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- 1. The District Steward, the Recording Steward and the Lay Leaders 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 resolutions 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 Boards 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 pastors during the interim between the sessions of the Conference, to 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.
- 9. There shall be a Board of Adjustment whose duty it shall be to ascertain the aggregate amount of all assessments and collections sought, and if need be to correct this amount and by this final amount to suggest, if necessary, an alteration to any Board or Committee in the appropriation sought by the same.

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Carter, J. C., Carlton.
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Cartery, J. T., Corpus Christi.
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Clark, L. A., Lodian Creek,
Clark, W. A. Sipe Springs,
Collie, D. I., Fort Worth,
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Clark, W. A. Sipe Springs,
Collie, D. I., Fort Worth,
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Clark, W. A. Sipe Springs,
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Morton, O. A., Carlton.

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Neill, W. A., Winchell.

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Thompson, Sam G., Dublin.
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Williams, E. P., Mexia
Williams, C. E., Strawn.
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Williams, E. P., Mexidian.
Wison, W. B., Meridian.
Wison, W. B., Scranton.

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Elmer Crabtree, Peoria.
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T. S. Thompson, L. P., Brownwood.
J. L. Young, Brownwood.
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John W. Boatman, L. D., Cisco.
A. F. Bowden, L. E., Rising Star.
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J. M. Lane, L. E., Cisco.
A. B. Lee, L. P., Rising Star.
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R. L. Ryburn, L. P., Purdon,
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T. W. Taylor, L. E., Mexia.
E. O. Williams, L. E., Corsicana.
M. D. Williford, L. D., Barry.

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Clyde Goodman, L. P., Polytechnic.
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17	Cleburne	November 1, 1882	Bishop Ravanaugh Bishop Parker	F. P. Ray
18	Georgetown	October 31, 1883	Bishop Parker	
19	Waco	November 6, 1884	Bishop McTyeire	
20	Corsicana	November 11 1885	Bishop McTyeire	
21	Lampasas	November 24 1886	Bishop Keener	
22	Fort Worth	November 9, 1887	Bishop Wilson	
23	Weatherford	November 14 1888	Bishop Hendrix	
24 J	Belton	November 6, 1889	Bishop Key	G. W. Swofford F. P. Ray
25	Abuene	November 13, 1890 i	Bishop Key	
26	Corsicana	November 25, 1891	Bishop Fitzgerald	J. M. Barcus
27	Waco	November 23, 1892	Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
28	Fort Worth	November 15, 1893	Bishop Wilson	J. M. Barcus
29	Hillsboro	November 22, 1894	Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
30	Temple	November 14, 1895	Bishop Duncan	J. M. Barcus
31	Waxahachie	November 18, 1896	Bishop Keener	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
32	Weatherford	November 17, 1897	Bishop Granberry	J. M. Barcus
33	Brownwood	November 16, 1898	Bishop Galloway	J. M. Barcus
34	Cleburne	November 15, 1899	Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus
35	Georgetown	November 14, 1900	Bishop Candler	J. M. Barcus
36	Corsicana	November 13, 1901	Bishop Wilson	J. M. Barcus
37	Temple	November 12, 1902	Bishop Hendrix	J. M. Barcus
38	Fort Worth	November 11, 1903	Bishop Duncan	J. M. Barcus
39	Mineral Wells.	November 16, 1904	Bishop Hoss	J. M. Barcus
40	Hillsboro	November 15, 1905	Bishop Hoss	J. M. Barcus
41	Brownwood	November 14, 1906	Bishop Hoss	J. M. Barcus
42	Amariilo	November 6, 1907	Bishop Candler	J. M. Bareus
43	waco	November 11, 1908	Bishop Key	J. M. Barcus
44	Stamford	November 10, 1909	Bishop Key	J. M. Barcus
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48	Temple	November 5, 1913	Bishop Atkins	J. R. Morris
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CONFERENCE JOURNAL.

FIRST DAY.

The Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its fourth annual session in the First Church, Temple, Texas, at 9 o'clock, a. m., Wednesday, November 5th, 1913, Bishop James Adkins in the chair.

Conference was called to order and the opening worship was as follows:

Hymn No. 14, "To Thee, Eternal Soul, Be Praise," was sung. Prayer was offered by the Bishop; Mat. 5:13-20 was read.

John R. Morris, Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and 209 clerical and 15 lay members answered to their names. (See roll).

The following alternates were seated: J. L. Speer, vice R. W. Bruce, Brownwood District. James Irby, vice G. W. Cunningham, Cisco District. J. O. A. Clark, vice M. J. Snow, Dublin District. G. L. Clark, vice J. D. Cooper, Fort Worth District.

On motion of Horace Bishop the further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

On motion of Jno. R. Nelson, Jno. R. Morris was elected Secretary, and on his nomination the following assistants were elected: S. J. Rucker, L. G. White, J. B. Berry, Neil W. Turner, E. L. Lloyd, the last three to act as statistical secretaries.

On motion of E. A. Smith, the hours of meeting and adjournment were fixed at 9 a. m. and 12 m., respectively.

On motion of I. Z. T. Morris, it was ordered that Jno. M. Barcus and M. S. Hotchkiss conduct devotional services for thirty minutes before each session of the Conference and before the afternoon and evening exercises.

Various communications and papers were referred without reading to appropriate boards and committees.

Bishop Atkins announced that the class for admission into full connection would be received at 10 a.m., Friday, and on motion of G. F. Campbell, it was ordered that the election of delegates to the General Conference be made the order of the day immediately following said service.

Alonzo Monk, Jr., read certain resolutions signed by himself and others relative to the appointment of a Board of Adjustment of Assessments (see Resolutions). See Standing Committees for names as announced later.

Resolutions anent the Vanderbilt controversy were read by W. B. Andrews, and they were unanimously adopted by a rising vote. (See Resolutions.)

On motion of James Campbell, a consideration of a memorial to the General Conference concerning support of superannuates was made the order of the day for 11 a. m., Thursday.

J. A. Whitehurst read the nominations of Standing Committees by Presiding Elders and they were adopted. (See Standing

On motion of T. S. Armstrong, J. A. Whitehurst was appointed to fill the vacancy on the Joint Board of Publication caused by the death of Jerome Duncan.

J. N. Vincent was appointed to fill vacancy in Committee on Examination for class of the first year.

Question 6.-Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? This question was renewed several times until in all ten transfers were announced, as follows:

John C. Granbery, from the Western Virginia Conference.

- T. S. Barcus, A. C. Smith and J. D. Young, from the Northwest Texas Conference.
 - J. W. W. Shuler, from the Holston Conference.

R. L. Reese, from the Florida Conference.

- Seba Kirkpatrick, from the New Mexico Conference. J. A. Dozier and J. V. Blair, from the East Oklahoma Con-
- R. B. McSwain, from the West Texas Conference.

Question 22.—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" This question was asked and renewed from day to day until the name of every preacher, including preachers on trial and supplies, had been called, his report made and his character passed.

J. W. Dickinson and E. J. Maxwell were referred to Committee for the Supernumerary Relation.

The following passed the committee and were advanced to the class of the second year, answering Question 2, "Who remain on trial?" Elisha W. Bridges, Murand Council, Jesse M. Fryar, Samuel P. Gilmore, Horace C. Gordon, J. G. Thomas, Milam J. Vaughan, Angus E. Watford.

The following passed the committee and were elected deacons and advanced to the class of the third year: Brinkley Harmon Oxford and Charles Valentine Williams.

Lemonier L. Felder and Oscar A. Morton being already in orders were advanced to the class of the third year.

Question 9.-"Who are the deacons of one year?" The following having passed the Committee were advanced to the class of the fourth year: Hugh B. Landrum, Ruby Otis Sory.

The following were not before the Committee, and remain in the class of the third year: Willie C. House, Roy A. Langston, Jno. D. Smoot.

Question 14.—"What traveling preachers are elected elders?" The following having been before the Committee were elected elders: Tolbert Marion Dalton, Eugene Blake Hawk, Jno. Wesley Hawkins, William Arlie Neill, William Thomas Singley.

The following not having been before the Committee remain in the class of the fourth year: Henry C. Bowman, Henry Francis.

Murand Council having been a local preacher for three years and one year on trial was elected a deacon.

Custis Fletcher, Rector of the Episcopal Church; J. M. Dawson, Pastor of First Baptist Church; Carroll Smith, Pastor of Memorial Baptist Church; E. S. Bledsoe, Pastor of the Christian Church; A. F. Cunningham, Pastor of the Southern Presbyterian Church; Dr. Jno. M. Moore, Home Secretary Board of Missions; Dr. John C. Granbery, of Southwestern University, were introduced to the Conference.

Various announcements were made, the doxology was sung, and the benediction was pronounced by I. Z. T. Morris.

SECOND DAY.

Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock a. m., Bishop Atkins in the chair.

S. H. C. Burgin of San Antonio, led the devotional services, Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

A number of lay delegates were announced as being present. (See Roll.)

The Secretary read resolutions from Sherman Circuit, Sherman District, North Texas Conference, requesting the restoring by the Conference of the credentials of Rev. W. M. Shelton. Rev. R. G. Mood, presiding elder of the Sherman District, addressed the Conference relative to this request, and on motion of Horace Bishop the credentials were restored.

Jno. A. Rice read resolutions providing for a Social Service Commission to co-operate with similar commissions from other Conferences in the State, and on motion of H. Bishop they vere adopted. (See Resolutions.)

(NOTE.—At a later day the presiding elders nominated and the Conference elected Drs. John A. Rice and John C. Granbery members of the above mentioned Commission.—Editor.)

Rev. J. D. Scott of San Antonio, addressed the Conference in an appeal that this Conference co-operate with the West Texas Conference in the maintenance and support of the San Antonio Rescue Home. On motion of H. Bishop, John C. Granbery, John A. Rice and C. R. Wright were named as a special committee to consider the entire matter.

Question 22 was resumed, "Are all the preachers blameless and their life and official administration?" (See answer to this question on the first day.)

The name of Jerome Duncan was referred to the Committee on Memoirs:

The names of the following were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation: A. D. Livingston, Geo. W. Owens, J. R. B. Hall, T. W. Ellis.

The names of the following were referred to the same Committee for the superannuate relation: R. B. Young, W. H. Crawford, J. M. McCarter.

When the name of I. Z. T. Morris was called he was referred by a standing vote to the Committee for the superannuate relation.

- ${\bf J}.$ F. Isbell passed the Committee and was advanced to the class of the fourth year.
- $W.\ B.\ Vaughan,$ not having been before the Committee, remains in the class of the third year.
- H. A. Boaz reported his work, and Bishop Atkins and John A. Rice spoke concerning the work of the Educational Commission. Resolutions expressing appreciation of Bishop Atkins' work in the interest of the Commission were passed by a standing vote. (See Resolutions.)
- W. W. Moss announced that C. D. Spann had withdrawn from the membership and ministry of the church, and a certificate of his withdrawal was deposited with the Conference, his credentials being lost.

The order of the day having arrived, James Campbell moved the adoption of the report of the Committee on Support of Conference Claimants and it was adopted, as printed in Journal of 1912

C. M. Bishop, President of Southwestern University, was introduced and addressed the Conference on the institution under his care.

The Bishop called S. J. Vaughan, presiding elder of the Gatesville District, to the bar of the Conference and in the name of the preachers and laymen of the District presented him with a gold watch for his wife, and announced that a typewriter for himself had been shipped to his home.

- R. A. Burroughs, Manager of the Orphans' Home at Waco, was introduced and addressed the Conference concerning the institution.
- Jno. M. Moore, Home Secretary of the Board of Missions, addressed the Conference in regard to his work.

The doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by $J.\ P.\ Mussett.$

THIRD DAY-MORNING SESSION.

Conference met at 9 a.m., Bishop Atkins in the chair. Religious services were conducted by M. S. Hotchkiss.

Minutes of the previous session were read, corrected and approved.

Question 22 resumed.—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" (See answer to this question the first day.)

The names of John F. Neal, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb and R. J. Tooley were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation, and the name of C. G. Shutt for the superannuate relation.

Question 2.—"Who remain on trial?" The following passed the Committee and are advanced to the class of the second year: W. G. Bailey, Claud F. Bell.

Marcus M. Chunn, Joseph N. Hester, Early S. Cook and Joseph Bartok, not being before the Committee, remain in the class of the first year.

Question 10.—"What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" The following having passed the Committee, they were elected deacons and passed to the class of the third year: Jas. Marvin Bond, Chas. Benj. Diltz, Frederick Oldham Waddill. Joseph E. Matlock, a deacon already, was advanced to the class of the third year.

R. T. Capps and Lloyd E. Hill remain on trial in the class of the second year.

Question 9.—"Who are the deacons of one year?" Preston Broxton, having passed the Committee, was advanced to the class of the fourth year.

The following remain in the class of the third year: H. W. Gillette, Jas. R. Kidwell, J. A. Siceloff.

Question 14.—"What traveling preachers are elected elders?" The following having passed the Committee, were elected elders: John Franklin Adams, Wesley Marvin Bowden, Walter Thomas Kinslow, George Floyd Kornegay, J. O. Leath, Orlander Bertrand Turner.

Chas. H. Little and Frank A. Ray were not before the Committee and remain in the class of the fourth year.

Question 4.—"Who are received in full connection?" The following having complied with disciplinary regulations, were called to the bar of the Conference, addressed by the Bishop and received into full connection by unanimous vote.

- J. M. Bond, Jr., C. B. Diltz, L. L. Felder, J. E. Matlock, O. A. Morton, B. H. Oxford, F. O. Waddill, C. V. Williams.
- C. C. McBrayer, lay alternate from Weatherford District, was seated in place of W. R. Sikes.

The order of the day having arrived, the Bishop announced that the Conference was entitled to six delegates to the General Conference, clerical and lay each.

R. F. Brown and L. G. White were appointed tellers for the clerical and Alonzo Monk, Jr., and E. P. Williams for the lay delegates. The first ballot was taken and on motion of Horace Bishop, the tellers were allowed to retire and count the ballot.

The list of superannuates was called, their characters were passed and they were referred for the same relation, Samuel Morriss, W. F. Graves, E. M. Sweet, A. Long, C. Rowland, W. V. Jones, R. W. Wellborn, W. J. Lemons, 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, 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, L. G. Rogers, D. C. Stark, S. W. Turner, V. J. Millis, J. W. Montgomery, M. H. Major, C. L. Browning.

During call of this question, the result of the first ballot on lay delegates was announced as follows: Thirty-five ballots were cast, 18 being necessary for a choice. W. E. Williams receiving 25; Jno. H. Garner, 22, and F. F. Downs, 20, they were declared elected.

A second ballot for lay delegates was taken and there was no election.

A third ballot was taken.

Jno. C. Granbery read the report of Committee appointed to consider the request of J. D. Scott to co-operate with the West Texas Conference in supporting the San Antonio Rescue Home. On motion of H. Bishop, the report was adopted and Dr. Granbery was requested to send greetings to the Purity Conference at Minneapolis as provided for in the report. (See Report).

On motion of W. L. Nelms, it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet at 3:30 p. m.

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

Answer: John G. Thomas, from the Brownwood District; Zebedee Fallin, John Belton Isbell, Walter W. Ward, from the Fort Worth District; Claud L. Satterfield, from the Waxahachie District; Olin W. Nail and Geo. E. Ryan, from the Georgetown District; Christopher Columbus McBrayer and Wm. Ray Witherspoon, from the Weatherford District.

Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned, with the benediction by Bishop Atkins.

THIRD DAY-AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Conference met pursuant to adjournment at 3:30 p.m. Bishop Atkins in the chair. Religious service was onducted by H. Bishop.

Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The first ballot for clearical delegates was announced as follows: Two hundred and sixteen ballots were cast, 109 being necessary to a choice. Frank P. Culver received 191 and W. B. Andrews 117, and they were declared elected. A second ballot was taken. The result of the third ballot for lay delegates was read as follows: Thirty-five ballots were cast, eighteen being necessary to a choice. Ocie Speer received twenty-three and was declared elected.

A fourth ballot was ordered, and the result was announced as follows: Thirty-two ballots were cast, seventeen being necessary to a choice. W. J. Barcus received twenty-nine and was declared elected.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial? was called. Archie W. Gordon, from the Brownwood District; C. Ozier Hightower, Allen D. Cosgrove, William G. Gwaltney, Thomas D. Ellis, Willoughby T. Boulware, from the Cleburne District; Robert H. Boyd, J. Fred Patterson, Jefferson Davis Ramsey, from the Cisco District; T. H. Burton, from the Corsicana District; William E. Hawkins, Jr., Elmer Crabtree, Zebedee Fallin and Thomas L. Sorrells, from the Fort Worth District; Paschal W. Layne, James C. Mayhew and Guy H. Wilson, from the Gatesville District; T. J. Story, George G. Mitchell and Horace Poteet, from the Georgetown District; Claude Tuttle Brockett and B. Y. Dickinson, from the Hillsboro District, and Jonathan M. Hays, from the Waxahachie District.

Question 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Question 5. Who are readmitted? None.

The result of the fifth lay ballot was announced as follows: Thirty-one were cast, sixteen being necessary to a choice. J. M. Robertson received twenty-six and was declared elected.

Ballot for two lay alternates was ordered and resulted in the election of W. C. Streety. A second ballot was taken and Rev. C. V. Bailey was elected.

The second ballot for clerical delegates resulted as follows: Two hundred and twelve ballots were cast, 107 being necessary to a choice. J. A. Whitehurst received 130 and was declared elected. A third ballot was taken for clericals.

Question 7. Who are received from other churches as local preachers? J. L. Havens being recommended by the Cisco District Conference and giving satisfactory evidence of his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, was recognized as a local elder from the Methodist Protestant Church.

Question 8. Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers? Answer: None.

Question 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

The report of Committee on Conference Relations was read by J. W. Head answering— $\,$

Question 19. Who are supernumerary? and

Question 20. Who are superannuated? (See condensed minutes.)

It was moved to grant the supernumerary relation to J. W. Dickinson, who had been refused this relation by the committee, and the motion lost by a vote of 92 to 73, a three-fourths majority being necessary.

He was then referred to the same committee for the superannuate relation.

Question 47. Who is elected Conference leader? was called. Answer: $W.\ E.\ Williams.$

A memorial from the Cleburne District Conference to this Conference to memorialize the General Conference to change the basis of representation in the District Conference for laymen, was read by the Secretary, and on motion of Horace Bishop, it was adopted. (See Resolution.)

The result of the third ballot, clerical delegates was announced as follows: 192 votes were cast, 97 being necessary to a choice. John A. Rice received 124 and was declared elected.

A fourth ballot was taken. On motion of E. Hightower, the Secretary and Tellers were instructed to take the ballot and count it and report at tomorrow morning's session.

The conference adjourned with the benediction by ${\bf J}.$ W. Patison.

FOURTH DAY-MORNING SESSION.

Conference met at 9 a.m., Bishop Atkins in the chair. Devotional service was conducted by W. D. Bradfield of Austin, Texas.

Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

The result of the fourth ballot for clerical delegates was announced and there was no election. The fifth ballot was then taken.

Question 7.—"What local preachers are received from other churches?" was resumed.

James Daniel Kursell, an elder from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, having been recommended by the Weatherford District Conference and certifying his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline was recognized as a local elder.

- J. F. Clark read report of Committee on Sabbath Observance. R. C. Armstrong and Bishop Atkins spoke to the report and on motion of A. D. Porter, it was adopted. (See report).
- H. A. Boaz appealed to the Conference in behalf of R. B. McSwain, a former member of this Conference and lately transferred back to this Conference for whom a collection was taken amounting to about \$650.00.

The result of the fifth ballot was announced. 200 Ballots were tast, 101 being necessary to a choice. H. D. Knickerbocker received 146; T. S. Armstrong received 112 and they were declared elected, thus completing the delegation.

Ballot was spread for two alternates.

Question 48.—"Where shall the next session of the Conferference be held?" was called.

Jno. R. Morris put Hillsboro in nomination and it was unanimously selected.

W. T. Ellis, a Sunday School worker was introduced and spoke pleasantly to the conference.

The report of Committee on Books and Periodicals, was read by Franklin Moore.

Dr. G. C. Rankin spoke to the report and on motion of A. D. Porter, it was adopted. (See Report).

The Teller's Report was read by S. J. Rucker and it was filed for record. (See Report).

Alonzo Monk, Jr., read Report of Committee on Adjustment and on motion of W. B. Andrews, it was adopted. (See Report).

- A. D. Porter read the report of the Sunday School Board. E. Hightower spoke to the report and on motion of Jno. R. Nelson it was adopted. (See Report).
- A. E. Turney was granted a location at his own request, thus answering question 18: "Who are located?"
- C. W. Macune read the Report No. 1 of the Board of Church Extension.
- R. P. Shuler, Bishop Atkins and W. D. Bradfield spoke to the report and on motion of C. W. Macune, it was adopted. (See Report.)

The result of the first ballot for clerical alternates was announced as follows: 171 Ballots were cast, 86 being necessary to a choice; Jno. R. Nelson having received 90 votes was declared elected.

The second ballot was ordered.

Atticus Webb read the report of the Committee on Temperance. Atticus Webb and Bishop Atkins spoke to the report and it was adopted. (See Report).

Bishop Atkins called H. W. Knickerbocker to the bar of the conference and in behalf of the preachers of the Fort Worth District, presented him with a traveling grip in appreciation of his services for three months on the District.

H. A. Boaz read a paper, numerously signed, endorsing the administration of Bishop Atkins for the past quadrennium, which was unanimously adopted. (See Resolution).

The result of the second ballot for clericals was announced: 156 votes cast; necessary to choice, 79. H. A. Boaz received 88 and was declared elected.

Dr. J. D. Hammond, President of Paine College, Augusta, Ga., addressed the conference in the interest of this institution.

On motion of J. W. Patison, it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet at 3:30 p. m.

Committee made its report announcing services at the various city churches for tomorrow.

Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Hammond.

FOURTH DAY-AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment at 3:30 p.m., Bishop Atkins in the chair.

Devotional service was conducted by J. W. W. Shuler.

Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Rev. H. A. Boaz was requested to send a "night letter" to Rev. R. B. McSwain, conveying brotherly greetings.

A collection was taken for B. S. Crow, Conference Postmaster amounting to \$20.28.

The action of the General Conference regarding the change of the name of the Church, which was handed down to the Annual Conferences for their approval or rejection, was called up and the vote taken, resulting in the rejection of the name proposed by a vote of 37 to 156.

J. W. Fort moved to instruct our delegates to the General Conference to vote to change the name of the Church to "The Methodist Church." A. D. Porter offered an amendment to join the West Texas Conference in their memorial to General Conference to change the name to "The Episcopal Methodist Church." J. W. Fort accepted the amendment. J. M. Barcus, W. B. Andrews and J. P. Mussett spoke to the amendment and the motion as amended was adopted by a vote of 100 to 82.

On motion of W. L. Nelms, it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet in Memorial Session on Sunday at 3 p. m.

The Auditor's Report was read and filed for record. (See Report).

- J. M. Robertson read the report of the Joint Board of Finance and on his motion it was adopted. (See Report).
- J. Haralson read a paper expressive of our appreciation of Major S. M. Lesisne's reports of the proceedings of our Conference for the Dallas News, with a request that he be sent by his paper to the seat of the next General Conference to report its proceedings. (See Resolutions).

Report No. 2 or the Board of Church Extension was read by C. W. Macune and it was adopted. (See Report).

- J. N. Vincent read Report of Committee on the State of the Church and it was adopted. (See Report).
- M. M. Smith read the report of the Committee on Orphanage and it was adopted. (See Report).

On motion of Jno. M. Barcus it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet in next business session at 8:30 Monday morning instead of 9 o'clock.

- J. W. Head read Report No. 2 of Committee on Conference Relations recommending J. W. Dickinson for the relation of supernumerary and it was adopted.
- W. T. Jones read the report of the Epworth League Board and it was adopted. (See Report).

The report of the American Bible Society Board was read by C. G. Shutt and it was adopted. (See Report).

- R. F. Brown read the Report of the Committee on District Conference Records and on motion it was ordered to record. (See Report).
- R. F. Brown read the Treasurer's Report of the Sunday School Board and it was adopted. (See Report).

On motion of John M. Barcus, the Conference stood adjourned, the benediction being pronounced by J. W. Fort.

MEMORIAL SESSION.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment in memorial session at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, M. S. Hotchkiss, presiding.

Devotional services was conducted by Jno. M. Barcus.

Question 21: "What preachers have died during the year?"

The memoir of Jerome Duncan was read by S. J. Rucker.

The memoir of Chas. E. Brown was read by E. F. Boone.

W. T. Singley read memoir of Mrs. Mary Reeves, widow of the late I. N. Reeves, a deceased member of this Conference.

Verbal tributes were paid to the memory of these by E. F. Boone, Jas. Campbell, R. C. Armstrong, W. T. Singley, H. Bishop, J. A. Whitehurst, E. R. Wallace, W. B. Andrews and W. G. Bailey.

The Secretary was instructed to send expressions of condolence to the family of Rev. J. H. Chambers who fell at his post during the year and who was associated with the body before the division of the Conference.

The report of the Committee was adopted, and without formality the Conference adjourned for the service immediately following.

SIXTH DAY.

The Conference was called to order at 8:30 a.m. Bishop Atkins in the chair. Religious services were conducted by W. E. Boggs.

The Minutes of the afternoon session of the fourth day and of the memorial session of the fifth day, were read and approved.

The statistical questions were asked and answers read by the Secretary, thus answering Questions 23-46.

- W. B. Andrews read the report of the Trustees of Superannuate Homes. W. B. Andrews and D. L. Collie spoke to the report and on motion of C. E. Lindsey, it was adopted.
- W. L. Nelms, in behalf of the members of the Conference, presented S. M. Lesesne with a traveling bag as an appreciation of his accurate and full report of the proceedings of the Conference.
- H. D. Knickerbocker presented A. F. Bentley with a gold medal in appreciation of his service and liberal contributions in behalf of Southern Methodist University.
- J. F. Clark read resolutions relative to the relation of this country with Mexico and after slight verbal changes and amendment, they were adopted on motion of C. E. Lindsey.

The Conference ordered that a committee of three to be named by J. B. Berry to revise our statistics where mistakes may be found.

- Dr. J. D. Hammond addressed the Conference concerning our work in behalf of the Negro.
- M. S. Hotchkiss read Report No. 2 of the Board of Missions and on motion of J. M. Barcus, it was adopted. (See Report).
- W. L. Nelms read the report of the Board of Education and S. J. Rucker read the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Education and the two reports were adopted. (See Reports).

Bishop Atkins addressed the Conference concerning our educational work in Texas.

- J. A. Rice read resolutions urging unity in educational matters and appreciation of remarks of Bishop Atkins. The resolutions were adopted. (See Resolutions).
- John R. Nelson read resolutions of thanks to B. H. Woods, Jr., for his long and valuable services as Conference Teller. (See Resolutions).

H. Bishop moved that letters of sympathy and condolence be sent to Mrs. C. E. Brown and Mrs. W. F. Lloyd in the sorrow and distress through which they are passing.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted by a rising vote. (See Resolutions).

M. M. Smith read supplemental report on the Orphans' Home and it was adopted. (See Reports).

Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Bishop Atkins called Question 49, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" and answered by reading the following appointments:

Appointments.

NOTE—Figures in parentheses refer to number of years in a charge. "Cl" means class. Supplies in black type.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

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Presiding Elder—J. H. Stewart	(3)
1—Ballinger, W. H. Doss	(2)
2—Bangs, W. B. Vaughn, cl. III	(1)
3—Blanket, W. T. Jones	(3)
4—Bronte, T. L. Sorrels, cl. I	(1)
5—Brownwood, K. P. Barton	(1)
6—Brownwood Mission, H. A. Nichols	(2)
7—Coleman, S. J. Rucker	(1)
8—Coleman Mission, T. D. Ellis, cl. I	(1)
9—Novice, C. T. Brockett, cl. I.	(1)
10—Gouldbilsk, A. D. Cosgrove el I	(1)
11—Indian Creek, L. A. Clark	(2)
12—Norton, J. G. Thomas et II	(9)
13-Robert Lee, Archie W. Gordon, cl. I.	(1)
14—Santa Anna, J. B. Curry	(2)
15—Talna, H. C. Bowman el IV	(1)
16—Winchell, W. A. Neill	(1)
17—Wingate, J. L. Speer	(2)
18—Winters, J. M. Neal	(3)
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Student in Vanderbilt University, Roy A. Langsto	n III
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CISCO DISTRICT.	
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Presiding Elder—C. E. Lindsey	(4)
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CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—W. W. Moss	(2)
1—Alvarado, J. G. Pollard	(2)
2—Barnesville, T. M. Dalton	(1)
3—Burleson, J. A. Dozier	(1)
4—Cleburne, Main street, W. H. Matthews	(4)
5—Cleburne, Anglin Street, C. A. Bickley	(1)
5—Cleburne, Anglin Street, C. A. Bickley	(1)
6—Cleburne, Brazos Avenue, E. F. Hudgens	(1)
7—Cresson, A. E. Watford, cl. II.	(3)
E. J. Maxwell, Supernumerary.	
8—Godley, B. H. Oxford, cl. III	(2)
8—Godley, B. H. Oxioru, cl. III	(2)
9—Grandview Station, W. J. Hearon	(1)
10—Grandview Circuit, A. C. Smith	(1)
11—Glenrose Station, W. M. Bowden	(1)
12—Glenrose Mission, W. G. Gwalthey, Cl. L	(1)
13—Granbury Station, C. N. Morton	(1)
14—Granbury Mission, H. C. Gordon, cl. II	(1)
15—Joshua, L. A. Reavis	(2)
16—Lillian Z Fallin cl. I	(1)
17-Morgan I W W Shuler	(1)
18—Venus T. E. Bowman	(4)
19—Walnut Springs, S. P. Neville	(2)
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. CORSICANA DISTRICT.	
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Presiding Elder—E. A. Smith	(1)
1—Barry and Emhouse, J. U. McAfee.	(1)
2—Blooming Grove, G. J. Bryan.	(1):
3_Rig Hill and Odds J F Ishell cl IV	(1)
4—Chatfield, B. E. Kimbrow	(1)
5—Corsicana, First Church, J. W. Fort	ć s
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6—Corrigana Eleventh Avenue Neal W. Turner	(1)
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4—Comanche Station, C. L. Cartwright. 5—Comanche Circuit, H. B. Clark. 6—DeLeon Station, W. C. Hilburn. 7—DeLeon Circuit, J. D. Smoot, cl. III. 8—Dublin, S. G. Thompson. 9—Duffau, J. E. Morton. 10—Gustine Station, C. H. Little, cl. IV. 11—Comanche Mission, G. H. Wilson, cl. I. 12—Harbin and Green's Creek, L. L. Felder, cl. III. 13—Hico, R. W. Nation	(2)
18—Stephenville Circuit, C. O. Hightower, cl. I	(3)
FORT WORTH DISTRICT.	•
Presiding Elder—Jno. R. Nelson	(1)
2—Fort Worth, Boulevard, Thomas Barcus	(1) (1) (4) (1) (2) (1) (1) (1)
12—Riverside, Warner Moore	(1)

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Description District Art of Transcription	
Presiding Elder—M. K. Little	(1)
1—Clifton, J. H. Braswell	(1)
2—Crawford, A. C. Lackey, cl. III	(1)
3—Copperas Cove. J. F. Adams	(4)
4—Evant, L. B. Sawyers	(1)
5—Fairy and Lanham, H. B. Henry	(1)
6—Gatesville Station, G. C. Chappell	(2)
7-Gatesville Circuit, J. W. Bowden	(1)
8—Hamilton Station, Alonzo Monk, Jr.	(2)
9—Hamilton Circuit, C. B. Diltz, cl. III	(1)
10-Jonesboro, M. L. Lathan	(1)
11—Killeen Station, R. A. Walker	(1)
12—Killeen Circuit, J. C. Mayhew, cl. I	(1)
13-McGregor, Geo. F. Campbell	(3)
14—Meridian Station, Barcus Knowles	(1)
15—Meridian Circuit, N. J. Peeples	(2)
16—Moody, C. C. Hightower	(1)
17—Nolanville, L. E. Hill, cl. II.	(2)
18—Oglesby, R. H. Heizer	(1)
19—Turnersville, F. O. Waddill, cl. III.	(3)
20—Valley Mills, H. D. Huddleston	(1)
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GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.	
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Presiding Elder—T. S. Armstrong	
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1—Bartlett, J. B. Berry	(3)
2—Belton Station, J. C. Mimms	(3)
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HILLSBORO DISTRICT.

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Presiding Elder—Horace Bishop	(4)
1—Abbott W. N. Curry	(4)
2—Brandon, J. F. Tyson	(1)
3—Cooledge, C. W. Macune	(2)
4—Covington and Osceola, J. W. Head	(2)
5—Hillsboro, First Church, John R. Morris	(4)
6—Hillsboro, Line Street, J. W. Patison	(1)
7Hubbard I. A. Webb	(3)
8—Huron, J. N. Hester, cl. II	(1)
9—Irene, J. D. Hendrickson	(1)
10—Itasca, J. M. Wynne	(3)
11—Kirk, O. B. Turner	(2)
12—Lovelace, J. J. Calloway	(±)
13—Malone, R. L. Reese	· ·· ······(1) ········
14—Munger, C. E. Statham	(2)
15—Penelope, J. R. Kidweil, cl. III	(1)
17—Whitney, J. B. Dodson	(1)
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Conference Evangelist, J. S. Huckabee.	
Commissioner of Education, L. A. Webb.	
WACO DISTRICT.	
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Presiding Elder-W. B. Andrews	(4)
1—Aquilla, W. H. Keeher	(3) (1)
2—Bosqueville, N. E. Gardner	
3—Bruceville and Eddy, W. J. Mayhew4—China Springs, W. J. Whitley, cl. I	(1)
5—Hewitt and Spring Valley, M. A. Turner	(4)
6—Lorena, C. W. Irvin	(4)
7—Mart, W. H. Howard	(1)
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O Mt Calm R A Evans	(2)
8—Mt. Calm, B. A. Evans	(2)
9—Riesel and Axtell Frank Hughen	(2) (2)
9—Riesel and Axtell, Frank Hughen	(2) (2) (4)
9—Riesel and Axtell, Frank Hughen	(2) (2) (4) (1) (4)
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9—Italy, S. A. Ashburn(1)
10—Mansfield, H. L. Munger(1)
11—Maypearl, R. F. Dunn
12—Midlothian, R. F. Brown
13—Milford, Geo. F. Kornegay (1)
14—Ovilla, C. V. Oswalt
15—Palmor M. M. Mombia
15—Palmer, M. M. Morphis
16—Red Oak, I. E. Hightower
17—Waxahachie, Jno. M. Barcus
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Commissioner of Education, R. F. Brown.
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WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.
Presiding Elder—James Campbell(4)
1—Aledo, B. S. Crow
2—Azle, J. M. Bond, Jr., cl. III
3—Eliasville, Marcus M. Chunn, cl. II
4—Creford W. J. Marchia (2)
4—Graford, W. J. Morphis(1)
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5—Graham, J. H. Bowman (3)
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9—Mineral Wells, M. S. Hotchkiss
10—Newcastle, F. A. Ray, cl. IV
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12—Santo, J. J. Rape
15—Springtown, J. (). Gore
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15—Weatherford, First Church, E. Hightower(2)
R. J. Tooley, Supernumerary.
16—Weatherford, Couts Memorial, C. W. Daniel(1)
17—Weatherford Circuit, Preston Broxton, cl. IV(2)
Commissioner of Education, J. Hall Bowman.
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E. P. Swindall to Texas Conference.
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E. R. Wallace to Northwest Texas Conference.
No further business appearing, the Long Meter Doxology was
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JOHN R MORRIS Socretory

JOHN R. MORRIS, Secretary.

Condensed Minutes.

- 1. Who are admitted on trial? Archie W. Gordon, C. Ozier Hightower, Allen D. Cosgrove, Wm. G. Gwaltney, Thomas D. Ellis, Welloughby T. Boulware, Robt. H. Boyd, J. Fred Patterson, Jefferson D. Ramsey, T. H. Burton, Wm. E. Hawkins, Jr., Elmer Crabtree, Zebedee Fallin, Thomas Sorrells, Paschal W. Layne. James C. Mayhew, Guy H. Wilson, T. J. Story, Geo. G. Mitchell, Horace Potect, Claud T. Brockett, B. Y. Dickinson, Jonathan M. Havs.
- -2. Who remains on trial? Elisha W. Bridges, Murand Council, Jesse M. Fryar, Samuel P. Gilmore, Horace C. Gordan, J. G. Thomas, Milam J. Vaughan, Angus E. Watford, W. G. Bailey, Claud F. Bell, Marcus M. Chunn, Joseph N. Hester, R. T. Capps, Lloyd E. Hill.

Remaining in first year, Early S. Cook and Joseph Bartok.

- 3. Who are discontinued? None.
- 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. M. Bond, Jr., C. B. Diltz, L. L. Felder, J. E. Matlock, O. A. Morton, B. H. Oxford, F. O. Waddill, Chas. V. Williams
 - 5. Who are readmitted? None.
- 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Jno. C., Granbery, West Virginia Conference; T. S. Barcus Northwest Texas Conference; J. W. W. Shuler, Holston Conference; R. L. Reese, Florida Conference; Seba Kirkpatrick, New Mexico Conference; J. A. Dozier, East Oklahoma Conference; J. D. Young, Northwest Texas Conference; A. C. Smith, Northwest Texas Conference; R. B. McSwain, West Texas Conference; J. V. Blair, East Oklahoma Conference.
- 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? James D. Kurssell, Local Elder from Cumberland Presbyterian Church; J. L. Havins, Local Elder from Methodist Protestant Church.
- 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.
- 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Henry C. Bowman, Henry Francis, F. A. Ray, Hugh B. Landrum, Ruby Otis Sory, Jno. D. Smoot, Preston H. Broxton, J. F. Isbell, J. A. Siceloff, Walter B. Vaughn, Henry C. Bowman, Henry Francis, Chas. H. Little, Frank A. Ray. Remaining in Class third year, H. W. Gillett, James R. Kidwell, Roy A Langston.
- 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? J. Marvin Bond, Chas. Benj. Diltz, Frederick O Waddill, Chas. V Williams, Brinkley H. Oxford.
- 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? J. Marvin Bond, Chas. B. Diltz, Frederick O. Waddill, Chas. V. Williams, Brinkley H. Oxford.

- 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Murand Council, Jno. G. Thomas, Zebedee Fallin, Jno. B. Isbell, Walter W. Ward, Claud L. Satterfield, Olin W. Nail, Geo. E. Ryan, Christopher C. McBrayer, Wm. R. Witherspoon, Franklin P. Hunsucker.
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- 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Tolbert M. Dalton, Eugene B. Hawk, John W. Hawkins, Wm. Arlie Neill, Wm. Thomas Singley, Jno. F. Adams, W. M. Bowden, W. T. Kinslow, Geo. F. Kornegay, J. O. Leath, O. B. Turner.
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 - 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.
 - 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.
- 18. Who are located this year? A. E. Turney, at his own request.
- 19. Who are supernumerary? A. D. Livingston, Geo. W. Owens, J. R. B. Hall, T. W. Ellis, Jno. F. Neal, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, R. J. Tooley, E. J. Maxwell, J. W. Dickinson.
- 20. Who are superannuated? Samuel Morriss, W. F. Graves, E. M. Sweet, A. Long, C. Rowland, W. V. Jones, R. W. Wellborn, W. J. Lemons, 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, 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, L. G. Rogers, D. C. Stark, S. W. Turner, V. J. Millis, J. W. Montgomery, M. H. Major, C. L. Browning, R. B. Young, W. H. Crawford, J. M. McCarter, I. Z. T. Morris, C. G. Shutt.
- 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Jerome Duncan, Chas. E. Brown.
- 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and in each case the answer was "nothing against him."
- 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? 79,030 Members; 322 Local Preachers.
- 24. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,132.
- 25. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3.336.
- 26. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? Senior Leagues 73; Junior Leagues 57, 130.
 - 27. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,183.
 - 28. What is the number of Sunday Schools? 511.

- 29. What is the number of Sunday School officers, and teachers? 5.087.
- 30. What is the number of Sunday School scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 58,999.
- 31. What was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,024.00.
- 32. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$13,053.00.
- 33. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$12,296.00; Domestic, \$18,860.00.
- 34. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$8,353.00.
- 35. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,077.00.
- 36. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding Elders, \$34,434.00; Preachers in Charge, \$205,573.00.
- 37. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,833.00.
- 38. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of societies, 627; Number of houses of worship, 499 1-2.
- 39: What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,901,580.00; Indebtedness, \$136,587.00.
- 40. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charge 218; Number of parsonages, 209.
- 41. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$438,380; Indebtedness, \$24,545.
- 42. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of Districts, 12; Number of District parsonages, 12.
- 43. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$26,100.00.
- 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, 5; Amount of damage, \$3,084.00.
- 45. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$976,814; Losses sustained, \$697.00; Premiums paid, \$6,336.00; Collections on losses, \$697.00.
- 46. What are the educational statistics? These were never furnished the editor.
- 47. Who is elected Conference Leader? W. Erskine Williams.
- 48. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Hillsboro.
- 49. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

In Memoriam.

REV. JEROME DUNCAN.

The Central Texas Conference suffered an unparalleled loss when Rev. Jerome Duncan, one of its foremost members and most efficient leaders, while yet in the meridian of life and at the flood-tide of his usefulness, was unexpectedly called from labor to rest and reward.

His birth was in Stewart County, Tennessee, October 14, 1860. He was the worthy son of a worthy father. Rev. Thos. J. Duncan a tender and affectionate father, was for thirty-seven years an itinerant preacher and a wise, aggressive, positive, influential leader in the church. His mother, likewise, was a strong character, true wife, loving mother, ideal home-maker. In such a home Jerome Duncan was born and reared, and his intense love, implicit obedience, and affectionate admiration for his parents placed him in position to receive the best that such a home and such parents could inspire and impart. And his relation to his three brothers and two sisters was just as admirable. Indeed, his whole life was characterized by well nigh ideal family relationships, whether as son, brother, husband or father.

He attended school at Cross Plains, Tennessee, and later went to that famous school, the Southwestern Presbyterian University, while Dr. Joseph R. Wilson, father of President Woodrow Wilson, was at its head. Thus did rich heritage, excellent home training, true education and great associations enter into the make-up of Bro. Duncan. He was converted and joined the church under the ministry of Rev. J. D. Barbee, D. D., for whom to the end he had a warm affection. He was twice married, first to Miss Sarah Holmes, of Clarksville, Tenn., in 1885, who died in 1888; and again, September 15, 1891, to Miss Mattie Reagan, daughter of Rev. R. A. Reagan, more than fifty years an honored itinerant preacher. To this happy union were born five worthy daughters and one son. All survive with their mother, except one girl who died in infancy.

He was licensed to preach August 9, 1889, in Clarksville Station, Clarksville District, Rev. W. R. Peeples, preacher in charge and Rev. J. W. Hill, presiding elder; and that fall he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference. He was ordained a Deacon by Bishop Wilson, November 1, 1891 and an Elder by Bishop Keener, October 22, 1893. In his home Conference he served one year on Trinity Circuit, two years at Guthrie, Ky., and one year at Cedar Hill, Tenn. It was at this latter place, New Year's Day, 1893, that the present writer's acquaintance and friendship with Bro. Duncan began, a friendship that never ended, shall never end.

In the fall of 1893, Bro. Duncan transferred to this Conference where without intermission, he labored until the day of his death. He served the following charges: Morrow Street, Waco, 1894-7; Vernon, 1898-1901; Hillsboro. 1902-4; Fifth Street,

Waco, 1905-6. This closed his work as a pastor, seventeen years in all, thirteen in this Conference. In the Fall of 1906, he was elected and appointed president of Stamford Collegiate Institute, and for three years and a half he served with ability in that capacity. The breadth of foundation and success of administration of that great training school are due in large measure to the optimistic faith and untiring energy of its first president. He resigned the presidency in June, ▶1910, and was appointed to the Dublin District for the remainder of the year. That fall, he was sent to the Fort Worth District where he served two years and eight months, until his translation. He was a member of the General Conference of 1910, and would undoubtedly have been sent to the next, had he lived.

In the make-up and character of Bro. Duncan, we do not find over-shadowing greatness or notable weakness in any one single line, but rather the happy union of more than ordinary ability in all lines. A better all-round man it would be hard to find. Born of the best of parentage, he had excellent native ability. To this was added careful rearing in the best type of homes, a solid, sensible education, wide observation, and the life-time habit of reading and mastering good books. He learned to see clearly, think accurately, and to express himself with remarkable force and clearness. But above all else in his make-up was the grace of God. He had been deeply convicted, soundly and happily converted, and thus had a definite, clear-cut experience. Henceforth, he grew in grace and in the knowledge of God as his Father and Christ as his personal Savior. He was first of all, a deeply religious, truly spiritual man.

He was an excellent preacher, a true, evangelical, Gospel preacher. He dealt but little in metaphysics, science, philosophy or poetry, and was never given to platitudes or second-hand religion. He read and studied the Bible, accepted it as the Word of God, and preached its great truths made real and vital to him by his own personal experience. He entered heart and soul into his message, preaching with consecrated earnestness and enthusiasm. Under his preaching, men were convicted, converted, strengthened and established in their religious life. Any congregation, whether rude and unlearned, or intellectual and cultured, heard him gladly and profitably. His experience, his observation, his reading good books and the Bible, and his deep interest in all classes made his preaching fresh and vigorous.

He was a fine pastor. All departments of church work prospered under his leadership. He invariably had all the organizations of the church and each in prosperous operation. He saw clearly the needs of his charge, was a fine organizer, a resourceful, indefatigable worker, a wise counsellor, and a safe leader. The published Minutes show that in all his years as a pastor, there was never a dollar of deficit in salary or collections; that there were always many additions on profession of faith, and a large net increase in membership except during his fourth year when he would religiously clean up his roll. Never given to gadding about, he visited with a purpose. He knew his flock, knew their surroundings, hence was well acquainted with their wants and needs. He never failed to minister to the sick, the sorrowing, the needy and erring. We have no better pastors than was be.

He was a manly, courageous man. There was nothing effeminate, time-serving, selfish or craven about him. He never cringed when he looked into his own heart, or when he looked into the face of mortal man. He was a man of definite, profound convictions, could withstand any man to the face, declare himself with all the force of his nature, make a whole city to tremble, if need be; and yet all the while maintain the well-night universal respect and admiration of men. It is a remarkable tribute to him that such a positive man should have made so few enemies. He never sought place or honor for himself. There was in him, no likeness to Diotrephes who loved the pre-eminence, and sought it over his brethren.

He was a true friend. He made friends by the hundreds, grappled them to him as with hoops of steel, and held them to the end. Many supposed that they were his special friends, only to find later that the loving heart that had opened so wide to them had opened just as wide to a host of others, for it was his nature to be a friend. No man among us was truer or happier in his relation to his brethren of the ministry than was he.

As a leader, he was wise, vigorous, aggressive, safe. Pastors and people of the Districts he served, believed in him and followed him, and the work prospered under him. As a member of the last General Conference he immediately took high rank both in the committee room and on the floor. His vision was wide, his judgment safe, his counsel sane. He was genuinely connectional. He never sought to build up his charge at the expense of others, but he labored for the common good of our universal Zion, and was interested in every other worker.

He closed his earthly career grandly. He was at the height of his popularity and usefulness. His health had not been the best for six months, but without wavering he went to every appointment, being just as attentive and considerate to the demands of the smallest mission as of the largest station. On July 19th, he went to White's Chapel, on the Smithfield Circuit, to assist in a meeting. On Monday evening he took his text: "So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all things which are commanded you, say, we are unprofitable servants; we have done that which was our duty to do,"—text illustrative of his life, expressive of his obedience and humility, a text a bigot would never use. A few minutes later he staggered and fell, stricken with appoplexy. Removed to a near-by home, physicians and loved ones were summoned. But his work was done. He lingered eight hours, and at 5:30 a. m., July 22, his spirit passed on high. His body was carried to Fort Worth, and on Thursday afternoon, the 25th, in the Polytechnic Church, in the presence of an overflowing house, including more than forty of his brethren of the ministry, the funeral service was held. The next day the remains were taken to Hillsboro for burial. He had served there as pastor only three years, and had been away nearly nine years, yet such was the love and esteem in which he was held that every business house was closed, and a long, long procession followed him to the beautiful cemetery overlooking the city. Slowly and sadly we laid him down, heaped the sod above him, and covered it over with flowers. The grass shall wither, the flowers fade, but the spirit

of such as he shall live forever and ever. The world is better because of his life; it seems poorer to us because of his death. In fields where worthy work is done, in gatherings where counsel is sought and wise plans laid, in social circles where friends rejoice to meet, we will sorely miss Jerome Duncan. But most of all he is missed in the lonely home, so long enriched by his princely love. But we know where he is, and in Our Father's Home above we will meet him in the sweet by and by.

SAMUEL J. RUCKER.

C. E. BROWN.

Charles Edward Brown was born in Macon, Ga., June 4, 1847. His father, Col. John T. Brown, was one of the most wealthy and highly influential men in the State. His mother, Mary Ousley, was the daughter of a Methodist preacher. She was a graduate of Salem, N. C., and was a woman of great talents. Up to the time of her death she kept herself in touch with Latin, Greek and other languages and read and understood them well. From her childhood, she made it a regular practice to read her Bible through each year. She retained her wonderful memory and took delight in her studies up to the last of her life, which closed with her eightieth year.

Brother Brown inherited many of the noble traits and excellent characteristics of his mother. For a number of years he was a student in the Georgia Military Institute, and from that enlisted at the age of sixteen, in the Confederate army, in which he served with distinction for two years.

On March 2, 1866, he was united in marriage to Miss Loe Elam, at Americus, Ga. To this union were born four children, two of whom are living.

In his nineteenth year he was happily converted, and at once felt his call to the work of the ministry. His father had high ambitions for his son and was deeply disappointed that he should choose such a calling, but true to his conviction, Brother Brown was licensed to preach in August, 1867, and joined the South Georgia Conference in the Fall of 1868. When his father found that he could not dissuade him from the ministry, he then insisted that his son should make the best possible preparations for a large and useful ministry. Nothwithstanding this urging for preparation, his father could not stand the strain and took his room for three months. His wife, becoming uneasy about him, sent for her "boy preacher" to come to see his father. It was late in the afternoon when he received the message and he hastily hitched his horse to the buggy and drove twenty miles through the cold and rain. He reached home near bedtime. When his mother went into the room and said to his father, "Our boy preacher has come to see us," he said, "I know it is your custom to ask all ministers to pray in our home, but do not ask him." Brother Brown went into the room to see his father, sat down by his bed, and talked with him a few minutes. His father said, "It is bedtime, son, and you had better retire to your room." The son said, "Father, I should like to pray with you," and before the father could object, the boy preacher was on his knees by the bed. He did not sleep much that night because of the deep anxiety which he felt for his father. He arose early the next morning, and when he entered his father's room, his mother handed him the family Bible. He read a few verses and talked from them, sang two stanzas of "A charge to keep I have," and then knelt with his mother at his father's bedside. Before the prayer was ended, the father was happily converted.

Brother Brown was a close student for years. He took out a four-year course of study in two years. It was not unusual for him to study and pray all night.

Our brother was a loyal Methodist preacher. He believed that the authorities of the Church were ordained of God, and that his appointments were ordered of the Lord. As a Presiding Elder, he was efficient, and was faithful and true to his preachers. He was self-sacrificing and unselfish in all that he did. As a pastor, he was popular and wielded a wonderful influence wherever he went. On his first charge he purchased a piece of ground, and established a camp ground, and it is kept up to this day, and called Brown's camp ground. By the end of his fourth year, he was known as a great revival preacher and was sent for far and near to hold meetings. Moticallo, Florida, built a great tabernacle and sent for him to hold the first camp meeting.

In the fifth year of his ministry, his wife's health having failed, his friends advised him to seek a climate to suit her case. The Bishop advised him to travel with Bishop Keener, and find the proper climate, but having come to Texas in advance, he found so many friends who had been relieved of asthma, he decided that this was the place to which he should come. In 1872, he met Bishop Keener at Belton and was given work in the Northwest Texas Conference. Calvert was his first appointment. There, during his first year, he built a church and a parsonage. While at Calvert he edited the Calvert paper, and published the first agricultural magazine published in Texas, entitled "The Farm and Home."

In 1873, the city of Calvert was visited by yellow fever. When the scourge drove all other pastors and the Catholic Priest from the town, Brother Brown remained at his post, visiting the sick and burying the dead of all denominations. He was untiring in his efforts, until he was stricken with the dread disease. Even then, he was sent for, and until unable to leave his bed he never refused to go.

He was once elected to the General Conference and served with distinction,

While pastor in Waxahachie, Marvin College, located at that place, was about to be sold, and was about to be purchased by the Roman Catholics. Brother Brown sold his farm and other property and bought it, to save the property to the Church. He was president of the school for four years, and then sold it to the city.

As nearly as we can learn, Brother Brown served the following charges: The Whitney Charge of the South Georgia Confer-

ence, two years and the Thomasville Charge, two years. In 1872 he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference. Here he served Calvert two years; Marlin two years; Waxahachie Station, two years; Waxahachie District (and College, I suppose), four years, and then located. Returning to the Conference in 1893, he spent one year at Couts Memorial; four years at Brownwood; one year at Dublin, three years at Abilene and three years at Main Street in Cleburne. In 1905 he was appointed agent for Superannuate Homes, and was reappointed from year to year to this agency to the close of his life. In this office, he did a monumental work, and many rise up and call him blessed, and will do so forever. He loved the old men of the Conference and many a time did he exhort the brethren to remember these honored, useful servants of the Lord who had made possible the great blessings and privileges they are enjoying.

In the summer Brother Brown found it necessary to go to the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas for treatment. While here, came the end, which was not the end, but the beginning of an everlasting triumph. He was rational to the last. Just before his departure he repeated the Apostles' Creed, and, looking up into the face of a dear friend, said, "I believe it all. The way is clear. Nothing of that kind to worry about. That is settled." At another time he sang, and said, "I am coming! Coming! I love Him, because He first loved me." With his last whisper he said "Halleluiah7 I love Him" He then closed his eyes on the fading beauties of earth to open them on the fadeless glories of heaven.

He died in the Sanitarium at Dallas, October 20, 1913. The next day funeral services were held in the home of his daughter, and his precious dust was deposited in the Greenwood cemetery to await "the resurrection of the just."

E. F. BOONE.

Report of Boards.

BOARD OF MISSIONS-REPORT NO. 1.

To your Board has been referred the report of the Commission to the Foreigners heretofore created, requesting that this Board and Conference unite in its effort with the other English speaking Conferences in the State to evangelize the one million foreigners.

The Commission was unanimous in its belief that a settled and effectual policy could best be carried out by the Texas Boards of Missions, through a permanent organization that may have power to collect and administer funds, appoint and supervise missions, employ a superintendent with approval of the General Board.

Said Commission has also recommended that the several Annual Conferences appropriate the following amounts:

North Texas	\$1,000
Central Texas	
Texas	800
West Texas	600
Northwest Texas	400

for the work of the commission.

Your Board recommended that we concur in making the Commission permanent, and that we accept our part of same. In the event the other Conferences do not concur, the Board will not be bound for the amount, and we only obligate ourselves to pay proportionately from the time the Superintendent is in the field.

To the creation of this Mission, the Bishop has consented.

M. S. HOTCHKISS,

W. H. MATTHEWS, President,

Secretary.

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BOARD OF MISSIONS-REPORT NO. 2.

Your Board of Missions would submit this report of their work, and statements of facts concerning the General Board:

We are pleased to note that the General Board is making good progress in liquidating its indebtedness, as \$98,178 of its outstanding obligations has been retired the past two years. We regret that because of the fact that we delayed until the end of the year to send in our remittances, the Board must pay annually \$7,500, or a like amount for interest. This would keep several missionaries in the field, and surely the Board should be relieved of this matter.

Our Conference had paid before the assembling of the session, \$1,118.96, and the Teller received \$9,626.00, making a total of \$10,744.96 for Foreign Missions on an assessment of \$14,500.00. This leaves a deficit of \$3,755.00 and is \$1,533.00 less than the

payments of last year. This is doubtless due in large measure to the wide spread droughty conditions throughout the Conference.

Prosperity has attended the work of the Board in all the fields in which we have missions planted. In some of these fields our prosperity embarrasses us.

In Mexico and Cuba, disturbed conditions have greatly retarded the work, but our missionaries have been faithful and remained at their post, except when the Board has deemed it wise to recall them.

The pathfinders, Bishop W. R. Lambuth of our Church and Prof. J. W. Gilbert of the C. M. E. Church, are now en route to the distant Batetele tribe, forty days journey above navigation on the Lower Congo. Go read the providential openings; the preservation of our Missionaries, their reception by this Chief and his earnest entreaty to them to return, and with devout thanksgiving, plead that the great Head of the Church may lead in all things in planting and conducting this Mission.

During 1912, thirty Missionaries have been sent out—eleven men and nineteen women—and sixty-one thousand dollars were expended in buildings and equipments.

We are pleased to report that the sixty-nine Missionaries operating under this Conference Board, have been successful in their respective fields; souls have been converted, backsliders reclaimed and the material interests advanced. These Missionaries have had their drafts paid punctually, notwithstanding the fact that we have operated on borrowed money. The total amounts paid on your assessment, \$18,000.00, was \$14,757.00, leaving a deficit of \$3,242.14, and this is \$1,294.00 less than last year.

On the assessment of \$4,600,00 for the Home Department, you have paid \$3,771.46, leaving a deficit of \$828.54. Checks for the above and also for the amount paid for Foreign Missions have been handed to Dr. Pinson.

Report of the Women's Missionary Society has been forwarded your Board, and the following facts are gleaned in the Home Department:

There are 185 Auxiliaries, with 4,883 members. There are 1,355 members in the Junior and Young Peoples Societies. Amount of money paid for dues, \$4,247.30. Amount of pledge, \$2,663.61, and for Conference Specials, \$1,852.55. Total \$8,763.46.

In the Foreign Department, there are 4,350 members; 36 new adult auxiliaries, 2 young people's and 3 Junior divisions have been organized; four Missionaries, 35 scholarships and 12 Bible women are supported by these auxiliaries and \$10,325.25 has been raised to carry on the work.

We are glad to report that all the indebtedness of the Board has been paid. The total amount paid on the losses of this Board was \$9,395.05.

We enter the new Conference Year with \$686.61 in Bank, and your first quarter's drafts are unpaid. Your Board has been given instructions to again borrow, and in the hands of your

out-going Missionaries, immediately after the reading of the appointments, their drafts will be placed.

We are glad to note the splendid work of our Laymen, and the Board heartily approves the Special which they have undertaken to build, a church at Hong Kong, China, at a cost of \$10,500.00.

The General Office reports that less than 1,500 subscribers receive the Missionary Voice, in a church membership of more than 76,000; only 33 men in the Bounds of the Conference receive it in their homes. Doubtless many of their wives receive it, but it is the opinion of your Board that the subscription list ought to be greatly increased.

The assessments for Conference Missions remain the same as last year, viz: \$18,000,00, and the amounts apportioned to the Conference by the General Board is unchanged. Foreign Missions \$14,500.00, and Home Missions \$4,600.00, and these are apportioned to the Districts according to the scale prepared by the Presiding Elders.

W. H. Matthews is elected Conference Missionary Secretary and M. S. Hotchkiss and F. F. Downs are elected Commissioners to the Foreigners.

The following appropriations have been made:

Brownwood District	Name of Amount
Name of Amount	Charge granted.
Charge granted.	Glen Rose Station 100.00
Bangs\$ 150.00	Glen Rose Mission 200.00
Bronte 200.00	Granbury Mission 250.00
Brownwood Mission 100.00	Joshua Mission 200.00
Coleman 150.00	Total\$1150.00
Gouldbusk 150.00	Considere District
Indian Creek 150.00	Corsicana District.
Norton 150.00	Corsicana Mission\$ 100.00
Robert Lee 100.00	Emmett 150.00
Talpa & Valera 150.00	Harmony 150.00
Winchell 150.00	Horn Hill 100.00
Total\$1450.00	Kerens & Powell 100.00
.	Kirvin 100.00
Cisco District.	Purdon 150.00
Breckenridge\$ 100.00	Thornton
Cisco Mission 150.00	Total\$ 850.00
Desdemona 100.00	Dublin District
Eolian 150.00	
Gordon	Bluffdale\$ 200.00
Romney 100.00	Comanche Mission 100.00
Staff 100.00	Gustine 200.00
Thurber & Mingus 400.00	Huckaby
Wayland 150.00	Total\$ 800.00
Total\$1500.00	10ta1 \$ 800.00
Cleburne District.	Gatesville District.
Anglin Street \$ 100.00	Clifton Station\$ 300.00
Brazos Avenue 200.00	Coryell Mission 200.00
Cresson 100.00	Fairy and Lanham 200.00

Hamilton Mission Killeen Mission Meridian Mission Total\$	$200.00 \\ 200.00$	Malone Peoria Total \$	200.00
Georgetown Distri	ct.	Waco District.	
Florence Mission\$ Holland Jarrell Oenaville	200.00 200.00 200.00 150.00	Clay Street\$ Herring Ave Riesel West Total\$	300.00 200.00 100.00
Thrall Weir Total\$	100.00	Weatherford Distri	ct.
Fort Worth District Glenwood	200.00 250.00 400.00	Couts Memorial \$\text{Eliasville}\$ Graham Loving \$\text{Santo}\$ Total \$\text{Santo}\$	100.00 200.00 200.00 300.00 1000.00
Total \$		Waxahachie Distri	ct.
Hillsboro District Huron\$ Line Street\$		Bardwell \$ Bristol Milford Total \$	$200.00 \\ 200.00$

Total amount appropriated, \$12,900.00.

W. H. MATTHEWS, President, M. S. HOTCHKISS, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Your Board has given to the many interests committed to its supervision by the Church, the most patient and careful consideration. In response to the request made by us at your last session the institutions coming under our care have submitted full and detailed statements of their affairs so that we can present to you an intelligent report of their status. Never before has there been such an awakening of interest in the cause of education. We believe that the Church we represent has been intelligently aroused to the importance of keeping pace with the State in providing educational advantages, facilities and equipment. We are now prepared to recognize that we must provide not only religious environments and influences for our young people, but equipment that means the highest order of intellectual training.

The time has come when we cannot hold the patronage of our own people by an appeal to Church loyalty unless we can assure them that we offer just as good advantages for the highest intellectual development and training as can the State and private institutions.

There have come to us no reports from Vanderbilt University or the Correspondence-School.

We recommend for your endorsement the following, sent from the Educational Commission:

"For Polytechnic College. A campaign is now in progress in the Central Texas Conference for \$100,000.00.

"For Meridian College. A plan to raise \$70,000.00.

"For Southwestern University. A plan for raising \$300,000.00. "For Southern Methodist University. A campaign to raise an additional \$1,000,000.00, \$500,000.00 for Endowment, \$250,000.00 for a Theological Department, and \$250,000.00 for a Sanitarium. This in addition to a plan already approved, to raise, with the assistance of District Commissioners, \$50,000.00 for a Chair of Religious Pedagogy."

Southern Methodist University.

Never in the history of our Church has there been a movement so extraordinary as that connected with the launching of this institution. This has been and is the most extraordinary event in our educational history. The facts relative thereto have been kept so fully before the Church there is scarcely an item that needs presentation at our hands in order to bring it to your attention. Not merely Texas Methodism but our entire connection is to be congratulated upon the accomplishment of the wonderful feat of raising \$500,000.00 within a few months' time. This movement has been brought to this happy consummation by the leadership of Dr. H. A. Boaz, ably assisted by Commissioners Barton, McClure, Watts and Young.

We call special attention to the movement looking to the raising of the sum of \$250,000 for building a sanitarium. The time has come, though late, when we are being awakened to the call of our Master to care for suffering humanity. Other Protestant Churches have gone ahead of ours in this important matter. Not only must be hear the call of our Divine Lord for His suffering ones and respond to this just claim upon us because He calls, but for our own sakes must we show forth His spirit if we would continue to hold the confidence of the people. Our insistence cannot be too emphatic nor our plea too urgent for this great enterprise.

Southwestern University.

This institution, for forty years our most conspicuous and successful educational enterprise, still justifies the faith of our fathers and challenges the loyalty of their sons by maintaining the highest ideals and doing the most thorough work.

The present session shows the largest attendance of students of college grade ever enrolled in the history of the school. This is true though the requirements for such grade are being constantly raised and the most thorough preparation required. No college of our Church can boast of a more glorious record for the same period. Thorough work in her class rooms, the highest ethical standards for her student body, and the everpresent recognition that there is a soul to be saved, a life to be redeemed as well as a mind to be instructed and trained have ever been the dominant principles with this institution. Never has this school been in better condition, and never has

it had an abler faculty. The dormitories for young men are overflowing, while the woman's building is unduly crowded and more girls would come if room could be provided.

The time is at hand when there must be inaugurated without delay and pushed to completion in the shortest time possible a campaign for buildings and endowment. The need is imperative and delay would mean disaster. The trustees at their last meeting asked for \$100,000 for buildings and \$200,000 for endowment. This request has the endorsement of the Educational Commission. The urgency of the need cannot be overstated. The importance of immediate action whereby all the available forces at the command of the Church throughout the State can be concentrated upon this effort, cannot be unduly emphasized. It is a supreme moment with this school. It is a supreme opportunity to the Church.

We urge that this campaign be given the foremost place until this result is accomplished. We request the Educational Commission to put into the field all the forces possible to raise this \$300,000 and that we call upon all our pastors not only to open their Churches to those representing this interest but also themselves to present this matter both privately and publicly to the people. We recommend the adoption of the following amendments to by-laws:

First. Article 2, be so recast as to read: "The Conferences shall elect Trustees on the nomination of their respective Boards of Education, and these Trustees shall hold office for four years, respectively, their term of office for the incoming quadrennium to be so arranged, whenever possible, that not less than two nor more than three Trustees be elected annually, by the English-speaking patronizing Conferences. The Alumni Trustees shall also hold office for a term of four years, and these Trustees shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association."

Polytechnic College.

The report from this school shows an attendance equal to that of last year, although it is known that the institution is in a state of transition from a co-educational college to a woman's college. This we regard as most extraordinary. Another remarkable fact is that the heavy indebtedness in the institution is being provided for. Since Dr. H. A. Boaz's assumption of the presidency the people of Fort Worth have rallied to the school with a splendid loyalty and are pledging their hearty co-operation and subscribing most liberally their money.

There are fifty-two young men studying for the ministry and fifty-one students from the homes of our preachers.

We endorse the plan of the Commission in making this the woman's college of the State, and urge that the other Conferences of Texas do the same.

We likewise endorse the plan of the Commission for a campaign for \$100,000 for this school.

Meridian College.

This is the only secondary school within the bounds of our Conference. Under the wise administration of the President,

Rev. G. F. Winfield, this school has been brought to a place worthy of the confidence and patronage of the people. Its faculty is composed of unusually strong and well-equipped teachers.

Of its last graduating class of seventeen, sixteen are now in colleges completing the courses for which this school prepared them. The student body is composed of 200 young men and women.

The remarkable achievement of raising over \$30,000 for payment of debts on the buildings was accomplished under the leadership of Rev. W. B. Wilson, and now unencumbered by debt, with a territory unoccupied by any other such an institution this school should enter upon a period of prosperity and usefulness.

Dormitories are the present and imperative need. A campaign has been launched for \$70,000 for this purpose. To this movement we give our endorsement.

Weatherford College.

There has been no school conducted in Weatherford College since last June, one year ago. The Trustees through Rev. E. Hightower have tendered this property to the Educational Commission through this Conference for a Junior College for young men. We recommend the following:

- "1. That we accept the tender of Weatherford College through Rev. E. Hightower, acting for the Trustees of said college, and elect the following Trustees to serve until their successors are chosen: E. Hightower, I. W. Stephens, G. H. Holland, T. F. Temple, G. W. Barcus, W. W. McCrary, M. S. Hotchkiss, Jas. W. Hill.
- "2. That we request the Commission to consider carefully the advisability of establishing a Boys' School for all Texas Methodism."

By the will of J. R. Couts this school will receive in $1924 \pm 100,000$ for endowment, thus giving us the only endowed training school in our Church.

Recommendations.

Trustees—1. We recommend the election of W. L. Nelms, W. B. Andrews, M. B. Lockett, H. S. Wilson, A. F. Bentley as Trustees of Southwestern University.

- 2. That H. D. Knickerbocker, Lee Penn, Ocie Speer, F. P. Culver, G. W. Armstrong, I. W. Burney, Clay Johnson, W. C. Stripling, T. B. Yarbrough he elected Trustees of Polytechnic College.
- 3. That W. L. Nelms be elected Conference Secretary of Education.
- 4. That we request the Bishop to make the following appointments:
- H. A. Boaz, President Polytechnic College and Vice-President of Southern Methodist University.
 - J. C. Granbery, Professor in Southwestern University.
 - G. F. Winfield, President Meridian College.

W. B. Wilson, Commissioner Southern Methodist University.

J. O. Leath, Student in Chicago University.

J. D. Young, Commissioner Southern Methodist University.

 $\mbox{\sc Assessments}\mbox{\sc --We}$ recommend the following assessments be made on the Conference:

For Southwe	estern University	6,500
	n Methodist University	
For Polytech	nic College	4,000
	onal Extension	
For Summer	School of Theology	300
Total		\$20.480

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. BOGGS, Chairman.

W. L. NELMS, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT, BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Received during the year from the pastorsReceived from Teller, B. H. Woods	\$ 873.00 13,812.00
Total	\$14,685.00
Disbursed as follows:	
For Printing Conference JournalFor Educational Extension	\$ 100.00 2,628.25
For Summer School of Theology	300.00
For Southwestern UniversityFor Polytechnic College	5,222.50 2,144.70
For Southern Methodist University	4,289.55
Total	\$14,685.00

S. J. RUCKER, Treasurer.

REPORT JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

The Joint Board of Finance submits the following report:

This Board has elected Rev. E. P. Williams chairman thereof to fill out the unexpired term of Rev. C. E. Brown, deceased.

We have collected for Bishops' Fund during the year \$187.84, and have received from the Teller \$2,588.00, making a total of \$2,775.84. Our assessment for this cause the coming year is \$3,286.00.

We have collected for Delegates' Expenses during the year \$38.00, and have received from the Teller \$766.00. This leaves a balance uncollected of \$295.31. As requested by our Publishing Agents, this balance we apportion to the several presiding elders' districts and ask that it be collected and remitted to our Treasurer not later than April 15th next.

We estimate the amount necessary for Conference Claimants the coming year at \$15,000.00, and this assessment has been approved by the committee in charge of assessments.

As for years in the past and subject to the same rules, we retain a small reserve fund for the purpose of meeting claims pressing upon us and not otherwise provided for by the law of our Church.

A few of our Claimants, ask no appropriation from us, but gladly give way to more needy cases.

We have received from the Colvin Fund \$14.00, which we disburse to the widows and orphans along with other funds.

We have collected for the Superannuate Endowment Fund during the year \$2.20, and have received from the Teller \$183.00, making a total of \$185.20.

We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$200.00; Board of Church Extension, \$90.00; Board of Education, \$100.00; Sunday School Board, \$35.00, and the Board of the American Bible Society, \$25.00 for printing the Conference Journal.

We have collected for Conference Claimants during the year, \$862.68; have received the L. Blaylock donation of \$200.00; have received from the Superannuate Endowment Fund \$264.60; have received from the Publishing House \$357.00; have received our pro rata of the Trapp Fund \$59.00; have received our pro rata of the Marquis Fund \$178.67; reserve fund left over from last year of \$436.15, and have received from the Teller \$11,600.00, making a grand total of \$13,958.10, which we have disbursed to our Claimants as follows:

Addison, Mrs. O. M\$	50.25
Adkisson, Mrs. J. W	
Barcus, Mrs. E. R	
Bennett Mrs. N B	250.25
Bond, Rev. J. M	275.00
Bailey, Mrs. E. A	100.25
Bates, Rev. E. T	
Boone, Rev. E. F	200.00
Browning, Rev. C. L	200.00
Crabb, Mrs. J. L.	
Cox, Mrs. J. Fred	50.25
Canafax, Rev. J. J	400.00
Carter, Rev. J. C	50.00
Cherry, Rev. S. T	300.00
Chenoweth, Rev. E. B	50.00
Davis, Mrs. J. J	200.25
Davis, Mrs. Charles	250.25
Ellis, Mrs. S. B	50.25
Ellis, Rev. D. C	350.00
Gaskill, Miss Mittie	100.25
Glass, Rev. H. M.	200.00
Grant, Mrs. James	~
Graves, Rev. W. F	260.00
Graves, Mrs. G. W	50.25
Galloway, Mrs. R. V	201.00
Gravis, Miss Ellen	120.25
Gilleland, Rev. W. A	150.00
Gallagher, Rev. C. E	125.00
Harris, Rev. G. W	275.00
Haralson, Rev. Jerome	250.00
Hiner, Mrs. James	100.25

Hines, Mrs. T. W	100.25
Holmes, Mrs. D. T	
Harris, Rev. I. F	275.00
Harrison, Mrs. E. T.	50.75
Harris, Rev. W. C	300.00
Jones, Rev. W. V	300.00
Jordan, Mrs. C. D	250.50
Jordan, Mrs. C. D. Keen, Mrs. N. A.	50.25
Kennedy, Mrs. B. H	125.50
Long, Rev. A	200.00
Littlepage, Rev. S. C.	200.00
Lemons, Rev. W. J	150.00
Lloyd, Rev. W. F	400.00
McLaughlin, Mrs. N. M	126.75
McLaughlin, Children	151.75
Mackey, Mrs. James	125.25
Mood, Mrs. F. A	
Morgan, Mrs. Daniel	400.00
Morriss, Rev. Samuel	200.00
Mills, Mrs. M	401.00
Moss, Mrs. W. H	50.25
Mussett, Rev. J. P	275.00
Major, Rev. M. H	250.00
Major, Rev. M. H	100.00
Montgomery, Rev. J. W	50.00
Montgomery, Rev. J. W Price, Mrs. William	150.25
Ray, Mrs. F. P	
Rascoe, Mrs. J. T.	100.25
Reynolds, Mrs. M. D	`
Rogers, Mrs. T. W	250.25
Stockton, Mrs. W. R. D	
Rogers, Rev. L. G	50.00
Rowland, Rev. C	200.00
Sweet, Rev. E. M.	200.00
Snoddy, Rev. B. A	200.00
Simpson, Rev. W. K	
Smith, Mrs. A. P	250.50
Shrader, Rev. H. P	275.00
Stark, Rev. D. C	250.00
Trimble, Mrs. J. H	225.25
Tunnell, Mrs. J. S	250.50
Turner, Rev. S. W	200.00
Wilson, Mrs. G. D	250.00
Wellborn, Rev. R. W Walkup, Rev. J. A	
Walkup, Rev. J. A	50.00
Wallace, Mrs. J. A	250.25
walker, Rev. J. E	250.00
Winburn, Rev. F. M	250.00
Reserve Fund	1,039.60
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All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. P. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

J. M. ROBERTSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

CHURCH EXTENSION—Report No. 1.

We hereby present to you the following report of action taken by the West Texas Conference in reference to paying the indebtedness of University Church. We heartily endorse the purpose of this resolution and recommend the same to your favorable consideration, with the distinct understanding and agreement that under no circumstances are the collections contemplated to be an assessment:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Board of Church Extension of the Central Texas Conference that we assume \$2,500.00 of the indebtedness of the University Methodist Church, and that it be distributed to the various districts on a basis that shall be agreed upon by the Presiding Elders.

Resolved further, That the collection of said amount be left to the Presiding Elders, and that the campaign for the securing of said amount shall close with the last Sunday in March, which shall be observed as University Church Day by our pastors and people.

This resolution becomes effective when enough Conferences of the State shall have taken similar action so that the total amount thus assumed, together with amounts otherwise available, shall cover the entire indebtedness on said Church.

J. J. CREED, President.

CHURCH EXTENSION-Report No. 2.

We congratulate the Conference upon the work already achieved in this department and call special attention of all our pastors to our Conference Loan Fund and urge upon each one of them to advise every Church seeking aid, as far as practicable, to accept a loan instead of a donation. These loans are made on easy terms and with small interest. In this way the Board can give immediate relief, and yet preserve its funds to aid other similar enterprises. The Board is always ready to make donations when a loan will not meet the exigencies of the case.

We regret to say that in some instances applications have come into the hands of the Board too late to be considered. We urge every member of the Board to make special note of the fact that these applications must be in the hands of the Board not later than the first day of the Conference session. The Board can not and will not consider applications that come later than that date.

The policy of your Board is to give aid to every applicant in some amount so far as it seems advisable to do so, believing that it is wiser to distribute the funds among the various applicants in small amounts rather than to make large donations to the few. After dividing equally with the General Board the amount at our disposal, \$8,088.20, there remains in our treasury to be divided among the various applicants the sum of \$4,044.10, which is applied as follows:

Donations to Parsonages.

Bardwell\$	100.00
George's Creek	100.00
Rogers Station	100.00
Eastland	100.00
Granbury Mission	75.00
Glencove Mission	100.00
Purdon	100.00
Eolian (conditional)	100.00
Malone	100.00

Donations to Churches.

Mazeland\$	100.00
Killeen	500.00
Oran	150.00
Thrall	100.00
	150.00
Bee House	100.00
Herring Avenue	250.00
Battle	50.00
Webb	100.00
Salesville	150.00
Lovelace	75,00
Purdon	150.00

Loans to Churches.

Winters Station	\$1,000.00
Penelope	500.00
Buckner	400.00
Streetman	300.00
Webb	500.00
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Printing Minutes	80.00

We record the election of T. S. Barcus and Henry Stanford to fill the vacancies on the Board made by the retirement of J. A. Whitehurst and Ed R. Wallace.

The Teller reports that \$881 has been paid in at this Conference for our National Capital Church at Washington, D. C., and this amount also will go to the credit of our Church Extension work,

The assessment made by the General Board for Church Extension for the ensuing Conference year is \$10,725.00.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. CREED, President.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

According to the report of the Sunday School Editor, the net increase in enrollment of Sunday School scholars is only 14,608. This is especially astonishing in the face of the largest increase in the circulation of literature during any single year in the history of the Church.

It is clear that at the approaching General Conference there is need to consider the wisdom and feasibility of devising a more effective plan than we now have for Sunday School extension.

Children's Day.

The Children's Day collections remain practically the same from year to year. It is evident that either some of this income is being diverted into other channels than the discipline requires, or the people are not yet awakened as to the great need of Children's Day Fund for Sunday School work.

The Vanderbilt Chair.

There is yet to be raised \$11,900.00 to complete the \$50,000.00 endowment for the Chair of Religious Pedagogy and Sunday Schools in Vanderbilt University. When this sum is finished there will be 30 per cent of the Children's Day offerings heretofore going to the cause that will be devoted to the much-needed strengthening of our force of field workers.

Wesley Adult Bible Class.

It is gratifying to note the great increase in the organized Bible Class work. There are now enrolled about 3,000 adult, senior and intermediate classes, with a membership of 80,000. This is perhaps the wisest movement ever inaugurated in Sunday school life. We urge that all organized classes in our schools be enrolled in the Wesley Bible Class Department, for the sake of the fellowship of all other Southern Methodist classes. We insist upon the use of the Adult Student, the official organ of this Department.

Teacher Training.

It is difficult to overestimate the value of the Teachers' Training Class. Let all our pastors and superintendents see to it that at least one such class be maintained in every school, for surely the time is upon us for more thoroughly prepared teachers

Teachers' Meeting.

The experience of those who have Teachers' Meetings confirms us in the belief that no more important service can be held among the working forces of the school. Let the pastors and superintendents have Teachers' Meetings.

Plans for Extension.

It is the opinion of your Board that our most urgent need in the Sunday School field at this time is to have the spirit and methods of the modern Sunday School brought home to the masses of the people.

Experience has shown that the most effective plan for securing this result is the district, circuit or local institute. In the absence of field workers, the responsibility for such work must rest upon Conference Boards, presiding elders and pastors. The results already achieved in some quarters through systematic work is a source of encouragement.

The Executive Committee of our State Sunday School Conference has tried to evolve a plan that would meet this difficulty economically but effectively. They have suggested to the Sunday School Boards of the English-speaking Conferences of Texas that an office be opened at our Publishing House in Dallas, and that said Boards, through the Chairman and Secretary of this Committee, for the first five months of the year 1914, shall have a State Secretary, who shall be a competent stenographer, and shall be subject to the order of the Conference Sunday School Boards, and of presiding elders, district secretaries and any others whose province it is to lead in the Sunday School work. This office to be under the direction of the State President and Secretary or of some one designated by them.

Your Board has approved this plan and has made the necessary appropriation. The Board of the West Texas Conference took the same action. The approval of one or more of the remaining Annual Conferences will make the plan effective.

We urge our presiding elders to arrange for institutes early in the year, and we tender them the services of this office in carrying out their plans. The chief difficulty in rendering effective even the smaller institute lies in the fact that many superintendents and teachers who need to attend these meetings are so situated that they cannot be away from home at night nor for more than a few hours at a time. Some districts have met this difficulty in part by one-day sectional meetings. We therefore suggest that in districts where railroad facilities render the plan feasible a one-day institute be held for superintendents, another for teachers, and perhaps another for pastors. Let the time then spent be given, not to speech-making, but to actual discussion of real problems.

Where it is not possible for the workers of a district to all get together in these one-day meetings, we suggest that districts be divided into convenient groups of pastoral charges, and that such a meeting be held for each group.

We suggest that our Publishing House be urged to send a Sunday School exhibit to all Sunday School Conferences and Institutes that are held under the auspices of our Church. The educational value of such exhibits is incalculable.

Sunday School in Southern Methodist University.

Your Board also notes with approval the proposal of the Texas Methodist Educational Commission to establish a Department of Sunday Schools in Southern Methodist University.

We commend to your favorable consideration the plan which the Commission has adopted looking to the raising of a \$50,-000.00 endowment for this Department.

After Conference with Mr. Frank Reedy, who has been placed in charge of the matter, we make the following suggestions:

First. That the Sunday Schools of Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma be asked to raise as soon as possible an endowment of not less than \$50,000.00 for a chair of Sunday School Pedagogy in Southern Methodist University.

Second. That every Sunday School Board request the Sunday Schools under its supervision to devote a Rally Day collection for 1914 to this cause, and that special stress be placed upon Rally Day.

J. C. MIMMS, President.

A. D. PORTER, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Received on Children's Day Fund before Conference\$ Received at Conference	
Total receipts for year\$ Balance from last year	
Grand total \$1	.114.27

Disbursements as follows:	
J. C. Mimms, Washington trip\$ 89.5 Traveling expenses of Board	5
Bond premium for Treasurer 5.0 A. D. Porter, Secretary, printing 23.9	0
Postal cards and printing same	0
Expenses of Treasurer 5 0	0
Smith and Lamar, agents	8
D. M. Smith, Nashville, 30 per cent	ın.
E. B. Chappell, New Mexico and Arizona. 75.0 Printing minutes 35.0	0
35.0	922.82
Balance on hand	\$ 191,45

R. F. BROWN, Treasurer.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

While we are gratified to learn from the report of the General Secretary that there have been 334 new chapters organized with a membership of 7,000, and many of these new chapters are in the bounds of our own Conference, yet we feel that the League needs a more hearty support and endorsement on the part of our pastors and presiding elders, and we are sure the League does not get the support often it deserves.

And this is strange, because the League occupies a unique place in the organizations of the Church. There is no other organization that can do as efficiently the work the League proposes to do in the training of our young people as efficient workers in the Master's Kingdom. And it is admitted, that the great need of the Church is efficient workers.

It is claimed by those who ought to know that a large part of our present mission force, Sunday School workers and pastors were trained for service in the Epworth League.

We call attention to the Epworth Era and most heartily commend it in its present form, and also its adaptability to the needs of our young people.

We feel that it is absolutely necessary if the League has its proper place and does its work for us to have Special Conferences in districts and in the Annual Conference.

It is imperative that our pastors see to it that the Leagues pay the ten cent assessment and also take the free will offering on League Anniversary Day, in order that the General Office may meet its financial obligations and do its work for the Church.

We rejoice to recognize the value of the encampment movement in the League. These encampments have been fruitful in bringing in inspiration, and in presenting proper ideals of social life. We also are glad to note what has been accomplished at Epworth-by-the-Sea, and we feel that we must provide for the future of this great encampment, and therefore endorse the sale of the present site by the Trustees and purpose to select a more suitable site.

W. J. HEARON, President, W. T. JONES, Secretary.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Though much has been said from time to time about the American Bible Society as a missionary agency, we fail to appreciate what a wonderful force this Society is in propagating the gospel at home and abroad.

The American Bible Society is at work in five continents. It has six main printing centers, and over twelve hundred distributers. The Society is now in the ninety-seventh year of its usefulness. As missionary operations move forward the demand upon the Society increases. The most remarkable demand comes from China, being one million copies in 1912, and indications are that at least two million copies will be needed in 1913. Even in Mexico with all her internal strife, the demand for the Bible is increasing. Thus the American Bible Society is pioneering in missionary work, and preparing the way for the organized efforts of the Church.

Thirty-two languages are represented in our own Southwestern Agency. The world is stirred. Things are happening. Nations long dormant are calling for the light. There are calls at home and abroad for advancement. Now is the time for all who love God and His cause to move forward. The Board expended nearly \$760,000 in 1912, while receipts were only \$601,966. In view of the increased demand the Board has authorized an expenditure for 1914 of \$800,000. The Treasurer of your Conference Board has received during the year \$75.55. From the Conference Teller \$851.00. Total, \$926.55. We appropriate for publishing minutes \$25.00. Assessed for the coming year \$1,000.00.

E. F. BOONE, Chairman,

C. G. SHUTT, Secretary.

Standing and Special Committees.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The importance of the prescribed weekly rest to both man and beast is beyond a proper estimation. It is indispensable to man mentally, physically and morally. The Sabbath is essential to our Christianity, and its proper observance fosters every institution. Its desecration leads to the greatest sins, and debauches society. There is a growing tendency to ignore its sanctity and to convert the day into a day of convenience for anything that the individual may elect. One element of society makes it a day of commercial gain; another a day for pleasure; while comparatively few people regard it as a holy day to be kept as a day of rest and of worship.

The wholesale desecration of the Sabbath calls for the most serious consideration. We can but look with alarm upon the sentiment that tolerates, without protest, the constant inroads being made upon the sanctity of this day. It is hardly necessary to mention the many profanations of this day; yet we will mention Sunday excursions, riding on trains, ball games of all descriptions, the opening of fairs, selling and buying.

We regret to say that many of our Church members are to be found among the Sabbath desecraters. We believe the time has come when our ministers, and members of the Church, should by strict observance of the Sabbath as well as by precept seek to create Sabbath sentiment and should withhold support and encouragement from any phase of Sabbath desecration. We quote approvingly the following from the action of our last General Conference:

- "1. Never before has humanity so much need to devote one day in seven to rest, and communion with God as in these days of absorption in material, worldly enjoyment and social unrest, and, at the same time, never has the temptation to obliterate the Lord's day been so great.
- "2. That we therefore appreciate and commend the faithful efforts of the Sunday League of America to secure in sentiment, in law and in customs, the proper observance of this day throughout this great nation.
- "3. That we render our endorsement of the League and commend its purpose, plans and representatives to the cordial co-operation of all our people."

In this connection we most heartily endorse the work done so faithfully by Rev. R. C. Armstrong, and request the Bishop to reappoint him State Secretary of the Sunday League in America, and urge our pastors to co-operate with him in this great work by giving him access to the people through their pulpits.

Signed:

J. A. RUFFNER, Chairman.

J. F. CLARK, Secretary.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We rejoice to learn from our Book Agents that the business of the Publishing House is in a prosperous condition, and that during the past year there has been a steady growth over the business of previous years. The future is big with hope for this important factor in our Church life.

The total sales for the past year were \$907,949.30, and the total profits were \$97,388.71, being an increase over the previous year of \$15,049.53. During this year a new branch house has been opened at Richmond, Va., and we are gratified to know that it is being loyally supported by our people in that part of our great connection.

We urge our ministers and members to patronize our own Publishing House, for there they will find the best of literature, and by so doing they will foster the business that is our common property.

Our Sunday School literature is as good as the best, and much superior to the stuff peddled over the land by so-called undenominational propagandists. The Sunday School Magazine, the Adult Student, the Senior Quarterly and graded literature are worthy of special commendation, yet we feel that these periodicals could be materially improved by incorporating therein special teachings on the distinctive doctrines, polity and history of our own Church, thereby training our young people in the "way they should go."

Our great central organ, the Christian Advocate, published at Nashville, Tenn., stands at the top in the family of religious advocates, and should be in the homes of all our leading members. It is with deep humility that we are forced to report that this worthy paper has been published at a loss during the past year.

The Epworth Era, though splendidly edited, continues to be a losing enterprise. We specially commend to our preachers and leading laymen our peerless Review, than which there is no better in the land.

The Texas Christian Advocate continues to be the pride of our Texas Methodism. It is in a prosperous condition and is popular with all of our people. We rejoice to note that during the past few months there have appeared in its columns some timely and strong articles on some of our cardinal doctrines. We urge our people to continue to give this splendid Conference organ their moral and material support.

L. A. WEBB, Chairman.

FRANKLIN MOORE, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE.

Since Paul before Felix preached "righteousness, temperance and judgment to come," the Church of Christ has ever held temperance as a cardinal doctrine of Christianity, essential to any nation's welfare. The conflict between the forces of evil and of right intensifies that doctrine today, and places it in the very forefront of the age-long conflict for righteousness.

The record of the last few years shows that prohibition has proved the most effective measure for promoting temperance that the world has ever attempted. In the last few decades the people of the United States, in righteous indignation, have driven the licensed saloon out of more than one-half of the counties of the entire nation, and 51 per cent of the people are now living in "dry" territory. For some time the enemy contended that prohibition did not prohibit, that they sold more liquor in "dry" territory than in "wet" territory. But at last they have been pressed so far that they now confess that it is ruining their trade. Last year thirty-one breweries closed for want of patronage, and more than one million barrels of beer less than the year before was drunk. During the fight prohibition has reduced the amount of distilled liquor consumed by the American people from four gallons annually per capita to about one. A beer journal is responsible for the statement that in wet territory the total amount drunk now averages thirty gallons annually per capita, while in the dry State it is only one and a half. As a means of preventing drink, prohibition is overwhelmingly the greatest success of any measure that has ever been attempted by the American people, and in it lies the only hope of the solution of the liquor problem.

Being a successful temperance method, prohibition becomes essentially a moral question. The Church is not concerned about the politics involved, but preaches prohibition purely as a moral question. This being the case, there is only one consistent position for a Christian to take on this moral question, and a Methodist misrepresents his Church when he either speaks or votes for the saloon.

In as much as the press generally and some politicians are vigorously contending that the temperance question is not the leading question before the people of Texas today, we warn our people against this subtile method of lulling them to sleep on this all-important question. We assert that there is no issue before the people of Texas or of the United States equal in importance to the liquor problem, slaying as it does 300,000 annually in our nation, and corrupting society wherever it touches it. Our members are citizens of a free land and have the obligations of citizens resting upon them. Their obligations to their God demand that they assume the duties of citizenship and help to solve the problems of a Christian nation. No man can be a good Methodist and refuse to assume this obligation.

The record of the past few years shows clearly that the success of prohibition hangs on the election of officers of state in sympathy with the cause. This being the case, we heartily endorse the move to concentrate the votes of the Christian citizenship upon one man in each race for office so as to insure the success of the moral element in the coming elections and ask our constituents to co-operate with such movements. We believe that the question of state-wide prohibition should be re-submitted to a vote of the people of Texas this coming year because of the manifest frauds connected with the last election.

We heartily endorse the work of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas. We believe it to be the one organization that offers to the people hope of final victory to our cause. But we find that criticisms that have appeared in public speech and in the press hostile to our cause have been accepted by some of our pastors and laymen as true without investigation. Investigation has shown that all such statements have been utterly untrue. We beg our people, pastors and members, to treat the League fairly, and accept no criticism without getting the facts from the League, or its friends. The League belongs to all of our Churches—ours among them. We ask our pastors and laymen to give it unqualified support.

As means of promoting temperance we also heartily endorse the Home and State and the Texas Christian Advocate made so effective in this work by our able editor, Dr. Rankin.

We rejoice to know that the Anti-Saloon League has launched a campaign for nation prohibition, and believe that the day is near at hand when there will remain in the United States not one licensed saloon.

Your Committee recommend the appointment of Rev. Atticus Webb as Superintendent of the Fort Worth District of the Anti-Saloon League in response to a request from the State League.

C. W. IRVIN, President, ATTICUS WEBB, Secretary.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The Fort Worth Record is a good record, and well kept, however, there are a few erasures and interlinings.

The Waxahachie Record is splendidly arranged, well written and very neat.

The Brownwood Record is in good condition, has a few erasures, and blots. The Chairman failed to sign the minutes.

The Hillsboro Record has no marginal reference. The ink used is not the same color as that used in the rest of the record. Otherwise this is a very neat record.

The Dublin Record is fairly good in arrangement, penmanship and neatness. The marginal reference is incomplete, and awkwardly arranged. The record fails to state the preaching services and who preached. The Presiding Elder failed to sign the minutes. Some other minor irregularities.

The Cleburne Record is poorly kept, arrangement bad, and penmanship not good. No marginal reference. No separate official roll. Void in capitalization, punctuation, also deficient in spelling and neatness.

The Corsicana Record is a model.

The Georgetown Record is very well kept. The penmanship is not very good, but is free from erasures.

The Weatherford Record is poorly kept. No official roll and no marginal reference. Pages are crowded and too many abbreviations.

The Gatesville Record is a model of neatness and correction.

The Cisco Record has no official roll.

The Waco Record is well kept.

R. F. BROWN, Secretary.

GENERAL STATE OF THE CHURCH.

We rejoice that the great head of the Church is still with us in saving power. There is a clearer note of a greater spiritual awakening among the ministry and membership. The revivals of the year have been more generally powerful to the saving of souls than heretofore, and in many instances great ingatherings have resulted. But we have not yet reached the mark of revival tide that is needful for the saving of the multitudes within the influence of our Church. We respectfully urge our people and preachers to pray for a sweep of revival fire that will grip the souls of all coming under the influence of our ministration.

We note with sadness that there is a decided worldliness creeping in among us that is proving exceedingly harmful. The attractions and enticements of the world are stealing away the love and service of many of our people from our Lord. We call upon our preachers everywhere to sound no uncertain note as to all forms of worldliness.

Believing the family altar to be the bulwark of vitality of our holy religion, a vigorous campaign is urged to induce our people to worship God around the sacred family altar.

The increased liberality of our people in building and equipping churches and in benevolence is a cause for profound gratitude. The Church within our borders is contributing more than ever before for purely benevolent objects.

A cheering note of increased interest and more definite plans of the laymen in the active work of the Church gives encouraging promise that they recognize their joint responsibility in the great work of the Church.

We heartily commend the proposed Social Service Commission and trust it will be the means of making our Church more helpful to the churchless laboring classes.

Rejoicing in past achievements we press forward to greater things.

J. N. VINCENT, Chairman.

W. H. KEENER, Secretary.

ORPHANAGE.

With the official report of our Orphanage at Waco, we join in gratitude for exemption from the epidemic of measles, mumps or typhoid fever, when there has been a scourge of all three in the city.

We attribute this blessing of health largely to the sanitary conditions of the building made possible by the good doctors who attend the Orphanage and the many prayers which have ascended from hearts loyal to the Home all over the State.

The making of men and women of these boys and girls not only requires sturdy bodies, but proper clothing.

It is gratifying to note that these children are being clothed by individuals, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Missionary Societies. The laid-aside old worn garments have been discarded, and as should be. The children are being clad with good new clothing made to fit.

Under the management of Prof. A. N. Brown and his corps of teachers, which include the grade teachers, the domestic science and music teachers, all the children of the Home are in our school this year and are beginning their work with great zeal and enthusiasm.

The playground equipment, which was installed by the city, adds much, not only to the pleasure, but to the physical development of the children.

While the girls are busy with the domestic training, the boys, under the Assistant Manager, Rev. J. N. McCain, are being taught agriculture and dairying.

The crop realized on the farm amounts to 1,800 bales of first-class hay, 1,000 bushels of good heavy corn. The dairy has furnished all milk and butter consumed by the Home.

This is not the only cause of gratitude, but we rejoice in the fact that there have been about forty conversions in the Home and thirty-three accessions to the Church, and three girls who have dedicated their lives for service in the foreign field

Your Committee had before it Dr. R. A. Burroughs, our General Manager, whom we commend most heartily for his wide-awake interest in the Home and faithful management during the pust year, who addressed the Committee in behalf of the work so much needed to prepare the children for life's responsibilities, stating that we needed and must have in the near future a school building, which should be provided with ample chapel room and apparatus for vocational training. By doing this the school rooms now occupied in the two buildings could be utilized for kindergarten-music department and dormitories, thereby greatly increasing our capacity and usefulness.

We also heartily recommend Rev. J. N. McCain, the Assistant Manager, for his efficient work and ask his continuation in the same position.

We recommend and heartily insist that not only the pastors throughout the Conference, but our laymen, co-operate in the securing a Christmas offering commensurate with the needs of the Orphanage and in keeping with the great Church to which we belong.

We further recommend that the same amount (\$4,000.00) be assessed as last year for the new Conference year.

This report would be very incomplete without reference to the deep concern displayed by Rev. A. D. Porter of Morrow Street Church, Waco, who has taken the initiatory step in securing and equiping a modern method of heating the buildings of the Home at a cost of about \$3,000.00.

We heartily commend this and insist that all pastors and laymen enlist our Sunday Schools, Epworth Leagues and Women Mission Societies in raising monies to pay for same.

MAC M. SMITH,

I. E. HIGHTOWER,

Secretary.

Chairman.

SUPERANNUATE HOMES.

It is with profound regret that we record the fact that the voice of Bro. C. E. Brown, which has so earnestly pleaded for the Superannuate Homes work since its organization eight years ago, has been silenced forever. We wish to record our appreciation of his efficiency and faithfulness in this great work. His death makes a vacancy in this Board, and the Presiding Elders, in conformity to the constitution of the Board, have nominated S. J. Vaughan to fill the vacancy and we request you to confirm the same.

At the time of Bro. Brown's death, he was preparing a brief history of each Home to be placed upon our records, and printed in the Journal of the Conference. We regret that he was not able to complete this work. We therefore earnestly request the occupants of these Homes to send to our Secretary, W. B. Andrews, a brief statement of the history of their Homes.

Just at this time there is urgent need for several new Homes, and we earnestly request the Presiding Elders and Pastors to open the way in their charge for the prosecution of this work in order that these homeless ones may be provided with shelter.

We recommend that the Bishop appoint D. L. Collie to the agency for Superannuate Homes.

J. A. WHITEHURST, President.

W. B. ANDREWS, Secretary.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

We have examined the books of all Treasurers and find them correct.

Respectfully submitted,

M. A. TURNER,

K. P. BARTON, W. J. MAYHEW.

WALTER GRIFFITH.

S. B. SAWYERS.

REPORT OF B. H. WOODS, CONFERENCE TELLER.

I have received and turned over to the proper Treasurers, the following:

Bishop Fund\$	2,588.00
Conference Claimants	11,600.00
Foreign Missions	9,626.00
Domestic Missions	11,112.00
Church Extension	7,383.00
Education	13,686.00
Educational Extension	126.00
Bible Cause	851.00
Delegates' Expenses	766.00
Endowment	183.00

Orphanage	\$ 1,879.15
Children's Day	298.40
Washington Church	
Miscellaneous Items	
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B. H. WOODS, JR., Teller.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESCUE HOME AND WORK IN SAN ANTONIO.

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Your committee on the Rescue Home and Work in San Antonio has had a full statement and explanation from Rev. J. D. Scott, Commissioner appointed by the West Texas Conference to look after the interests of the institution. Approximately 1,020 girls have passed through this Home. It is now proposed to place it upon a firmer basis and to enlarge its scope. The work done does not cover the same ground as that of the Virginia K. Johnson Home in Dallas. The salary of the Commissioner is provided for by the West Texas Conference, but the co-operation of the other Conferences of Texas Methodism is now sought. We make the following recommendations:

- 1. We express our hearty sympathy with this good cause, and as far as practicable, open our churches to Brother Scott during the present Conference year, extending to him our good will and hearty co-operation.
- 2. The future relationship of our Conference to this work will require more extended consideration and we refer the subject to our Social Service Commission for report at our next annual session.

Two other matters, not directly connected with the San Antonio Rescue Home, but having a more general bearing, have been brought to our attention.

First, next Sunday has been set aside as Purity Sunday. We hope that our pastors will on suitable occasion, give the subject adequate treatment.

Secondly, the International Purity Congress is now meeting in Minneapolis. We recommend that the Christian greeting and hearty good-will of this Conference be transmitted to the Congress in a night letter.

JOHN C. GRANBERY, C. R. WRIGHT, J. A. RICE.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT.

We, the Board of Adjustment, respectfully recommend the following assessments:

Church Extension	.\$10.725.00
Conference Claimants	15 000 00
Education and Educational Extension	20.720.00
Orphanage	4 000 00
Bishops	3.286.00
Foreign Missions	14,500.00
Home Missions	22 600 00
Bible Society	1,000.00

These figures represent a decrease in the aggregate assessment of \$518.00 as compared with last year.

The Boards have asked for only those amounts that are absolutely necessary for the maintenance of their work and any reduction in these assessments would seriously hinder and retard the work of the Conference.

RESOLVED, that at the appointment of the Quadrennial Boards next year, the Board of Adjustment be made a standing Board of this Conference.

(Signed)

F. P. CULVER, President. ALONZO MONK, JR., Sec.

Resolutions.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT.

WHEREAS, according to our past custom of presenting reports from Boards and Committees at different sessions of the Conference, we are not able to act wisely on such reports because, first, we do not know what the aggregate amount of the assessments will be or what they should be; and we do not know what an equitable division of this aggregate amount among the Boards and Committees will be;

Therefore Be It Resolved, First, that there be constituted a Board of Adjustment of one man from each district to be appointed by the Presiding Elder of each district and that the representative from the Fort Worth District shall call the Board for organization.

Second, that it shall be the duty of the said Board to ascertain the aggregate amount of all assessments and collections sought, and if deemed best, to correct this amount, and by this final amount to suggest, if necessary an alteration to any Board or Committee in the appropriation sought by that Board or Committee. It shall be the further duty of the said Board to adopt any measures to facilitate its work.

Third, that no assessment or collection shall be placed upon the Churches by this Conference until the said Board shall have recommended an aggregate amount for all assessments and the amount for said assessment or collection.

Fourth, that this resolution shall constitute the Ninth Standing Rule of this Conference.

(Signed)

ALONZO MONK, JR., E. B. HAWK, and many others.

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY CONTROVERSY.

Whereas, the question of appointment of trustees, and hence the ownership and control of Vanderbilt University, is now pending on appeal before the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, and

Whereas, the only decision thus far rendered in the litigation has wholly sustained every contention of the Church against the present majority of the Board of Trustees, and

Whereas, in the light of this decision already rendered, the presumption is altogether in favor of Church ownership and control of the University, and

Whereas, in the solicitation and later acceptance of the recent gift of \$1,000,000 from Mr. Andrew Carnegie despite the conditions attached, which expresses disapproval of Church ownership and control and would impair the rights of the Church in the

University, the majority of the Board of Trustees have acted contrary to the wishes of the College of Bishops acting for the Church and in the capacity of a Board of visitors to the University, Therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in annual session assembled,

- 1. That we deplore and condemn the action of Chancellor Kirkland and the Executive Committee of the University in soliciting this donation at this time; and in view of the litigation now pending, such action is not only inconsiderate of the feelings and wishes of the Church, but is open to the serious suspicion of design to influence public sentiment against the Church, and, if possible, the pending litigation.
- 2. That the acceptance of this gift with the conditions attached, despite the veto of the Board of Visitors, constitutes a gross breach of trust, and is a betrayal of the ideals and spiritual interests of the Church for a pecuniary consideration.
- 3. That we heartily indorse the action of the College of Bishops and the Minority Trustees in this matter, and assure them of our appreciation of their course and pledge them our sympathy and support.

Signed:

W. B. ANDREWS,
T. S. ARMSTRONG,
JOHN R. MORRIS,
JAMES W. DOWNS,
JEROME HARALSON,
EARNEST L. LLOYD,
JAMES M. ROBERTSON,
H. D. KNICKERBOCKER,
S. J. RUCKER.

THE COMMISSION ON SOCIAL SERVICE OF TEXAS METHODISM.

Whereas, there is a great and increasing emphasis laid by the moral and spiritual leaders of today upon the social mission of the Christian Church, an emphasis that we believe to be an expression of the thought of Him who came to open blind eyes, make the lame to walk, and the deaf to hear, to set the prisoners free and proclaim the Gospel to the poor, and

Whereas, In order most clearly and fully to occupy our place in this great modern movement and make ourselves as a Conference most effective in the exercise of our social function, it is necessary to create an instrument for the expression of the thought and the doing of the will of the Church,

Resolved, That we unite with the German Mission Conference and the West Texas Conference, the following plan of organization of a Commission of Social Service to Texas Methodism and invite the other Conferences to unite with us in the adoption of the plan:

- 1. Each of the five Conferences shall elect two members of the Commission, preachers or laymen, to act as the Conference Commission and to form part of the State Commission. The German Mission Conference and the Mexican Border Conference and the New Mexico Conference (for that part lying within Texas), shall each be entitled to one member.
- 2. The members shall be elected on nomination of the Presiding Elders, and shall serve for two years. During an interim, vacancies may be filled by the Commission itself.
- 3. Five shall constitute a quorum of the Joint Commission. The first one chosen by any one of the Conferences shall have authority to call all together for organization. The form of organization shall be determined by the Commission itself. There must be a meeting of the Joint Commission at least once a year.
- 4. The failure of any Conference to approve the plan or to appoint members of the Commission shall not vitiate the plan.
- 5. The Conference Commissions and the State Commission shall do everything possible to apply Christian principles to our social life, and to keep before the Church the urgency of her social mission, especially in connection with the State Conference of Charities and Correction; provided, however, that the Church shall be held responsible for acts of the Commission only so far as the Church has spoken.

(Signed)

JOHN A. RICE, W. L. NELMS, and many others.

THE MEMORIAL ADOPTED BY CLEBURNE DISTRICT CON-FERENCE JUNE 3, 1913 AND ENDORSED BY THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

Whereas, The present law of the Church which authorizes a District Conference and prescribes its membership, does not make said Conference uniform throughout the Church, as are all other Conferences, and,

Whereas, The present method of selecting delegates to the District Conference, as prescribed by this Annual Conference and many others, does not make the lay members of the District Conference a bona fide representative of the laity of the church and.

Whereas, There is a manifest desire throughout the connection, for a more definite and active alignment of the laymen with the whole work of the Church, and,

Whereas, We believe that a change in the method of selecting the lay members of the District Conference, and the adoption of a method uniform throughout the Church will go far toward securing this end, Therefore be it

Resolved, by the Cleburne District Conference that we request that Central Texas Conference in its Annual Session at Temple, Texas, to memoralize the General Conference at its next session to change the discipline as follows:

1. Strike out all that part of Paragraph 69, answer to beginning with "And of laymen." Insert in the place thereof the following: "And one Layman for every seventy-five members of the Church or fraction of two-thirds thereof, to be elected by the Church Conference, provided that each organized society shall have at least one member, the preacher in charge shall call a Church Conference in each organized society annually previously to the meeting of the District Conference for the purpose of electing these delegates. The election may be either viva voce or ballot, and every member of the Church shall be entitled to a vote."

BISHOP ATKINS' EDUCATIONAL WORK.

RESOLVED, That this Conference appreciates profoundly the educational work achieved under the remarkable leadership of Bishop Atkins during the quadrennium now closing.

JOHN A. RICE, SAM J. RUCKER.

BISHOP ATKINS' PRESIDENCY.

WHEREAS, Bishop James Atkins has served our Conference as president for the past quadrennium and,

WHEREAS, he led us wisely through a most important and critical period in the history of our Church. Therefore be it,

Resolved, First, That we hereby express our sincere appreciation of his wise and statesmanlike leadership, his considerate and courteous treatment from the chair and his brotherly fellowship shown in private.

Resolved, Second, that whether he be sent elsewhere or returned to us in the future, our sympathy and prayers shall continue with him indefinitely.

Signed:

H. D. KNICKERBOCKER, F. F. DOWNS, JOHN R. NELSON, and others.

MR. LESESNE AS REPORTER.

WHEREAS, for several years the Galveston Dallas Daily News has had at the sessions of our Conference, Mr. S. M. Lesesne, a man who thoroughly understands Methodist terminology and who is attentive to the business of the body, whose reports have ever been fair and truthful, and,

Whereas, the next session of our General Conference is expected to have very important matters affecting our Southern Methodism before it, and,

Whereas, these papers have extensive circulation throughout this State and have the confidence of the people as news organs.

Therefore be it Resolved, That this Conference request the publishers of these papers to send Mr. Lesesne to the seat of our next General Conference as reporter of its proceedings.

JEROME HARALSON, H. A. BOAZ.

EDUCATIONAL UNITY.

Resolved, That we heartily approve the plea of Bishop Atkins just made, for unity of action in our educational work, and here and now enter into solemn covenant with one another as brethren in the Christian ministry and with God that we will at all cost and by all means, stand together in untiring united effort to establish a system of educational institutions for Texas and the Southwest.

JOHN A. RICE, H. B. HENRY.

THANKS TO THE TELLER.

Resolved, That in view of the long and efficient services rendered by our Conference Teller, B. H. Woods, Jr., we hereby express our appreciation and tender our thanks to Bro. Woods.

W. E. BOGGS, H. D. KNICKERBOCKER, JOHN R. NELSON, C. R. WRIGHT.

THANKS FOR HOSPITALITY.

Resolved, That the sincere thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to the good people of Temple for their generous hospitality, to Rev. E. A. Smith, P. C., and his committees, for their untiring efforts in our behalf, to the First National Bank for courtesies tendered, to the railroads for reduced rates, and to the Dallas News, Fort Worth Record and the Temple Telegram for reports given.

H. A. BOAZ, JOHN A. RICE,

MINUTES OF LAYMEN'S MEETING, FRIDAY, NOV. 7th, 1913.

A meeting of the laymen in attendance on the Conference was called by Judge W. E. Williams in the Board of Missions room at 2:30 p. m. of Nov. 7th. About fifty laymen were present, also several members of the Conference Board of Missions.

Judge Williams was nominated for Leader for the following year, and his name was presented for election before the Conference at the proper time. Jno. H. Garner, of Cisco, was elected to the position of Vice-Leader of the Conference, to assist Judge Williams in the work. Walter Amsler, of McGregor, was elected Secretary.

Reports were had from all District Leaders present, viz.: Jno. H. Garner, Cisco District; C. C. Lewis, Cleburne District; Prof. Blair, Corsicana District; Prof. Webb, Fort Worth District; Walter Amsler, Gatesville District; Prof. Barcus, Waco District; and W. R. Witherspoon, Weatherford District. Reports showed that considerable activity had been displayed in the laymen's work during the past year.

Upon motion and second it was decided unanimously to indorse the proposition to raise as a special in the Conference this year \$10,500 for the building of the great institutional plant in Soochow, China. The declaration, as published below, was unanimously adopted by the laymen.

The meeting closed with a very interesting short address by Dr. W. W. Pinson, General Secretary of the General Board of Missions, his talk bearing mainly upon the work the laymen of this Conference are undertaking to do this year, with special reference to the history of the work at Soochow, China, where the new church is to be built.

This meeting of the laymen at Temple was the most interesting and enthusiastic meeting the laymen have held at Conference for the last four years, and it portends a great awakening interest among the laymen for the work of the coming year.

WALTER AMSLER, Secretary.

DECLARATIONS OF THE LAYMEN.

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.

In order that we may have some definite object toward which to work for the coming year, and at the suggestion of the General Board of Missions, and with the indorsement of our Conference Lay Leader and the several District Leaders, we desire to undertake to raise a fund of \$10,500 for the building of a great evangelistic and institutional plant on Hong Kong Avenue, in Soochow, China.

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, Fort Worth,
Conference Leader.

J. FRANK TURNER, Brownwood,
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C. C. LEWIS, Cleburne,
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Temple, Texas, Nov. 7th, 1913.

District Leaders.

TABULAR STATEMENT

Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

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Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

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Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

Total, Table 1.	\$ 3,200 175 160 160 1,265 1,265 1,267 1,20		\$ 762 1,225 250 844 227 185 320
Loss Collected.	ef-		69
Premium Paid.	\$ 100 32 50 120 120 100 62 62 100 100 100 100		\$ 100 27 115
Insurance Carried.	\$ 40,000 1,250 1,000 1,000 1,000 2,000 2,000 1,550		3,500 5,500 4,000
Amount of Damage.	60-		6
Churches Damaged or Destroyed.			
Expended for Churches,	\$ 300 175 175 1,180 1,18		0 \$ 762 1,225 1,225 150 110 112 1185 247
Value of Other Church Property.	\$ 1,500 6,600 139,000 139,000 2,000 2,000 1,145,150	ļ	\$ 400
Indebtedness on Parsonages.	\$ 1,284	ļ	550
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Additions on Profession of Faith.	72 140 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 15		01 481 147 828 77
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Membership, Baptisms and Church Property.

RECAPITULATION.

Total, Table 1.	\$ 14,773 5,643 17,316 26,311 9,260 16,692 37,221 59,192 13,960 10,892 5,448 5,2448
Loss Collected.	650
Premium Paid.	\$ 308 162 236 216 216 618 618 1,298 443 644 444 444 444 66,336
Insurance Carried.	\$ 32,625 \$2,250 63,250 61,250 51,250 51,250 156,450 186,650 188,650 183,750 183,750 183,760
Amount of Damage.	\$
Churches Damaged or Destroyed.	21111
Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	\$ 12,582 5,487 16,837 16,837 25,904 8,659 15,790 28,659 28,266 19,266 19,312 10,445 10
Value of Other Church Property	6,464 4,650 5,285 2,775 2,750 405,600 91,000 1,250 1,2
Indebtedness on Parsonages.	\$ 4,590 2,358 2,358 2,358 1,281 6,060 2,265 1,570 1,284 2,456 2,456 2,456 2,456 2,456
Value of Parsonages.	\$ 30,100 22,100 32,350 41,700 28,950 47,700 22,850 70,550 70,550 22,830 8438,380
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Value of Houses of Worship.	\$ 94,000 96,600 186,500 101,235 101,235 129,670 129,670 129,670 187,425 119,900 104,730
Number of Houses of Worship.	200 500 500 500 500 500 500 84 84 83 83 83 83 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84
Number of Societies in Charge.	527 546 571 571 571 571 571 571 571 571 571 571
Infants Baptized.	67 85 85 110 1110 1126 81 81 91 91 91 1132
Adults Baptized.	137 234 332 332 332 345 266 345 345 345 345 345 345 345 345 345 345
Present Total Membership.	5,518 6,787 6,6487 7,097 7,097 7,118 6,496 7,322 6,322 79,030
Removals by Death	1,246 651 1,525 1,262 1,578 1,578 1,104 797 878 878 878 878 1,104 1797 878 11,104 11,104 11,341
Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	513 298 810 810 864 496 1,158 1,025 1,025 451 733 490 406 406
Additions on Profession of Faith.	266 322 549 544 554 557 380 494 494 388 505 543 543 543 543 543 543 543 543 543 54
Members, Reported Last Year.	5,957 6,962 6,960 6,960 6,076 6,286 6,321 7,054 7,054 7,054 7,054 7,054 7,054 7,054 7,054
Local Preachers.	27 28 29 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25
NAME OF CHARGE	Br'wnwood- Cisco - Cieburne

Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

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Net Total, Table 2.	154	1,079	1,909	86	88	175 362	106	4 4	ĸĉ
Less Amount Else. where Reported.	425	8 10	115		88	75	138		986
Total for This Table.	199	633 633 633	2,024	282	22,92	250	244	8 2	6,154\$
Total for All Societies	403 \$	834 833 833	1,603	88	88	115	138	606	4,084 \$
Amount of Money Collected.	403 \$	838 833 833	494	38	228	115	138	07.0	2,881 \$
Members.	482	8 13	-8	12	<u> </u>	£1 4	15	66	888
No. of W. H. M. Societies.			1	П		~~	ır		13.
Amount of Money Collected.	34	633	1,109		15	24		14	\$ 1,836
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No. of W. F. M. Societies.	F	j _H H	101	ii	17	İ	i		7 00
Total Amount Raised by Sunday Schools.	888	<u> </u>	<u>-</u> 988	222	28.18	135	9 8 8	45	cı,
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Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions.		82 83	06			93	4		\$ 284 \$
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No. of Officers and Teachers.	883	288	8 2 5	2 63 4	42.6	122	1000	257	408
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Total Raised by Leagues.		2002	25	er					\$ 105
For Other Objects.	10	4 .c Z		13					73
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Total League Members	28	388	8	4			55		316
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Junior Leagues.	THE	77					н		*
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Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

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Total for All Societies	8	1,312 \$	267 123
Amount of Money Collected.	178 \$ 360 360 360 361 361 361 37 37 381 311 361 361 361 361 361 361 361 361 36	1,312 \$	123
Members.	\$ 22 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1502	888
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Amount of Money Collected,	88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88	65	188
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Total Amount Raised by Sunday Schools.	216 288 888 216 10 10 92 200 200 200 124 124 127 118 118 118 118 118 118 118 118 118 11	€ /€	\$ 45 \$ 45 \$ 45
For Other Objects.	35.8 72 72 72 100 100 103 112 112 112 112 113 113 114 115 116 117 117 117 117 117 117 117	5	8 28
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No. of Officers and Teachers.	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	5	13 23
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Total Raised by Leagues,	\$ 900	25	. !
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Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

Net Total, Table 2.	201,188 202 202 202 202 202 202 202 201 201 201	\$ 145 141 2,705 255 874
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Total for All Societies.	\$ 811 525 398 398 2966 296 50 1121 1121 87 87	\$ 15 188 1,617 125 579
Amount of Money Collected.	\$ 702 3988 3988 337 387 82 82 82 82 44 40 40 40 40 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87	188
Members.	85 87 839 839 154 115 117 14 115 1286	40
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Amount of Money Collected.	\$ 100 60 60 26 26 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	40 125 23 70
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Total Amount Raised by Sunday Schools.	\$ 534 242 242 226 222 222 222 226 168 168 108 108 108 108 128 128 128 128 128 138 148 158 168 178 188 188 188 188 188 188 188 188 18	. es
For Other Objects.	\$ 380 1850 1950 1970 1970 1970 1970 1970 1970 1970 197	DISTRICT. 5 \$ 50 2 172 42 561 5 100 3 242
For Children's Day.	\$ 8 10 40 80 7 8 11 12 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	60
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Total No. Scholars.	\$ 3837 5200 5200 5200 5200 5201 5201 5201 5201	. 1
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Total Raised by Leagues.	\$\frac{37}{27}\$	\$
For Other Objects.	808	50 50 15 48
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Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Woman's Work.

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

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Net Total, Table 2.	\$ 1,633 1,633 1,633 387 914 736 260 212 140 272 638 187 75	\$ 7,584	· .	\$ 119 242 392 43 43
Less Amount Else- where Reported.	153 273 470 222 222 222 13 88 88 62 62 62	\$ 1,672	•	14
Total for This Table.	\$ 1,670 1,786 1,786 1,829 738 817 817 140 140 110 111	\$ 9,257	•	\$-242 406 43 823
Total for All Societies.	997 273 873 873 84 630 84 171 177 630 630 630 630 630 630 630 630 630 630	\$ 4,559		3 15 134 287 43
Amount of Money Collected.	978 978 978 784 630 630 84 18 18 18 18 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63 63	\$ 4,370		134 134 285 43
Members.	141 61 40 30 45 32 32 32 45 40 40 40 43 18	473		2882
No. of W. H. M. Societies.		13		
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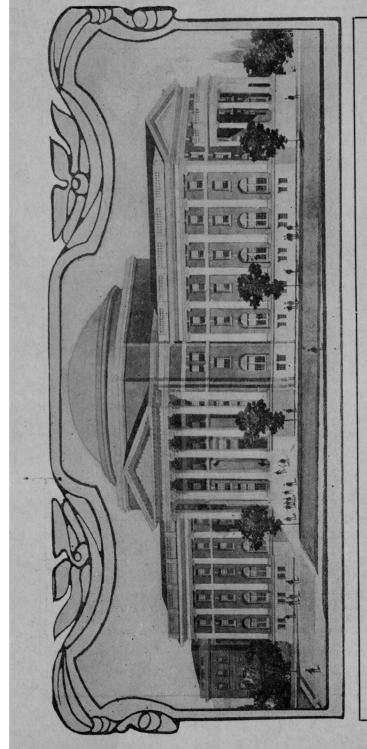
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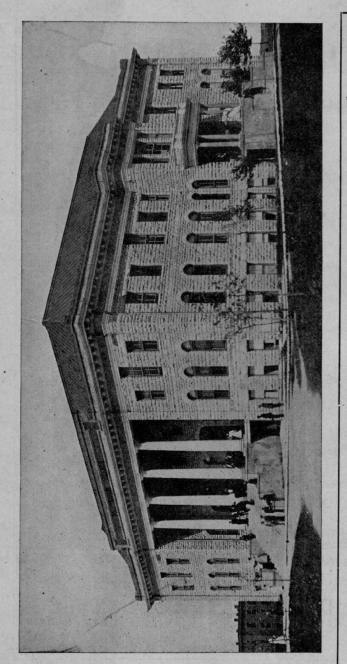
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