY-MORNING SESSION.

The Conference was called to order by W. L. Nelms, and the opening worship was conducted by R. P. Shuler.

Minutes of third day were read, corrected and approved. Bishop Atkins appeared and took the chair.

J. R. Rosemond, alternate from Cleburne District, was seated in place of I. L. Bawden, principal.

Question 22 resumed, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following were called, their characters were passed and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuate relation: Samuel Morriss, W. F. Graves, A. Long, E. M. Sweet, C. Rowland, W. V. Jones, R. W. Wellborn, W. J. Lemons, W. H. Moss, H. M. Glass, J. A. Walkup, S. C. Littlepage, J. E. Walker, J. M. Bond, F. M. Winburne, J. P. Mussett, E. T. Bates, J. J. Canafax, W. K. Simpson, Jerome Haralson, B. A. Snoddy, R. V. Galloway, J. C. Carter, W. A. Gilliland, H. P. Shrader, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris.

The names of the following were called, their characters were passed and they were referred to the committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary relation: J. R. B. Hall, T. W. Ellis, Geo. W. Owens, A. P. Lipscomb, J. W. Montgomery.

I. Z. T. Morris offered a resolution concerning Clergy Permits for Superannuated preachers, and it was adopted. (See Resolutions).

Question 8.—"Who are received from other churches?" was resumed.

W. J. Whitley, an elder from the Methodist Protestant Church, having satisfied the Conference of his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, was received on condition that he take on himself our ordination vows.

Frank J. Kupec, from the Reformed Congregationalist Church of Switzerland, having complied with the discipline regarding such cases, was received in orders on condition that he take upon himself our ordination vews.

Question 12.—"What local preachers are elected deacons?"

Francis Asbury Roberts, from the Cleburne District.

John W. Glenn, from the Dublin District.

John E. Matlock, from the Georgetown District.

W. B. Vaughn, from the Fort Worth District.

Question 16.—"What local preachers are elected elders?" The districts were called and in each instance the response was, none.

On recommendation of the District Conference the credentials of W. T. Stanford as local deacon were restored.

Question 1.—"Who are admitted on trial?" The following were called and having passed a satisfactory examination and being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, they were admitted on trial into the traveling connection:

Brinkley H. Oxford, from the Cleburne District.

Oscar A. Morton, from the Cisco District.

Chas. V. Williams, from the Cisco District.

William P. Hines, Springfield District, Southwestern Missouri Conference.

Lloyd Everett Hill, from the Dublin District.

F. O. Waddill, from the Gatesville District.

Chas. Benjamin Diltz, from the Gatesville District.

Joseph E. Matlock, from the Georgetown District.

Chas. A. Chval, from the Georgetown District.

Joseph Bartok, from the Georgetown District.

Lemonier Felder, from the Georgetown District.

Robt. T. Capps, from the Hillsboro District.

J. Marvin Bond, from the Houston District, Texas Conference.

S. Barcus Knowles and W. J. Whitley were called to the bar of the Conference and assumed the vows of ordination.

Question 4.—"Who are admitted into full connection?" The following were called to the bar of the Conference and were addressed by the Bishop and after having satisfactorily answered all disciplinary questions they were unanimously admitted into full connection, namely: J. O. Leath, Tolbert M. Dalton, W. A. Neill, Eugene B. Hawk, Roy Alonzo Langston, Marvin W. Bowden, Chas. H. Little, N. A. Phillips, W. T. Singley, Orlander B. Turner, Geo. F. Kornegay, Jas. R. Kidwell, W. T. Kinslow, J. W. Hawkins, Willie C. House, Frank A. Ray.

Question 48.—"Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" was called. First Church, Temple, and Main Street, Cleburne, were put in nomination by B. P. Shuler and W. H. Matthews, respectively. The vote being taken, Temple received one hundred and eight votes, and Main Street eighty-six votes, and Temple was selected.

The following resolution was offered and adopted by the Conference:

"Resolved, That it shall be a standing rule that the appointment of any member of this Conference to the presiding eldership shall automatically vacate his membership on any of the quadrennial boards, to take effect at the opening of the ensuing session."

HORACE BISHOP.

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J. H. STEWART.

M. K. LITTLE. S. J. VAUGHAN.

At the request of the Bishop, W. L. Nelms took the chair.

Dr. C. M. Mishop, president of Southwestern University, was introduced to the Conference and spoke in the interest of this institution.

The Bishop resumed the chair.

John R. Nelson read report No. 1 of the Board of Missions and it was adopted.

The Secretary read the Teller's report.

Certificates of ordination from Bishops Mouzon and Atkins announcing the ordination of John Patrick Henry as a local deacon; and Alonzo Bickley as a traveling elder were read.

F. P. Culver, president of Polytechnic College, addressed the Conference in the interest of this institution.

The following were introduced to the Conference: R. E. Goodrich, West Oklahoma Conference; G. A. Lehnhoff, Missouri Conference; J. T. Hicks, Northwest Texas Conference.

The Committee on Public Worshi reported announcing various services for the city Churches on Sunday.

On motion it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Announcements were made, the doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Gross Alexander.

### FOURTH DAY-AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference was called to order by W. L. Nelms. Prayer was offered by H. D. Knickerbocker.

On motion the reading of the minutes was postponed to next session.

Alonzo Monk, Jr., read the report of the Committee on Books and Periodicals, and after an address by Dr. Rankin, Editor Texas Christian Advocate, the report was adopted.

- J. M. Robertson read the report of the Joint Board of Finance and moved its adoption.
- H. D. Knickerbocker spoke to the report and on motion of J. W. Fort the Conference voted to amend the report by increasing the assessment for Superannuates to \$15,000, and the report was adopted as a whole.
- A. E. Carraway read Report No. 1 of the Committee on Conference Relations and it was adopted, answering questions as follows:

Question 10.—Who are supernumerary? and

Question 20.—Who are superannuated?

(See Condensed Minutes).

Question 47.—Who is elected Conference Leader? W. Erskine Williams,

- Rev. G. L. Tyus, President of the Texas College of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church of Tyler, Texas, addressed the Conference and a collection of \$35.00 was taken.
- C. W. Irvin read the report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance. R. C. Armstrong, C. H. Buchanan spoke to the report and it was adopted.

A resolution was offered by C. N. Mortin concerning a Conference Treasurere and it was adopted. (See Resolutions).

- R. P. Shuler offereed a resolution regarding the faculties in our schools and it was adopted. (See Resolutions).
- J. T. Bloodworth read report of Committee on Temperance. Atticus Webb spoke to the report and it was adopted.

Hugh W. Isbell, from Hillsboro District, having met the provisions of the Discipline, was elected a local elder.

John R. Morris moved to adjourn. The motion was adopted and the Conference adjourned to meet at 3 p. m. Sunday afternoon in memorial session, the benediction being pronounced by J. P. Mussett.

# SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment in memorial session at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon, E. F. Boone in the chair by appointment of the Bishop.

Question 21.—"What preachers have died during the past year?" Samuel P. Wright, E. L. Armstrong and I. N. Reeves.

Carefully prepared sketches of these brethren were read by Horace Bishop, T. S. Armstrong and J. N. Vincent as the report of the Committee on Memoirs.

J. W. Downs read a brief sketch of Mrs. Chas. H. Little.

Verbal tributes were paid the memories of the deceased by M. S. Hotchkiss, John R. Nelson, C. E. Brown, C. E. Gallagher, J. P. Mussett, J. M. Bond, E. M. Sweet.

The report of the committee was adopted and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by E. F. Boone.

### SIXTH DAY.

The Conference met at 9:00 a.m., Monday, H. A. Boax in the chair by request of the Bishop.

The opening worship was conducted by J. P. Mussett.

Minutes of the morning and afternoon sessions of Saturday and of the memorial session Sunday were read and approved.

Resolutions concerning the Conference assessments were offered by E. L. Lloyd and others and were discussed by E. L. Lloyd, M. S. Hotchkiss, W. L. Nelms and Josephus Lee. On motion of W. H. Howard the resolutions were laid on the table.

The name of R. B. Young was called and he was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary relation.

T. E. Bowman read the report of the Committee on Orphanage. Dr. John H. McLean spoke to the report and it was adopted.

Bishop Atkins appeared and took the chair.

The orders of G. W. Featherston, an elder in the Methodist Protestant Church, who had been recommended by the Gatesville District Conference, and who furnished a certificate of his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, were accepted and he was recognized as a local elder in the M. E. Church, South.

C. D. Spann, on his own request, was granted an honorable location, answering Question 18, "Who are located?"

The character of E. M. Daily was passed and he was continued in the class of the first year.

F. D. Caveness was discontinued at his own request.

Committee on Conference Relations made report No. 2, and R. B. Young was granted the superannuate relation.

Report of the Board of Church Extension was read by C. R. Wright, and on motion was adopted by the Conference.

G. W. Kincheloe read the report of the American Bible Society Board and the report was adopted.

Epworth League Board reported through A. C. Chappell, and the report was adopted.

W. L. Nelms read the report of the Board of Education. Bishop Atkins, and H. A. Boaz spoke to the report and on motion of J. Duncan it was adopted.

On recommendation of the committee, L. G. Rogers was granted the superannuate relation.

Scale of assessments on the districts as adopted by the presiding elders was read by Jerome Duncan.

Report of the Sunday School Board was read by C. S. Fields, and on motion of S. J. Vaughan it was adopted.

- C. A. Bickley read report of the Committee on the Spiritual State of the Church, and it was adopted.
- J. N. Vincent read the report of the Committee on District Conference records, and it was adopted.

Questions 23-46 were called and answered. (See Condensed Minutes).

S. B. Sawyers read the Auditor's report, and it was received and ordered to record.

Report of the Trustees of Superannuate Homes was read by W. B. Andrews, and adopted.

I. Z. T. Morris read resoltuions concerning support of superannuate preachers, and it was adopted. (See Resolutions).

A collection amounting to \$14.00 was taken for the Conference Post-master.

Resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Fort Worth, Banks, Railroads, Newspapers, etc., were read by W. L. Nelms and J. Hall Bowman, and they were adopted. (See Resolutions).

On motion of C. R. Wright, the time of meeting was extended until completion of business.

Frank J. Cupec was called to the bar of the Conference and gave satisfactory answers of disciplinary questions, and he was recognized as an elder in orders from the Reformed Congregationist Church of Switzerland.

John R. Nelson read report No. 2 of the Board of Missions. W. B. Andrews moved that the Board of Missions be asked to increase its appropriation to Herring Avenue Church, Waco, from \$200 to \$400, but the motion was lost, and the report as read was adopted.

W. E. Williams read statement of the financial condition of the Board of Missions.

Minutes of the morning session were read, and after a brief address by the Bishop, he called question 49, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" and answered by reading the following:

# Appointments, 9

#### BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

### J. H. Stewart, Presiding Elder.

Ballinger-E. V. Cox. Bangs-B. R. Wagner. Blanket-Josephus Lee. Bronte-A. E. Turney. Brownwood-W. E. Boggs. Brownwood Mission—U. Lee, Supply. Coleman Station-W. H. Howard. Coleman Mission-To be supplied. Glencove-J. D. Smoot. Gouldbusk-H. A. Nickols.

Indian Creek-J. F. Tyson. May-W. T. Jones. Norton-L. A. Clark. Robert Lee-H. C. Bowman. Santa Anna-W. H. Doss. Talpa and Valera-Geo. F. Kornegay. Winchell—C. S. Reese, supply. Wingate—D. G. Boone, supply. Winters-Jno. M. Neal. Student in Vanderbilt-Roy A. Langston.

#### CISCO DISTRICT.

### C. E. Lindsey, Presiding Elder.

Breckenridge-J. H. Baldridge. Caddo-T. Bennett, supply. Carbon-J. N. Vincent. Cisco-K. P. Barton. Cisco Circuit-D. C. Stark. Desdemona-W. H. Whitworth, supply. Sipe Springs-O. A. Morton. Eastland-S. W. Turner. Eolian—Charles V. Williams.

Staff-C. H. Smith. Pioneer—J. R. Kidwell. Ranger—E. R. Patterson. Rising Star-S. L. Culwell. Scranton-J. Frank Luther. Wayland-C. F. Bell, supply.

# CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

## E. A. Smith, Presiding Elder.

Alvarado-M. W. Rogers. Burleson—B. H. Oxford. Blum—M. H. Major. Cresson—A. E. Watford, supply; E. J.Grandview Circuit—L. A. Reavis. Maxwell, supernumerary. Cleburne-Main Street, W. H. Matthews. Lillian-J. W. Hawkins. Anglin Street-H. F. Brooks. Brazos Avenue-L. L. Felder. Godley—S. P. Neville. Granbury—W. C. Hilburn. Granbury Circuit—R. O. Sory.

Glenrose-C. N. Morton. George Creek Mission-Lloyd E. Hill. Grandview-E. B. Hawk. Joshua—J. U. McAfee. Morgan-O. C. Swinney. Walnut Springs-W. C. Morris. Venus—T. E. Bowman. Student in Vanderbilt—W. C. House. Anti-Saloon League Agent—Atticus Webb

# CORSICANA DISTRICT.

# J. R. Nelson, Presiding Elder.

Barry Circuit—V. J. Millis.
Blooming Grove Station—C. G. Chappell
Big Hill Circuit—Wallace Vinsant.
Chatfield Circuit—Walter Griffith.
Corsicana—First church, C. R. Wright.
Eleventh Avenue—N. W. Turner.
Dawson Station—H. B. Urquhart.
Groesbeck Station—G. J. Bryan.
Frost—W. H. Harris.
Horn Hill Circuit—W. A. Neill.

G. Chappell. Kervin Circuit—Z. L. Howell.

G. Chappell. Kervin Circuit—O. B. Turner.

Insant. Mexia Station—E. P. Williams.

R. Wright. R. Wright. Rice Station—P. M. Riley.

Turner. South Corsicana Circuit—J. N. Tinkle.

quant. West Corsicana Circuit—G. W. Kinche
loe. Westbow and Theoreton C. W. Moonne Wortham and Thornton-C. W. Macune.

#### DUBLIN DISTRICT.

### M. K. Little, Presiding Elder.

Bunyan—H. B. Clark.
Bluffdale—M. J. Vaughan, supply.
Carlton—M. H. Smith.
Comanche—C. L. Cartwright.
Comanche Circuit—B. F. Alsup.
DeLeon—C. A. Bickley.
DeLeon—C. T. Bickley.
DeLeon—C. T. Singleton.
Dublin—F. E. Singleton.
Duffau—Frank Hughen.
Gorman—W. J. Hearon.
Gustine and Energy—W. P. Hines.
Hasse Mission—J. P. Beatty, supply.

Harbin and Green's Creek-E. F. Hud-Harbin and Green's Creek—E. F. Hudgens.

Hico—R. W. Nation.
Huckabay—J. E. Morton, supply.
Iredell and Clairiette—Charles Little.
Proctor—J. W. Childress.
Purvis Mission—Geo. G. Smith, supply.
Stephenville—S. L. Lloyd.
Stephenville—Circuit—J. F. Clark.
Toiar and Lipan—S. C. Baird.
Student in Meridian College—Henry
Francis.

### FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

### Jerome Duncan, Presiding Elder.

Arlington—D. L. Collie.
Fort Worth—Boulevard, E. R. Wallace.
Central—H. W. Knickerbocker.
City Mission—Alonzo Monk, Jr., Supt.
Diamond Hill—E. P. Swindall.
First Church—John A. Rice.
Glenwood—J. B. Dodson.
Mulkey Memorial—S. J. Rucker.
Missouri Avenue—J. E. Crawford.
Polytechnic—J. W. Downs; J. R. B.
Hall and T. W. Ellis, supernumeraries.
Riverside—C. A. Evans.
Weatherford Street—D. A. McGuire.
North Fort Worth, Bohemian Mission—Field Secretary Texas Sunday School Association—C. S. Field.
Grapevine—J. T. Bloodworth.
Handley and Brooklyn Heights—W. B.

Kennedale—C. E. Wilkins.
Smithfield—M. L. Latham.
President Polytechnic College—F. P. Culver.
Sudent in Union Seminary—J. A.
Siceloff.
Superannuate Homes—C. E. Brown, Agt.
Field Editor Texas Christian Advocate—
D. L. Coale.
Temperance Work—J. D. Odom.
Sunday League—R. C. Armstrong.
Superintendent Children's Home Society
I. Z. T. Morris.
Vice President Southern Methodist University—H. A. Boaz.
Student in Vanderbilt University—H. A.
Phillips.

# GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

# S. J. Vaughan, Presiding Elder.

Clifton—W. J. Mayhew.
Crawford—J. D. Hendrickson.
Copperas Cove—J. F. Adams.
Evant—J. W. Bowden, supply.
Fairy and Lanham—N. J. Peeples.
Gatesville—J. A. Ruffner.
Coryell Circuit—T. M. Dalton; J. W.
Montgomery, supernumerary.
Hamilton—W. S. P. McCullough.
Hamilton Circuit—H. D. Huddleston.
Jonesboro—W. J. Whitley.
Killeen—C. C. Hightower.
Killeen—C. B. Diltz.

McGregor—Geo. F. Campbell.
Meridian—I. E. Hightower.
Meridian Circuit—J. M. McCarter.
Moody—R. A. Walker.
Nolanville—L. G. Grimes, supply.
Oglesby—A. C. Lackey.
Turnersville—F. O. Waddill.
Valley Mills—B. A. Evans.
President Meridian College—G. F. Winfield.
Professor in Meridian College—J. O.
Leath.

# GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

# W. H. Vaughan, Presiding Elder.

Bartlett—J. B. Berry.
Belton—J. C. Mimms.
Belton Circuit—H. W. Gillette.
Corn Hill and Weir—C. G. Shuit.
Florence and Mt. Horeb—B. E. Kimbrow.
Georgetown—W. L. Nelms; J. F., Neal, supernumerary.
Granger—J. B. Curry.
Holland—J. W. Holt.
Hutto—J. E. Metlock.
Rogers—J. S. Huckabee.

Salado—J. M. Armstrong.
Taylor, Bohemian Mission—Frank J.
Cupec.
Temple—First Church, R. P. Shuler.
Seventh Street—J. G. Pollard.
Troy—N. E. Gardner.
Professor in Southwestern University—V.
Cejnar.
Conference Secretary of Education—W.
L. Neims.

#### HILLSBORO DISTRICT.

# Horace Bishop, Presiding Elder.

Abbott Circuit—W. N. Curry.

Brandon Circuit—J. W. Head.
Coolidge Station—W. J. Morphis.
Covington Circuit—C. W. Daniel.
Delia Circuit—H. W. Isbell, supply.
Hillsboro—First Church, Jno. R. Morris.
Line Street—J. F. Isbell.
Hubbard Station—L. A. Webb.

Huron Circuit—Claude Brockett, supply.
Irene Circuit—J. H. Walker.
Itasca Station—J. W. Taylor.
Lovelace Circuit—F. L. McGenee.
Munger Circuit—Feston Broxton.
Penelope Circuit—J. O. Gore.
Peoria Circuit—R. T. Capps.

### WACO DISTRICT.

# W. B. Andrews, Presiding Elder.

Aquilla—W. H. Keener.
Bosqueville—M. W. Bowden.
Bruceville and Eddy—S. B. Knowles.
China Springs—W. L. Hightower.
Lorena—C. W. Irvin.
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Mart—J. W. Fort.
Mt. Calm—R. H. Heizer.
Riesel—H. B. Henry,
Waco—Austin Avenue—H. D. Knickerbocker.

Clay Street—J. N. McCain.
Elm Street—J. J. Creed.
Fifth Street—J. J. Creed.
Fifth Street—A. C. Chappell.
Worrow Street—A. D. Porter.
West—W. T. Kinslow.
Whitney—J. H. Braswell.
Conference Church Extension Secretary
—J. A. Biggs.
Field Secretary Sunday Schools—E.

### WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

# T. S. Armstrong, Presiding Elder.

Bardwell—K. S. Vanzandt.
Bethel—M. M. Morphis.
Britton—W. T. Singley.
Ennis—W. W. Moss.
Ennis—Bohemian Mission—Joseph tok.
Ferris—C. V. Oswalt.
Forreston—S. B. Sawyers.
Italy—W. T. Gray.

Maypearl—R. F. Dunn.
Midlothian—R. F. Brown.
Milford—J. W. Dickinson.
Davilla—Frankin Moore.
Bar-Palmer—W. H. Crawford.
Red Oak—C. L. Browning.
Mansfield—S. A. Ashburn.
Waxahachie—J. A. Whitehurst.
Trumbull—To be supplied.

# WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

# James Campbell, Presiding Elder.

Aledo—W. D. Gaskins.
Azle—J. Marvin Bond.
Eliasville—S. D. Cook, supply.
GrafordJ. J. Calloway.
Graham—J. Hall Bowman.
Graham Mission—W. W. Nobles.
Gordon—C. E. Simpson.
Loving—B. S. Crow.
Millsap Circuit—Jno. P. Cox.
Mineral Wells—M. S. Hotchkiss.
Newcastle—F. A. Ray.
Olney—S. Richardson.
Santo—J. J. Rape.

Springtown—H. L. Vincent.
Strawn and Mingus—M. D. Council, supply.
Thurber—E. M. Wisdóm.
Whitt—C. E. Statham.
Weatherford—W. B. Wilson.
Couts Memorial—J. W. Patison.
Weatherford Circuit—C. W. Keker,
supply supply. First Church—R. J. Tooley, supernumerary.

President Weatherford College—L. G. White.

# TRANSFERRED.

Henry Stanford, to Central Mexican Mission Conference; J. M. Barcus, to Texas Conference; Arthur Thomas, to Colum-bia Conference; J. P. Patterson, J. Sam Barcus, George W. Shearer, H. M. Long, W. I. Caughran and George Smallwood, to Northyest Texas Conference; W. L. Branlon to West Texas Conference; C. H. Buchanan and Chas. A. Chval to NorthTexas Conference.

No further business appearing, the Conference sang the Long Meter Doxology, and adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Atkins.

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JOHN R. MORRIS, Secretary.

#### OUR SAINTED DEAD Year Year Name Name. C. C. Armstrong ......1895 Wm. McKendree Lambdin....1867 J. S. McCarver .....1895 Isaac N. Mullens .....1868 Jackson L. Crabb .....1868 J. W. Walkup ......1895 J. W. Samson ......1896 Guy C. McWilliams .....1870 S. B. Ellis .....1896 Jerome B. Annis ......1870 Louis B. Whipple .....1871 E. R. Barcus .....1896 Jesse M. Boyd ......1872 C. D. Jordan .....1897 Thomas J. Hudson .....1873 M. Yell .....1897 W. R. D. Stockton .....1897 Benjamin A. Kemp ......1873 Berry M. Stephens .....1898 R. B. Womack .....1875 Oscar M. Addison .....1898 Wiley W. Thomas......1876 R. W. Flournoy .....1877 John Carpenter .....1898 J. B. Elder .....1899 William Price ......1899 John T. Rascoe ......1899 Wm. F. Compton ......1879 R. O. Eustace .....1900 Drury Womack ......1879 James Peeler .....1900 S. D. Akin ......1880 John Powell .....1900 J. R. White .....1881 T. W. Hines .....1881 P. W. Gravis .....1902 F. T. Mitchell ......1902 T. Perry ......1881 J. A. Wallace .....1902 W. B. Ford .....1902 Thomas J. Blackburne......1881 G. W. Swofford .....1902 John A. Clark .....1882 J. W. Adkisson .....1903 J. J. Harris .....1903 Joseph Parker ......1882 T. J. Duncan .....1904 James Hiner ......1883 J. S. Lane .....1883 J. W. Gibbens .....1904 N. A. Keen .....1904 J. B. Allison ......1883 A. D. Gaskell ......1884 J. H. Trimble ......1904 W. C. Brodie .....1884 E. W. Simmans .....1904 W. W. Kiser .....1904 F. P. Ray 1904 D. T. Holmes 1905 T. W. Rogers 1905 John P. Holmes ......1887 Rigdon J. Perry ......1888 N. M. McLaughlin .....1905 Samuel O. Gafford ......1888 Chas. Davis ......1905 S. E. Houk .....1905 Robert M. Shelton .....1889 Andrew Davis .....1906 Thomas G. Gilmore .....1889 S. S. Scott ......1906 J. P. Hulse .....1906 J. F. Hines .....1890 R. A. Hall \_\_\_\_\_\_1906 James Johnson .....1891 William Vaughan .....1891 N. B. Bennett ......1907 J. Fred Cox 1891 Thomas Stanford 1892 Daniel Morgan .....1908 M. D. Reynolds ......1892 G. D. Wilson .....1908 W. W. Henderson ......1893 R. H. Simpson ......1893 A. P. Smith .....1908 J. J. Davis .....1909 D. H. Dickey .....1893 James Mackey ......1893 Benj. H. Kennedy .....1909 George W. Graves .....1893 E. T. Harrison ......1909 J. S. Tunnell .....1910 T. Hosmer .....1893 Marion Mills ......1910 J. M. Jones .....1894 Jerre Reese .....1894 I. N. Reeves ......1910 E. L. Armstrong ......1910 James Grant ......1894 Samuel P. Wright .....1911 W. G. Connor ......1894

# In Memoriam

## I. N. REEVES.

Rev. Isaac Newton Reeves was born in Lawrence County, Alabama, Dec. 18, 1830, and was called to refreshment in the presence of his Lord, from his home in Carbon, Dec. 19, 1910. His father was Isaac Reeves and mother Mary P. Reeves. He was converted August, 1839, and joined the M. E. Church. In 1853 he joined he Methodist Protestant Church, was licensed to preach, and admitted on trial in the Mississippi Conference, in which Conference he traveled the Jasper Circuit, Strong River Circuit, Leaf River Circuit, Yazoo Circuit and the Atalla Circuit, until 1859, when he was supernumerary two years. In 1861 he volunteered as a private of Company F in the Sixteenth Mississippi regiment of the Confederate army, but was appointed chaplain of his regiment May 1, 1862, which position he held until February, 1863, when he resigned. He was an independent preacher in Georgia, 1864-5. Again he traveled as a Methodist Protestant preacher three years, serving Lafayette and Fulton Circuits. In 1868 the Mississippi Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church and the Memphis Conference of the M. E. Church, South, effected a union, Rev. I. N. Reeves being one of the commissioners which brought about the union. In this way he became a minister of the M. E. Church, South. He traveled the Fulton Circuit, 1869, Corinth Circuit, 1870, and was supernumerary 1871-2. In 1873 he again took work and traveled the Columbus Circuit, 1873, and the Athens Circuit, 1874, until transferred by Bishop Robert Paine to the Northwest Texas Conference, 1874. In this Conference he served the following charges: Cleburne Circuit, 1875; Caddo Circuit, 1876-7; Cleburne Station, 1878; supernumerary, 1879; Whitt Circuit, 1880-81; Mineral Wells Station, 1882; Desdemonia Circuit, 1883; Palo Pinto Circuit, 1884; DeLeon Circuit, 1885; Thornton Circuit, 1886-7; Kerens Circuit, 1888; Bristol Circuit, 1889, and Carbon Circuit, 1890-91. He superannuated in 1891 and located at Carbon, where he lived until he was translated. Thus we briefly record the bon, where he lived until he was translated. history of one who was for fifty-eight years a Methodist preacher. How little it tells of hardships and faithfulness in laying the foundation of our present day heritage of church and state. He had but little training or educational equipment, but possessed of a vigorous mind he mastered the doctrines of our Methodism and made the world respect them. Almost to his dying day he was able to put to rout any one who held in light esteem our teachings of experience or practice. In his relation to the world about him he was brave and outspoken, readily condemning any breach of high ideals in private or public. He lived not in vain—the world felt the impulse of his life. At last the machinery of life stood still. He left behind several children, already advanced in years, and most of all his companion, "Aunt Mary," to our care and for whom we pray in her affliction.

J. N. VINCENT.

# REV. SAMUEL PASCHAL WRIGHT.

Rev. Samuel P. Wright has conquered his last foe and found himself among the angels of God. This scholarly gentleman, the loyal friend, the deeply devout and pious Christian, has finished his course and kept the faith.

The son of William and Agnes Allen Wright, he was born in Montgomery County, Tennessee, February 1st, 1838, and died in Pomona, California, March 6, 1911. He was educated at Cumberland University, and while there in 1855, he professed religion and joined the M. E. Church, South.

His scrap-book, containing his papers and parchments, and many other valuable documents, was stolen from him during Reconstruction days. Hence the date of his license to preach and of his ordination cannot be accurately ascertained. But we know that he was ordained Deacon in 1866, and Elder in 1868. And the records of the Tennessee Conference show that he was on the Russellville Circuit in 1861 and Clarksville Station in 1862.

After the war, on account of ill health, he located, and in 1870 he came to Texas as the representative of the Nashville Life Insurance Company. In this business he made a fine reputation as a man of affairs.

In June, 1872, he was elected president of Waco Female College. He managed this institution for eight years, successfully.

While president of the college, he was readmitted into the traveling connection in the Northwest Texas Conference. When his contract with the Trustees of that school expired, although he could have held a lucrative position indefinitely, he asked for an appointment and was sent successively to the Bosqueville Circuit, Waco Circuit, Fort Worth District, Georgetown Station, Georgetown District, Temple Station, Georgetown District a second time and to Waco District. In 1900 he took a superannuate relation on account of ill health. He removed to California, where he served several charges as pastor. In 1901 he was transferred to the Los Angeles Conference, but a year later he returned his membership to this Conference and was a superannuate member of the Central Texas Conference when he died.

On February 1, 1860, at exactly twenty-two years of age, he was married to Miss Mary Wyatt Harris, with whom he lived in perfect love and peace according to God's laws until he died. They had nine children, two of whom died in infancy. Two sons and five daughters survive him. His widow waits almost impatiently to join him. Brother Wright filled several important positions in the Church. He was a member of our Board of Publication during the severest trials that the Texas Christian Advocate has experienced in the last forty years. He was a Curator of Southwestern University during the stormiest periods of its history. His courage, loyalty and wisdom were always in evidence and no man aided more in the solution of their problems.

He was Treasurer of our Board of Missions for many years, and the successful policies of the Board are due more to Sam P. Wright than to any other man living or dead. He was twice elected to the General Conference and was as efficient there as in all other relations.

As pastor he was diligent, sympathetic, frank and courageous, but generous and just to all.

As a preacher he was thoughtful and so painstaking that it made him slow in utterance. Occasionally he preached a great sermon, sometimes not so great, but he was never common-place. He was a close student and Alford was his favorite commentator. He who listened was sure to be benefited by his sermons.

In the Bishop's Cabinet he was perfectly frank and fair, scorning anything resembling Machiavelian diplomacy. He received his own appointment from the Lord. The word "promotion" was not in his ecclesiastical vocabulary. He literally fulfilled the scriptural injunction "in honor prefering one another." Although we were friends like David and Jonathan, yet, he never asked me whom I was voting for and I do not remember

that either of us ever asked the other whom he would vote for for General Conference, or that either of us ever showed the other his ticket. We corresponded ocassionally during a friendship of thirty-nine years' duration; a friendship that early ripened into intimacy of the David and Jonathan type. Distance did not diminish the ties nor absence weaken our love. But we never wrote love-letters to each other. Such forms may be necesstry for some—not for Sam P. Wright. He once said to me, "If a man won't be my friend unless I am perpetually writing him letters, he may go, for I won't do it." Neither would he. In his home he was the tenderest husband and father, or equal to the tenderest I ever knew. And the ambition of his life was to see all his children happy, educated Christians in such life work as was congenial to their several natures. Bronchitis drove Sam P. Wright to Texas many years ago; in 1900 it drove him to the Pacific slope, but at last it was the insidious la grippe that carried him away. Oh, my brave loyal friend and brother, you were sometimes misunderstood; some called you eccentric and you had idosyncrasies; you would not have been your noble, chivalrous self without them. Some thought you were too strenuous, but it was always for the right. You leave a family that will honor you while they live and through the ages you will walk in white with many souls turned to God by your ministry. Farewell, but not forever.

HORACE BISHOP.

# EVERETTE LOUIS ARMSTRONG.

Rev. Everette Louis Armstrong was born in <u>Wilcox County</u>, <u>Alabama</u>, July 10, 1836. He was the son of John E. Armstrong, who was the son of Thomas Armstrong, who was the son of Edward Armstrong, who was born in Ireland and came to America with his brother John in about 1750. John settled in Norfolk, Virginia, and Edward, the great-grandfather of the subject of this memoir, settled near Wilmington, N. C. These two brothers were soldiers in the Revolutionary war. His grandfather, Thomas Armstrong, was born in North Carolina. His father also was born in North Carolina and so was his Uncle Harvel.

These two brothers, John E. and Harvel Armstrong, gave to the Methodist ministry three sons each. Harvel's sons who became preachers were James K., Wm. H., and Thomas. They all became noted preachers. In 1905, when the sketch was written from which I have gathered this information, Dr. Thomas Armstrong was a superannuated member of the North Alabama Conference.

The sons of John E. who became preachers are as follows: J. T., who was a local preacher of great influence, and who died in Corsicana, Texas, in 1896; E. L., whose memory is sacred to every member of this Conference and to all who knew him, and to whom we pay tribute of love at this hour, and R. C., who lingers to cheer and bless us with his genial life and wise council.

His mother was Mary A. May, of Macon, Georgia. She was married to John E. Armstrong, in Alabama, in 1822; and now I quote his own words descriptive of his parents and his home life.

"They were both religious. Joined the church in early life, lived in the faith and died in peace. From my earliest recollection family prayer was observed in the home both morning and night; and my first thoughts of religion and Heaven came to me when I was a mere child as they sang and prayed at the family altar with their children around them."

It is not a wonder that such a life as his should grow out of such environments. He sought and obtained religion after the manner of the earlier Methodists. When but nine years of age he felt movings of the

Holy Spirit and was much interested, but extreme timidity overcame him and he threw off the impressions and became indifferent to religion, though he was moral in his life. In 1843 his parents moved from Alabama to Mississippi and in 1844 from Mississippi to Arkansas. Here they remained until 1849 when they came to Jasper County, Texas. Here the itinerant Methodist preacher found them, and under the preaching of Rev. James W. Shipman, he was again awakened and sought and obtained religion. I shall give a brief account of this in his own words. This was in 1851. He speaks of the incident as follows:

"I began reading the Bible, carried a New Testament in my pocket, would go to the woods and read and pray for hours, but the way grew darker and my burden of sin became intolerable. The Quarterly Conference came on the 20th of June. I attended every service and fully intended to go to the altar for prayer, but the meeting closed without any invitation being given for seekers. I returned home in gloom, almost amounting to absolute At family prayer that night Brother Hamilton held a class despondency. meeting, and I told him my condition and that I wanted religion then and there. He prayed for me and I joined in the prayer and made a personal plea for mercy. When I did this, my dear sainted mother shouted for joy. There were four very devout Christians present, and soon the Presiding Elder, Sam A. Wilson, J. W. Shipman, and S. W. Pipkin came and while they instructed and prayed for me, light broke in on my soul and I shouted Glory!" What light, joy, peace and inexpressible love filled my soul! The next morning was the brightest that ever dawned upon me. The sun shone brighter, the birds sang sweeter, the flowers appeared more lovely and all nature seemed to join me in rapturous delight. I was a new creature Through all these intervening fifty-four years, I have never doubted the genuineness and realness of my conversion. 'Jesus all the day long was my joy and my song'."

He soon felt it his duty to preach, and fought the call for a long time, but yielded at last and was licensed to preach October 23, 1857, by the fourth Quarterly Conference on the Jasper Circuit. J. L. Angel was the pastor and Jeff Shook was the Presiding Elder. At this same Quarterly Conference he was recommended for admission on trial into the East Texas Conference. He was admitted on trial at Rusk, Texas, November 26, 1857, Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh presiding. His first appointment was Junior Preacher under F. M. Stovall on the Henderson Circuit. This was a year of great revivals and he and his Senior witnessed over three hundred professions of religion and over two hundred joined the church. This was in the bounds of their own charge; they assisted in some great meetings in other charges. This year included practically all of 1858. At the close of this year he was appointed to the Woodville Circuit. This work was very hard and much exposure caused his health to fail and he was located at his own request and remained in the local ranks until 1867. In the fall of 1859 he was ordained Deacon by Bishop Pierce, the Conference being held at Palestine, Texas. During the years he was a local preacher, 1859 to 1867, he supplied Jasper Circuit several times and did such other work as a local preacher as his health would admit. In 1867 he was readmitted into the traveling connection and ordained Elder by Bishop McTyeire. Was pastor of Jasper Circuit for four years. In 1871 his health broke down again and he was compelled to take a superannuated relation. At the close of 1872 he was placed on the supernumerary list and remained there from year to year until 1875. At the Conference held in Carthage, in the fall of 1875, his health had improved and he was appointed Presiding Elder of the Beaumont District. He served this District for three years, and transferred in 1878 to the Northwest Texas Conference.

His work in this Conference is too well known to require details or extensive comment in this paper. At the session of the East Texas Con-

ference at Crockett, in 1877, he was elected a delegate to the General Conference on the first ballot. After his transfer to the Northwest Texas Conference, he served Milford Circuit for four years, and Dresden Circuit one year, and was placed on the Waco District in the latter part of 1883. He served four years on the Waco District and in 1887-1891 he served the Waxahachie District, and from 1891 to 1894 he served the Abilene District. This closed his active ministry. Many members of this Conference remember with what pathos and sympathy the Conference heard him make his farewell address at Hillsboro in 1894. He represented his church in the General Conference four times: first in the East Texas Conference as stated above; and in the Northwest Texas Conference in the General Conferences of 1886, 1890, and 1894. He was married to Miss Kate Sanders, November 15, 1859. To them were born seven children, six of whom survive nim. His wife preceded him to the Home of the Blest seven years.

Almost immediately after his superannuation at Hillsboro in 1894, he was compelled to take his bed and was never up again. His confinement of sixteen years in bed with that incurable disease, "locomotia ataxia," required a patience that perhaps but few possess. Because of the peculiar relation I sustained to him I refrain from any comment that might seem in the least extravagant; but it is justice to say that with the constant pain he endured and the intensest suffering that I have ever seen any man subjected to, his character enlarged and his horizon broadened through all the years. His writings were perhaps as widely read as those of any man who has contributed to the periodicals of our church. His mind was alert to the last, and even through his illness he thought and wrote as vigorously as when he was in his full strength of physical manhood. His memory was unparalleled. Dates and incidents were as familiar to him as his name. The incidents and dates that I have referred to in this memoir were gleaned from manuscripts handed to me by him some years before he died and were written by him from memory while he lay on his back and wrote on tablets with pencil, in his seventieth year. There seemed to be no limit to his powers of memory. Names and dates and incidents he gave without hesitation or effort. This power served him well in his reading; he was widely read and seemed to retain it all. Consequently he was a man of wide information. He was also a profound thinker. His sermons and speeches portrayed thought and originality. As a preacher, there were few that surpassed him. When his heart was warmed with the message of life that he was carrying to the lost, he would sweep into the full power of a master of assemblies and with rapid enunciation pour a stream of vital thought into the ears of his hearers that would awaken and startle them. His manner of interpretation was easy and simple. He unfolded the most obscure and difficult passages and brought into fullest light their hidden truths. Above all, his sermons were seasoned with unction. He lived very near to his Lord and in his pulpit ministrations he leaned mightily upon His arm. Many a star will deck his crown, many, doubtless, have already been placed and many more will follow on; for the stream of influence he left behind will wend its way through the avenues of human activity and bless the lives of many even yet unborn.

After sixteen years of confinement and intense suffering his life came to an end December 24, 1910. For weeks we had watched beside his bed to see the anchor raised and the ship cross the bar. At times he would seem to sink very low and we thought he was gone, but he would rally. One time when he had revived from one of these stupors, he said, "Why did you bring me back? I was almost gone and I am so tired." Another time when he rallied from a sinking spell, he said, "I thought I was gone. I was on board the ship and you would not raise the anchor."

But on Christmas Eve day, at eighteen minutes to five o'clock in the afternoon, the thong that bound him to earth was severed and he went home to

God. He lay in state all day Christmas day in the same room where he had suffered so long and we watched his lifeless form and looked with real pleasure on the peaceful face that showed no mark of suffering, but seemed as if some angel hand had touched him and brought a peace and rest that would know no waking to pain again, while his sainted spirit had winged its way to its long-sought rest to begin the reaping of the harvest that the life had sown in this world. All his children were with him and we pronounced it the sweetest, saddest Christmas day we had ever spent. Sleep on, tired body, and take your rest. Your long, weary years of suffering are ended and now to all eternity you shall rest. Yes, sleep and rest from a weary life, for the flowers that cover your grave send not forth so sweet a perfume as the life that you have lived. You have blessed others, now shadows never fall.

T. S. ARMSTRONG.

# Condensed Minutes.

- 1. Who are admitted on trial? Brinkley H. Oxford, Oscar A. Morton, Chas. V. Williams, Wm. P. Hines, Lloyd E. Hill, F. O. Waddill, Chas. B. Diltz, Joseph F. Matlock, Chas. A. Chval, Joseph Bartak, Lemonier Felder, Robt. T. Capps, J. Marvin Bond.
- 2. Who remain on trial? Preston Broxton, W. Leslie Hightower, J. D. Smoot, A. C. Lackey, Hugh B. Landrum, H. W. Gillette, AR. O. Sory, J. F. Isbell, W. B. Vaughn.
- 3. Who are discontinued? G. F. Harris, F. P. Hunsucker, Frank D. Caveness.
- 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. O. Leath, T. M. Dalton, N. A. Phillips, E. B. Hawk, Roy A. Langston, W. M. Bowden, Chas. H. Little, W. A. Neil, W. T. Singley, O. B. Turner, George F. Kornegay, James R. Kidwell, W. T. Kinslow, J. W. Hawkins, W. C. House, Frank A. Ray.
  - 5. Who are readmitted? None.
- 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. W. Fort, L. A. Webb, J. M. Armstrong, W. B. Wilson, Frank Hughen, L. G. White, Franklin Moore, S. G. Thompson, J. P. Cox, Clovis G. Chappell, Warner Moore, J. F. Clark, F. P. Culver, H. B. Urquhart, G. F. Winfield.
  - 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.
- 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? S. Barcus Knowles, an elder from M. E. Church; W. J. Whitley, an elder from Methodist Protestant church; Frank J. Cupec, an elder from the Reformed Congregationalist Church of Switzerland.
- 9. Who are the deacons of one year? J. F. Adams, H. F. Brooks, Henry Francis, Eustace B. Swindali, Earnest L. Lloyd, E. M. Wisdom, C. G. Chappell, M. L. Latham, Alonzo Monk, Jr., H. C. Bowman. W. M. Griffith, W. W. Nobles remain in class of fourth year.
- 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Eugene B. Hawk, Roy A. Langston, Marvin W. Bowden, Charles H. Little, W. A. Neil, W. T. Singley, O. B. Turner, George F. Kornegay, James R. Kidwell, W. T. Kinslow, J. W. Hawkins.
- 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? C. H. Little, W. A. Neill, W. T. Singley, J. W. Hawkins, O. B. Turner, E. B. Hawk, J. R. Kidwell, W. T. Kinslow, R. A. Langston, M. W. Bowden, George F. Kornegay.
- 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Hugh B. Landrum, W. B. Vaughn, Flances A. Roberts, John W. Glen, Joseph E. Matlock.
- 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Hugh B. Landrum, W. B. Vaughn, J. E. Matlock, F. A. Ray, John P. Henry, by Bishop Mouzon, during the year.
- 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? E. R. Stanford, J. N. Tinkle, J. F. Luker, Wallace Vinsant, C. C. Hightower, J. H. Baldridge, William J. Mayhew, T. W. Taylor, A. C. Chappell.

- 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? C. A. Bickley, J. N. Tinkle, Wallace Vinsant, C. C. Hightower, J. H. Baldridge, W. J. Mayhew, T. W. Taylor, A. C. Chappell, W. H. Keener.
  - 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Hugh B. Isbell.
  - 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Hugh B. Isbell.
  - 18. Who are located this year? C. D. Spann, at his own request.
- 19. Who are supernumerary? E. J. Maxwell, R. J. Tooley, A. D. Livingston, J. R. B. Hall, J. F. Neal, T. W. Ellis, A. P. Lipscomb.
- 20. Who are superannuated? Samuel Morris, W. F. Graves, E. M. Sweet, A. Long, C. Rowland, W. V. Jones, R. W. Wellborn, W. J. Lemons, W. H. Moss, H. M. Glass, J. A. Walkup, S. C. Littlepage, J. E. Walker, J. M. Bond, F. M. Winburn, J. P. Mussett, E. T. Bates, J. J. Canafax, W. K. Simpson, Jerome Haralson, B. A. Snoddy, R. V. Galloway, W. A. Gilleland, H. P. Shrader, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris, W. F. Lloyd, C. E. Gallagher, D. C. Ellis, W. C. Harris, J. C. Carter, S. T. Cherry, E. F. Boone, E. B. Chenoweth, R. B. Young, L. G. Rogers.
- 21. What preachers have died during the past year? E. L. Armstrong, Sam P. Wright, I. N. Reeves.
- 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one and their characters passed, except J. H. Wiseman, who withdrew from the ministry and membership of the Church.
- 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? 77,636.
  - 24. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,065.
  - 25. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,967.
  - 26. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 166.
  - 27. What is the number of Epworth League members? 6,832.
  - 28. What is the number of Sunday schools? 520.
  - 29. What is the number of Sunday-school officers, and teachers? 4,968.
- 30. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 58,712.
- 31. What was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$12,506.00.
- 32. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$10,847.33
- 33. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$12,762.61; domestic, \$15,592.60.
  - 34. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$9,764.72.
  - 35. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,370.12.
- 36. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding Elders, \$30,871.59; Preachers in charge, \$183,681.41.
  - 37. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,795.23.
- 48. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of Societies, 638; Number of houses of worship, 581 2-3; Value, \$1,578,725; Indebtedness, \$73,573.

- 40. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 214; number of parsonages, 202.
- 41. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebt-edness thereon? Value, \$382,210; indebtedness, \$39,547.
- 42. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of districts, 12; number of district parsonages, 11.
- 43. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$51,000; indebtedness, \$7,500.
- 44. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Number of churches damaged, 7; amount of damage, \$291.
- 45. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$831,490; losses sustained, \$\_\_\_\_\_; premiums paid, \$6,211.22; collections on losses, \$1,377.50.
  - 46. What are the educational statistics? See report attached.
  - 47. Who is elected Conference Leader? W. Erskine Williams.
  - 48. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Temple.
  - 49. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See Appointments.

#### REPORT No. 1, BOARD OF MISSIONS

Your Board of Missions has had assurances from the Secretaries of the General Board of the prosperity of our Mission work, both in the Foreign and Home fields, and of the increasing interest in Missions in all parts of the Church. New and urgent opportunities open from day to day in all the foreign lands, while at home the demands upon the Church steadily grow heavier with the spread of the gospel. Never has Christianity been so severely taxed by recognized spiritual needs of all classes and races as in this time of its largest scope and influence in the world.

Our General Board of Missions is confronted not only with wide open doors and opportunities and ever urgent claims in the heathen world, but it is burdened with financial obligations which have been created by enterprises that were projected upon the promises of individuals, societies and Conferences which have not been realized. Many of our houses of worship and school buildings have debts resting upon them which must be paid before new enterprises can be undertaken. These debts were created because the Board relied upon promised "specials" that never materialized. The Secretaries are endeavoring to raise a surplus by which to liquidate the indebtedness of the Board. It is represented that the assessment for Foreign Missions is not large enough to meet the current expenses of our Missionary operations and, therefore, the Church must raise more money or the Board will be compelled to withdraw some of the missionaries from the field. This would be a backward movement in our Lord's advancing kingdom not to be thought of for one moment. Your Board representing the loyalty and devotion of the Conference joins the Boards of other Annual Conferences in a great campaign to raise a great surplus for this, the one great work of our Church.

The needs and claims in the Home land are just as numerous and urgent as those abroad. The country life and the country Church must have more efficient, more intelligent and more sympathetic treatment than they have received in the last quarter of a century if American Christianity is to maintain its vigor, its intelligence and its power. The Home Secretary, Dr. John M. Moore, in his annual report, has outlined a system of large circuits after the order of the Wesleyan Methodists, which has been endorsed by the proper authorities of our Church. He asks for the use of junior preachers, local preachers and "lay helpers" in order that as far as possible there may be public worship in every Church every Sunday during the year, throughout the connection. We respectfully call the attention of our Presiding Elders and circuit preachers to this system.

By the action of the last General Conference as found in paragraph 371 of the Discipline, the Home Department is made responsible for the promotion of revivals throughout the Church. A Committee on Evangelism has been appointed by the Board according to this law and this committee and the Home Secretary have outlined a system of official evangelism by which the Church may employ, control and direct her evangelists and also use to the best advantage the pastor evangelists of the several Conferences. Working in harmony with this movement, your Board has appointed and asked for approved a committee of fifteen on evangelism for your endorsement: M. S. Hotchkiss, R. P. Shuler, H. D. Knickerbocker, Ashley Chappell, John R. Nelson, I. E. Hightower, W. H. Matthews, H. F. Brooks, E. B. Hawk, Alonzo Monk, Jr., W. J. Hearon, F. E. Singleton, J. H. Walker, C. E. Lindsey, R. F. Brown.

When the claims of the Foreign field and the urgent calls of the Home land are earnestly considered, it is not surprising that great Conferences like the Virginia and South Georgia have undertaken to raise for Missions next year an amount equal to \$1.00 per church member. The Northwest

Texas Conference has set for a goal 75 cents, and the West Texas \$1.00. Your Board was encouraged and rejoices that the Central Texas Conference voted unanimously to raise for missionary operations the ensuing Conference year 75 cents for every church member. The goal will be reached if every charge carries out the law of the Church as found in paragraph 381, which provides for an every member canvass by the Missionary Committee under the chairmanship of the Church leader and the pastor. The Secretaries of the Boards of Mission and Church Extension and the Laymen's Missionary Movement have issued a booklet entitled "A Financial Method for Methodists," to be had without price upon application, which gives full direction for making the canvass for Missions a gratifying success. We pledge ourselves to an earnest effort to put into operation throughout the bounds of our Conference the plans set forth. By agreement a campaign in the interest of Missions will be conducted in Texas during February and March under the leadership of Rev. A. J. Weeks, Field Secretary of the Home Department for Texas and New Mexico. A campaign committee will be needed in each Conference and your Board recommends that the following be constituted the Campaign Committee for this Conference: E. A. Smith, W. C. Hilburn, J. W. Fort, W. W. Moss, Jerome Duncan.

To your Board was referred the annual report of the Home Department of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Central Texas Conference. This report shows 159 adult Auxiliaries with 4,351 members, 779 young people's Auxiliaries, 93 members, and 15 Brigades, 836 members, making a total membership of 5,480. There are 1,557 subscribers to Missionary Voice and 858 members taking the Home Mission Reading Course. During the year \$2,836.26 has been sent to the Conference Treasurer for dues, \$1,337.70 for specials, while \$13,955.53 has been contributed for local work.

The Department for Foreign Missions for the Women's Missionary Society reports 85 auxiliaries, 11 young people's society and 14 juvenile societies with a total membership of 3,126.

During the year there has been an increase of 357 members, while \$13,184 have been expended for all purposes. This is a larger sum than our Conference raised for Foreign Missions. These Ruths, gleaning in the fields after the men, and themselves giving through mite boxes and by 10 cent dues, are annually making contributions for the extention of the Redeemer's Kingdom, and an objetc lesson for the whole Church in emphasizing the business methods in detail.

To provide adequate funds to maintain our missionary operations, the assessment for Conference Missions is placed at \$18,050, an increase of \$2,050 over 1910. The Conference is asked to adopt the following resolution:

Resolved, That in view of our missionary situation we pledge ourselves to raise the assessment for Conference Missions in full by the 1st day of March, 1912.

The General Board of Missions has assessed this Conference for Foreign Missions \$14,500, and we accept for the Home Department \$1,950. These assessments have been distributed to the several districts according to the scale adopted by the Conference.

The following appropriations have been made:

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Norton Mission 150.00	Desdemona Mission 100.00
Talpa and Valera Mission 200.00	Eolian Mission 100.00
Winchell 100.00	Kokomo Mission 100 00
Indian Creek 100.00	Wayland Mission 100.00

	Meridian Mission	900 00
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Anglin Street Mission\$300.00	MOISHVILLE MISSION	100.00
Brazos Avenue Mission 200.00	Georgetown District.	
Blum Mission 100.00	Corn Hill Mission	
Cresson Mission 100.00	Florence Mission	
George Creek Mission 150.00	Holland Mission	
Glen Rose Station100.00	Rogers Mission	
Granbury Mission 200.00	Troy Mission	
Joshua Mission 100.00 Lillian Mission 50.00		
	Hillsboro District.	
Corsicana District.	Covington and Osceola	\$200.00
Barry Mission\$200.00	Huron Mission	
South Corsicana Mission 150.00	Line Street Mission	200.00
Dawson Station 100.00	Fort Worth District.	
Horn Hill Mission 200.00		
Eleventh Avenue Mission 200.00	City Mission	\$1000.00
Kervin Mission 200.00	Waco District.	
West Corsicana Mission 100.00		****
Dublin District.	Clay Street Mission	
Bluff Dale Mission\$100.00	Riesel Mission	
Gustine Mission 150.00	West Mission	
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Purvis 200.00	Loving Mission	\$ 150.00
Gatesville District.	Santo Mission	
	Strawn Mission	
Clifton Mission \$300.00	Thurber Mission	1000.00
Coryell Mission 200.00	Graham Mission	100.00
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W. H. Matthews, E. A. Smith, W. E. Williams, R. P. Shuler and J. K. Parr were appointed by the Board to make final settlement with the retiring Treasurer, J. H. Wiseman.

W. H. Vaughan was elected Treasurer of the Board of Missions and M. S. Hotchkiss Conference Missionary Secretary.

H. BISHOP.

JNO. R. NELSON.

#### REPORT No. 2

#### BOARD OF MISSIONS OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE.

#### BY-LAWS.

- 1. The Board of Missions of the Central Texas Conference shall have charge of the Missions and the missionary work of the Conference.
- 2. The officers of said Board shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, who shall discharge the usual duties pertaining to these offices.
- 3. The President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer shall constitute the Executive Committee which shall act for the Board of Missions in the interim of meeting in all matters of administration, subject to the Board's approval.
- 4. The Board shall hold its Annual meeting during the session of the Annual Conference and a Mid-Year meeting in the month of March, the time and place to be fixed by the Executive Committee. At the Annual meeting there shall be final settlement of the year's business, reports of the Secretary and Treasurer submitted to the Conference and appropriations made to charges for the ensuing Conference year. At the Mid-Year meeting reports will be received from the missionaries employed by the Board, new missions considered and policies adopted for making the work effective. The Executive Committee shall prepare a program for the Mid-Year meeting.
- Committee on Estimates, to whom shall be referred any requests for aid. They shall examine all applications, appropriations and carefully estimate the amount that shall be appropriated to each, the sum needed for the work of the Board and the apportionment of same, together with the assessments of the General Board of Missions to the several Districts of the Conference, and report the same to the Board for final action, provided the Board, as a committee of the whole, may at leisure consider the estimates.
- 6. All applications for aid shall be made on blanks furnished by the Board of Missions and shall be filled and returned by the Presiding Elder for new missions, and by Quarterly Conferences and endorse by Presiding Elders for charges to be continued as missions. It will be the policy of the Board each year as far as practicable to reduce the appropriations.
- 7. The total appropriations any one year shall not exceed ninety per cent of the amount collected on the assessment for Conference Missions, until a reserve fund of \$10,000 has been accumulated and after that, the appropriations shall not exceed ninety-five per cent.
- 8. The Secretary shall issue quarterly drafts for the salaries of missionaries in the employment of the Board, which shall be due and payable at the close of the Conference when the appointments are made and service begins, on the 15th of March, 15th of July, and during the session of the ensuing Annual Conference.
- 9. The Treasurer shall deposit the funds of the Board in the name of the Board of Missions of Central Texas Conference, and his own name as Treasurer, in such banks as the Executive Committee approves. He will pay out moneys for Conference mission work only on drafts signed by the Secretary and endorsed by the payee. His bond as required by the Discipline shall be fixed at the sum of \$10,000.

- 10. Any mission established by the Board may be supported in whole or in part by a District, Church, Epworth League, Sunday School, or individual, provided the funds pass through the hands of the Treasurer.
- 11. There shall be a committee of three each on Territory, Foreign Population, City Work, Evangelism and the Laymen's Missionary Movement. It shall be the duty of these committees to make a first-hand study of their respective subjects, keep them prominently before Conference, and advise the Board as to the best plans and methods for their development.

The Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Population shall be the Superintendent of the Missionaries and work among the foreign-speaking people.

- 12. The Executive Committee may borrow money when necessary to meet the obligations of the Board of Missions, provided each loan is authorized by the Board at a regular or called meeting.
- 13. There shall be an Auditing Committee, consisting of one preacher and two laymen, which shall audit the books and accounts of the Treasurer and other like matters.

# REPORT OF W. ERSKINE WILLIAMS, TREASURER BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The following is a complete statement of receipts and disbursements for the Conference year 1910-11, including receipts and disbursements of former Treasurer J. H. Wiseman.

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#### FOREIGN MISSIONS.

## Receipts.

On assessments	12,564.99
One-half of Laymen's Fund	1,087.10
Total receipts	13,592.09
Disbursements.	
One-half salary and expenses of Missionary Evangelist and all Bo- hemian and Italian work	4.032.09
hemian and Italian work	125.00
One-half of expenses W. Erskine Williams, Treasurer	5.00
One-half expenses mid-year meeting	57.45
One-half printing Conference Journal	92.50
One-half Port work, Galveston	
Check, J. D. Hamilton, March 31st,	300.00
Check, J. D. Hamilton, November 11th,	9,200.00
One-half expenses Laymens' Movement	24.50
Total disbursements\$	14,136.54
Over paid on Foreign Missions, by error in calculation(which will doubtless be repaid to Domestic Board)	544.45
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# DOMESTIC MISSIONS, INCLUDING HOME DEPARTMENT, GENERAL BOARD.

#### Receipts.

Brought forward from year 1909-10	\$ 3,698.78
On assessment	15.708.78
One-half of Laymens' Fund	1,087.10
Total receipts	
Disbursements.	
One half salary and expenses of Missionary Evangelist and all	
hemian and Italian work	\$ 4,032.09
Drafts for Missionaries	
Paid to J. D. Hamilton, Nov. 11th, for Home Department	1,800.00
One-half of Port work, Galveston,	
One-half of Office Expense, J. H. Wiseman, Treasurer,	125.00
One-half expenses W. Erskine Williams, Treasurer,	5.00
One-half expenses mid-year meeting	57.50
One-half expenses printing Conference Journal	92.50
Expenses Auditor and Auditing Committee	
One-half expenses Laymens' Movement	
Total Disbursements	\$16,901,04
Balance	
	\$20,494.66
Of which amount \$544.45 has been paid to Foreign Mission Bo	
by error in calculation, leaving cash on hand	\$ 3,049.17
which has been paid to W. H. Vaughan, Treasurer.	
W. ERSKINE WILLIAMS,	Treasurer.
Fort Worth, Texas, November 27, 1911.	

We, your Board, entered upon the work committed to our hands by this Conference realizing the exceeding delicate condition surrounding our educational affairs; and at the same time appreciating the utmost importance of the interest involved and the necessity for the wisest adjustment of apparent difficulties. It is with profoundest gratitude to God that we can report that we reached our conclusion with a unanimity most surprising and in a spirti that prophesies the fullest accord and harmony in our educational work. This is especially gratifying when we remember that our board is largely composed of men who are officially related to our several institutions of learning. Our conclusions were reached after the fullest, freest and frankest statements of facts, opinions and views. We do not believe that so far as we are able to judge there will be any ground in the future for misunderstandings or misgivings. We have spared neither time, patience, nor effort to most thoroughly canvass all interest involved. We are convinced that we are at the beginning of an adjustment of plans, purposes, and efforts that stand as a guarantee of a realization of brightest hopes and greatest success to all.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We have had before us the representives of Southern Methodist University, Southwestern University, Polytechnic College, Weatherford College, Meridian College, and Central Texas College.

# Southern Methodist University.

We congratulate the Commission of Education on the progress made toward establishing this institution; and assure them of our abiding interest in the movement and pledge assurance to co-operate to the fullest extent to make possible the putting of our Church in the forefront of our educational enterprises. We further place ourselves on record to make every effort to bring about a unified system of education that will eliminate all friction and guarantee the highest success to this great cause. President R. S. Hyer and Vice-President H. A. Boaz are too well known to need letter of commendation from us. Their election to the positions they occupy was the guarantee in advance of the highest success; and yet they cannot accomplish the task committed to them without the fullest co-operation of our preachers and people.

#### Southwestern University.

Southwestern University has had another prosperous year. For thirty-nine years its history of growth and development may be read in the growth and development of Texas Methodism. During this period many educational adventures have been projected, some of which have appeared to flourish for a few years, only to end in disaster. While this institution has continually by every right not only stood at the head of the Methodist schools of Texas but among the thirteen colleges of highest grade in Southern Methodism, it ranks first in buildings and plant; in income from tuition; in income from Conference collections; in total income, and in enrollment of students of college grade. These are matters for congratulations. We earnestly commend the wise management and control that have brought to pass these splendid results.

But for this institution to hold its place in the front rank of Methodist colleges it must continue to go forward. We therefore recommend that the Board of Trustees of Southwestern University at an early day as practicable begin in earnest to press the movement set on foot by the Alumi Association looking to the erection of a Library building, which is very much needed at this time.

Dr. R. S. Hyer after thirteen years of successful administration resigned the presidency of Southwestern University, and we feel that the Church has been peculiarly fortunate in securing the services of Dr. C. M. Bishop as his successor. Dr. Bishop has already taken hold with a firm hand and with the co-operation of the Church the future of this institution is assured. We specially call attention to the work now being done by this school among the Bohemians, Germans, and Mexicans. The Summer School of Theology, with Bishop Mouzon at its head, and an attractive program and course of study already arranged, should draw a very large number of our preachers to Georgetown for the Summer Term.

# Polytechnic College.

The growth and development of this school within the past few years is nothing short of remarkable. This year marks the high tide of its enrolment. This, too, is most remarkable when we remember that plans are under way to convert it into a Woman's College. This demonstrates the strong hold the school has upon the confidence of the people. Its growth is not confined to numbers in attendance and to material enlargement or equipment, but extends to all that enters into the making of a college. The enrolment for the present year already exceeds the enrolment for the whole of the preceding year, the number at present being 744. The enrolment of over fifty young men preparing for the ministry is cause for grati-

tude to God, for furnishing such opportunities for the better equipment of His servants, and should be a distinct call to his people to give moral and financial support for they are the greatest beneficiaries. Without in the least degree disparaging the work in the literary department, which is of a high order, we would call special attention to the work done in the Department of Fine Arts. There is to be found in this school a corps of teachers in the Fine Arts Department that can scarcely be excelled in our entire land. Especially fortunate has this school been in securing for its President Dr. F. P. Culver, a man prominent in the councils of our Church, a trusted leader, known and honored throughout our whole connection. We authorize the trustees of the Polytechnic College to transfer the property of said institution with all assets and liabilities to the Educational Commission and take such other action as will enable them to complete the plans as outlined by the Commission of Education for bringing all our educational institutions of Texas Methodism into one harmonious system.

#### Weatherford College.

This school has opened the present session with more indication for prosperity than for several years past. Rev. L. G. White has been elected President, and the citizens of Weatherford have raised sufficient sums to meet the expenses of its faculty, thereby making certain its official operation for this year.

#### Meridian College.

This school is the property of the Gatesville District and has the loyal support of its constituency. Its buildings, equipment, and faculty justify the confidence and support of its friends. We would recommend that the districts contiguous to this school unite in giving it their support and avoid the multiplication of such schools, the effect of which weakens them all. The enrolment has reached 261. There are ten young men in attendance preparing for the ministry and three young ladies preparing for missionary work.

#### Central Texas College.

We have gone as fully as possible into the conditions and affairs of this school. We deeply regret that circumstances do not justify a hopeful report and outlook. This Board, after much discussion and careful consideration, pass the following resolution as the only recommendation possible under existing conditions:

"This Board recommends that the Educational Commission be requested to give, through its agent, such moral support as may be practicable."

## · Assessments.

We recommend the assessment made by the Educational Commission and respectfully ask the other Conferences to so adjust their assessments for their local schools as not to affect those made for the institutions represented by the report of the Commission. We make this request because we feel assured that no less amounts than those recommended will meet the demands. The recommendation for assessment upon this conference is \$13,800.00. The amount fixed by the General Board of Education for educational extension is \$3,680.00. The Board appointed a special committee on the matter of assessment and adopted the report of this committee and made it a part of this report to your conference.

"Whereas it appears from the present indications that the appropriations for Southwestern University and for Polytechnic College for the present year will be less than during last year and insufficient to meet the pressing needs of these institutions. Therefore be it resolved:

First. That the month of April, 1912, be set apart as Education Month and that on the second Sunday of said month, or as near thereto as possible, each station pastor of Central Texas Conference and the Circuit pastors at each one of their appointments, during said month, or as near thereto as possible, be requested to preach on Christian Education and present the claims of Southwestern University and Polytechnic College and give the people an opportunity to make a special free-will offering to these two institutions, the same to be in excess of the regular assessments.

Second. That the North Texas and Texas Conferences be requested to take similar action and the Conference Boards of Education of the West Texas, the Northwest Texas, and the German Mission Conference be requested to urge the pastors in their conferences to the same action.

Third. That the proceeds from these collections be sent to Bursar Reedy, at Dallas, and be divided between the Southwestern University and Polytechnic College in proportion to the number of college students enrolled in each institution.

Fourth. That the Texas Educational Commission be requested to take charge of the campaign through its office in Dallas and prosecute it with all possible vigor.

Fifth. That the President of each of the aforesaid colleges be requested to co-operate with the Commission in conducting this campaign."

Of the amount collected on Educational Assessments upon this conference the sum of \$300.00 be set apart for the Summer School of Theology.

#### Doctors Bishop and Culver.

In the midst of the difficulties attendant upon the changes that are almost radical in our educational plans God has most assuredly helped us solve our problems by giving us two of the choicest sons of Methodism for College Presidents in the persons of Doctors Bishop and Culver. Wise, prudent, aggressive, cultured, and genuinely brotherly men, we can safely entrust to them our most sacred interest and follow most confidently their leadership.

#### Recommendations.

To be elected by the Conference: Rev. F. P. Culver and Rev. W. L. Nelms be elected delegates to the Educational Convention of the M. E. Church, South, to be held at Memphis, Tenn., at a time to be fixed by the General Board of Education.

Rev. W. L. Nelms to be elected Conferency Secretary of Education.

Rev. C. R. Wright to be elected Trustee of Southwestern University, in place of John M. Barcus, transferred.

W. G. Swenson to be elected Trustee of Southwestern University from the Northwest Texas Conference.

The following to be elected Trustees of Polytechnic College: Rev. Jerome Duncan in the place of S. R. Hay and Dr. H. C. Johnson in the place of W. E. Williams, resigned, and the re-election of Rev. R. C. Armstrong, Rev. L. A. Webb, Rev. J. H. Stewart, H. H. Halsell, George H. Mulkey, and J. L. Penn. We recommend the appointment of the following by the Bishop: Rev. H. A. Boaz, Vice-President, Southern Methodist University; Rev. F. P.

Culver, President Polytechnic College; Rev. L. G. White, President Weatherford College; Rev. George F. Winfield, President Meridian College; Rev. J. O. Leath, Principal of Meridian College; Rev. V. Cejnar, Professor of Bohemian in Southwestern University; Rev. E. R. Stanford, student in Yale University.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. BOGGS, President.

W. L. NELMS, Secretary.

# TREASURER'S REPORT, BOARD OF EDUCATION.

#### Educational Extension.

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Received during the year from the pastors	\$ 204.81 2,005.14
Total	\$2,209.95
This will be forwarded to Dr. Stonewall Anderson.	
Local Education.	
Received during the year from the pastors	\$ 569.10
Received from B. H. Woods, Jr., Teller	5,942.47
Total	\$6,511.57
Disbursed as follows:  For printing Conference Journal	g 95.00
For salaries in Southwestern University	2 764 86
For Theological Department	708.95
For Summer School of Theology	212.68
For Medical College, Dallas	613.23
For Medical College, Dallas	2,126.85
Total	\$6,511.57
SAM'L J. RUCKER,	Treasurer.

#### REPORT NO. 1, JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

We have collected for Bishop's Fund during the year \$260.00; have received from the Teller \$2,426.83 and from last year \$4.98, making a total of \$2,700.81. Our assessment for this cause the coming year is the same as last year, \$3,286.00.

We have collected for Conference Claimants during the year \$943.00; have received the L. Blaylock donation of \$192.80; have received from the Superannuate Endowment Fund \$234.50; from Publishing House \$357.00, our pro rata of the Trapp Fund, \$134.87; our pro rata of the Marquis Fund, \$178.67; reserve fund left over from last year, \$199.80; our pro rata Ansley Bequest, \$139.58; miscellaneous, \$22,89, and from the Teller, \$9,373.75, making a total of \$11,776.86.

Some five years ago and just before his death, Brother J. W. Ansley, formerly of Texas, but then of Oklahoma, provided a bequest of \$200.00 for the superannuates of the then Northwest Texas Conference. During the past week we have received this bequest and have pro rated it with the two Conferences as heretofore agreed upon. We commend the action of Brother Ansley in his bequest, and on behalf of each of the Annual Conferences interested, as also on behalf of all of the superannuates of the two Conferences, thank the representatives of the estate for the payment thereof.

We estimate the amount necessary for claimants the coming year at \$15,000.

As for last year, and subject to same rules, we retain a small reserve fund for the relief of those who may be superannuated this Conference, as for any preacher who may fail in health during the coming year. Necessarily, this amount is small, but experience has taught us that it serves a noble purpose.

A few of our claimants ask no appropriation from us but yield their claims to those in greater need. We thank them for this generous act.

We have received from the Calvin Bequest \$14.00, which we have dis-

bursed to the widows and orphans.

We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$185.00; Board of Church Extension, \$80.00; Board of Education, \$85.00; Sunday School Board, \$30.00, and Board of American Bible Society, \$20.00 for printing the Conference Journal.

Our assessment for Delegates Expenses next General Conference, is \$1,700.00. We have thought it wise to apportion one-half of this sum for the coming year, and then apportion the remaining one-half next year, together with any balance that we may fail to collect. This course has been followed heretofore with this assessment.

All amounts coming before us we have pro rated to the several presiding elder's district according to the scale furnished to us by them.

After most prayerful consideration, we have disbursed to our claimants the funds coming into our hands as follows:

Addison, Mrs. O. M.,	\$ 50.25
Adkisson, Mrs. J. W.,	100.25
Barcus, Mrs. E. R.,	
Bennett, Mrs. N. B.,	250.25
Bond Rev T M	300.00
Bailey, Mrs. E. A.,	
Bates, Rev. E. T.,	
Crabb, Mrs. J. L.,	
Cox, Mrs. J. Fred,	
Canafax, Rev. J. J.,	400.00
Carter, Rev. J. C.,	50.00
Davis, Mrs. J. J.,	200.25
Davis, Mrs. Charles,	200.25
Ellis, Mrs. S. B.,	
Gaskill, Miss Mittie,	100.25
Glass, Rev. H. M.,	200.00
Grant, Mrs. James,	50.25
Graves, Rev. W. F.,	260.00
Graves, Mrs. G. W.,	50.25
Galloway, Rev. R. V.,	300.00
Gravis, Miss Ellen	120.25
Gilleland, Rev. W. A.,	200.00
Harris, Rev. G. W.,	275.00
Haralson, Rev. Jerome,	225.00
Hiner, Mrs. James,	100.25
Hines, Mrs. T. W.,	125.25
Holmes, Mrs. D. T.,	
Harris, Rev. I. F.,	325.00
Harrison, Mrs. E. T.	100.50
Harrison, Mrs. E. T., Jones, Rev. W. V.,	300.00
Jordan. Mrs. C. D.,	200.50
Keen, Mrs. N. A.	50.25

	125.50
Kennedy, Mrs. B. H.,	
Long. Rev. A.,	200.00
Littlepage, Rev. S. C.,	350.00
Temons Rev. W. J.	200.00
McLaughlin, Mrs. N. M.,	120.70
McLaughlin, Children,	150.75
Mackey, Mrs. James,	125.25
Mood Mrs F A	50.25
Morgan, Mrs. Daniel,	428.25
Morriss, Rev. Samuel,	200.00
Mills, Mrs. M.,	400.75
Moss, Rev. W. H.,	175.00
Mussett, Rev. J. P.,	275.00
Price, Mrs. William,	150.25
Ray, Mrs. F. P.	
Rascoe, Mrs. J. T.,	100.25
Reeves, Mrs. I. N.,	
Reynolds Mrs. M. D.	
Rogers, Mrs. T. W.,	250.25
Rowland, Rev. C.,	200.00
Rogers, Rev. L. G.,	50.00
Stockton, Mrs. W. R. D.,	
Sweet, Rev. E. M.,	. 200.00
Snoddy, Rev. B. A.,	. 200.00
Simpson, Rev. W. K.,	. 50.00
Smith, Mrs. A. P.,	251.00
Shrader, Rev. H. P.,	. 325.00
Trimble, Mrs. J. H.,	. 200.25
Tunnell, Mrs. J. S.,	
Wilson, Mrs. G. D.,	
Walkup, Rev. J. A.,	
Wallace, Mrs. J. A.,	
Walker, Rev. J. E.,	
Winburn, Rev. F. M.,	
Reserve Fund	
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Total	\$11,790.86

We recommend that an assessment be made upon each pastoral charge equal to one per cent of the pastor's salary for the Board of the Superannuate Endowment Fund, and that the District Stewards give ont this assessment to the several charges for collection.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. BROWN, Chairman.

JAMES M. ROBERTSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

# REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

According to the statistics of the Last Minutes, we have in the Central Texas Conference 618 organized societies, 467 houses of worship, leaving 151 of the societies without houses. We confidently believe that with the resources at our command these latter should be properly housed.

Our Conference Loan Fund is growing. We now have about \$6,000.00 in that fund. We urge the pastors to call the attention of their people to the Memorial Loan Fund, and urge them to perpetuate the memory of their dead with a contribution to this Fund, the same to be named as the donor may indicate. This is better than costly monuments. We now have one such memorial amounting to \$500.00.

We regret that the pastors and the Sunday School Superintendents have seemed to take but little interest in the Sunday School Loan Fund. A Birthday Jar is furnished gratis to any school; only fourteen in our Conference are now using these. Will not the pastors see to it that the superintendents give attention to this matter as suggested by the General Sunday School Board?

Literature on every phase of Church Extension may be had for the asking from the General Office at Louisville.

Your Board passed a resolution requiring the Treasurer of the Board to give bond for an amount to be determined later by the Executive Committee.

The following preamble and resolution was adopted by the Board:

Whereas, the Board of Church Extension has adopted the policy of holding its annual meetings in different sections of the Church, and

Whereas, the Board has never held a meeting in this section of the Church, therefore

Resolved, that the Central Texas Conference hereby requests the Board of Church Extension to hold its next annual meeting in the City of Dallas, Resolved, also, that in the event the Board decides upon Dallas as the place of meeting, the Conference set aside the Sunday that will close the session of the Board, to be observed throughout the Conference as Church Extension Day in the interest of the Central Texas Conference Loan Fund. The following are the appropriation to parsonages:

Aledo	100.00
Diamond Hill	100.00
Grandbury	100.00
Killeen	150.00

#### Donations and Loans to Churches.

	Donation.	Loan.
Hatchell	\$100.00	\$200.00
Blueridge	150.00	
Boulevard	·····	1000.00
Zephyr	250.00	750.00
Buckner	150.00	300.00
Willow Pond	150.00	•
Burkett		
Clay Street	500.00	
Sterrett		
Powell	150.00	
Corbitt		
Sabano	125.00	
Barnes Chapel	100.00	

We recommend that the assessment be \$10.335.

We respectfully request the Bishop to appoint J. A. Biggs Conference Secretary of Church Extension, without salary from the Board.

W. B. ANDREWS, President.

C. R. WRIGHT, Secretary.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The annual report of our Sunday School Editor, Dr. E. B. Chappell, shows a very gratifying increase in the total circulation of our Periodical Literature. The increase in the circulation of the new graded lessons and the Adult Student have been about 100 per cent during the past year.

We rejoice in the high standard attained by our literature and its ever increasing circulation. We believe, however, that all the profits arising from the sale of this literature should be used for the advancement of the Sunday School work of our connection.

#### Department of Teacher Training.

This Department, under the leadership of Dr. H. M. Hamill, is proving itself of great value in increasing the efficiency of our teaching force. Mr. Marion Lawrence truly says: "The teacher is the hinge of the Sunday School door." We can never improve our work without first improving the worker. At the close of the last fiscal year we had 1,368 circles enrolled in the General Office, with a total membership of 16,042. Besides those taking the regular courses, thousands of teachers have been reached through institutes and lectures.

We beg to suggest-

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First-That teacher training courses be placed in all our church schools.

Second—That teacher training classes be organized in all our Sunday Schools where practicable.

Third—That during this year all graduates from these classes be reported to this Board and the Diplomas issued at the Sunday School Anniversary of our annual Conference, and this feature be a part of our regular program from year to year.

#### Wesley Adult Bible Class Department.

The Church has greatly felt the need of some agency whereby men can be won to the Church and held by a wise direction of their religious activities. Many expedients have been resorted to, but nothing has been so successful as the organized Bible class. It provides a plan by which the class can be built up, responsibility distributed, workers discovered and developed, the social life provided, real Christian brotherhood fostered, the Bible intelligently and systematically studied and such emphasis placed upon Christian activity, that religious instruction is expressed in service.

Rev. Chas. D. Bulla, Superintendent of this Department, entered upon his work about one year ago. As he has moved among our people he has manifested an intelligence in planning and organizing the work, illustrated the beauties of the Christian graces in his own character, won the hearts of our people by his splendid social qualities and displayed such enthusiasm that we are all convinced that he is the right man in the right place. We urge our pastors and Sunday School Superintendents to organize and enroll adult classes in the Wesley Adult Bible Class Department, and enter into a wide Christian comradeship, the outcome of which will be the instruction of thousands of men and women in the Scriptures and enlisting them in Christian service.

#### Epworth by the Sea.

Rev. V. G. Thomas, who is in tee field working for Euworth, was before your Board.

We are glad that the Sunday Schools of Texas are uniting with our Euworth Leagues in this splendid encampment. We now have annually at Epworth a Sunday School assembly of one full week following the Epworth League week. Here we have a splendid course of instruction by experts, which is proving very helpful to our Sunday School workers.

Substantial improvements are proposed or are under way at Epworth-bythe Sea, and year by year we have a larger attendance at this summer resort.

#### Standard Sunday Schools.

Our General Sunday School Board has adopted a standard of excellence as a sort of ideal toward which all our schools should constantly aim. It may be well to modify this in many instances. But we suggest that each school hang up in clear print in their auditorium a large card on which shall be printed the standard toward which they work. It will be a guide and incentive for constant improvement.

We believe the new graded lessons should be used in all our schools. We ask our people to write and get our Publishing House Catalog of our Sunday School Books and supplies and to buy and read our new Sunday School literature.

## District Sunday School Institutes.

#### We further recommend-

- 1. That the lay members of this Board in each District be made the District Chairman with a working force composed of the Presiding Elder, Pastors and Superintendent of that District.
- 2. That a series of four or more Sunday School Conferences or institutes be held within the bounds of each district at the most strategic points so as to enlist the Sunday School workers of the several charges in such conferences or institutes to the end that every Sunday School within the bounds of the annual Conference shall be reached.
- 3. That we respectfully request our presiding elders to arrange dates of District Conferences so that not more than two shall be held in the same week, and these on differing dates, thereby making it possible for the members of the Sunday School Board to take part in the Sunday School program of each conference, and we recommend the District Chalrman urge all superintendent of the district to be present at the conference and participate in the Sunday School work.

# Children's Day.

We urge that Children's Day be observed by all our schools, large and small; that the exercises shall be held at the 11 o'clock hour on Sunday; that it be made a church as well as a Sunday School service; and that the collection be taken and paid to ur Treasurer as the Discipline directs, and in no case neglected or diverted from its proper channel.

During the past year Brother B. L. Nance, of DeLeon, Texas, a consecrated layman, has been working in the field, having the endorsement and approval of your Board. He has visited and worked in the places where work is most needed and the reports of his work are very gratifying.

Your Board has adopted the following:

Resolved, that having created the office of Sunday School Field Secretary, we ask the Bishop to appoint a man for the place, and that we fix his salary at \$2,000.00 and necessary traveling expenses, and recommend an assessment for Sunday School extension be levied equal to 5 cents per member of our Sunday School enrollment to be collected by the Presiding Elders or under their direction.

E. HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

C. S. FIELD, Secretary.

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Total am Treasure	ount received during the yearr's Expenses	7.25
Disbura	sements— To B. L. Nance\$20	e de la companya de l
Nov. 14.	To B. L. Nance \$20	0.00
Nov. 14.	To C. S. Fields	1.95~
Nov. 15.	Pub. House	5.87
Nov. 20.	S. J. Rucker for Conference Journal 3	0.00
Nov. 28.	D. M. Smith, Nashville 10	7.12
Nov. 28.	D. M. Smith, Nashville 32	1.36 986.30
Nov. 28.	Balance in Treasury	\$ 84.90

R. F. BROWN, Treasurer.

# EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Epworth League is now demanding the attention of the Church. The problem that now confronts us is how to hold our young people and to train them for Christian usefulness in the midst of the complex conditions of society. The call of the world is louder and more compelling than ever before. This Board has decided that the Epworth League offers a better solution to this problemt han any other department of the Church. Its several departments furnish the social and training work that results in the development of Christian character. We, therefore, urge both presiding elders and pastors to give more time and endeavor to this work. At the suggestion of our General Secretary, Dr. F. S. Parker, we have elected a Corresponding Secretary to aid in collecting the 10 cents a member assessment. We have elected Brother W. T. Jones to this position and earnestly urge every pastor and layman to lend him a helping hand. Further, at the suggestion of Dr. Parker, we empowered the President of the Board to see that some one be appointed to arrange for a League Conference in each Presiding Elder's District.

We note with pleasure that the General Board meets this year at Epworth-by-the-Sea.

We desire to express our appreciation of the work of our State President, Brother A. K. Ragsdale, and call the attention of the brethren to the work being done each year at Epworth-by-the-Sea. We urge that each League in the Conference be represented at the encampment of 1912.

We commend the work of our financial agent, Brother Thomas, and recommend that he be allowed to go among our people for financial aid.

We are pleased that many new chapters have been organized this year. We commend the Epworth Era and express our appreciation of its editor. The Board is ready and willing at any time to aid any chapter in the Conference in any possible way.

W. J. HEARON, President.

ASHLEY CHAPPELL, Secretary.

#### BIBLE CAUSE.

We note with pleasure the continued success of the great work the American Bible Society is doing at home and abroad. They publish the Bible in 112 differentl anguages and distribute it throughout the Southwest among all nationalities. The Bible is the indispensable support of the missionary in our foreign fields. In Korea alone the American Bible Society has distributed 116,492 volumes of the Bible. In this field Christianity is gaining her greatest victories. One of our missionaries in Korea writes, "Ninetenths of our success is the result of the Bible Society work." How true, "The entrance of thy words giveth light." In view of these facts we as a Church should give to this society our earnest prayers and support.

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We recommend an assessment of \$1,650.00 for the ensuing Conference year.

E. F. BOONE, Chairman.

G. W. KINCHELOE, Secretary and Treasurer.

# SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

If it is true that our Christian Sabbath is an integral part of our Christianity, and is assential to our civilization, it follows that too much emphasis cannot be placed upon this subject, committed to the consideration of your committee.

In the progress of our civilization respect and reverence for the holy Sabbath should increase, but it is a fact, apparent to every student of this question, that here is very prominent, many positive and strong influences set against it, and the healthy Sabbath sentiment that once found place in the conscience and practice of our fathers, is now waning. There are thousands of people among us, many of whom are members of our Church, who allow no serious thought concerning this question, or their remembrance of God's command to respect His holy day, to restrain or even embarrass them on Sunday any more than on other days of the week, in their pursuit of worldly pleasure, the gratification of fleshly desires, or commercial gain. Hereby its hallowing influence is being swept from the social and domestic conscience, until in hundreds of communities, as well as homes, the weekly coming of Sunday, to the people, old and young, is no more accompanied by the sanctity with which God clothed His holy Sabbath, and commanded that it be perpetuated. It comes to pass, also, that railroad corporations, fair organizations, base ball leagues, theatrical companies, owners of picture shows, etc., tell us that it is necessary to provide recreations for the laboring peoples, and under this specious contention

—a mere pretext—they seek to placate at least the most conservative Sabbatarians, while the obtaining of money is their real purpose. Those who make this plea have been emboldened by the clamor and patronage of the large numbers who are without conscience on this question, until they are becoming a dangerous power; for under their popular demand, there is an evident tendency on the part of some of the courts of our State to so construe our Sunday laws as to render them useless. When we consider all these agencies, and influences, which are making rapid inroads upon our holy day, we feel justified in sounding a note of alarm. In our centers of population the anarchistic spirit is already showing itself in the open and perpetual violation of our Sunday laws, defying and despising the authority of our State. Such is true in Fort Worth at the present time, and we congratulate the citizens of this city who have banded themselves into a league that hey may strengthen the hands of the officers charged with the execution of these laws.

The time for resolving only has passed and the time for action has come. The responsibility to show forth the virtues and blessings of our holy Sabbath, and to defend it from its enemies, rests upon the Church, and chiefly upon her ministers. We must, we will, mobilize our forces, and, with locked shields, wage war against all forms of Sabbath desecration, until the Sabbath sentiment of our land shall become so strong as to effectually secure, by moral sentiment and civil enactment, our Christian Sabbath. We call upon our ministers to not only make themselves and families faithful examples, but cry out to the people who wait upon our ministry, against the patronage of Sunday excursions, fairs, base ball, shows, Sunday mails, Sunday newspapers, all unnecessary buying or selling, the riding on railroad trains, or automobiles, unless in cases of necessity; pleasure seeking and dissipations in all of their forms in which the Sabbath of the Lord God is desecrated, or made a day of convenience for our common affairs instead of a day of rest and worship.

We heartily commend the "Sunday League in America" for its purposes and achievements. We believe the time has come for increased definite work in the field it occupies. It is not a competitor, but an arm of strength to the very foundation of our Christianity. We request our pastors and laymen to encourage, aid, and co-operate with representaives of the League as far as possible:

We recommend the reappointment of Rev. R. C. Armstrong as State Secretary of the "Sunday League of America," hereby expressing to him our appreciation of his work in the past, and pledging to him our prayers and co-operation in the future.

DANIEL L. COLLIE, Chairman.

CHAS. W. IRVIN, Secretary.

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# **Reports of Standing Committees**

#### BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

#### Publishing House.

It is in a spirit of profound gratitude that we note the continued and ever increasing prosperity of our Publishing House. The report of the Agents show the net sales to be \$\$14,282; total gain, \$\$6,934; total cash, \$11,560; capital as per ledger, \$1,108,899. The Dallas branch is in a flour-ishing condition, having total assets amounting to \$174,692. The sales and profits of each month this year exceed those of the corresponding months of last year. Through the recommendation of the Agents, the Book Committee has appropriated this year \$10,000 to be distributed among the Conference Claimants.

#### The Methodist Review.

The Methodist Review has the largest circulation in its history so that now it yields a revenue to the House. It not only serves our Church in an admirable way by giving to our ministry the best and most readable sacred literature that can be found in this country, but it also reflects credit upon our Church. We most urgently insist upon all our preachers taking and reading this periodical.

#### The Nashville Christian Advocate.

The Nashville Christian Advocate most creditably represents our Church in all lines of its teachings, work and life. It continues to uphold the high standard that it has maintained for many years. It deserves and is gaining a wider circulation.

# The Epworth Era.

While the Epworth Era has met the cost of its publication this year and its editors have made it a more acceptable paper by the introduction of more departmental helps, still we are anxlously awaiting the time when our Church through some means shall give us a paper devoted exclusively to the young people's work and at the same time covering the work of the Epworth League and Sunday School with especial reference to the Organized Classes. We respectfully ask those in charge of these branches of work to seriously consider the matter and work out a plan for such a paper.

# The Missionary Voice.

This periodical has already met with a most hearty reception in our Conference and we endorse any rightful methods for the increasing of its circulation.

#### Sunday School Literature.

The literature now issued by our Sunday School Board is abreast of the times and is inferior to none that is published. All of our schools should use this literature and cease to supplant it with the publications of any other house. We especially want to emphasize the importance of adopting the Graded Courses.

# The Texas Christian Advocate.

The Texas Christian Advocate is the superior of any church paper in the connection, due to the able editorship and management of its noble and fearless editor, as well as the superb work of the publishers, The Blaylock Publishing Commpany. Dr. Rankin has always well stated and defended our doctrines, both editorially and in the selection of the material that is published; has courageously championed and aided all the moral struggles of the state, and has kindly taught the ministry and laity through his practical and helpful articles concerning every branch of church work. We desire to thank the publishers for their uniform courtesies and helpfulness in furnishing our Church this great paper. We heartily endorse the action of the Joint Board of Publication in its re-election of Dr. G. C. Rankin as editor and in renewing the contract with The Blaylock Publishing Company for another ten years. In view of the facts stated we endorse the campaign for 30,000 new subscribers and claim as our part at least 6,000. We recommend that one Sunday be set apart for this work and that strenuous efforts be made to secure the above-named number.

#### Texas Tract Society.

While handicapped by the lack of funds this society has done a good work through its Joint Board and the field work of Rev. S. W. Turner. For the next year there will be no salaried man in the field, but we trust that the time will soon come when there will be sufficient funds to extend the work so as to make it most effective.

J. B. CURRY, President.

ALONZO MONK, JR., Secretary.

#### TEMPERANCE.

Beginning with its organization, the Methodist Church has been a prohibition Church. John Wesley declared that liquor dealers "are poisoners general," and Methodists have so held in all the years of their history. The great Methodist layman, ex-President William McKinley, said, "The liquor traffic is the most degrading and ruinous of all pursuits. By legalizing this traffic we agree to share with the liquor seller the responsibilities and evils of his business. Every man who votes for license becomes, of necessity, a partner of the liquor traffic and its consequences." This Conference stands by that doctrine.

We deplore the fact that our great daily papers, papers that should promote the interests and welfare of all the people of our great State, have betrayed such interests of the masses and have thrown the weight of their influence wholly on the side of the saloons, thus becoming radically partisan and no longer worthy of the confidence of our citizenship. From this list we would except the great Galveston-Dallas News, which abstained from active hostility to prohibition during the campaign, but we regret to say has not done so since the election. We badly need a great daily paper run in the interests of all the people of Texas.

During the past year five counties have changed from saloons to no saloons under our local option laws. It is well understood and conceded by some of the most reputable anti-prohibitionists that constitutional prohibition was defeated July 22nd, by the most frightful ballot box frauds and the use of enormous corruption funds among the low class negroes and the worst class of foreigners. It is freely conceded that the overwhelming majority of the white American Texans are against a State saloon policy. How long the ignorant and venal element of our population shall dominate this State on the saloon question is a mater to be determined by the Christian people and those who sympathize with us in our opposition to the saloon

The attention of our brethren is called to the fact that we have reclaimed from the curse of the saloon about all the territory that we can under our local option system. We also call attention to the fact that there are abundand evidences that it is the program of the National Liquor Dealers and Brewers Association in conjunction with Texas liquor dealers to bring on local option elections in the 163 dry counties of Texas as fast as they think they have a chance of carrying them.

It is the deliberate judgment of this Conference that prohibitionists need to be constantly on the alert to prevent the success of the foul purposes of the liquor interests to re-establish saloons in the territory from which they have been driven. In order to do this there must be constant educational work both by public discussion and the distribution of truth-telling literature.

We call attention to the fact that the Anti-Saloon League management has announced and already begun a vigorous, thorough-going campaign of education which it means to carry into every county of this State as a preparation for the next campaign. As long as any man can for any price buy license from the State of Texas to sell intoxicating liquors as a beverage, the Christian people of this State do not intend that the war between the churches and the saloons shall come to an end.

We reaffirm our appreciation of the untiring work done in Texas by the Home and State in its opposition to the organized liquor business, and also recognize and endorse the heroic work of Dr. G. C. Rankin through the Texas Christian Advocate in his fight against the greatest foe civilization has ever known, and commend his wise policy in defending the cause of temperance against its enemies, regardless of political standing, official passion or financial prestige.

#### We recommend:

First—That we give the Anti-Saloon League of Texas and its management our earnest endorsement and hearty co-operation, and ask that all of our churches give at least one Sunday in each year to its work, preferably through their representative.

Second—That our pastors and other anti-saloon people send to the State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, 1315 Pretorian Building, Dallas, Texas, for informing literature and distribute it to the best advantage. All literature is sent out free.

Third—That we unite with Christians throughout the United States in condemning Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson for accepting the honorary presidency of the Brewers congress that met in Chicago during October, and we protest against the officials of our government lending their influence to the national liquor interests in any way whatever.

Fourth—That Atticus Webb and J. D. Odom be appointed to temperance work, and that the following brethren be appointed delegates to the National

Conference to be held in Washington, D. C., December 11 to 14. This Conference has special reference to securing legal measures to prevent sending liquor from without the State into dry territory in a state. To-witt: Jerome Duncan, J. T. Bloodworth, Atticus Webb and J. D. Odom.

Fifth—That we send greetings to our comrades of all churches and pledge them unflagging co-operation until the saloons are forever driven from our Empire State.

W. J. MAYHEW, Chairman.

J. T. BLOODWORTH, Secretary.

#### DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We have examined the records of all the District Conferences. The Brownwood, Dublin and Waco records are well kept. Hillsboro and Cisco are neatly arranged, but have no marginal notes. The Fort Worth and Gatesville records have misspelled words and the Gatesville record does not disclose names of lay delegates present. The Corsicana and Weatherford records do not show names of delegates present and there are conflicting dates in Weatherford record. The Waxahachie record has a few ink blots, the Cleburne record erasures, and the Georgetown record has erasures and interlineations.

J. N. VINCENT, Chairman.

H. C. SMITH, Secretary.

#### GENERAL STATE OF THE CHURCH.

We greatly rejoice in the fact that the great head of the Church is still honoring our ministry, both in the matter of saving the lost and edifying the saints.

The Methodist ministry has ever been noted for the fervency of her message and the soundness of her gospel, and the reports of our brethren indicate that our Conference is truly Methodistic.

During the year just closing thousands of souls have been saved at our altars, and have united with our Church. Our net gain is not so large as usual, on account of the great cleaning up of Church registers that has taken place. We commend the brethren for this.

We rejoice that many young men have been called to preach the Gospel; and that many young women have offered for special work. In this connection we desire to call special attention to paragraph 140 of the Discipline of 1910 relating to the duty of the P. C. to preach on the call to preach. Truly if the general state of the Church is as it should be there will be no dearth in our ministerial supply. The church building campaign is still on; and some splendid parsonages have been built and furnished. We note with pleasure the increased interest in Sunday School work; the membership in many of our schools is larger than church enrolment. The new movement known as the "Wesley Adult Bible Class' is meeting with great success. This and the "Men and Religion Movement" are enlisting the men for the church as never before.

While we are thankful for the success of the past, let us exercise greater faith and trust God for still larger results during the coming year.

NEAL W. TURNER, Chairman.

C. A. BICKLEY, Secretary.

#### ORPHANAGE.

We are glad to report that the Orphanage has been comparatively free from sickness during the past year, with the exception of a visitation of measles during the early part of the winter. We believe that the material and moral conditions of the Home are steadily improving.

The Orphanage has in its employ men and women of sterling worth, who are willing to spend and be spent in service for the dependent children left to our care. We are glad that in the providence of God these good men and women are seeing some of the fruits of their labors in the development of good Christian character and in their efforts to train the children for useful employment.

We believe that one of the long-felt wants of the Home has been realized in the location and erection of the Herring Avenue M. E. Church near the Home. The helpful ministration f a local pastor, and the good influence of the pastor's family will be a benedictiont o the children, and the facilities offered by the Sunday School, League and prayer meeting will be of incalculable benefit to them. By this means the children may be more and more enlisted in the service of the Church.

During the year our manager reports a total enrolment of one hundred and seventy-seven. Of these quite a number have become self-sustaining, and for them there have been found suitable homes and employment. A fw have been adopted and some at the instance of relatives and friends have been placed in kind, congenial homes where they are treated as members of the family. The average number in the Home is about one hundred and forty. It is the sense of this committee, and we recommend that the manager avail himself of every opportunity to place children in good Christian homes wherever it is possible. It gives us pleasure to know that many of the children who have gone out from the Home are filling useful and profitable positions.

Realizing our lack of facilities for higher education, and knowing that some of "our" children desire, and are altogether worthy of further study and training for life's work, we urge that some of our local churches, their Sunday Schools, Leagues, or individual members take upon themselves the responsibility of paying the expenses of some of these bright boys and girls in our junior colleges. This would come as asubstantial aid in time of great need to both the child and the Home, and we might say to the Church as well.

It was unanimously agreed that his committee adopt the action of the General Board recommending that each of the patronizing Conferences be allowed one lady representative who shall be chosen by the Woman's Missionary Society of their respective Conferences. These representaives are to meet annually at the Orphanage in Waco, and in consultation with the matron and manager, and with their approval enterprise such work and render such services as will be helpful to the Home, and make such recommendations and suggestions through the manager to the Board of Directors as they think advisable, subject to the final action of the Board. We recommend that the manager request this meeting of the ladies as early as possible after their annual meeting of the incoming Conference year.

We are glad to know that the children of the Home, in a large measure, do the work of the Home. This is as it should be. A double effect comes from this plan. First, the saving to the Home of the expenses of servant's hire. Second, the help that the training will be to the children themselves.

Your committee would earnestly request each Woman's Missionary Society, Sunday School and Epworth League to send in at least one annual voluntary contribution in money to the Orphanage.

We also urge the pastors to take up their Orphanage collections early in the year, so that the manager will not be put to the necessity of borrowing money and paying interest on the same.

We would further urge all pastors who have persons of means in their charges who might be induced to make gifts and bequests to this very deserving institution, to put the manager in communication with all such persons.

We feel gratified to know that the Central Texas Conference has paid a little more than its assessment this year, and we recommend an assessment of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) for the incoming Conference year.

H. L. HUNGER, President.

T. E. BOWMAN, Secretary.

#### SUPERANNUATE HOMES.

There has been no call for an additional home this past year. We paid \$300 on the Tunnell home at Ranger, and have reduced the debt on the Hayden home on Rosen Heights to less than \$200, and have made some needed repairs on the Boaz home on Evans Avenue in Fort Worth,

Of the amount subscribed at Waxahachie Conference last year only a few have paid. Let the brethren see our agent and make settlement. These amounts are needed just now to meet the pressing demands upon us.

We urge the co-operation of the brethren in this work of securing homes for the superannuates. There will be several claimants for homes upon us at this session of the Conference.

In the name of Him who said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye have done itunto me," please rally to this cause and make it possible to house these men of God.

We respectfully request the appointment of Rev. C. E. Brown as agent for superannuate homes.

Respectfully submitted.

J. A. WHITEHURST, President.

# W. B. ANDREWS, Secretary.

# REPORT OF B. H. WOODS, JR., CONFERENCE TELLER.

I have received and turned over to the proper Treasurers the following:
Bishop Fund
Conference Claimants 9,373.75
Foreign Missions 10,005.95
Domestic Missions
Special for Missions. 246.50
Church Extension
Education 5,942.47
Educational Extension 2,005.14
Bible Cause
Delegates Expenses
Endowment
Orphanage1.225.80
Children's Day173 94
Laymen's Movement 19 00
America Sunday League 186 45
Sundry Items 538.95
Total\$50,152.93
Respectfully,

B. H. WOODS, JR.

#### AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, your auditors, have examined the books of your Treasurers, and checked up your Teller, and we find their books correct.

We find that the money turned over to the Sunday School Board by the old Treasurer has not been delivered to the new Treasurer, R. F. Brown. The Chairman of the Board presented a day book and expense account covering the expenditure of \$753.00 from the old Treasurer and \$25.61 collected from the Districts, showing balance due the Treasurer of the Board of \$179.19.

M. A. TURNER. W. J. MAYHEW. K. P. BARTON. WALTER GRIFFITH. S. B. SAWYERS.

# DECLARATION OF THE LAYMEN OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE.

We, the Laymen of the Central Texas Conference, wish to renew our allegiance to the cause which has for its object the evangelization of the world in this generation; and to hereby express our faith in the accomplishment of this great work by the help of God.

We rejoice in the hope that the time is rapidly approaching when every layman shall find a place for work in the church of our choice, and gladly fill that place with earnest labor, and thereby grow into the full stature of Christian manhood.

We regret that more has not been accomplished during year now ending, but are glad to report that the sum of about \$3,000 has been collected on our missionary special, and we do not believe that this has interfered with our regular collections; because wherever a charge has contributed to this fund, it has paid in full all assessments made by the Conference.

After careful consideration we deem it wise to make no pledge for a definite sum for the ensuing year; but hereby pledge that the laymen of the Conference will heartly co-operate with the pastors and presiding elders in the forward movement for missions, as adopted by the Conference Board of Missions and by the Conference itself.

We further commend "A FINANCIAL METHOD FOR METHODISTS" as adopted by the secretaries of the General Boards of Missions, Church Extension, Education and Laymen's Missionary Movement, the essential factors of which are:

- 1. The Preacher in Charge.
- 2. The Church Lay Leader.
- 3. The Missionary Committee.
- 4. The Every-Member Canvass.
- 5. A Weekly Offering.
- 6. The Duplex Envelope.

We urge all our people to adopt the plan.

We recognize as binding upon us the command of God, that we pay to the promotion of His cause on earth the tenth of all He gives us, and we therefore pledge ourselves to use our best efforts to induce our church members to agree to tithe their incomes: being confident that when all our people realize that they owe Him one-tenth of all He gives them, then all assessments will be easily raised, His treasury be full, and He will pour out upon us such Blessings as we shall not be able to contain.

As a help in the work to which we set our hands, we make the following requests:

- 1. That our presiding elders and pastors, with help and assistance of the district leaders, see to it that a leader is elected for each charge at the first quarterly conference of the new year.
  - 2. That this declaration be printed in the Conference Journal.

# W. ERSKINE WILLIAMS,

Conference Leader.

C. F. WEBB,

ED. McCULLOUGH,

A. F. BENTLEY,

W. C. STREETY,

J. L. HALBERT,

J. L. SPIER,

WALTER AMSLER,

J. M. ALDERDICE,

T. F. TEMPLE,

B. H. OXFORD.

E. A. MENIFEE,

JOHN F. GARNER,

District Leaders.

Fort Worth, Texas, November 10, 1911.

# REPORT OF MISSIONARY EVANGELIST, 1910 AND 1911.

		Total, 5 Years.
Meetings	15	
Conversions	628	3770
Addtiions	. 419	
Pledges for Missions	5 043 65	\$ 37.192.15
Conference Collections, not Mission	1.319.30	3 910 30
Church Buildings and others	15.290 00	\$143,690.70
Women's Societies organized	15	59
New Members	530	
Volunteers, Missions and Ministry, Men.	20	132
Volunteers, women	33	153

M. S. HOTCHKISS,

Conference Missionary Secretary and Evangelist.

# Resolutions

In Reference to Removal of J. M. Barcus.

Whereas, Rev. John M. Barcus has served this Conference so faithfully as Secretary for a long series of years and has terminated his connection with us by transfer to another Conference, therefore

Resolved, That we express our gratitude for his long and faithful service, regret to part with im as a member of this body, and assure him of the prayers and sympathies of this Conference in his chosen field of labor.

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C. S. Field.

J. D. HENDRICKSON.

D. L. COLLIE.

In Reference to the Railroads Granting Ministerial Rates to Superannuated Preachers.

We recognize the benefit and courtesy the railroads have extended to us through their General Passenger Agents in giving to all the pastors the one-half rate, as per their Clergyman's permit, but we regret that in the provision our Superannuated and Supernumerary brethren are omitted, and believing that when the attention of the General Passenger Agents is called to this, they will gladly comply with the following resolutions:

First. That the General Passenger Agent of each road in Texas be and are hereby requested to grant the same privilege to the Superannuated and Supernumemary members of all the Conferences in the State.

Second. That Mr. J. G. Crush, General Passenger Agent of the M., K. & T. Railroad, be requested to bring the subject before the next meeting of the General Passenger Agents' Association and present the above resolution for their action.

Third. That the North Texas and Texas Conferences be requested to unite with us in these resolutions and that a copy of the same be sent to each Conference and also to Mr. Crush.

I. Z. T. MORRIS.

#### Conference Treasurer.

Whereas, The funds of the various Conference Boards are sacred and should be jealously guarded, and

Whereas, The handling of these funds entails a heavy burden upon a pastor, therefore be it resolved:

First. That the Executive Committee of the Conference Boards of the Central Texas Conference be and are hereby requested to select, in joint session, and nominate upon the Conference floor, a layman, preferably a Banker, who shall be designated as Conference Treasurer, to whom shall be sent all the funds of the different Boards collected during the interim of the Conference.

Second. That said Boards shall require of said Treasurer a suitable bond in compliance with the laws of the Church and in keeping with safe business methods.

C. N. MORTON.
E. V. COX.
A. E. TURNEY.
W. J. MAYHEW.
U. J. MORTON.
CHAS. E. BROWN.
ED. R. WALLACE.

#### Faculty of Our Schools.

Whereas, we are desirous of seeing our Southern Methodist University prosper from the very beginning, receiving the undivided support of all Texas Methodism, and

Whereas, We feel that such prosperity and support can only follow the closest, truest and most loyal relation between the University and the Church therefore be it

Resolved, That we most respectfully pray the Educational Commission, appointed by the Texas Annual Conferences, the President of the Southern Methodist University and all others, who may exercise influence or authority in the selection of a faculty for that institution, that they use due diligence and prayerful effort in securing for those positions, in so far as it is possible, men and women who are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Resolved, further, That we urge the Educational Commission, the President of the Southern Methodist University and all others who shall have to do with the selection of the faculty of the Theological Department of the University, that they remember the importance, at this time, of selecting professors for that department who are both safe and sane in their holdings and teachings concerning the claims of so-called "higher criticism," believing the contentions of the critics to be dangerous to our spiritual progress and harmful in its influence upon the minds of our young preachers.

R. P. SHULER,
ASHLEY CHAPPELL.
W. S. P. McCULLOUGH.
EUGENE B. HAWK.
J. W. DOWNS.
H. D. KNICKERBOCKER.
JOHN R. NELSON.
S. J. VAUGHAN.

#### Resolution of Thanks.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to the people of Fort Worth and especially those of Polytechnic College, our heartiest thanks for their cordial and abundant hospitality and pray God to bless them always and in all ways.

- 2. We assure them of our sympathy and support in their fight for civic righteousness.
- 3. We thank the churches of the city for their brotherly kindness in the use of their churches.
  - 4. We thank the railroads and newspaper for courtesies extended.

W. L. NELMS.

E. P. WILLIAMS.

Thanks.

Whereas, The Dallas News has again given us the services of their compatent reporter, Major Le Sesne, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Conference extend their thanks to the News for the same.

C. E. LINDSEY.
JAS. CAMPBELL.
J. HALL BOWMAN.

Resolutions Concerning a Memorial to the General Conference in Reference to the Superannuate Fund.

Whereas, The present plan in the Discipline for the support of our Superannuated preachers seems to fail to bring in an adequate amount of money for the support of these brethren, and

Whereas, The present law of confining the reception and disbursement of the funds to the Conference Boards is unequal, and

Whereas, The transfer system of the Church often on the account of the health and otherwise makes it hard upon the smaller Conferences, and

Whereas, We believe that a better plan can be devised and submitted to the Church by action of the General Conference, we therefore request that Dr. James Campbell, Dr. W. L. Nelms, Dr. Jerome Duncan, John R. Morris, F. P. Culver, H. A. Boaz, W. H. Howard and H. D. Knickerbocker be and are hereby appointed a committee to take the matter under consideration and that they are requested to meet in Georgetown during the Summer Normal at such place and time as Dr. Campbell shall designate and prepare a suitable memorial for a change in our present law, first, so as to make the Conference funds a Connectional fund, on the same basis and plan as the Board of Education, Missions, Church Extension and other Connectional funds, and also to prepare a memorial providing for the organization of a Board to be called the Superannuate Fund Board, making all the money collected throughout the Church payable to one General Treasurer, namely, the Book Agents at Nashville or at Dallas, Texas.

I. Z. T. MORRIS.

Membership, Baptisms and Church Property BROWNWOOD DISTRICT

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Loss Collected.										
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Churches Damaged or Destroyed.										
Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	60 100 100 1340	308	189	189 85	82	200	4879		150	4 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6
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Adults Baptized.		i		4 66 72			171			
Present Total Membership.	379 431 319 220 220 716						6274	1		267 315 288
Removals by Death and Otherwise.	109 222 222 538		:	1820			1079	İ	122	127
Additional by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	001 004 004 004 004						688		17	36
Additions on Pro- fession of Faith.	2004-	1225 1245				<b>.</b>	372		727	<u> </u>
Members Reported Last Year.	405 417 207 388 711		·	383			25 6035			300
Local Preachers.	1 62 60	н 6	i Hi to			2	25		69	63
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# Membership, Baptisms and Church Property

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Insurance Carried,	1500 2000 18500 10000 500 2000 2000	52500
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Churches Damaged or Destroyed,		
Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	105 125 2800 2700 2597 310 116 657 522 522 1540	9832
Value of Other Church Property.	25000 3500 868 868 500	29868
Indebtedness on Parsonages.	300 300 600 200 240 550	1890
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Value of Houses of Worship.	6600 2000 3500 12000 12000 12000 12000 1000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 10000 1000	162110 DUI
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infants Baptized.	75 4877 88 80 H 52 L 87 C F 4 K	98
Adults Baptized.	22 1 2 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	269
Present Total Membership.	2382 2382 2382 2382 2182 2182 2182 2182	490   6434
Removals by Death	22 23 23 24 24 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25	490
Additions by Certifi- sate and Otherwise.		537
Additions on Pro-		470
Members Reported		16 5919
local Preachers.	1 11 12 29 62	16
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Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Total, Table 1.	230	230 64	154 6	100 1900	112 22	20	200	510 95	140 140	4010
Loss Collected.										
Premium Paid.	30	10	54		222		200	0.0	9	428
Insurance Carried.	3000	4000 600	3500		700	7500	10000	1650	1500	45500
Amount to InnomA										
Churches Damaged or Destroyed.										
Expended for Churches and Parsonages,	200	180		100	001		70	500	131	5 3591
Value of Other Church Property.		<u> </u>	3500	400	F		2009	640		77 67265
Indebtedness on Parsonages.	1000	7.2				500	1750		50	3377
Value of Parson- ages.	2500	1000	2500 2500 4	3000	1200	750	2000 2000 2000 2000	8008	1750	30950
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Removals by Death and Otherwise. Present Total	37	2008							_ •	80016
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Last Year. Additions on Pro-	45	340 344 201 3							397	က
Local Preachers. Members Reported		6064	; <del></del>		700	- I I	96-		H	2816
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# Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

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Churches Damaged or Destroyed.			
Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	18100 500 500 8044 1400 4100 1250 274 99 147 147 147 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86 86	34909	155 1323 555 100 258 240 408 408
Value of Other Church Property.	1000 105000 105000 900 600	8126 107650	875 2500 1246 1200
Indebtedness on Parsonages.			
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No. of Houses of Worship.		35	
No. of Societies in		43	
infants Baptized.	1 ;	H	470805-17-04
Adults Baptized.		اصا	8 24 28 38 48 28 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8
Present Total Membership.	000404440000000040		004457000000000000000000000000000000000
Removals by Death		1-1	3112888893
Additions by Certifi- sate and Otherwise.	170 105 105 105 105 105 105 111 1145 125 125 125 125 125 125 125 125 125 12	156	847788468
Additions on Pro- fession of Faith.	110 30 100 100 110 113 113 113 113 113 1	643	20 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Members Reported Last Year.	611 585 585 585 585 585 585 585 5	5555	8471 7471 7471 8471 869 869 876
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Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

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