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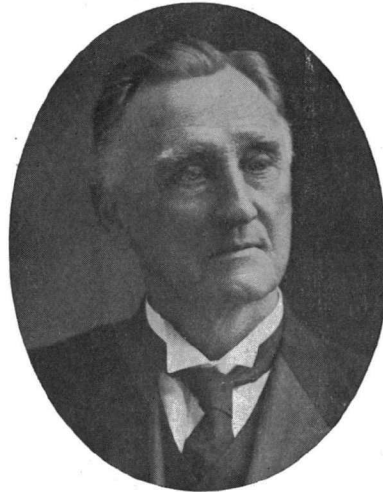
Dedication.

Fifty victorious years ago, a noble band went forth, trumpeting aloud redemption through the blood of the All-Atoning Lamb.

Forty of that number "saved from earth appear before their Savior's face"—

ONE still lingers where the bending sun hangs loops and tassels of gold on horizon's western rim.

TO THESE GLORY-COVERED FORTY-ONE, we, the grateful children of their faith and prayers, most humbly dedicate this, The Golden-Jubilee Journal of the Central Texas Conference.



REV. JNO. P. MUSSETT,
Who Preached the Jubilee Sermon.

The Lone Soldier.

A soldier at the close of day
Stands calm, serene, alone,
He looks back o'er the long hard way—
His comrades all are gone.

That noble band of forty-one,
Who fifty years ago
Strode forth beneath the blazing sun,
To meet a brazen foe.

He stands alone of that brave band,
Beside the sun-down-bars,—
Victor in Emanuel's land,
We love thee for thy scars!

We've seen thee fighting where the thrills
Of battles surge and roll,
We've heard thy shout among the hills,
Where glory fills the soul.

Oh, soldier-man, Oh gospel-knight!
Survey the battle fields,
Behold how wrong gives way to right,
Mark how the evil yields!

Ten times thy forty, even more,
Now occupy the ground,
The ground which fifty years before,
Thy noble two score found

With armor bright and gleaming sword,
This strengthening battle line
Goes forth to conquest through His Word,
Their conquering power and thine.

A short time and the sun is down,
Yet, setting brings not night,
But rich reward, a victor's crown—
At evening time 'tis light.

A. D. Porter.

Dedicated to Rev. J. P. Mussett,
The only surviving member.

Annual Conference Calendar and Comparative Statistics from 1866, Date of Organization, to 1916.

PLACE HELD	DATE	BISHOP	SECRETARY	Itinerant Preachers	No. on Trial	Members	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	Sunday Schools	S. S. Scholars	Churches	Value	Parsonages	Value	Church of Other Property
Waxahachie	1866	Marvin	Ray	38	3	4035	102	150	10	463					61000
Waco	1867	McLoyre	Crabb	33	2	4100	261	152	13	527					49200
Springfield	1868	Doggett	McCarver	37	6	6011	1009	280	35	1420					52000
Weatherford	1869	Wightman	Ray	35	7	7130	557	329	47	2098					53570
Waxahachie	1870	Marvin	Ray	46	4	8633	634	372	50	2024					138570
Corsicana	1871	Marvin	McCarver	6	12	10978	112	759	64	2977					165750
Belton	1872	Keener	McCarver	53	16	12439	1336	666	78	3439					176880
Waco	1873	Kavanaugh	McCarver	58	14	14251	1108	638	57	4390	77	138340	6	4350	
Weatherford	1874	McLoyre	Ray	55	14	16522	1638	968	114	4950	84	124650	13	10300	
Corsicana	1875	Pierce	Ray	82	13	18107	1396	1327	113	5872	101	118538	21	15990	
Calvert	1876	Doggett	Ray	84	23	19644	1727	1238	139	6713	108	114076	26	16765	
Waco	1877	Wightman	Ray	104	3	22184	1769	1250	131	6465	110	129666	28	13965	
Belton	1878	Keener	Swofford	111	18	24822	1720	1354	178	7208	119	136520	34	22200	
Fort Worth	1879	McLoyre	Ray	114	27	27261	.....	1901	203	10150	139	151835	39	22200	
Waco	1880	Pierce	Ray	109	39	28206	.....	1834	221	12837	166	166741	48	28725	
Waxahachie	1881	Kavanaugh	Ray	131	33	29200	.....	1833	228	11526	161	182076	56	31250	
Cleburne	1882	Parker	Ray	126	20	23669	1079	1088	198	10448	129	168796	53	31265	
Georgetown	1883	Parker	Ray	126	20	23669	1079	1088	198	10448	129	168796	53	31265	
Waco	1884	McLoyre	Ray	124	21	28624	2314	1456	197	11834	197	225656	69	41447	
Waco	1885	McLoyre	Ray	142	13	33312	2931	1516	233	13914	179	243400	71	47076	
Lampasas	1886	Keener	Ray	147	14	36310	3081	1701	243	16659	199	270394	81	49870	
Fort Worth	1887	Wilson	Ray	146	16	36548	2010	1307	247	16306	189	299130	83	52645	
Weatherford	1888	Hendrix	Swofford	146	17	37036	1653	1255	290	17397	167	307718	84	55784	
Belton	1889	Key	Ray	151	21	39331	2667	1428	331	13361	226	252824	91	68372	
Abilene	1890	Key	Barcus	192	26	45301	3149	1815	372	22392	268	434701	110	90250	
Corsicana	1891	Fitzgerald	Barcus	197	32	50344	3733	2170	400	24104	292	473594	124	109095	

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Waco	1892	Hargrove	Barcus	298	26	54477	8415	1384	409	2505	313	520554	148	123374	
Fort Worth	1893	Wilson	Barcus	214	25	59345	4573	2299	451	2835	328	577756	146	129965	
Hillsboro	1894	Hargrove	Barcus	226	17	62501	4523	2028	478	3078	338	598837	150	141932	
Temple	1895	Duncan	Barcus	228	17	63095	3248	1847	461	8112	340	616965	178	142533	
Waxahachie	1896	Keener	Barcus	229	23	6894	3922	1854	469	8143	363	617446	171	142894	
Weatherford	1897	Galloway	Barcus	231	22	67819	3331	1777	545	8327	383	702077	184	153164	
Brownwood	1898	Hargrove	Barcus	230	23	68911	1504	1212	475	8225	406	708951	200	158489	
Cleburne	1899	Hargrove	Barcus	232	26	68867	2401	1378	459	8132	413	678468	195	157075	306800
Georgetown	1900	Candler	Barcus	233	26	67093	2157	1116	490	8261	421	760819	202	190075	312300
Corsicana	1901	Wilson	Barcus	233	26	71841	3938	1975	526	41089	470	836947	205	193030	325800
Temple	1902	Hendrix	Barcus	244	27	70013	3721	1574	532	43474	481	967579	205	196733	341300
Fort Worth	1903	Duncan	Barcus	261	23	72013	3721	1574	532	43474	481	967579	205	196733	341300
Mineral Wells	1904	Hoss	Barcus	282	30	75133	3834	1338	856	48488	531	107956	220	244438	523570
Hillsboro	1905	Hoss	Barcus	282	26	78486	3645	1338	856	48488	531	107956	220	244438	523570
Brownwood	1906	Hoss	Barcus	302	34	82030	3469	1446	618	65834	642	122704	234	331454	583000
Amarillo	1907	Candler	Barcus	329	38	89762	6218	1729	655	60944	642	122704	234	331454	583000
Waco	1908	Key	Barcus	340	46	98006	6363	1801	710	77035	607	178917	284	470345	823000
Stamford	1909	Key	Barcus	360	58	106586	6325	1959	734	77035	630	187216	294	499449	1134000
Waxahachie	1910	Atkins	Barcus	228	32	76880	3637	1160	497	66211	467	118865	139	367163	1007750
Fort Worth	1911	Atkins	Morris	248	24	77636	2987	1065	520	68712	581	115782	202	382210	845000
Cleburne	1912	Atkins	Morris	248	26	78860	3492	1069	511	64087	484	116073	193	385085	820100
Temple	1913	Atkins	Morris	261	39	79030	3336	1132	611	68699	499	190180	209	438380	820100
Hillsboro	1914	McCoy	Porter	274	34	78261	3008	972	622	64075	502	198684	206	428536	820100
Corsicana	1915	McCoy	Porter	267	19	79261	3917	1129	623	67918	501	201178	208	446431	820100
Waxahachie	1916	McCoy	Porter	271	18	81156	3640	1063	624	68810	506	203126	214	458950	1000000

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Historical Conference Roll,

NAME	POSTOFFICE	Admitted on	Trial	Conference	Entered this Conf.		Present Relation
					Years Effective		
Adams, J. F.	Covington	1908		N. W. Tex.	1908	8	E.
Alsop, B. F.	Valera	1906		N. W. Tex.	1906	10	E.
Andrews, A. L.	Ft. Worth	1886		N. Alabama	1916	16	E.
Andrews, W. B.	Georgetown	1887		N. Ala.	1894	29	P.F.
Armstrong, J. M.	Gorman	1883		N. Geo.	1891	33	E.
Armstrong, T. S.	Ennis	1883		E. Tex.	1890	33	E.
Armstrong, R. C.	Ft. Worth	1872		E. Tex.	1876	44	E.
Ashburne, S. A.	Bruceville	1882		N. Tex.	1908	34	E.
Bailey, R. O.	Gordon	1897		E. Tex.	1912	18	S'y
Bailey, Wm. G.	Ft. Worth	1912		C. Tex.	1912	4	E.
Baird, J. V.*	Mart			E. Okla.	1913		E.
Baird, S. C.†	Purdon	1883		Tenn.	1906	30	E.
Baldrige, J. H.	Ft. Worth	1905		N. W. Tex.	1905	11	E.
Barcus, J. M.	Hillsboro	1882		N. W. Tex.	1882	34	P.E.
Barcus, T. S.	Ft. Worth	1898		N. W. Tex.	1898	18	E.
Barton, K. P.	Brownwood	1897		E. Tex.	1908	10	E.
Bell, Claud F.	Springtown	1913		N. W. Tex.	1913	3	E.
Bergin, J. W.	Temple	1897		Texas	1916		E.
Berry, J. B.	Arlington	1901		N. W. Tex.	1901	15	E.
Bickley, C. A.	Cleburne	1906		N. W. Tex.	1906	10	E.
Bishop, C. M.	Georgetown	1887		Holston	1914	29	E.
Bishop, Horace	Waxahachie	1868		N. W. Tex.	1868	48	P.E.
Bloodworth, J. T.	Ft. Worth	1883		N. W. Tex.	1883	33	E.
Boaz, H. A.	Polytechnic	1889		N. W. Tex.	1889	27	E.
Bond, J. M.	Malone	1911		C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Boone, E. F.	Ft. Worth	1868		E. Tex.	1887	43	S'd
Booth, C. H.	Georgetown	1901		W. Tex.	1914	15	E.
Boulware, W. T.	Emmett	1913		C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Bowden, W. M.	Ft. Worth	1908		N. W. Tex.	1908	8	E.
Bowman, H. C.	Talpa	1908		N. W. Tex.	1908	8	E.
Bowman, J. Hall	Hamilton	1906		N. W. Tex.	1906	10	E.
Bowman, T. E.	Rogers	1903		N. Tex.	1909	13	E.
Braswell, J. H.	Alvarado	1886		N. Ala.	1894	30	E.
Bridges, E. W.	Penelope	1912		C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Brockett, C. T.	Meridian	1913		C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Brooks, H. F.	Mineral Wells	1908		N. W. Tex.	1908	8	E.
Brown, R. F.	Waco	1904		N. W. Tex.	1904	12	E.
Browning, C. L.	Milford	1892		N. W. Tex.	1892	22	E.
Broxton, Preston	Whitt	1910		N. W. Tex.	1910	6	E.
Bryan, Gid J.	Grandview	1905		N. W. Tex.	1905	11	E.
Burton, T. H.	Big Hill	1913		C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Campbell, G. F.	Dublin	1887		Louisville	1903	29	E.
Campbell, James	Rising Star	1873		N. W. Tex.	1894	42	S'd
Canafax, J. J.	Rising Star	1875		N. W. Tex.	1875	31	S'd
Capps, R. T.	Sipe Springs	1911		C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Carraway, A. E.	Killeen	1884		S. Geo.	1891	32	E.
Carter, J. C.	Carlton	1872		Memphis	1886	27	S'd
Cartwright, C. L.	Waxahachie	1903		N. W. Tex.	1900	16	E.
Chappell, A. C.	Graham	1907		N. W. Tex.	1907	9	E.
Chenoweth, E. B.	Brighton, Mo.	1890		Denver	1906	26	S'd
Chunn, M. M.	Aledo	1912		C. Tex.	1912	4	E.
Clark, H. B.	DeLeon	1905		N. W. Tex.	1905	11	E.
Clark, J. F.	Holland	1896		N. Ala.	1911	10	E.
Clark, L. A.	Zephyr	1898		N. W. Tex.	1898	18	E.
Clark, M. W.	Maypearl	1900		C. Tex.	1914	13	E.
Clarke, W. A.	Azle	1894		N. Tex.	1912	22	E.
Collie, D. L.	Polytechnic	1871		Louisville	1904	45	E.
Cosgrove, A. D.	Gatesville	1914		C. Tex.	1914	2	D.
Council, Murand	Scranton	1912		C. Tex.	1912	4	E.
Cox, E. V.	Waco	1891		N. W. Tex.	1891	25	E.

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Crawford, J. E.	Waco	1905	N. W. Tex.	1905	11	E.
Crawford, W. H.	Midlothian	1879	E. Tex.	1892	36	S'd
Crabtree, Elmer	Bristol	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	E.
Creed, J. J.	Winters	1899	Texas	1900	17	E.
Crosby, R. A.	Frost	1898	Indian Miss.	1916	1	E.
Crow, B. S.	Alvarado, R. F. D.	1906	N. W. Tex.	1906	10	E.
Culver, F. P.	Waco	1888	N. Ala.	1906	23	E.
Curry, J. B.	Ballinger	1901	N. W. Tex.	1901	15	E.
Curry, W. N.	Morgan	1893	N. W. Tex.	1893	23	E.
Daniel, C. W.	Kennedale	1879	N. W. Tex.	1879	37	E.
Dickenson, J. W.	Polytechnic	1879	N. W. Tex.	1879	23	S'y
Diltz, C. B.	Hamilton	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Dobbs, H. M.	S. M. U. Dallas	1904	N. Ala.	1914	12	E.
Dodson, J. B.	Thurber	1892	St. Louis	1906	24	E.
Doss, W. H.	DeLeon	1875	Tenn.	1910	41	E.
Dozier, J. A.†	Ranger	1897	N. Ala.	1913	19	E.
Ellis, T. D.	Novice	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Ellis, D. C.	Italy	1888	N. W. Tex.	1888	23	S'd
Ellis, T. W.*	Polytechnic	1900	N. W. Tex.	1900	11	S'd
Evans, B. A.	Porterville	1901	N. W. Tex.	1901	15	E.
Evans, C. A.	Ft. Worth	1883	Texas	1891	33	E.
Evens, L. L.	Waco	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2	D.
Feider, L. L.	Blankett	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Fields, C. S.†	Polytechnic	1883	N. W. Tex.	1883	33	E.
Ford, J. W.	Corsicana	1894	N. W. Tex.	1894	22	E.
Francis, Henry	Indian Creek	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	3	E.
Gallagher, C. E.*	Carlton	1886	N. W. Tex.	1886	25	S'd
Gardner, N. E.	Harmony	1890	White River	1904	26	E.
Gaskins, W. D.	Florence	1891		1905	25	E.
Gilleland, W. A.*	Georgetown	1880	N. W. Tex.	1880	30	S'd
Gillette, H. W.†	Aquilla	1910	C. Tex.	1910	6	E.
Glass, H. M.	San Antonio	1855	Texas	1869	47	S'd
Gore, J. O.†	Desdamona	1902	N. W. Tex.	1902	14	E.
Gilmore, S. P.†	Sipe Springs	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5	D.
Gwaltney, W. G.	Corvell	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Graves, W. F.*	Meridian	1867	St. Louis	1874	14	S'd
Gray, W. T.	Polytechnic	1899	N. W. Tex.	1899	17	E.
Griffith, Walter	Itasca	1900	N. W. Tex.	1900	16	E.
Gates, P. H.	Wingate	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2	D.
Gilleland, W. B.	Meridian	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2	D.
Hall, J. R. B.	Polytechnic	1891	N. W. Tex.	1891	1	S'y
Haralson, Jerome*	Jacksonville	1870	White River	1885	15	S'd
Harris, G. W.	Bangs	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889	21	S'd
Harris, I. F.	Waxahachie	1886	Ark.	1901	24	S'd
Harris, W. H.	Red Oak	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889	17	E.
Hawk, E. B.	Polytechnic	1909	N. W. Tex.	1809	7	E.
Hawkins, W. E.*	Corsicana	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Head, J. W.	Venus	1886	Okla.	1908	30	E.
Hearon, W. J.	Corsicana	1889	Little Rock	1898	27	E.
Heizer, R. H.	Turnersville	1897	N. W. Tex.	1897	19	E.
Hendrickson, J. D.	Bangs	1893	N. W. Tex.	1893	23	E.
Henry, H. B.	Polytechnic	1875	N. W. Tex.	1875	35	S'd
Hester, J. N.	Rockwood	1912	C. Tex.	1912	4	D.
Hightower, C. C.	Ft. Worth	1906	N. W. Tex.	1906	10	E.
Hightower, C. O.	Staff	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Hightower, E.	Georgetown	1885	N. W. Tex.	1885	31	E.
Hightower, I. E.	Dawson	1890	N. W. Tex.	1890	26	E.
Hilburne, W. C.	Hico	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889	27	E.
Holt, J. W.	Jonesboro	1885	Texas	1905	31	E.
Hotchkiss, M. S.	Ft. Worth	1878	Texas	1890	33	E.
Howard, W. H.	Belton	1883	Denver	1901	33	E.
Howell, Z. L.	Foreston	1904	N. W. Tex.	1904	12	E.
Huddleston, H. D.	Cooledge	1903	W. Tex.	1906	13	E.
Hudgens, E. F.	Ferris	1899	Tenn.	1910	17	E.

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Hughen, Frank	Winchell	1901	N. W. Tex.	1901	15 E.
Hays, J. M.	Munger	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2 D.
Hooper, R. B.	Corsicana	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2 D.
Irvin, C. W.	Bartlett	1886	N. W. Tex.	1886	30 E.
Isbell, J. F.	Kerrens	1910	C. Tex.	1910	6 E.
Jones, W. T.	Handley	1904	N. W. Tex.	1904	12 E.
Jones, W. V.*	Iredell	1872	N. W. Tex.	1872	28 S'd
Keener, W. H.	Temple, R. 6.	1907	N. W. Tex.	1907	9 E.
Kimbrow, B. E.	Chatfield	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	8 E.
Kincheloe, G. W.	Bardwell	1898	N. W. Tex.	1898	18 E.
Kinslow, W. T.	Mt. Calm	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909	7 E.
Kirkpatrick, Seba	New Castle	1907	Tenn.	1913	9 E.
Knowles, S. B.	Stephenville	1909	N. W. Tex.	1911	7 E.
Kornegay, G. F.	Troy	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909	7 E.
Lackey, A. C.	Crawford	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909	7 E.
Lane, P. W.	Eolian	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3 D.
Landrum, H. B.	Wortham	1910	N. W. Tex.	1910	6 E.
Langston, Roy A.	Ft. Worth	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	8 E.
Lathan, M. L.	Lillian	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	8 E.
Lee, Josephus	Mansfield	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909	7 E.
Lemons, W. J.	Lenden, R. 2	1881	N. W. Tex.	1881	18 S'd
Lindsey, C. E.	Mart	1891	N. W. Tex.	1891	24 E.
Lipscomb, A. P.*	Bryson	1890	Tenn.	1892	19 S'd
Little, M. K.	Coleman	1879	N. W. Tex.	1879	37 E.
Lloyd, E. L.	Cisco	1908	Texas	1909	18 E.
Long, Abe	Zephyr	1881	N. W. Tex.	1881	18 S'd
Luker, J. F.	Valley Mills	1907	N. W. Tex.	1907	9 E.
Macune, C. W.	Hillsboro	1903	N. W. Tex.	1903	13 E.
Major, M. H.†	Polytechnic	1885	S. Carolina	1890	27 S'd
Matthews, W. H.	Corsicana	1892	N. W. Tex.	1892	24 P.E.
Maxwell, E. J.*	Kennedale	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889	19 S'd
Mayhew, J. C.*	Bradshaw	1913	C. Tex.	1913	8 S'd
Mayhew, W. J.	Lorena	1907	N. W. Tex.	1907	9 E.
McAfee, J. U.	Barry	1904	N. W. Tex.	1904	12 E.
McCain, J. N.	Weatherford	1905	Texas	1909	11 E.
McCarter, J. M.†	Waco	1882	Texas	1901	31 S'd
McCullough, W. S. P.	Moody	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889	27 E.
McGehee, F. L.*	Weatherford	1894	N. Tex.	1908	21 S'd
McGuire, D. A.	Waco	1899	N. W. Tex.	1899	17 E.
McSwain, R. B.*	San Angelo	1902	N. W. Tex.	1902	10 S'd
Meadow, F. L.	Glen Rose	1909	N. W. Tex.	1915	7 E.
Millis, V. J.*	Houston	1883	Missouri	1906	29 S'd
Mimms, J. C.	Midlothian	1889	N. Miss.	1900	27 E.
Monk, Alonzo, Jr.	Gatesville	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	8 E.
Moore, Franklin	Italy	1888	Little Rock	1911	28 E.
Moore, Warner	Waxahachie	1892	Memphis	1911	24 E.
Morphis, M. M.	West, R. 4.	1901	N. W. Tex.	1901	15 E.
Morphis, W. J.†	Kirk	1900	Texas	1910	16 E.
Morris, J. R.	Waco	1884	Texas	1892	32 E.
Morton, C. N.	Blooming Grove	1900	N. W. Tex.	1900	16 E.
Morton, O. A.	Graford	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5 E.
Moss, W. W.	Weatherford	1887	N. Miss.	1898	29 E.
Munger, H. L.	Waco	1897	N. W. Tex.	1897	19 E.
Mussett, J. P.	Polytechnic	1864	Texas	1866	47 S'd
Mitchell, G. G.	Britton	1914	C. Tex.	1914	2 D.
Nation, R. W.	Rice	1900	N. W. Tex.	1900	16 E.
Neal, John F.	Con Can	1866	N. W. Tex.	1866	20 S'y
Neil, W. A.	Bunyan	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909	7 E.
Nelms, W. L.	Cleburne	1877	N. W. Tex.	1877	39 P.E.
Neal, J. M.	McGregor	1903	Texas	1906	13 E.
Nelson, J. R.	Ft. Worth	1876	N. Ala.	1883	40 P.E.
Nevill, S. P.	Cleburne	1902	N. W. Tex.	1902	14 E.
Noble, W. W.	Weatherford	1896	Ark.	1909	19 S'd
Oswalt, C. V.†	Ft. Worth	1884	N. W. Tex.	1884	32 E.

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Odom, J. D.	Dallas 552 Reiger Ave.	1887	N. W. Tex.	1887 29	E.
Owens, G. W.	Dallas	1878	N. W. Tex.	1878 28	S'y
Patison, J. W.	Ft. Worth	1893	Missouri	1905 23	E.
Patterson, E. R.	Palmer	1902	N. W. Tex.	1902 14	E.
Patterson, J. Fred.	Weatherford	1913	C. Tex.	1913 3	D.
Peoples, N. J.	Peoria	1901	St. Louis	1905 15	E.
Pollard, J. G.	Strawn	1897	E. Tex.	1904 19	E.
Porter, A. D.	Cleburne	1898	N. W. Tex.	1898 18	E.
Poteet, Horace	Evant	1913	C. Tex.	1913 3	D.
Ramsey, J. D.	Norton	1913	C. Tex.	1913 3	D.
Rape, J. J.*	Santo	1897	Texas	1895 18	S'd
Ray, F. A.	China Springs	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909 7	E.
Reese, R. L.†	Cross Cut	1900	Florida	1912 15	E.
Richardson, R.	Walnut Springs	1898	N. W. Tex.	1898 18	E.
Riley, P. E.	Itasca	1907	N. W. Tex.	1914 9	E.
Riley, P. M.	Granbury	1903	N. W. Tex.	1903 13	E.
Rowland, C.	Polytechnic				S'd
Rucker, S. J.	Gatesville	1895	N. W. Tex.	1895 21	P.E.
Ruffner, J. A.	Santa Anna	1896	N. W. Tex.	1896 20	E.
Sawyer, L. B.‡	Glen Rose	1903	N. W. Tex.	1903 6	E.
Sawyer, S. B.	Hewitt	1891	N. W. Tex.	1891 25	E.
Sharp, T. W.	Godley	1899	N. W. Tex.	1899 17	E.
Shrader, H. P.†	Corsicana	1881	N. Tex.	1894 29	S'd
Shuler, J. W. W.	Hubbard	1892	Holston	1913 24	E.
Shutt, C. G.	Lawn	1879	N. W. Tex.	1879 33	S'd
Simpson, C. E.	Ft. Worth	1892	Texas	1906 24	E.
Simpson, W. K.*	Robert Lee	1886	N. W. Tex.	1886 18	S'd
Singleton, F. E.	Mexia	1902	Indian M.	1905 14	E.
Singley, W. T.	Smithfield	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909 7	E.
Smith, A. C.*	Bronte	1897	N. W. Tex.	1902 19	E.
Smith, E. A.	Groesbeck	1878	N. W. Tex.	1878 37	E.
Smith, M. M.	Copperas Cove	1889	N. W. Tex.	1889 17	E.
Smoot, J. D.	Cariton	1910	C. Tex.	1910 6	E.
Snoddy, B. A.	Jraham	1876		1888	S'd
Sorrels, T. L.	Irene	1913	C. Tex.	1913 3	D.
Story, M. L.	Abbott	1903	Texas	1915 13	E.
Story, T. G.	Bluffdale	1913	C. Tex.	1913 3	D.
Sory, R. O.	Brandon	1910	C. Tex.	1910 6	E.
Stanford, E. R.	Ft. Worth	1907	N. W. Tex.	1907	E.
Stanford, Henry	Taylor	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908 8	E.
Stark, D. C.	Polytechnic	1879	N. W. Tex.	1879 33	S'd
Statham, C. E.	Okla. City	1885	W. Tex.	1893 30	S'd
Stewart, J. H.	Hillsboro	1893	N. W. Tex.	1893 23	E.
Sweet, E. M.*	San Angelo	1875	E. Tex.	1884	S'd
Swinney, O. C.	Grapevine	1901	N. W. Tex.	1901 15	E.
Thompson, Sam G.	Brownwood	1891	E. Okla.	1911 25	P.E.
Tooley, R. J.	Weatherford	1892	N. W. Tex.	1892 16	S'y
Turner, M. A.	Granger	1891	W. Tex.	1901 25	E.
Turner, O. B.	Thornton	1909	N. W. Tex.	1909 7	E.
Turney, A. E.†	Hutto	1903	N. W. Tex.	1903 12	E.
Tyson, J. F.	Salado	1888	N. Georgia	1900 28	E.
Vanzandt, K. S.	Gordon	1886	Ark.	1894 30	E.
Vaughan, M. J.	Tolar	1912	C. Tex.	1912 4	E.
Vaughan, S. J.	Dublin	1880	N. W. Tex.	1880 36	P.E.
Vaughan, W. H.	San Antonio	1874	Little Rock	1879 42	P.E.
Vaughn, W. B.	Olney	1910	C. Tex.	1910 6	E.
Vincent, H. L.	Clifton	1906	W. Tex.	1910 10	E.
Vincent, J. N.	Burleson	1905	N. W. Tex.	1905 11	E.
Vinsant, W.	Bosqueville	1907	N. W. Tex.	1907 9	E.
Waddill, F. O.	Oglesby	1911	C. Tex.	1911 5	E.
Wagner, B. R.	Waxahachie	1893	N. W. Tex.	1893 23	E.

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Walker, J. E.*	Groman	1875	Memphis	1889	30	S'd
Walker, J. H.	Whitney	1897	N. W. Tex.	1897	19	E.
Walker, R. A.	Temple	1893	N. W. Tex.	1893	23	E.
Watford, A. E.	Joshua	1912	C. Tex.	1912	4	E.
Webb, Atticus	Ft. Worth	1896	N. Tex.	1907	20	E.
Webb, L. A.	Weatherford	1891	Texas	1902	24	P.E.
Wellborne, R. W.*	Novice	1881	N. W. Tex.	1881		S'd
White, L. G.	Comanche	1901	N. Tex.	1911	15	E.
Whitehurst, J. A.	Waco	1886	N. Miss.	1894	30	P.E.
Whitley, W. J.	Fairy	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Wilkins, C. E.	Eastland	1908	N. W. Tex.	1908	8	E.
Williams, C. V.	May	1911	C. Tex.	1911	5	E.
Williams, E. P.	Cisco	1900	N. W. Tex.	1900	16	P.F.
Wilson, Guy H.	Gustine	1913	C. Tex.	1913	3	D.
Wilson, W. B.	Dallas	1887	N. Ala.	1896	29	E.
Winburn, F. M.	San Antonio	1872	Little Rock	1879	33	S'd
Winfield, G. F.	Meridian	1903	N. W. Tex.	1911	13	E.
Wisdom, E. M.	Rising Star	1907	C. Tex.	1910	9	E.
Wynne, J. M.	Meridian	1895	N. W. Tex.	1895	21	E.
Wright, C. R.	Ft. Worth	1884	Texas	1889	32	E.
Young, J. D.	Polytechnic	1898	N. W. Tex.	1898	18	E.
Young, R. B.	Comanche	1895	N. W. Tex.	1895	18	E.

*Indicates absent.
 ‡Came in after roll call.

PREACHERS ON TRIAL.

First Year.

Name.	Address.	Appointment.
H. Arthur Nichols	Iredell	Iredell Circuit.
Thomas Gordon Stamps	Meridian	Parker Circuit.
D. A. Chisholm	Huckabay	Huckabay Circuit.
James Throop Watkins	Carbon	Carbon Circuit.
Cluster Q. Smith	Ft. Worth	Weatherford Street.
Edgar Alfred Reed	Granbury	Granbury Circuit.
Wm. Hugh Cole	Riesel	Riesel and Axtell.
Edgar M. Scarlett	Olney	Olney Mission
Joseph L. Chunn	Eliasville	Eliasville Circuit
Victor D. Dow	Loving	Loving Circuit
Fred Lee Chunn	Millsap	Millsap Circuit.
Wm. Edward Anderson	Romney	Romney Circuit.
Silas Walter Adams	Robert Lee	Robert Lee Circuit.
Albert Richard Lundy	Horn Hill	Horn Hill Circuit.

Second Year.

Name.	Address.	Appointment.
M. L. Boone	Breckenridge	Breckenridge.
W. L. Connell	Nolanville	Nolanville.
J. L. Oliver	Graham	Graham Mission.
C. O. Davis	Ft. Worth	Brooklin Heights.
W. J. Whitley (in orders)	Fairy	Fairy Circuit.
L. P. Leach	Kirvin	Kirvin.

UNDERGRADUATES OF THE THIRD AND FOURTH YEARS
Third Year.

Name.	Address.	Appointment.
A. D. Cosgrove.....	Gatesville	Gatesville Circuit.
L. L. Evans.....	Lufkin	District Evangelist.
P. H. Gates.....	Wingate	Wingate Circuit.
W. B. Gilleland.....	Meridian	Student.
J. M. Hays.....	Munger	Munger Circuit.
R. B. Hooper.....	Corsicana	Corsicana Circuit.
G. G. Mitchell.....	Britton	Britton Circuit.
S. P. Gilmore.....	Sipe Springs	District Evangelist.
J. C. Mayhew.....	Bradshaw	Superannuate.

Fourth Year.

Name.	Address.	Appointment.
C. F. Bell.....	Springtown	Springtown Circuit.
C. T. Brockett.....	Meridian	Meridian Mission.
W. T. Boulware.....	Emmett	Emmett Circuit.
T. H. Burton	Big Hill	Big Hill and Ben Hur.
Elmer Crabtree	Bristol	Bristol Circuit.
T. D. Ellis.....	Novice	Novice Circuit.
W. G. Gwaltney.....	Coryell	Coryell Circuit.
C. O. Hightower.....	Staff	Staff Circuit.
P. W. Layne.....	Eolian	Eolian Circuit.
J. Fred Patterson.....	Weatherford	Weatherford Circuit.
J. D. Ramsey.....	Norton	Norton Circuit.
T. L. Sorrels.....	Irene	Irene Circuit.
T. G. Story.....	Bluffdale	Bluffdale Circuit.
Guy H. Wilson.....	Gustine	Gustine Circuit.
Horace Potcet.....	Evant	Evant Circuit.

SUPPLIES.

Name.	Appointment.	Address.
W. L. Boyd.....	Cisco Mission	Cisco.
A. W. Franklin.....	Stephenville Circuit.....	Stephenville.
W. E. Hudnall	Proctor	Proctor.
W. M. Anderson.....	Thomas Chapel & Saginaw	Saginaw.
P. M. Gladney.....	Killeen Mission	Killeen.
J. T. Ferguson	Oenaville	Oenaville.
J. D. Kursell.....	Thrall & Round Rock.....	Thrall.
Edward Cantrell.....	Whitney Mission	Whitney.
I. T. Huckabee	Palo Pinto	Palo Pinto.

Lay Delegates.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

*P. C. Ragsdale, Brownwood.
Charles Bynum, Zephyr, Rt. 1.
Rev. J. L. Speer, Winters.
*W. H. Garrett, Santa Anna.

CISCO DISTRICT.

Jno. H. Garner, Cisco.
*H. B. Furr, Breckenridge.
†E. W. Kimble, Gorman.
J. E. Butler, Eastland.

CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

†H. F. Moore, Joshua.
J. B. Wilson, Granbury.
*J. B. Ingle, Grandview.
J. M. Clower, Cleburne.

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

K. L. McKeown, Dawson.
J. L. Halbert, Corsicana.
S. W. South, Rice.
Melvin Sharp, Groesbeck.

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

*W. J. Clay, Dublin.
R. P. Campbell, Tolar.
L. A. Powlledge, Hico.
†R. E. Huling, Gustine.

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

Geo. H. Mulkey, 213 W. Leuda St.,
Fort Worth.
W. E. Williams, 123 Broadway, Fort
Worth.
James Ditto, Arlington.
Earl Kearby, 1624 E. Hattie, Fort
Worth.

*Absent.

†Came later.

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

J. A. G. Weaver, Ames.
J. M. Robertson, Meridian.
*M. L. Ayres, Gatesville.
Rev. J. W. Bowden, Meridian.

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

F. F. Downs, Temple.
†C. C. Cody, Georgetown.
J. D. Seiders, Taylor.
†J. S. Fox, Granger.

HILLSBORO DISTRICT.

D. W. Hollingsworth, Mertens.
†J. C. Mills, Osceola.
J. M. Rogers, Covington.
D. E. McClesky, Irene.

WACO DISTRICT.

Wm. Lambdin, Waco.
Geo. W. Barcus, Waco.
†F. E. Denton, West.
G. E. Kincannon, Bruceville.

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

J. P. Claunch, Maypearl.
†T. H. Newton, Midlothian.
†B. F. Forrester, Waxahachie, Rt. 2.
†Lester McIntosh, Palmer.

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

Fritz G. Lanham, Weatherford.
*E. S. Graham, Graham.
†J. M. Keene, Farmer.
Rev. J. O. Guthrie, Weatherford.

Local Preachers.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

C. F. Annis (E), Brownwood.
A. L. Boyd, Ballinger.
J. P. Beaty (D), Zephyr.
L. S. Byrd, Winters, R. F. D.
Willard Beaty, Zephyr.
W. B. Cross (E), Brownwood.
Roy Crawford, Winters.
W. G. Ditzler (E), Brownwood.
J. E. Evans, Grosvenor.
Edgar Lancaster, Zephyr.
M. W. McGaugh (D), Elkins.
G. W. Pipes (D), Gouldbusk.

Claud Quirl, Zephyr.
T. A. Rape (D), Ballinger.
C. S. Reece, Winchell.
J. G. Reagor (D), Bangs.
R. A. Stewart (D), Gouldbusk.
W. B. Starling (D), Blanket.
R. M. Shelton (D), Zephyr.
T. S. Thompson, Brownwood.
C. P. Morgan (E), Rockwood.
J. R. Kidwell (D), Valera.
J. L. Speer, Norton.

CISCO DISTRICT.

- † T. J. Ward, L. P., Breckenridge.
- † J. J. Freeman, L. E., Caddo.
- † H. M. Courtney, L. E., Carbon.
- † James I. Payte, L. P., Carbon.
- † J. M. Lane, L. E., Cisco.
- † John W. Boatman, L. D., Cisco, R. R.
- † W. J. Tichner, L. D., Cisco.
- † W. H. Whitworth, L. P., Desdamona.
- CM † W. B. Morton, L. P., Eastland.
- † T. M. Price, L. E., Eolian.
- † J. L. Havens, L. E., Gordon.
- † M. J. Glenn, L. P., May.
- † S. F. Jones, L. P., Cross Cut.
- † C. M. Barrack, L. D., Rising Star, R. R.
- † W. O. Basham, L. D., Carbon, R. R.
- † J. M. Statton, L. D., Scranton.
- † L. E. Boyd, L. P., Scranton.
- † E. R. Brown, L. P., Scranton.
- † J. C. Watkins, L. E., Rising Star, R. R.
- † T. A. West, L. D., Sipe Springs, R. R.
- † Ernest Allgood, L. P., Sipe Springs.
- CM † James W. Culwell, L. P., Rising Star, R. R.
- CM † Wesley Hancock, L. P., Duster, R. R.
- CM † M. M. Watkins, L. P., Rising Star, R. R.
- CM † Claude Butler, L. P., Ranger, R. R.
- CM † Robert Butler, L. P., Eastland. R X?
- T27 CM † J. P. Barber, L. P., Eastland.
- † Vernon Jobe, L. P., Scranton.
- † W. C. Grant, L. D., Strawn.
- † R. J. Hodges, L. D., Wayland.
- † W. A. Tate, L. P., Carbon.
- † C. C. Chaney, L. P., Gorman.
- † A. B. Lee, L. P., Rising Star, R. R.

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

- † R. M. Ballentine (D), Stephenville.
- † R. W. Bowman (D), Harbin.
- † Z. C. Cornell, Stephenville, R. 2.
- † I. H. Dawson, Iredell.
- † J. W. Glenn (E), Dublin, R. 4.
- † J. J. Johnson (E), Gustine.
- † C. F. Kiker, (D), Stephenville.
- † J. R. McClesky (D), Stephenville, R. 6.
- † U. J. Morton (D), DeLeon, R. 2.
- † A. F. Nabors (E), DeLeon.
- † A. J. Owen (D), Dublin, R. 4.
- † Joseph Patterson, DeLeon.
- † J. L. Scott (D), Clairrett.
- † C. R. Seward (E), Stephenville.
- † Geo. Smith (D), Walnut Springs.
- † H. B. Smith (E), Stephenville.
- † E. G. Thomas (E), DeLeon.
- † C. B. Thompson, Huckabay, R. 2.
- † I. M. Thompson, Harbin.
- † O. T. Stanford (D), Stephenville, R. 1.
- † J. D. Logan (E), Morgan Mill.

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

- † R. P. McElnerath (L. E.)
- † C. S. Knott (L. E.)
- † W. D. Garrison (L. E.)
- † T. L. Loomis (L. E.)
- † S. P. Brown (L. E.)
- † W. R. Lowe (L. E.)
- † J. I. Lovinder (L. E.)
- † B. J. H. Thomas (L. E.)
- † Thomas Reece (L. E.)
- † D. C. Sibley (L. D.)
- † W. E. Goldring (L. E.)
- † C. C. McBrazier (L. E.)
- † R. Barnard (L. D.)
- † R. S. Hays (L. D.)
- † G. L. Clark (L. D.)
- † Z. D. Fallen (L. D.)
- † R. M. Fulton (L. D.)
- † C. F. Vance (L. D.)
- † R. E. Noller (L. D.)
- † A. C. Fisher (D.)
- † H. E. Gatti (L. P.)
- † Maurice Johnson (L. P.)
- † J. P. Cox (L. P.)
- † R. L. Myers, (L. P.)
- † Whitt Smith (L. P.)
- † Alvin Perkins (L. P.)
- † Perry Dalton Hudson (L. P.)
- † Gaiser Yates Patison (L. P.)
- † Thomas Archibald Lumpkin (L. P.)
- † Wyatt C. McDaniel (L. P.)
- † O. O. Odom (L. P.)
- † A. P. Lowrey (L. P.)
- † O. P. Shannon (L. P.)
- † H. W. Hanks (L. P.)
- † E. W. Ellis (L. P.)
- † E. T. Clardy (L. P.)

CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

- † C. M. Burton, Cleburne.
- † M. C. Chaffee, Rio Vista.
- † Calvin Davis, Granbury, R. 3.
- † W. H. C. Elliott (D), Granbury, R. 3.
- † W. C. Hollingsworth (D), Walnut Springs.
- † H. C. Gordon, Burleson.
- † J. J. Kelly, Granbury, R. 2.
- † D. S. Montgomery, Walnut Springs.
- † J. F. Owens, Burleson.
- † E. N. Parish (D), Cleburne.
- † J. H. Rigby, Grandview.
- M † Aubrey C. Haynes, Cleburne.
- † Joe Marshall, Venus.
- † Wm. Riley, Lillian.
- † Ohn W. Nail, Glen Rose.
- † J. L. Smith (L. E.), Glen Rose.

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

- † C. O. Gunter (D), Corsicana.
- † J. O. Jordan (E), Thornton.
- † J. C. Kilpatric (L. P.), Thornton.
- † J. T. McKeown (E), Dawson.
- † A. H. Mulkey (D), Corsicana.
- † W. P. Robbins (L. P.), Personville.
- † D. N. Step (L. P.), Kerens, R. 2.
- † E. O. Williams (E), Corsicana.
- † W. L. Young (L. P.), Corsicana.
- † J. E. Tritchort (L. P.), Corsicana.
- † W. H. Wallace (L. P.), Mexia.
- CM † A. T. Plunket (L. P.), Wortham.
- † J. W. Smith, Frost.
- † J. J. Murphy, Groesbeck.

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

- † J. W. Bowden, L. E., Meridian.
- † J. J. Boydston, Killeen.
- † Alvin F. Cook, Meridian.
- † G. S. Ellis, Iredell, Rt. 1.
- † W. R. Foust, Ames.
- † F. C. Goodman, Moody, Rt. 6.
- † R. Grantham, L. D., McGregor.
- † W. L. Harris, L. E., Killeen.
- † H. L. Hughes, L. D., Evant.
- † F. P. Hunsucker, L. D., Valley Mills.
- † R. R. Iley, L. E., Meridian, Rt. 3.
- † E. Chloe Lambert, Copperas Cove.

- W. H. McBee, L. E., Leon Junction.
- Eugene McCullough, Meridian.
- J. F. McKelvey, L. E., Oglesby.
- B. F. Moore, Meridian, Rt. 3.
- CM Van P. Morrison, Meridian.
- O. P. Patteson, Ireland.
- G. E. Rickard, Meridian.
- W. W. Riley, Meridian.
- Ed L. Robinson, Killeen, Rt. 4.
- Ernest Roper, Meridian.
- CM J. W. Shepherd, Meridian, Rt. 3.
- Ural Sherrill, Meridian.
- J. W. Shook, L. E., Pearl.
- Jewell Smith, Meridian.
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Wm. McKendree Lambdin	1847	Virginia	1866	20	1867	E	Waco
I. N. Mullens					1868		Waco
J. L. Crabb					1868		Springfield
Guy C. McWilliams					1870		Acton
Jerome B. Annis					1870		Waxahachie
Lewis B. Whipple					1871		Waxahachie
Jesse M. Boyd					1872		Marlin
Thos. J. Hudson					1873		Ft. Sullivan
Benj. A. Kemp					1873		Gatesville
R. B. Wommack					1875		Waxahachie
Wyly W. Thomas					1876		Wheelock
R. W. Flournoy					1877		Waco
Jno. E. Akin					1877		Graham
W. M. L. Kestler		Memphis	1872		1878	Sy	Chatfield
W. M. F. Compton	1855	E. Texas	1874	26	1879	E	Avant Prairie
Drury Womack	1830	Tennessee			1879	S I	Centreville
S. D. Akin					1880		Graham
J. R. White					1881		Calvert
T. W. Hines					1881		Weatherford
J. T. Perry					1881		
C. McGuire					1881		Cameron
J. P. Sneed					1881		Ft. Sullivan
Thos. J. Blackburn	1879	N. W. Texas	1879	3	1881	D	Palo Pinto
John A. Clark	1877	N. W. Texas	1877	5	1882	E	Jack County
Jos. Parker	1842	S. Carolina	1877	39	1882	E	San Saba Co.
James Hiner		N. W. Texas			1883	S'd	Granbury
J. S. Lane	1837	Georgia	1870	48	1883	E	Georgetown
J. B. Allison	1856	Tennessee	1879	27	1883	E	Waco
A. D. Gaskell	1867	Texas		17	1884	E	Waxahachie
W. C. Brodie	1877	Arkansas	1877	6	1884	E	Burnette
F. A. Mood	1850	S. Carolina	1872	34	1884	E	Georgetown
S. S. Yarbrough	1836	Tennessee	1866	49	1885	E	Waxahachie
Jno. P. Holmes		Georgia	1836		1887	E	Georgetown
Rigdon J. Perry	1865	Alabama	1863	14	1888	Sy	Gatesville
Saml. O. Gaffard	1886	N. W. Texas	1886	2	1888	E	Seymour
J. P. Standfield					1889	S'd	Whitesboro
Robt. Crawford	1829	Mississippi	1866	30	1889	S'd	Franklin
Robt. M. Shelton	1884	N. Texas	1885	11	1889	E	Belton
Thos. G. Gilmore	1843	Alabama	1866	38	1889	Sy	Fairfield
J. F. Hines	1868	N. W. Texas	1868	22	1890	S'd	Evergreen
James Johnson	1849	Texas	1866	15	1891	S'd	San Jac. Co.
Wm. Vaughan	1841	Alabama	1868	45	1891	S'd	Stephenville
J. Fred Cox	1860	Texas	1866	31	1891	E	Hillsboro
Thomas Stanford	1842	Arkansas	1866	44	1892	S'd	Hillsboro
M. D. Reynolds	1872	Kentucky	1884	16	1892	E	Stanford Chapel
W. W. Henderson	1872	Little Rock	1872	20	1893	S'd	Nicholsville, Ky.
R. H. Simpson	1884	N. W. Texas	1884	9	1893	E	Arkadelphia, Ark.
D. H. Dickey	1874	Holston	1885	17	1893	S'd	Marble Falls
Jas. Mackey	1853	Arkansas	1876	40	1893	E	Temple
Geo. W. Graves	1860	Texas	1866	33	1893	E	Waco
J. T. Hosmer	1879	N. W. Texas	1879	11	1893	S'd	Georgetown
J. M. Jones	1841	Arkansas	1866	41	1893	S'd	Martha, Okla.
Jere Reese	1831	N. W. Texas	1881	10	1894	S'd	Parker Co.
James Grant	1859	Arkansas	1873	22	1894	S'd	Cleburne
W. G. Conner	1843	S. Carolina	1872	46	1894	S'd	Waco
C. C. Armstrong	1871	Missouri	1889	17	1895	S'd	Albany
J. S. McCarver	1849	Arkansas	1866	37	1895	S'd	Paint Rock
J. W. Walkup	1839	Mississippi	1873	32	1895	S'd	Salado
J. W. Sanson	1833	N. W. Texas	1833	13	1896	E	Hubbard City
S. B. Ellis	1878	N. W. Texas	1878	18	1896	E	Ennis
E. R. Barcus	1863	Little Rock	1874	22	1896	S'd	Standford Chapel
C. D. Jordan	1879	Alabama	1889	18	1897	E	Lampasas

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M. Yell	1832	Tennessee	1866	35	1897	S'd	Hayes Co.
W. R. D. Stockton	1858	W. Texas	1867	32	1897	S'd	Belton
Berry M. Stephens	1845	Tennessee	1885	53	1898	E	Weatherford
Oscar M. Addison	1846	E. Texas	1866	40	1898	S'd	Eulogy
John Carpenter	1855	Texas	1874	19	1898	S'd	Belton
J. B. Elder	1891	N. W. Texas	1891	8	1899	E	Weatherford
Wm. Price	1849	Memphis	1869	38	1899	S'd	Weatherford
John T. Rascoe	1881	Little Rock	1889	18	1899	E	Snider
R. O. Eustace	1888	Missouri	1895	12	1900	E	Canyon City
James Peeler	1841	Alabama	1868	24	1900	S'd	Cameron
John Powell	1836	Arkansas	1866	30	1900	S'd	Alvarado
P. W. Gravis	1859	Texas	1866	24	1900	S'd	Comanche
Frank T. Mitchell	1881	Missouri	1887	40	1902	S'd	Rusk
J. A. Wallace	1881	N. W. Texas	1881	23	1902	E	Temple
W. B. Ford	1885	N. W. Texas	1885	12	1902	E	Glen Rose
G. W. Swofford	1875	N. W. Texas	1875	14	1902	S'd	Paint Rock
J. W. Adkisson	1861	Missouri	1891	142	1903	E	Waxahachie
J. J. Harris	1875	N. Georgia	1883	24	1903	S'd	Meridian
T. J. Duncan	1866	Tennessee	1896	38	1904	E	Nashville, Tenn.
J. W. Gibbens	1901	W. Texas	1901	1	1904	S'd	South Texas
N. A. Keen	1877	N. Texas	1882	26	1904	S'd	Hubbard
J. H. Trimble	1878	N. W. Texas	1878	25	1904	E	Iredell
E. W. Simmans	1867	Mississippi	1874	26	1904	S'd	Wichita Falls
W. W. Kiser	1893	Louisville	1890	11	1904	E	Channing
F. P. Ray	1853	Texas	1866	17	1904	S'd	Waxahachie
D. T. Holmes	1853	Georgia	1890	40	1905	S'd	Hico
T. W. Rogers	1855	E. Texas	1866	43	1905	S'd	Ft. Worth
N. W. McLaughlin	1891	N. W. Texas	1891	14	1905	E	Abbott
Chas. Davis	1884	S. Georgia	1889	23	1905	S'd	Waco
S. E. Houk	1883	Holston	1903	22	1905	E	Plainview
Andrew Davis	1845	Texas	1866	40	1906	S'd	Waxahachie
S. S. Scott	1851	Memphis	1875	38	1906	S'd	San Antonio
J. P. Hulse	1842	Arkansas	1874	50	1906	S'd	Rising Star
R. A. Hall	1888	N. W. Texas	1888	15	1906	S'd	Elida, N. M.
N. B. Bennett	1886	N. W. Texas	1886	13	1907	S'd	Childress
E. A. Bailey	1862	Texas	1871	45	1907	S'd	Amarillo
H. W. South	1849	Louisville	1866	42	1907	S'd	Hardin Co., Ky.
Daniel Morgan	1870	Texas	1881	23	1908	S'd	Georgetown
G. D. Wilson	1875	E. Texas	1886	32	1908	S'd	Kennedale
A. P. Smith	1883	N. W. Texas	1883	25	1908	E	Ft. Worth
J. J. Davis	1871	N. W. Texas	1871	21	1909	S'd	Stephenville
Ben H. Kennedy	1905	N. W. Texas	1905	4	1909	D	Colorado City
E. T. Harrison	1891	N. W. Texas	1891	11	1909	S'y	Faulkenbury
J. S. Tunnell	1878	N. W. Texas	1878	22	1910	E	Ranger, Texas
Marion Mills	1875	N. W. Texas	1875	24	1910	S'd	Copperas Cove
I. N. Reeves	1853	Meth. Prot.	1874	26	1910	S'd	Carbon, Tex.
E. L. Armstrong	1857	E. Texas	1878	28	1910	S'd	Corsicana
Sam P. Wright	1858	Tennessee	1873	28	1911	S'd	California
R. V. Galloway	1876	N. W. Texas	1876	34	1911	S'd	Walnut Spgs.
W. H. Moss	1856	Georgia	1887	46	1912	S'd	Hubbard
Jerome Duncan	1889	Tennessee	1893	24	1913	E	Hillsboro
C. E. Brown	1868	S. Georgia	1872	45	1913	E	Dallas, Tex.
W. F. Lloyd	1875	S. Georgia	1890	38	1913	S'd	Stephenville
J. W. Downs	1892	E. Texas	1907	20	1914	E	Mineral Wells
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J. M. Clower	J. B. Wilson	J. A. G. Weaver
R. B. Young	W. Vinsant	C. T. Brockette

Books and Periodicals.

John R. Morris	R. A. Langston	S. B. Sawyers
L. A. Clark	James Ditto	E. A. Smith
Chas. Bynum	R. H. Heizer	R. O. Sorry
P. M. Riley	A. E. Turney	Siba Kirkpatrick
W. J. Hearon	C. C. Cody	E. S. Graham
G. H. Wilson	W. J. Morphis	J. A. Siceloff
W. J. Clay	P. E. Riley	

Temperance.

J. L. Halbert	H. B. Landrum	J. C. Mills
A. C. Smith	C. W. Daniel	T. B. Stanford
J. O. Gore	J. R. B. Hall	Lester McIntosh
H. B. Furr	C. B. Diltz	Elmer Crabtree
W. T. Jones	W. D. Gaskins	D. A. Morton
H. F. Moore	W. H. Howard	Atticus Webb
S. C. Baird	C. W. Macune	W. J. Whitley
L. A. Powledge		

District Conference Records.

T. G. Story	J. E. Ingle	R. A. Walker
J. F. Clark	M. L. Story	H. Poteet
H. W. Gillette	Henry Francis	R. F. Brown
C. E. Wilkins	J. F. Isbell	G. G. Mitchell
M. D. Council	Sterling Richardson	W. B. Vaughn
J. M. Bond	L. B. Sawyers	

Lay Activities.

W. E. Williams	W. J. Clay	J. A. Christie
W. H. Garrett	W. S. Amsler	Geo. W. Barcus
John H. Garner	J. S. Fox	W. A. Crow
E. A. Rice	D. M. Alexander	Fritz G. Lanham
J. E. Blair		

Orphanage.

B. R. Wagner	S. W. South	D. E. McLeskey
P. H. Gates	N. E. Gardner	E. W. Bridges
K. S. Vanzandt	C. V. Oswalt	A. E. Carraway
J. B. Dodson	C. E. Simpson	J. P. Claunch
J. H. Braswell	W. G. Bailey	J. N. McCain
J. D. Odom	F. O. Waddill	W. T. Gray
M. L. Latham	O. C. Swinney	W. G. Gwaltney

Social Service.

C. R. Wright	A. E. Watford	Wm. Lambdin
M. K. Little	H. D. Huddleston	W. B. Wilson
C. V. Williams	J. A. Sicehoff	Josephus Lee
J. M. Williamson	W. H. Doss	F. A. Ray
Franklin Moore	J. H. Stewart	J. T. Bloodworth
J. D. Young	D. A. McGuire	

Public Worship.

Horace Bishop	W. B. Andrews	W. A. Crow
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District Statistical Editors.

Brownwood District	E. R. Stanford
Cisco District.....	E. M. Wisdom
Cleburne District.....	Gid J. Bryan
Corsicana District.....	E. B. Hawk
Dublin District.....	J. D. Smoot, S. B. Knowles
Fort Worth District.....	R. A. Langston
Gatesville District.....	E. L. Lloyd
Georgetown District.....	E. R. Patterson
Hillsboro District.....	T. L. Sorrells
Waco District.....	W. J. Mayhew
Waxahachie District.....	C. W. Irvin
Weatherford District.....	J. N. McCain

Standing Rules.

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. 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.

5. 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.

6. The appointment of any member of the Conference to the presiding eldership shall automatically vacate his membership on any of the quadrennial Boards or Examining Committees to take effect at the opening of the ensuing session.

7. No assessment or collection shall be placed upon the Church by this Conference until the Board of Adjustment shall have recommended an aggregate amount for all assessments and the amount for said assessment or collection.

8. The Board of Adjustments shall not be authorized to offer to the Annual Conference any new or special assessments to be levied upon the churches, unless such new and special assessments shall comply with the following requirements: First, it must be for an object or enterprise either owned by the M. E. Church, South, or one over which this Conference has full and sole control. Second, it must provide for the perfect execution of the funds so intrusted to the Conference and for a report at the next Annual Conference showing in detail that the trust had been executed and how.

Table of Assessments—1916, 1917

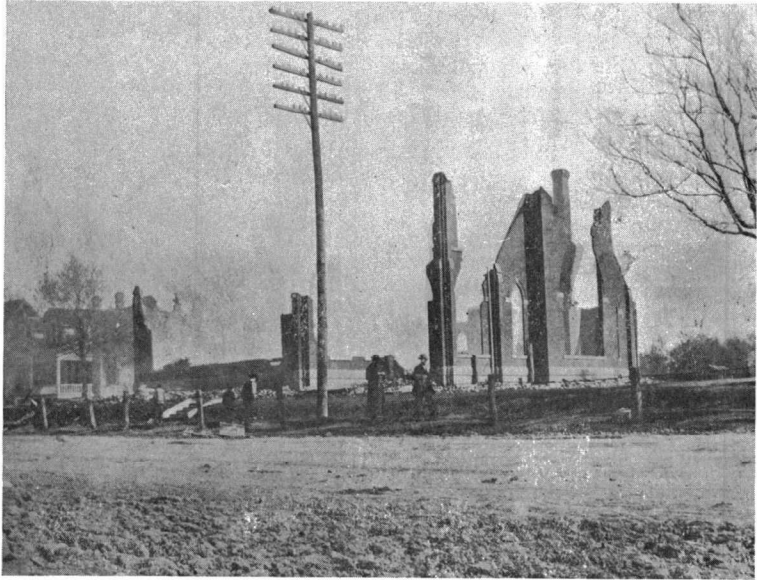
DISTRICT.	Scale	Bishops' Fund	Conference Claimants	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Conference Missions	Church Extension	Education	Superannuate Endowment Fund	American Bible Society	Delegates' Expenses	San Antonio Rescue Home	Totals
Brownwood	.0751	\$ 282	\$ 1106	\$ 1563	\$ 502	\$ 1502	\$ 940	\$ 1972	\$ 135	\$ 90	\$ 108	\$ 113	8383
Cisco	.0596	223	894	1243	397	1192	737	1565	149	71	86	90	6647
Cleburne	.0794	298	1191	1655	529	1588	994	2085	199	95	114	119	8867
Corsicana	.0938	352	1407	1956	626	1876	1174	2463	235	113	135	141	10478
Dublin	.0707	265	1060	1474	471	1414	885	1857	177	85	102	106	7896
Fort Worth	.1180	443	1770	2460	787	2360	1477	3099	295	142	170	177	13180
Gatesville	.0814	306	1221	1697	543	1628	1019	2138	204	98	117	122	9093
Georgetown	.0946	355	1419	1973	631	1892	1184	2484	237	113	136	142	10566
Hillsboro	.0748	281	1122	1549	500	1496	937	1964	187	90	109	112	8347
Waco	.0908	341	1362	1894	606	1816	1137	2385	227	109	131	136	10144
Waxahachie	.0843	316	1265	1759	563	1686	1056	2214	211	101	121	127	9419
Weatherford	.0775	291	1163	1627	517	1550	970	2035	194	93	112	117	8669
Totals	1.0000	\$3753	\$15000	\$20850	\$6672	\$20000	\$12510	\$26261	\$2500	\$1200	\$1441	\$1500	\$111687

History of Waxahachie Methodist Church.

The first sermon preached in Ellis County was in the year 1845, by a Methodist itinerant named Welch. The service was held in the cabin of Mr. Ballow, about three miles from what is now Waxahachie. The first sermon preached in what is now Waxahachie was in 1848, by George Tittle, who was preacher in charge of Red Oak Mission. On one occasion, he lost his way on the prairie, and stopping at the cabin of Major E. W. Rogers to make inquiry, he was invited to spend the night and preach. That cabin occupied the ground where the Hotel Rogers now stands. In the spring of 1849 Rev. Mr. Reynolds organized a Methodist Society, consisting of nine members, in Major Rogers' cabin. This was one year before the town of Waxahachie was located. In 1852 the first Methodist church was erected on what is now East Franklin Street. It was 16 by 20 feet, and constructed of clapboards. This house supplied the needs of the congregation for four years, when a larger frame building was erected on the adjoining lot west. The first house was dedicated by Wm. C. Lewis in 1852; the second in 1856 by Bishop Paine. The building was erected long before railways made their advent in this part of the State, and the lumber was hauled on wagons from Jefferson and Shreveport. It not infrequently required two and three weeks to make a round trip. The latter house was used as a place of worship forty-seven years. It still stands on East Franklin Street, and is used as a boarding house. The third house of worship was erected on Col-



Church in which Conference was Organized in 1866.



Ruins of Church Burned in 1904.

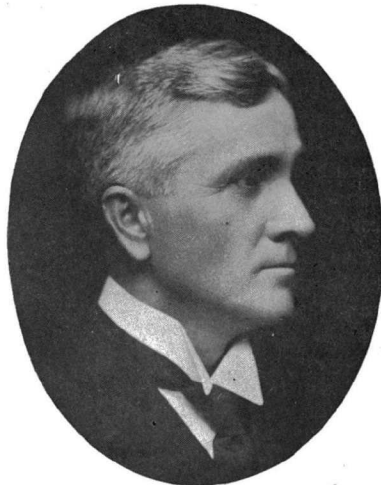


**Present Commodious Building, in which the Jubilee Session was held,
November 15-20, 1916.**

lege Street in 1893. It was brick veneer and modern in all its appointments. It was burned in November, 1904. The present, commodious building was erected in 1905.

The following is a list of the pastors in Waxahachie from 1849 to 1869: Rev. Mr. Reynolds, D. W. Wright, W. G. Nelms, W. J. Loyd, J. H. Addison, Wm. F. Hubert, S. S. Yarbrough, J. W. Cooley, J. G. Johnson, H. W. South, Drury Womack, Thos. Whitworth, W. G. Veal, Jas. M. Jones, H. C. Rogers, Thos. Stanford, J. B. Annis, J. Fred Cox. (The writer did not have access to the records from 1869 to 1877.) From 1878 to 1916 the following served as pastors: C. E. Brown, J. B. Allison, L. M. Lewis, R. C. Armstrong, E. M. Sweet, M. K. Little, John S. Davis, B. M. Stephens, Jno. A. Wallace, B. R. Bolton, J. W. Adkisson, H. A. Bourland, O. F. Sensabaugh, C. R. Wright, J. G. Putman, W. H. Matthews, J. T. McClure, A. D. Porter, J. A. Whitehurst, Jno. M. Barcus and W. B. Andrews. The first presiding elder of the Waxahachie District was Rev. J. W. Whipple. The territory embraced in the Conference included all of Northwest Texas and a large part of Central Texas. As the country developed the Conference became too unwieldy and seven years ago, at a meeting in Waxahachie, the Conference was divided into the Central and the Northwest Texas Conferences. The Central Texas Conference retained all records and the new conference retained the name.

Thus it is fitting that the Jubilee session be held in Waxahachie.



REV. W. B. ANDREWS—CONFERENCE HOST
Now Presiding Elder Georgetown District, 1916

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE,
AS TAKEN FROM THE JUBILEE ADDRESS OF
REV. JOHN M. BARCUS, D.D.

"I am asked to give some of the results of these men" (the charter members of the Conference) "and their successors, as evidenced by our present condition, that we of this generation may have some idea of the magnificent heritage into which we have entered, to note some of the things that justify us in observing this as our Jubilee Year, and also to call brief attention to some of the things which we must do in order to properly observe this Golden Jubilee.

This band of forty-one itinerants, thirty-three of whom received their appointments at the hand of Bishop Marvin in 1866, has increased to 489. The 3900 members reported at that Conference have increased to 120,000, and this, too, in spite of the fact that ten counties of our original territory were given to adjoining Conferences. Their ten Sunday schools, with 500 members, have grown to 800 schools, with a membership of 100,000. Where they had not a single parsonage we have now 242, valued at \$661,000. The very few insignificant churches in which they preached have increased to 850, valued at \$3,000,000. The largest salary paid any preacher in 1866 was \$500, the average for the Conference only \$250. Last year the preachers of these two Conferences were paid \$374,000, an average of \$900. At that Conference they reported \$71.00 collected for missions, and \$47.50 for conference claimants. Last year we reported for all connectional claims \$122,127, and for all purposes collected \$1,100,000.00. The total value of all our church property is now \$4,000,000.

When the Conference was organized they had not a single organization among the women. Now we have 300 Woman's Missionary Societies with a membership of more than 9,000.

At the organization we had not a single school to which the Church had any title. Now, within the same territory we have five splendid training schools with property valued at \$450,000, and about 1,000 students, besides our pro rata share in Southwestern University and Southern Methodist University and Texas Woman's College.

At the end of their first year they reported a net gain of only 61. Last year we reported more than 9,000 received on profession of faith.

In 1866 there were in this territory about 60,000 population, and one in fifteen was a Methodist. In the same territory we now have about one million population and one in seven and a half is a Southern Methodist.

The best part of the history is the unwritten part. No figures can adequately express the results of the preaching of these itinerants.

As we thus walk about our Zion, tell the towers thereof and consider her palaces that we may tell it to the generations following, it shall not be in any vainglorious spirit. We will not say, 'Is not this Great Babylon which I have built?' but rather, 'What hath God wrought!'



A. D. PORTER, Secretary and Editor.
AND CORPS OF ASSISTANTS.



G. F. WINFIELD
Associate Editor



S. B. KNOWLES

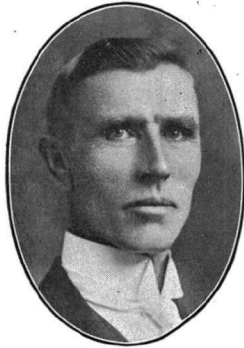


M. A. TURNER



C. C. HIGHTOWER

CORPS OF ASSISTANTS—Continued.



S. P. NEVILL



HENRY STANFORD



L. G. WHITE



W. J. MAYHEW
First Statistical



J. A. RUFFNER



E. L. LLOYD

Daily Journal.

FIRST DAY.

The Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its fifty-first annual session, (which is the seventh session since the division of 1910) in the First Methodist Church, Waxahachie, Texas, at 9 o'clock a. m., November 15, 1916, Bishop James H. McCoy in the chair.

Opening—The Bishop opened the Conference by announcing the Conference Hymn No. 560, "And Are We Yet Alive to See Each Other's Face?" He led the Conference in prayer. The Bishop read Psalm 121, making fitting comments thereon. Hymn No. 222 was sung.

Roll Call—The secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll, 230 preachers and 26 laymen responded to their names. (See Roll.)

Organization—A. D. Porter was elected secretary, and on his nomination, the following assistants were named: S. B. Knowles, M. A. Turner, C. C. Hightower, S. P. Nevill, Henry Stanford, L. G. White, W. J. Mayhew, J. A. Ruffner and E. L. Lloyd, the last three as statistical secretaries.

Standing Committees—S. J. Rucker read the report of the presiding elders nominating the standing committees, which report was adopted. (See Standing Committees.)

Ben S. Crow was elected Conference postmaster.

Sessions—On motion of W. B. Andrews, the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m. were set for meeting and adjournment.

Bank—Jno. M. Barcus announced that the Waxahachie National Bank was headquarters for the Conference treasurer, Geo. E. Jester.

Referred—A number of communications and papers were referred without reading to proper boards and committees.

Introduction—Dr. C. S. Wright, vice president of S. M. U.; Rev. J. M. Bergin, transfer from the Texas Conference; Rev. R. A. Crosby, an elder from the West Oklahoma Conference; Rev. J. A. Stewart, representing the Superannuate Endowment Fund; Mr. H. D. Mouzon, commissioner of S. M. U.; Dr. F. S. Parker, secretary of Epworth League; A. S. Pegues, professor in Southwestern University; J. H. Groesclose, presiding elder, San Antonio District, were introduced to the Conference.

Mrs. F. A. Mood—T. S. Armstrong read a resolution concerning the recent death of Mrs. F. A. Mood, which, on motion of Horace Bishop, was adopted by a rising vote.

Conference Journal—A. D. Porter made a statement with regard to the Jubilee Journal. The Bishop complimented the plan as outlined and urged the members of the Conference to heartily co-operate in the work of making this historic number of the Conference Journal a success.

Dr. W. D. Bradfield called for a written report from the preachers, concerning their year's work, which he wished to print in the Texas Christian Advocate.

Question 22—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" The names of the twelve presiding elders, namely, Sam G. Thompson, E. P. Williams, W. W. Moss, W. H. Matthews, S. J. Vaughan, J. R. Nelson, S. J. Rucker, T. S. Armstrong, J. M. Barcus, J. A. Whitehurst, Horace Bishop and L. A. Webb, were called, they reported for their respective districts and their characters passed. The Bishop complimented their reports and led the Conference standing, in singing the doxology.

Y. M. B. L.—On motion of G. F. Campbell, the secretary was instructed to send a communication, expressing appreciation of the Conference, to the Young Men's Business League of Waco, Texas, for their work in raising \$20,000 for the Methodist Orphanage.

Question 22 Was Resumed—The names of the following were called and their characters passed: J. U. McAfee, W. J. Hearon, B. E. Kimbrough, J. W. Fort, Franklin Moore, H. B. Landrum, I. E. Hightower, M. L. Latham, J. E. Matlock, E. B. Hawk, B. A. Evans, F. E. Singleton, R. B. Young, R. W. Nation, O. B. Turner and J. F. Isbell.

Charges Preferred—When the name of Frank Hughen was called, his presiding elder, W. H. Matthews stated that charges had been preferred against him and that a committee of investigation had reported a trial necessary in his case and he was suspended till the Annual Conference. The Bishop announced the following Committee of Trial: W. L. Nelms, chairman; M. A. Turner, secretary; committee, J. W. W. Shuler, W. J. Hearon, W. C. Hilburn, W. T. Kinslow, E. R. Patterson, H. F. Brooks, J. H. Braswell, J. B. Curry, J. M. Neal, E. F. Hudgens, H. C. Bowman, W. T. Singley and T. S. Barcus.

J. W. Fort was announced as counsel for the church and H. A. Boaz to represent the defendant.

Question 20—"Who are superannuated?" The names of the following were called, their character passed, and they were referred to the committee for the same relation: E. F. Boone, James Campbell, J. J. Canafax, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, W. H. Crawford, D. C. Ellis, C. E. Gallagher, W. A. Gilleland, H. M. Glass, W. F. Graves, Jerome Harolson, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris, H. B. Henry, W. V. Jones, W. J. Lemons, Abe Long, J. M. McCarter, F. L. McGehee, R. B. McSwain, W. H. Major, E. J. Maxwell, V. J. Millis, J. P. Mussett, W. W. Noble, J. J. Rape, C. Rowland, H. P. Shrader, C. G. Shutt, W. K. Simpson, B. A. Snoddy, D. C. Stark, C. E. Statham, E. M. Sweet, J. E. Walker, R. W. Wellborn and F. M. Winburne.

Question 21—"What preachers have died during the year?" J. J. Calloway, J. W. Montgomery, Samuel Morriss, S. W. Turner and J. A. Walkup having died during the year, their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Collection, H. M. Glass—Rev. J. H. Groesclose stated that H. M. Glass lived in the city of San Antonio and that he was in great financial need, and suggested that a collection be taken for him, pledging the San Antonio preachers for \$25.00, whereupon a hat collection was taken amounting to \$62.63, which amount was turned over to Bro. Groesclose and his receipt taken for same by secretary.

Introduced—Revs. H. M. Long, F. M. Neal and S. L. Culwell of the Northwest Texas Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

Rev. Jno. R. Stewart addressed the Conference concerning the Superannuate Endowment Fund.

Time Extended—On motion of J. R. Nelson, the time was extended until question 19, "Who are supernumerary?" was answered. The names of R. O. Bailey, J. W. Dickinson, T. W. Ellis, A. P. Lipscomb, Jno. F. Neal, G. W. Owens and R. J. Tooley were called, their character passed, they were referred to the Committee for the Supernumerary Relation. On motion of W. H. Matthews, B. A. Evans was referred to the committee for the above relation.

After numerous announcements, the doxology was sung, and Conference adjourned with the benediction by W. D. Bradfield.

SECOND DAY.

Bishop McCoy called the Conference to order at 9 a. m., and used for the morning lesson the second chapter of Ephesians, after which Rev. R. W. Adams of the Texas Conference led in prayer.

Minutes Read—Minutes of the first day's session were read and approved.

Roll Call—The roll of the absentees was called and a number answered present. (See Roll.)

Alternates—Waco District, T. B. Stanford, in place of F. E. Denton; Cleburne District, T. W. Hines, in place of H. F. Moore.

On motion of J. A. Whitehurst, the Conference ordered the discontinuance of the calling of the roll.

Introductions—E. R. Barcus, Texas Conference; R. W. Adams, presiding elder of the Houston District, Texas Conference; Dr. A. C. Miller, Little Rock Conference, and editor of Arkansas Methodist; Dr. W. D. Bradfield, editor of Texas Christian Advocate; Dr. R. S. Hyer, president of S. M. U.; Dr. Sam R. Hay, P. C. Archer, W. J. Johnson, C. M. Simpson, J. A. Old, E. L. Egger, W. C. Howell, all of the North Texas Conference; Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh and A. L. Moore, of the Northwest Texas Conference; Dr. G. H. Hogan, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, Waxahachie, were introduced to the Conference.

The Trial Committee in the case of Frank Hughen was excused from the Conference.

Question 1—"Who are admitted on trial?" Under this call the following having passed the required examination, and being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were admitted on trial: Brownwood District, H. Arthur Nichols; Cleburne District, Thomas Gordon Stamps; Corsicana District, Albert Richard Lundy; Dublin District, D. A. Chisholm; Fort Worth District, James Throop Watkins and Cluster Quinton Smith; Hillsboro District, Edgar Alfred Reed; Waco District, William Hugh Cole; Weatherford District, Edgar M. Scarlett, Joseph L. Chunn, Victor Dimmitt Dow and Fred Lee Chunn.

William Edward Anderson from the Cisco District passed the required examination, and although was not recommended by the Committee on Admissions, he was admitted on trial by a vote of 164 to 2.

Telegram—Bishop McCoy read a telegram from Rev. W. T. Andrews of the North Alabama Conference expressing greetings to the Conference. On motion of Jno. R. Nelson, the secretary was instructed to make suitable reply.

Question 1—"Who remain on trial?" The names of the following were called, their characters passed, and having passed an approved examination, were advanced to the class of the second year: M. L. Boone, W. L. Connell, J. L. Oliver, C. O. Davis and W. J. Whitley being in orders.

Question 10—"What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" Allen Darrow Cosgrove, Phillip Harvey Gates, William Boynton Gilleland, Charles Warner Griffin, Jonathan Montrose Hays, all having passed the required examination, their character passed, and they were elected deacons, and were advanced to the class of the third year.

The names of L. L. Evans and R. B. Hooper were called, their character passed, and having passed examination on the course of study, they were advanced to the class of the third year, being already deacons.

The name of L. Pat Leach was called, his character passed, and not having been before the committee, he was continued in the class of the second year.

Question 9—"Who are deacons of one year?" The names of the following were called, their character passed, and having passed an approved examination, they were advanced to the class of the fourth year: C. T. Brockett, W. T. Boulware, T. H. Burton, Elmer Crabtree, T. D. Ellis, W. G. Gwaltney, C. O. Hightower, P. W. Layne, J. Fred Patterson, Horace Poteet, J. D. Ramsey, T. L. Sorrells, T. J. Story, Guy H. Wilson, E. W. Bridges and W. E. Hawkins, Jr.

S. P. Gilmore's character was passed, and he was continued in the class of the third year.

The character of J. C. Mayhew was passed, and he was continued in the class of the third year, and on motion of his presiding elder, his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation.

Question 14—"What traveling preachers are elected elders?" William Gibson Bailey, Robert Thomas Capps, Murand Council, Oscar Andrew Morton, Milam Jason Vaughan, Angus Ezekiel Watford, their names were called, their character passed, and having passed an approved examination on the course of study, were elected elders.

The name of J. G. Thomas was called, character passed, and the Bishop announced his transfer to the Northwest Texas Conference.

J. N. Hester's name was called, and having failed on account of sickness, to appear before the examining committee, was continued in the class of the fourth year. His character passed.

Question 5—"Who are readmitted?" John W. Hawkins, from the Dublin District.

PRESIDING ELDERS 1915-1916.



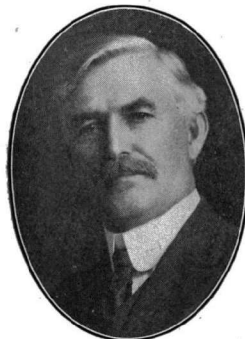
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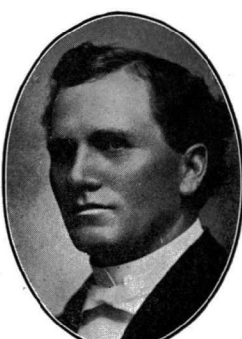
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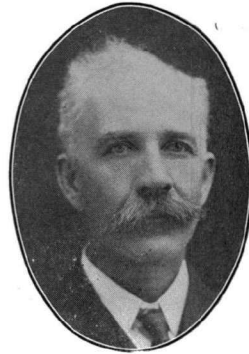
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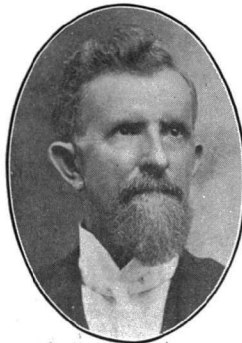


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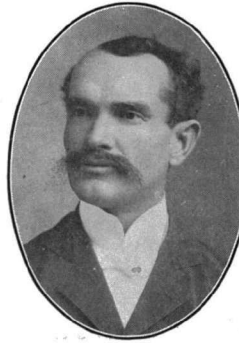


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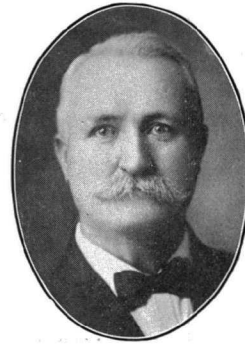
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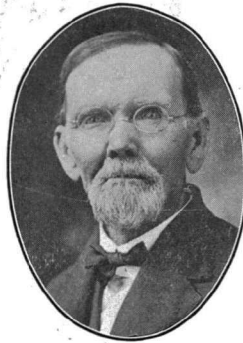
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M. H. MAJOR



W. V. JONES



I. F. HARRIS



C. E. STATHAM

Question 12—"What local preachers are elected deacons?" Jalmar Bowden, recommended from the Dallas District; John Hampton Rigby and Arthur Wyatt Franklin, from the Dublin District; Albert Christopher Fisher and Robert Lincoln Meyers, from the Fort Worth District; Cluster Quinton Smith and Sidney Everett Kornegay, recommended from the Dallas District; James Osburn Guthrie, from the Weatherford District.

Question 16—"What local preachers are elected elders?" Clay P. Morgan, from the Brownwood District; Alfred Filmore Nabors and John William Glenn, from the Dublin District.

Question 7—"Who are received from other churches as local preachers?" No one.

Question 8—The Bishop called question 8, "Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?" The answer was, no one.

Question 6—A. L. Andrews, an elder from the North Texas Conference, was introduced to the Conference and the Bishop announced his transfer to this Conference, in answer to question 6.

Introductions—Rev. G. S. Slover, president of Clarendon College; R. A. Burroughs, manager of the Methodist Orphanage, Waco; Rev. J. W. Hunt, president of Stanford College, were introduced to the Conference.

Leave of Absence—John M. Barcus asked leave of absence for P. E. Riley because of sickness in his home. Without objection it was granted.

Question 18—"Who are located this year?" C. H. Little, at his own request.

Question 22 was Resumed—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" Under this call, the names of all the preachers, not hitherto called, were called, and their character passed. (See Roll.)

When the name of A. D. Porter was called, his presiding elder, W. W. Moss, stated that earlier in the year there were rumors against him which, when they had reached his ears, A. D. Porter demanded an investigation, whereupon the presiding elder appointed a committee of investigation. The committee reported that the rumors were false, no trial being necessary, and that he was completely exonerated and his record was clear.

When the name of R. L. Reese was called, his presiding elder, J. A. Whitehurst, stated that earlier in the Conference year there were rumors against him, a committee was appointed, which reported a trial necessary, and he was suspended until the trial committee was appointed and had acted on his case. The trial committee found him not guilty as charged.

C. M. Bishop spoke to the Conference concerning an endowment fund.

Horace Bishop presented a paper concerning the celebration of the Centennial of Texas Methodism. The paper was referred to Jno. M. Barcus and Jno. R. Nelson.

The Bishop recognized H. D. Knickerbocker, who addressed the Conference concerning the San Antonio Rescue Home.

Franklin Moore made report No. 1 of the Board of Adjustment, which called for an assessment of \$1,500 on the Conference in favor of the Rescue Home at San Antonio.

Alonzo Monk raised the point of order that the passage of the report was out of order until the aggregate assessments was reported. The Bishop stated the point well taken, whereupon A. Monk, Jr., moved to set aside rule No. 8. The Bishop stated that it required a three-fourths vote of the Conference to set aside the rule. The motion carried by the required three-fourths vote.

W. W. Moss moved to table the report. The motion lost, 73 to 103.

The motion to adopt the report levying the assessment was adopted.

Jno. R. Nelson spoke a word of warning concerning high assessments.

R. C. Armstrong read a paper regarding the creation of a Sabbath Commission. H. M. Dobbs moved to adopt, and the motion carried.

The Bishop recognized C. S. Wright, vice president of S. M. U., who spoke in the interests of the university.

Dr. R. S. Hyer, president of S. M. U., spoke briefly to the Conference.

Dr. F. S. Parker, secretary of the Epworth League, addressed the Conference.

W. L. Nelms reported for the trial committee in the case of Frank Hughen, the unanimous verdict of the committee was not guilty, which report was received with cheers. (See Report.)

Horace Bishop offered a resolution bearing on an invitation to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, to attend a meeting in Dallas in April of next year. The resolution was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

W. W. Moss was called for and the Bishop presented him with a traveling bag and hat as an expression of appreciation from the preachers of the Cleburne District, to which W. W. Moss made a fitting reply.

J. R. B. Hall represented the Methodist State Assembly at Port O'Connor.

Rev. Comer M. Woodward of the Northwest Texas Conference, Dr. W. W. Pinson, secretary of the Board of Missions, and Rev. S. B. Beall of the West Texas Conference, were introduced.

Bishop McCoy read a telegram from J. J. Morgan concerning the American Bible Society, and calling for a meeting of the board.

J. D. Young announced a call for the meeting of certain educators at 4 p. m. looking toward the organization of the association of Texas Methodist Schools.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that C. H. Booth would preach a 3 p. m.

After sundry announcements, the doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by A. C. Miller, editor of Arkansas Methodist.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock, Bishop McCoy in the chair. Hymn No. 1 was sung, the Bishop read Scripture lesson taken from first chapter of First Peter. Dr. W. D. Bradfield led in prayer, after which the hymn, "Oh, How I Love Jesus," was sung.

The secretary read the minutes of the previous session and with slight corrections, they were approved.

H. F. Brooks read a resolution concerning additional copies of the Jubilee Journal, which was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

Horace Bishop asked that leave of absence be granted to M. W. Clark and H. B. Clark. Granted.

M. A. Turner resigned as member of Auditing Committee, and his resignation was accepted. E. Hightower moved that the filling of the vacancies caused by the resignation of M. A. Turner and by the death of S. W. Turner be referred to the Nominating Committee. The motion carried.

E. F. Boone moved the reconsideration of the vote of the previous session concerning the assessment for the San Antonio Rescue Home. The following spoke to the question: S. J. Vaughan, Horace Bishop, I. E. Hightower, L. A. Weebb, J. R. B. Hall, F. P. Culver, E. Hightower, W. H. Howard, G. F. Campbell, J. M. Edmondson, J. S. Fox, L. A. Powledge, E. V. Cox and C. C. Hightower.

J. W. Fort moved the previous question, which was ordered.

The motion to reconsider was lost by a vote of 101 to 102.

Introductions—The following brethren were introduced to the Conference: Dr. E. B. Chappell, Sunday school editor; Revs. I. F. Betts of the Texas Conference, James Thomas, Little Rock Conference; A. C. Holder, evangelist, from Shreveport, La.; J. W. Gilbert, president of Payne College, and W. J. Herwig of the Anti-Saloon League.

The presence of F. E. Denton, layman from Waco District, was noted.

Question 1—"Who are admitted on trial?" Under this call Silas Walter Adams, from the Waxahachie District, having passed the required examination, and being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, was admitted on trial.

Question 10—"What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" George Grover Mitchell having passed the required examination, his character passed, he was elected a deacon and advanced to the class of the third year.

Question 9—"Who are deacons of one year?" The name of C. F. Bell was called, his character passed, and having passed approved examination, was advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Question 14—"What traveling preachers are elected elders?"

Marcus Manlove Chunn's character passed, and having passed the required examination, was elected an elder. The name of L. E. Hill was called, his character passed, and he was continued in the class of the fourth year.

Question 12—"What local preachers are elected deacons?" William Hugh Cole, properly recommended from the Waco District.

Question 7—"Who are received from other churches as local preachers?" Henry Ibser, from the Georgetown District, properly recommended, after declaring himself to be in harmony with the doctrines and discipline of the M. E. Church, South, and promising to be present at the ordination of elders on Sunday evening and accept the vows without the reimposition of hands, was received as an elder from the Northern Baptist Church.

Dr. E. B. Chappell, Sunday School Editor, addressed the Conference.

C. M. Bishop, president of Southwestern University, addressed the Conference.

Bishop McCoy read a telegram from M. K. Little concerning the serious illness of his wife, then led the Conference in prayer for her recovery.

On motion of Jno. M. Barcus, the secretary was instructed to send a message of condolence to Bro. Little.

The **chair** recognized F. P. Culver, who presented Mrs. J. W. Downs to the Conference. She addressed the Conference concerning the work of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Jno. R. Nelson read a paper bearing on the unification of Methodism, which on motion of J. W. W. Shuler, was adopted. (See Paper.)

The **Bishop** introduced Prof. Jno. W. Gilbert of Payne College, Augusta, Ga., who addressed the Conference in behalf of his institution.

On motion of A. D. Porter, the time was extended.

A **collection** was taken by the Bishop for Prof. Gilbert's cause, which amounted to \$240.00 in subscriptions and \$215 cash, which was turned over to J. W. Gilbert and his receipt for same taken by the secretary.

F. P. Culver moved that when the Conference adjourn it be to meet at 7:30 p. m. The motion carried.

E. W. Bridges was granted leave of absence on request of Jno. M. Barcus.

T. S. Armstrong was called to the bar of the Conference and the Bishop presented him an overcoat with the compliments of the preachers of the Georgetown District. T. S. Armstrong responded.

Atticus Webb was granted leave of absence.

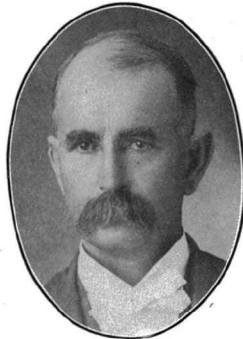
W. B. Andrews, chairman of the Committee on Public Worship, announced that Dr. E. B. Chappell would speak at the 3 o'clock hour.

The **doxology** was sung, the benediction was pronounced by H. M. Dobbs.

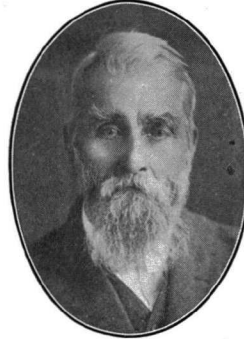
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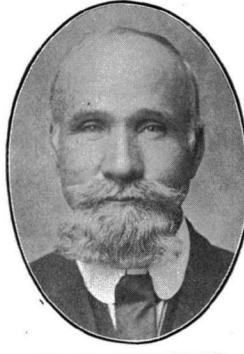
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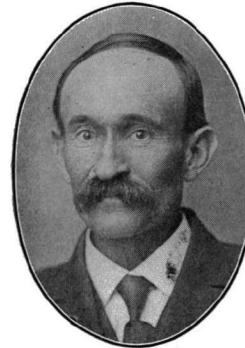
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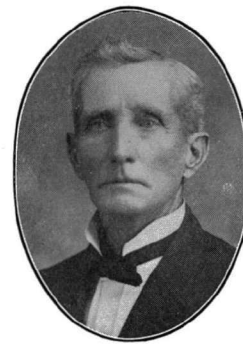
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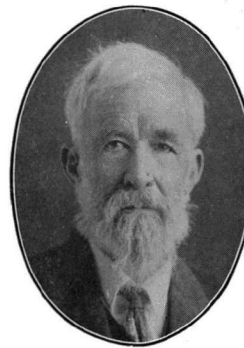
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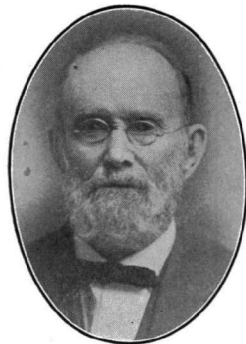


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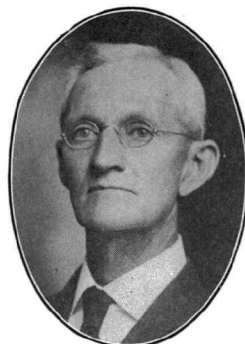


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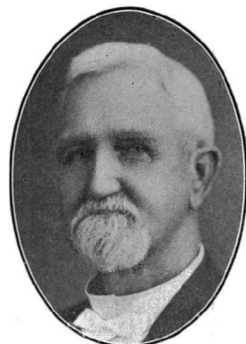
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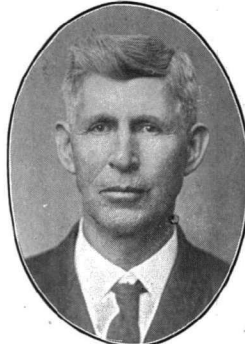
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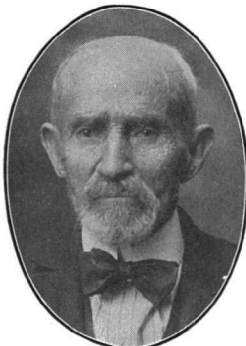
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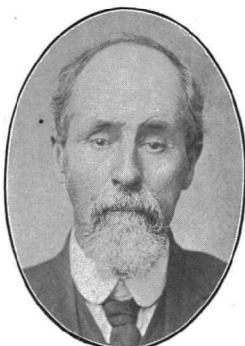
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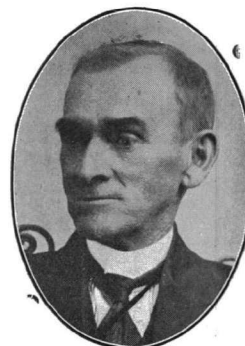
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THIRD DAY—EVENING SESSION.

The Conference met pursuant to adjournment at 7:30 p. m., Dr. F. P. Culver presiding by appointment of the Bishop. Opening hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," was sung, S. A. Ashburn led in prayer, after which hymn No. 91 was sung, "Guide Me, Oh, Thou Great Jehovah."

Report No. 1 of the Board of Missions was read by M. S. Hotchkiss. T. S. Barcus moved its adoption. Dr. W. W. Pinson, general missionary secretary, delivered the address and afterward led in prayer.

Mrs. Henry Stanford sang "Pass it on."

The report of the board was adopted.

On motion of J. W. Fort, Conference adjourned with the benediction by R. B. Young.

FOURTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Conference convened at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, Bishop McCoy in the chair, announced hymn No. 388, "A Charge to Keep I Have." The Scripture lesson was read from the second chapter of Titus. Dr. A. C. Miller led in prayer.

The minutes of the previous morning and evening sessions were read and approved.

Mrs. E. R. Barcus was introduced by the Bishop to the Conference.

C. B. Dilts and Alonzo Monk, Jr., were granted leave of absence on request of S. J. Rucker.

J. M. Robertson read the report of the Conference treasurer and also read the report of the Auditing Committee. On motion of H. Bishop, both reports were received for record.

J. R. B. Hall nominated for re-election the present trustees of the property of the Texas Methodist Assembly, located at Port O'Connor, and on motion of W. H. Howard, they were elected.

On motion of C. H. Booth, 11 o'clock was fixed as the hour for considering the place of holding the next session of the Annual Conference.

J. H. Garner read the report of the Committee on Lay Activities. The report was adopted.

Seba Kirkpatrick read the report of the Committee on Books and Periodicals. L. Blaylock, publisher of the Texas Christian Advocate, was requested to speak, which he did. Dr. W. D. Bradfield, editor of the Texas Christian Advocate, spoke to the report. The chair, on the suggestion of W. D. Bradfield, called Dr. A. C. Miller, editor of the Arkansas Methodist, to the platform, who made a pleasing address to the Conference. W. C. Everett, represented the Publishing House.

C. H. Booth spoke concerning the Summer School of Theology at Southwestern University. On motion of H. Bishop, the report was adopted.

W. L. Nelms requested that the Board of Education be excused from the Conference room. His request was granted.

The report of the Committee on Conference Relations was read by H. B. Clark, and the report was adopted on motion of W. T. Singley. (See Report and also Condensed Minutes.)

The report of the Committee of American Bible Society was read by J. M. Neal. M. A. Turner moved its adoption. J. J. Morgan, agent of the Bible Society, spoke to the report, as also did S. Brooks McLean. The report was adopted.

J. A. Whitehurst moved that when the Conference adjourn it be to meet at 2:30 p. m. The motion prevailed.

On motion of H. Bishop, a reconsideration of the vote fixing the hour of the day for 11 o'clock was ordered.

S. J. Vaughan moved that the time of selecting place of meeting be postponed indefinitely. Carried.

The class for admission into full connection consisting of A. D. Cosgrove, L. L. Evans, P. H. Gates, W. B. Gilleland, C. W. Griffin, J. M. Hays, R. B. Hooper and G. G. Mitchell was called to the bar of the Conference and after giving satisfactory answers to the disciplinary questions and after the Bishop's address, they were admitted into full connection. The Conference stood and sung "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

H. A. Boaz, president of Texas Woman's College, spoke, representing that institution.

J. W. W. Shuler was granted leave of absence.

W. L. Nelms read the report of the Board of Education. M. A. Turner moved to amend the report by striking out the expression "\$3,600 for the theological department of S. M. U." He then spoke to the amendment. J. W. Fort offered an amendment to the amendment providing that \$2,400 be taken from the \$6,000 assessment provided for the academic department and to be applied to the theological department. The amendment to the amendment was accepted by M. A. Turner and his second. George F. Campbell spoke to the amendment. W. H. Howard was on the floor at time of adjournment.

After announcements, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by H. A. Boaz.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference opened pursuant to adjournment with J. H. Stewart in the chair by appointment of Bishop McCoy. Hymn No. 19 was sung, after which Rev. J. G. Miller of the Northwest Texas Conference led in prayer.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

W. H. Howard, who had the floor on adjournment of the morning session, was recognized and spoke to the report of the Board of Education.

T. S. Barcus moved a substitute to the Fort amendment to the effect that that part of the report bearing on assessment be referred to the Board of Adjustment with instructions to leave the educational assessment the same as last year. J. W.

Fort withdrew his amendment with consent of his second. C. M. Bishop made point of order that the report could not be committed other than to the Board of Education. W. L. Nelms called for the reading of the report of the Board of Adjustment. H. B. Clark read rule No. 7 and the chair ruled that the Board of Adjustment must be heard from. T. S. Barcus moved to postpone action until the Board of Adjustment made its report. Motion carried. Franklin Moore asked that the members of the Board of Adjustment be excused and they retired from the Conference room.

T. E. Bowman read the report of the Sunday School Board.

The Bishop occupied the chair.

F. P. Culver moved the adoption of the report. R. F. Brown read the report of the treasurer of the Sunday School Board as a completion of that board's report. W. E. Hawkins, Sunday school field agent, submitted his report as such, and the report was adopted.

W. B. Andrews read the report of the trustees of the Superannuate Homes. D. L. Collie spoke to the report, and on motion of A. D. Porter, it was adopted.

C. A. Bickley raised the point of order that the action adopting the report of the American Bible Society Board during yesterday's session was out of order, as it was made before the report of the Board of Adjustment was submitted. The chair sustained the point of order, and on motion of C. A. Bickley, the vote adopting the report of the Bible Committee was rescinded.

The secretary read a communication from the Young Men's Business League of Waco in answer to letter previously written.

Extra Copies—The matter of securing orders for extra copies of the journal was presented. G. F. Winfield, H. F. Brooks, J. E. Matlock and L. G. White canvassed the Conference for that purpose.

On motion of E. F. Boone, it was authorized that when Conference adjourn it be to meet in memorial session at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

On motion of S. J. Rucker, Lloyd E. Hill was granted an honorable location at his own request.

S. J. Rucker reported for the Nominating Committee offering the names of Gid J. Bryan and E. R. Stanford to fill vacancies on the Auditing Committee. G. J. Bryan stated that he was ineligible to serve, being a treasurer of one of the boards. The report was accepted on motion of M. A. Turner, and the committee was granted further time to report a name in place of Gid J. Bryan.

Franklin Moore read report No. 2 of Board of Adjustment.

W. B. Andrews moved to adopt the report of the Board of Education. W. L. Nelms spoke to the motion.

Amendment—T. S. Barcus offered an amendment to the report so as to give S. M. U. academic department \$3,500, theological department \$3,500, the Summer School of Theology \$300; Texas Woman's College \$4,000; Southwestern University \$7,500; Weatherford College \$500; Meridian College \$500; making the

total \$19,800. H. A. Boaz, J. W. Fort, C. M. Bishop, E. R. Stanford and E. Hightower spoke to the amendment. Jno. R. Nelson made a motion that the vote be taken on the amendment item by item. The motion carried. Gid J. Bryan spoke. The previous question was ordered on motion of J. E. Crawford.

The vote was taken as follows: S. M. U. academic department \$3,500, theological department \$3,500, carried by a vote of 153 to 56. Summer School of Theology 300, carried. Texas Woman's College 4,000, carried by 114 to 67. Southwestern University \$7,500, carried. Weatherford College \$500, lost, 73 to 123. Meridian College \$500, lost. The vote was then taken on the report as amended and was adopted. (See Report.)

W. L. Nelms moved to reconsider the vote adopting the report in order that the item concerning S. M. U. might be changed, giving the academic \$2,500 of the \$3,500 levied for the theological department. The motion was lost.

On motion of W. W. Moss, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by W. L. Nelms.

FIFTH DAY—MEMORIAL SESSION.

The Conference met in memorial session Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock, with Horace Bishop in the chair according to appointment of Bishop McCoy. "There Is a Land of Pure Delight" was sung and R. C. Armstrong led in prayer. J. A. Whitehurst read the Scripture lesson.

Question 21—"What preachers have died during the year?" This question was answered in the report of the Committee on Memoirs, which was read by E. F. Boone.

Those having died were as follows: S. W. Turner, J. A. Walkup, Samuel Morriss, J. J. Calloway and J. W. Montgomery.

Memoirs were read as follows: S. W. Turner, by T. S. Armstrong; J. A. Walkup, by J. R. Nelson; Samuel Morriss, by H. Bishop; J. J. Calloway, by M. S. Hotchkiss; J. W. Montgomery, by S. J. Rucker.

Obituaries of deceased wives of preachers were read as follows: Mrs. S. W. Turner, by T. S. Armstrong; Mrs. C. R. Wright, by J. R. Nelson; Mrs. W. Griffith, by J. M. Barcus; Mrs. R. B. McSwain, by Henry Stanford; Mrs. F. A. Mood, by C. H. Booth.

E. F. Boone moved the adoption of the report.

The following paid oral tributes: M. S. Hotchkiss, E. F. Boone, G. W. Kincheloe, J. D. Hendrickson, C. L. Cartwright, M. A. Turner, J. J. Creed, J. R. B. Hall and H. Bishop.

The report was adopted.

The Conference sung "Thy Saints in All This Glorious World Shall Conquer Though They Die."

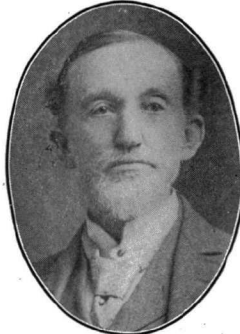
The benediction was pronounced by E. F. Boone.

SIXTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

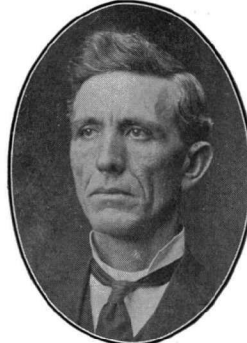
The Conference convened at 9 a. m. with Bishop McCoy presiding. Hymn No. 556 was sung, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."



G. W. HARRIS
Superannuate



J. F. NEAL
Supernumerary



B. A. EVANS
Supernumerary



WM McKENDREE LAMBDIN
First transfer to Church
Triumphant



MRS. J. FRED COX
The only surviving widow of
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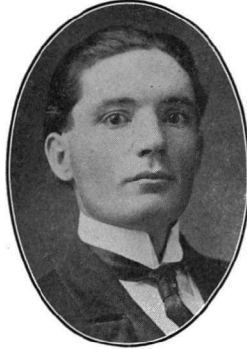


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H. D. NICHOLS



D. A. CHISHOLM



G. T. STAMPS

Psalm 122 was read by the Bishop and the Conference was led in prayer by E. F. Boone.

The minutes of Saturday afternoon session and of Sunday afternoon memorial session were read and approved.

The Bishop called questions 11, 13, 15 and 17, "What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?" "What local preachers are ordained deacons?" "What traveling deacons are ordained elders?" "What local deacons are ordained elders?" The Bishop read certificate answering these questions.

BISHOP'S CERTIFICATE.

Waxahachie, Texas.

I, James H. McCoy, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, hereby certify to the secretary of the Central Texas Conference that on yesterday morning, after preaching in the Methodist Church in this city, I ordained as deacons the following persons, elected by the Conference: Allen Darrow Cosgrove, Phillip Harvey Gates, William Boynton Gilleland, Charles Warner Griffin, Jonathan Montrose Hays, George Grover Mitchell, traveling preachers; and Jalmar Bowden, John Hampton Rigby, Arthur Wyatt Franklin, Albert Christopher Fisher, Robert Lincoln Myers, Cluster Quinton Smith, Sidney Everett Kornegay, James Osburne Guthrie, William Hugh Cole, local preachers.

At the same place on the evening of the same day, after a sermon by the Rev. C. M. Bishop, D. D., I ordained, with the assistance of the elders present, the following persons as elders, following their election by this Conference: William Gibson Bailey, Robert Thomas Capps, Murand Council, Oscar Andrew Morton, Milam Jason Vaughan, Angus Ezekiel Watford, Marcus Manlove Chunn, traveling preachers; and Alfred Filmore Nabors and John William Glenn, local preachers. With the above class of elders appeared Henry Ibser, received as a local preacher and recognized in elders' orders from the Northern Baptist Church, and assumed the ordination vows without the reimposition of hands. (Signed) JAMES H. MCCOY, Bishop.

J. M. Barcus read the report of a special committee on the Centennial of Texas Methodism. On motion of C. E. Lindsey, it was adopted. (See Resolution.)

On nomination of J. W. Fort, E. B. Hawk and T. S. Barcus were elected to fill vacancies on the Examining Committee of the Class of the Second Year.

T. S. Armstrong read a resolution concerning the superannuate endowment and loan fund. S. J. Vaughan moved its adoption. J. P. Mussett spoke to the question. The resolution was adopted. (See Resolution.)

J. W. Fort moved to rescind the action whereby an assessment of \$1,500 for the San Antonio Rescue Home had previously been made upon the Conference.

Seba Kirkpatrick moved that speeches in the debate be limited to three minutes. The motion prevailed.

J. D. Young, J. R. B. Hall, W. H. Howard and H. A. Boaz spoke to the question. The motion to rescind was lost.

Bishop McCoy presented the following question: "The Gen-

eral Conference of 1914, by the requisite disciplinary vote, has submitted to the several Annual Conferences the question whether the Conference Lay Leader and the District Lay Leaders shall be ex-officio members of the Annual Conference., Those in favor of making these lay leaders ex officio members of the Conference will vote 'yes,' and those opposed will vote 'no' in answer to roll call."

M. S. Hotchkiss moved its adoption. J. R. Nelson, J. M. Barcus, L. A. Powledge, H. A. Boaz, E. Hightower and W. L. Nelms spoke to the question.

The roll was called and the vote stood 8 for and 178 against.

Bishop McCoy called for the presiding elders to meet him and they retired from the Conference room, W. L. Nelms taking the chair by the Bishop's request.

J. M. Robertson read the report of the Joint Board of Finance and on motion of E. F. Boone, the report was adopted.

F. O. Waddill read the report of the Orphanage Committee. E. Hightower spoke to the report, which was adopted on motion of J. R. B. Hall.

The Bishop reoccupied the chair.

E. P. Williams presented a memorial to the General Conference on the question of lay members in the Annual Conference. J. P. Mussett moved to lay the paper on the table. The motion to table prevailed by a vote of 90 to 70.

E. F. Boone stated that he owed several dollars for printing programs of the memorial session. E. R. Stanford was appointed to take a collection to cover such expense. The collection amounted to \$12.25, which was turned over to E. F. Boone and his receipt taken.

F. P. Culver read a letter from Mrs. I. Z. T. Morris.

S. J. Rucker stated that A. D. Cosgrove had the misfortune to lose some forty dollars of his Conference collections. And asked that a freewill offering be taken for the purpose of restoring same, which was done, the collection amounting to \$42.65, the same being receipted for by A. D. Cosgrove.

J. G. Miller of the Northwest Texas Conference was introduced.

J. R. B. Hall read the temperance report. C. R. Wright offered an amendment to strike out that part of the report referring to preachers entering political life. J. W. Fort spoke to the question. T. S. Barcus moved the previous question, and the previous question was ordered.

The amendment prevailed—The report as amended was adopted. (See Report.)

C. W. McCune read a paper for adoption bearing on the Standing Rules of the Conference, asking that it be designated as Rule 8. G. F. Winfield offered an amendment. E. Hightower presented a substitute, which was accepted by G. F. Winfield and his second. The substitute carried. The paper as amended was adopted. (See Rule 8.)

R. C. Armstrong read the report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance. On motion of J. P. Mussett, it was adopted. (See Report.)

Franklin Moore read the report of the Social Service Committee and on motion of C. E. Lindsey it was adopted. (See Report.)

H. Bishop presented the case of D. C. Ellis, a superannuate, who is nursing a sick wife. A collection was taken amounting to \$225. Receipt for cash was taken by the secretary from H. Bishop.

J. M. Neal read the report of the Committee on American Bible Society. It was adopted.

K. P. Barton read report of Board of Church Extension. C. R. Wright moved an amendment to change the amount apportioned for printing minutes from \$95 to \$150. The amendment carried. The report as amended was adopted on motion of C. C. Hightower. (See Report.)

H. A. Boaz read a resolution of thanks which was adopted by rising vote. (See Resolution.)

D. L. Collie read a paper endorsing the movement to establish a superannuate home to be known as the "Charles E. Brown Home." The paper was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

H. A. Boaz spoke of the work and standing of the Texas Woman's College.

G. F. Winfield represented Meridian College and introduced a resolution concerning junior colleges, which was adopted. (See Resolution.)

E. Hightower represented Weatherford College.

J. P. Mussett moved to reconsider the vote on the assessment for the Texas Woman's College. W. B. Nelms, W. H. Howard, G. F. Winfield, J. F. Clark and R. C. Armstrong spoke to the question.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

J. W. W. Shuler moved that a thousand dollars be added to the assessment for the Texas Woman's College, making the total for that institution \$5,000. The motion prevailed.

Question 52—"Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" C. H. Booth nominated Georgetown which was selected by a unanimous vote.

W. L. Nelms read report No. 2 of the Board of Education and it was adopted. (See Report.)

Gid J. Bryan read the report of the treasurer of the Board of Education and it was filed for record. (See Report.)

J. D. Young called for the reading of a paper concerning the title of Texas Woman's College. It was read by C. C. Hightower and on motion of S. B. Knowles it was adopted.

The Epworth League Board's report was read by C. C. Hightower. J. M. Barcus moved to extend the time for the completion of the business of the Conference, which was done.

On motion of A. D. Porter, the Epworth League report was adopted.

T. S. Barcus read the report on the Spiritual State of the Church. On motion of F. P. Culver, it was adopted. (See Report.)

H. Bishop read a resolution calling for the printing in pamphlet form the address of J. M. Barcus, delivered on the second night of the Conference. M. A. Turner moved that the poem entitled "The Lone Soldier," written by A. D. Porter, be appended thereto. The amendment prevailed. And the resolution as amended was adopted. (See Resolution.)

P. E. Riley was elected to fill the vacancy on the Auditing Committee.

J. F. Isbell read the report on District Conference Records. It was adopted. (See Report.)

M. S. Hotchkiss read report No. 2 of the Board of Missions which, on motion of W. B. Andrews, was adopted. (See Report.)

A collection amounting to \$24.27 was taken for the Conference postmaster, B. S. Crow, which was turned over to him.

Statistical questions Nos. 23 to 51 were called by the Bishop and answered by the secretary. (See Condensed Minutes.)

A. D. Porter moved that after the reading of the minutes and the reading of the appointments by the Bishop, that the Conference adjourn sine die. The motion carried.

After singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the Bishop called question 53, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" (See Appointments.)

And thus the fifty-first, the jubilee session of the Central Texas Annual Conference passed into history.

BISHOP J. H. McCOY, President,
A. D. PORTER, Secretary.

MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE.



H. M. DOBBS



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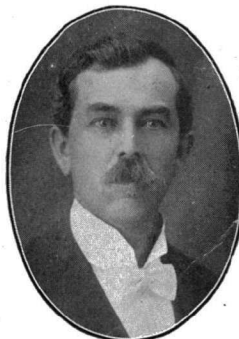
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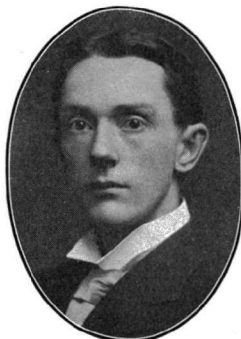
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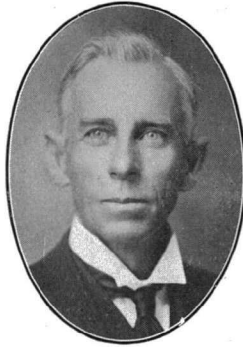


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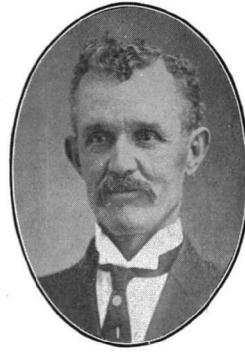
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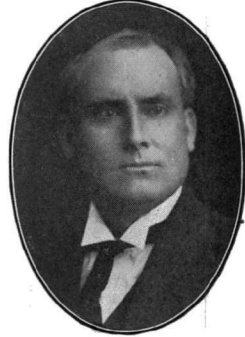
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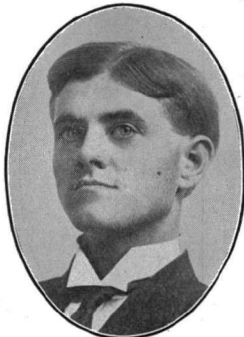
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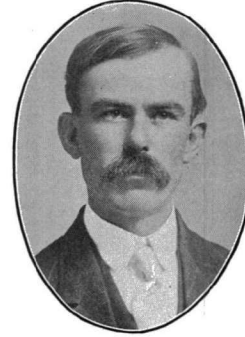
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C. E. WILKINS



F. O. WADDILL



B. S. CROW

Appointments.

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—Sam G. Thompson.....	(2)
Ballinger, J. B. Curry.....	(1)
Bangs, J. D. Hendrickson.....	(2)
Blanket, L. L. Felder.....	(2)
Bronte, A. C. Smith.....	(2)
Brownwood, K. P. Barton.....	(4)
Coleman, M. K. Little.....	(3)
Indian Creek, Henry Francis.....	(1)
Norton, J. D. Ramsey.....	(1)
Novice, T. D. Ellis, IV.....	(3)
Robert Lee, S. W. Adams, I.....	(1)
Rockwood, J. N. Hester, IV.....	(1)
Santa Anna, J. A. Ruffner.....	(3)
Talpa, H. C. Bowman.....	(4)
Valera, B. F. Alsup.....	(1)
Winchell, Frank Hughen.....	(1)
Wingate, P. H. Gates, III.....	(2)
Winters, J. J. Creed.....	(1)
Zephyr, L. A. Clark.....	(2)

CISCO DISTRICT:

Presiding Elder—E. P. Williams.....	(3)
Breckenridge, M. L. Boone, II.....	(1)
Carbon, Throp Watkins, I.....	(1)
Cisco, E. L. Lloyd.....	(1)
Cisco Mission, W. L. Boyd, Supply.....	
Cross Cut, R. L. Reese.....	(1)
Desdemona, J. O. Gore.....	(2)
Eastland, C. E. Wilkins.....	(3)
Eolian, P. W. Layne, IV.....	(2)
Gordon, K. S. VanZandt.....	(2)
R. O. Bailey, Supernumerary.....	
Gorman, J. M. Armstrong.....	(2)
May, C. V. Williams.....	(4)
Ranger, J. A. Dosier.....	(2)
Rising Star, E. M. Wisdom.....	(2)
Romney, W. E. Anderson, I.....	(1)
Scranton, Murand Council.....	(1)
Sipe Springs, R. T. Capps.....	(1)
Staff, C. O. Hightower, IV.....	(2)
Strawn, J. G. Pollard.....	(2)
Thurber, J. B. Dodson.....	(2)
Wayland, to be supplied.	
District Evangelist, S. P. Gilmore, Sipe Springs (Quarterly Conference).	

CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—W. L. Nelms.....	(1)
Alvarado, J. H. Braswell.....	(2)
Barnesville, Ben Crow.....	(1)
Burleson, J. N. Vincent.....	(3)
Cleburne, Anglin Street, C. A. Bickley.....	(4)

CLEBURNE DISTRICT—Continued.

Cleburne, Brazos Avenue, S. P. Nevill.....	(2)
Cleburne, Main Street, A. D. Porter.....	(3)
Glen Rose, F. L. Meadow.....	(2)
Glen Rose Mission, L. B. Sawyers.....	(1)
Godley and Cresson, T. W. Sharp.....	(1)
Granbury, P. M. Riley.....	(2)
Granbury Circuit, E. A. Reed, I.....	(1)
Grandview, Gid J. Bryan.....	(3)
Joshua, A. E. Watford.....	(2)
Lillian, M. L. Lathan.....	(1)
Morgan, W. N. Curry.....	(3)
Parker, T. G. Stamps, I.....	(2)
Venus, J. W. Head.....	(1)
Walnut Springs, W. A. Clarke.....	(1)
District Evangelist, Sterling Richardson.	
Superintendent Orphan Home Society, (Dallas), J. D. Odom, Grandview (Quarterly Conference).	
Commissioner of Southern Methodist University, W. B. Wilson, Main St. (Quarterly Conference).	
Conference Secretary of Education, W. L. Nelms.	

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—W. H. Matthews.....	(3)
Barry and Emhouse, J. U. McAfee.....	(4)
Blooming Grove, C. N. Morton.....	(1)
Chatfield, B. E., Kimbrow.....	(4)
Corsicana, 11th Ave., W. J. Hearon.....	(1)
Corsicana, First Church, J. W. Fort.....	(4)
Corsicana Circuit, R. B. Hooper, III.....	(1)
Dawson, I. E. Hightower.....	(2)
Emmett, W. T. Boulware, IV.....	(1)
Frost, R. A. Crosby.....	(1)
Groesbeck, E. A. Smith.....	(1)
Harmony, N. E. Gardner.....	(1)
Horn Hill, A. R. Lundy, I.....	(1)
Kerens, J. F. Isbell.....	(1)
B. A. Evans, Supernumerary.	
Kirvin, L. Pat Leach, II.....	(3)
Mexia, F. E. Singleton.....	(3)
Purdon, S. C. Baird.....	(1)
Rice, R. W. Nation.....	(2)
Thornton, O. B. Turner.....	(2)
Wortham, H. B. Landrum.....	(1)
Conference Evangelist, W. E. Hawkins, Jr., First Church (Quar- terly Conference).	

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—S. J. Vaughan.....	(4)
Bluffdale, T. G. Story, III.....	(1)
Bunyan, W. A. Neill.....	(2)
Carlton, J. D. Smoot.....	(2)
Comanche, L. G. White.....	(2)
Comanche Circuit, R. B. Young.....	(1)
Comanche Mission, to be supplied.	
DeLeon, W. H. Doss.....	(2)
DeLeon Circuit, H. B. Clark.....	(2)

DUBLIN DISTRICT—Continued.

Dublin, George F. Campbell.....	(2)
Duffau, Jno. W. Hawkins.....	(1)
Gustine, G. H. Wilson, IV.....	(3)
Harbin and Green's Creek, C. V. Oswalt.....	(1)
Hico, W. C. Hilburn.....	(2)
Huckabay, D. A. Chisholm, I.....	(1)
Iredell, H. A. Nichols, I.....	(1)
Proctor, W. E. Hudnall, Supply.....	
Stephenville, S. B. Knowles.....	(3)
Stephenville Circuit, A. W. Franklin, Supply.....	
Tolar and Lipan, M. J. Vaughan.....	(2)

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—Jno. R. Nelson.....	(4)
Arlington, J. B. Berry.....	(2)
G. W. Owens, Supernumerary.	
Brooklyn Heights and Harwell's Chapel, C. O. Davis, II.....	(1)
Fort Worth, Boulevard, T. S. Barcus.....	(4)
Fort Worth, Central, C. R. Wright.....	(4)
Fort Worth, Diamond Hill, C. E. Simpson.....	(3)
Fort Worth, First Church, A. L. Andrews.....	(1)
Fort Worth, Glenwood, J. W. Patison.....	(2)
Fort Worth, Hemphill Heights, R. A. Langston.....	(3)
Fort Worth, Highland Park, W. G. Bailey.....	(2)
Fort Worth, McKinley Ave., E. R. Stanford.....	(1)
Fort Worth, Missouri Ave., C. C. Hightower.....	(2)
Fort Worth, Mulkey Memorial, M. S. Hotchkiss.....	(2)
Fort Worth, Polytechnic, E. B. Hawk.....	(1)
T. W. Ellis and J. W. Dickinson, Supernumeraries.	
Fort Worth, Riverside, J. H. Baldrige.....	(2)
Fort Worth, Sagamore and Sycamore, C. A. Evans.....	(4)
Fort Worth, Weatherford Street, C. Q. Smith, I.....	(2)
Grapevine and Minter's Chapel, O. C. Swinney.....	(1)
Handley, W. T. Jones.....	(1)
Kennedale, C. W. Daniel.....	(1)
Smithfield and Euless, W. T. Singley.....	(1)
Thomas Chapel and Saginaw, W. M. Anderson, Supply.....	
Temperance Worker, J. R. B. Hall, Polytechnic (Quarterly Conference).	
President Texas Woman's College, H. A. Boaz, Polytechnic (Quarterly Conference).	
Vice-President Texas Woman's College, J. D. Young, 1st Church (Quarterly Conference).	
Field Secretary, Sunday School Association, C. S. Field, First Church (Quarterly Conference).	
Dean, Theological Dept., S. M. U., H. M. Dobbs, First Church (Quarterly Conference).	
Conference Evangelist, J. T. Bloodworth, Polytechnic (Q. C.)	
Commissioner Methodist Orphanage, W. T. Gray, Polytechnic (Quarterly Conference).	
Agent Superannuate Homes, D. L. Collie, Polytechnic (Q. C.)	
State Sec., Sunday League of America, R. C. Armstrong, Central (Quarterly Conference).	
Asst. Sec., Anti-Saloon League, Atticus Webb, First Church (Quarterly Conference).	
Conference Evangelist, W. M. Bowden, McKinley Ave. (Q. C.)	

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—S. J. Rucker.....	(3)
Clifton, H. L. Vincent.....	(2)
Copperas Cove, M. M. Smith.....	(1)
Coryell, W. G. Gwaltney, IV.....	(2)
Crawford, A. C. Lackey.....	(4)
Evant, Horace Poteet.....	(1)
Fairy, W. J. Whitley, II.....	(2)
Gatesville, Alonzo Monk, Jr.....	(1)
Gatesville Circuit, A. D. Cosgrove, III.....	(2)
Hamilton, J. Hall Bowman.....	(1)
Hamilton Circuit, C. B. Diltz.....	(4)
Jonesboro, J. W. Holt.....	(1)
Killeen, A. E. Carraway.....	(1)
Killeen Mission, P. M. Gladney, Supply.....	
McGregor, J. M. Neal.....	(2)
Meridian, J. M. Wynne.....	(1)
Meridian Mission, C. T. Brockett.....	(1)
Moody, W. S. P. McCullough.....	(1)
Nolanville, W. L. Connell, II.....	(1)
Oglesby, F. O. Waddill.....	(1)
Turnersville, R. H. Heizer.....	(1)
Valley Mills, J. F. Luker.....	(1)
President Meridian College, G. F. Winfield, Meridian (Q. C.)	(6)
Student, W. B. Gilleland, Meridian (Q. C.)	

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—W. B. Andrews.....	(1)
Bartlett, C. W. Irvin.....	(1)
Belton, W. H. Howard.....	(2)
Florence, W. D. Gaskins.....	(4)
Georgetown, C. H. Booth.....	(3)
J. F. Neal, Supernumerary.....	
Granger, M. A. Turner.....	(3)
Holland and Bell Plains, J. F. Clark.....	(1)
Hutto and Jonah, A. E. Turney.....	(2)
Midway, W. H. Keener.....	(2)
Oenaville, J. T. Ferguson, Supply.....	
Rogers, T. E. Bowman.....	(1)
Salado and Jarrell, J. F. Tyson.....	(1)
Taylor, Henry Stanford.....	(1)
Temple, First Church, J. W. Bergin.....	(2)
Temple, 7th Street, R. A. Walker.....	(2)
Thrall and Round Rock, J. D. Kursell, Supply.....	
Troy and Pendleton, G. F. Kornegay.....	(1)
President Southwestern University, C. M. Bishop, Georgetown (Quarterly Conference).	
Divisional Sunday School Field Secretary, Emmett Hightower, Georgetown (Quarterly Conference).	

HILLSBORO DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—J. M. Barcus.....	(3)
Abbott, M. L. Story.....	(1)
Big Hill and Ben Hur, T. H. Burton, IV.....	(2)
Brandon and Mertens, R. O. Sory.....	(1)
Cooledge, H. D. Huddleston.....	(1)

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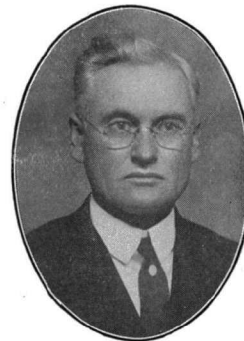
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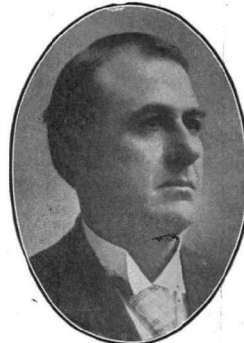
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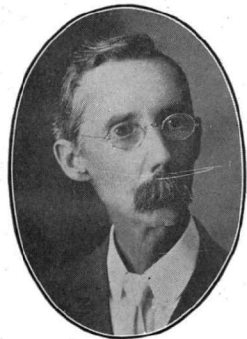
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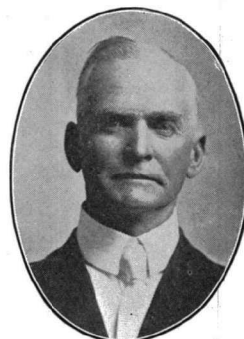
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J. M. ARMSTRONG



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N. J. PEEPLES

Covington and Ocoola, J. F. Adams.....	(2)
Hillsboro, 1st Church, J. H. Stewart.....	(2)
Hillsboro, Line Street, C. W. Macune.....	(2)
Hubbard, J. W. W. Shuler.....	(3)
Irene, T. L. Sorrells, IV.....	(2)
Itasca, P. E. Riley.....	(2)
Itasca Circuit, Walter Griffith.....	(1)
Kirk and Prairie Hill, W. J. Morphis.....	(2)
Malone and Bynum, J. M. Bond.....	(1)
Munger, J. M. Hays, III.....	(2)
Penelope, E. W. Bridges.....	(2)
Peoria, N. J. Peeples.....	(2)
Whitney, J. H. Walker.....	(3)
Whitney Mission, Edward Cantrell, Supply.....	

WACO DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—J. A. Whitehurst.....	(3)
Aquilla, H. W. Gillette.....	(1)
Bosqueville, W. Vinsant.....	(2)
Bruceville and Eddy, S. A. Ashburn.....	(2)
China Springs, F. A. Ray.....	(1)
Hewitt and Spring Valley, S. B. Sawyers.....	(2)
Lorena, W. J. Mayhew.....	(3)
Mart, C. E. Lindsey.....	(3)
Mount Calm, W. T. Kinslow.....	(2)
Waco, Austin Avenue, F. P. Culver.....	(3)
Waco, Clay Street, D. A. McGuire.....	(4)
Waco, Elm Street, E. V. Cox.....	(1)
Waco, 5th Street, J. R. Morris.....	(3)
Waco, Herring Avenue, R. F. Brown.....	(3)
Waco, Morrow Street, H. L. Munger.....	(2)
Riesel and Axtell, W. H. Cole, I.....	(1)
West and Elm Mott, M. M. Morphis.....	(2)
Secretary Y. M. C. A., Mart, J. V. Baird, Mart (Q. C.) Conference Missionary Secretary, J. E. Crawford, Austin Ave. (Quarterly Conference). Conference Evangelist, L. L. Evans, 5th Street (Q. C.) Commissioner Texas Methodist Orphanage, W. H. Vaughan, 5th Street (Quarterly Conference).	

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—Horace Bishop.....	(3)
Bardwell, G. W. Kincheloe.....	(3)
Bethel, Warner Moore.....	(1)
Bristol, Elmer Crabtree, IV.....	(2)
Britton, G. G. Mitchell, III.....	(2)
Ennis, T. S. Armstrong.....	(1)
Ferris, E. F. Hudgens.....	(2)
Forreston, Z. L. Howell.....	(2)
Italy, Franklin Moore.....	(1)
Mansfield, Josephus Lee.....	(1)
Maypearl, M. W. Clark.....	(3)
Midlothian, J. C. Mimms.....	(1)
Milford, C. L. Browning.....	(2)
Palmer, E. R. Patterson.....	(1)
Red Oak, W. H. Harris.....	(2)
Waxahachie, C. L. Cartwright.....	(1)
Waxahachie Circuit, B. R. Wagner.....	(2)

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder—L. A. Webb.....	(3).....
Aledo, M. M. Chunn.....	(2).....
Azle, Supply.	
Eliasville, Joe L. Chunn, I.....	(1).....
Graford, O. A. Morton.....	(2).....
Graham, Ashley C. Chappell.....	(2).....
A. P. Lipscomb, Supernumerary.	
Graham Mission, J. L. Oliver, II.....	(1).....
Loving, Victor D. Dow, I.....	(1).....
Millsap, Fred L. Chunn, I.....	(1).....
Mineral Wells, H. F. Brooks.....	(2).....
New Castle, Seba Kirkpatrick.....	(2).....
Olney, W. B. Vaughn.....	(2).....
Olney Mission, Edgar N. Scarlett, I.....	(1).....
Palo Pinto, I. T. Huckabee, Supply.	
Springtown, C. F. Bell, IV.....	(1).....
Weatherford, Couts' Memorial, J. N. McCain.....	(2).....
Weatherford, 1st Church, W. W. Moss.....	(1).....
R. J. Tooley, Supernumerary.	
Weatherford Circuit, J. Fred Patterson, IV.....	(2).....
Whitt, Preston Broxton, III.....	(1).....

Transferred:

J. G. Thomas to Northwest Texas Conference.
 J. S. Huckabee to Northwest Texas Conference.
 J. W. Childers to West Texas Conference.
 J. C. Granberry to West Texas Conference.
 J. E. Matlock to West Oklahoma Conference.
 H. D. Knickerbocker to Texas Conference.
 C. W. Griffin to North Texas Conference, stationed on Kaufman Circuit.
 C. G. Chappell to North Texas Conference.
 J. A. Siceloff to North Texas Conference, Junior preacher, First Church, Dallas.

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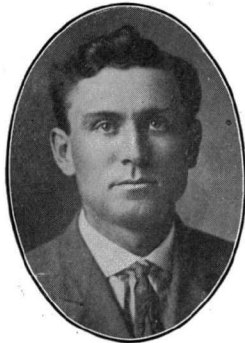
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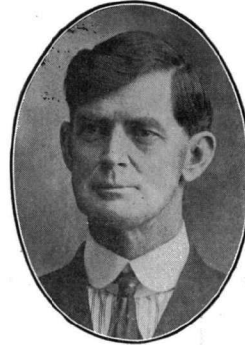
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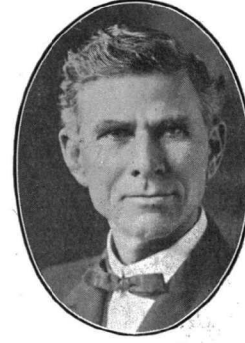
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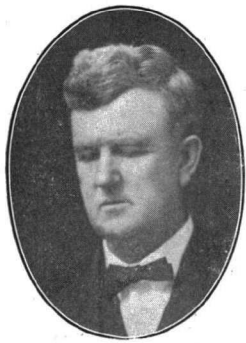
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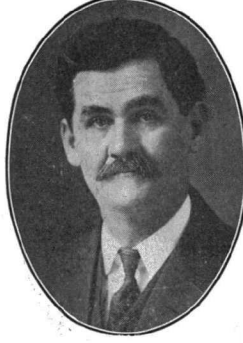
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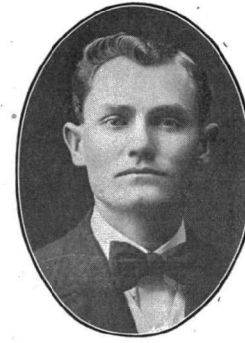
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Condensed Minutes.

MINUTES OF THE FIFTY-FIRST SESSION OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH, HELD AT WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 15, 1916; BISHOP J. H. McCOY, PRESIDENT; A. D. PORTER, SECRETARY. POSTOFFICE OF SECRETARY, CLEBURNE, TEXAS.

1. Who are admitted on trial? H. Arthur Nichols, Thomas Gordon Stamps, D. A. Chisholm, James Throop Watkins, Cluster Quinton Smith, Edgar Alfred Reed, William Hugh Cole, Edgar M. Scarlett, Joseph L. Chunn, Victor Dimmitt Dow, Fred Lee Chunn, William Edward Anderson, Silas Walter Adams and Albert Richard Lundy.
2. Who remain on trial? M. L. Boone, W. L. Connell, J. L. Oliver, C. O. Davis and W. J. Whitley, being in orders.
3. Who are discontinued? No one.
4. Who are admitted into full connection? A. D. Cosgrove, L. L. Evans, P. H. Gates, W. B. Gilleland, C. W. Griffin, J. M. Hays, R. B. Hooper and G. G. Mitchell.
5. Who are readmitted? John W. Hawkins.
6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. L. Andrews, an elder, from the North Texas Conference; R. A. Crosby, an elder, from the West Oklahoma Conference.
7. Who are received from other churches as local preachers? Henry Ibser.
8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? No one.
9. Who are the deacons of one year? C. T. Brockett, W. T. Boulware, T. H. Burton, Elmer Crabtree, T. D. Ellis, W. G. Gwaltney, C. O. Hightower, P. W. Layne, J. Fred Patterson, Horace Poteet and C. F. Bell.
10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Allen Darrow Cosgrove, Phillips Harvey Gates, William Boynton Gilleland, Charles Warner Griffin, Jonathan Montrose Hays and George Grover Mitchell.
11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Allen Darrow Cosgrove, Phillips Harvey Gates, William Boynton Gilleland, Charles Warner Griffin, Jonathan Montrose Hays and George Grover Mitchell.
12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Jalmar Bowden, John Hampton Rigby, Arthur Wyatt Franklin, Albert Christopher Fisher, Robert Lincoln Meyers, Cluster Quinton Smith, Sidney Everett Kornegay, James Osburn Guthrie and William Hugh Cole.
13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Jalmar Bowden, John Hampton Rigby, Arthur Wyatt Franklin, Albert Christopher Fisher, Robert Lincoln Meyers, Cluster Quinton Smith, Sidney Everett Kornegay, James Osburn Guthrie and William Hugh Cole.

14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Gibson Bailey, Robert Thomas Capps, Murand Council, Oscar Andrew Morton, Milam Jason Vaughan, Angus Ezekiel Watford and Marcus Manlove Chunn.

15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. G. Bailey, R. T. Capps, M. Council, O. E. Morton, M. J. Vaughan, A. E. Watford and M. M. Chunn.

16. What local preachers are elected elders? Clay P. Morgan, Alfred Filmore Nabors and John William Glenn.

17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Clay P. Morgan, Alfred Filmore Nabors and John William Glenn.

18. Who are located this year? C. H. Little and Lloyd E. Hill, at their own request.

19. Who are supernumerary? R. O. Bailey, J. W. Dickinson, T. W. Ellis, A. P. Lipscomb, Jno. F. Neal, G. W. Owens, R. J. Tooley and B. A. Evans.

20. Who are superannuated? E. F. Boone, James Campbell, J. J. Canafax, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, W. H. Crawford, D. C. Ellis, C. E. Gallagher, W. A. Gilleland, H. M. Glass, W. F. Graves, Jerome Haralson, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris, H. B. Henry, W. V. Jones, W. J. Lemmons, Abe Long, J. M. McCarter, F. L. McGehee, R. B. McSwain, W. H. Major, E. J. Maxwell, V. J. Millis, J. P. Mussett, W. W. Noble, J. J. Rape, C. Rowland, H. P. Shrader, C. G. Shutt, E. M. Sweet, J. E. Walker, R. W. Welborn, F. M. Winburne, W. K. Simpson, B. A. Snoddy, D. C. Stark, C. E. Statham and J. C. Mayhew.

21. What preachers have died during the past year? S. W. Turner, J. A. Walkup, Samuel Morriss, J. J. Calloway and J. W. Montgomery.

22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.

23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 276; members, 81,156.

24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 36.

25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Five.

26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,063.

27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,640.

28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 110.

29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,986.

30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 524.

31. What is the number of Sunday school officers and teachers? 5,663.

32. What is the number of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 68,810.
33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,000.
34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,554.
35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$17,011; home and Conference, \$22,064.
36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$12,574.
37. What has been contributed for Education? \$18,410.
38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$970.
39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$35,685; preachers in charge, \$214,208.
40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$3,112.
41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of societies, 610; number of houses of worship, 506.
42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,031,225; indebtedness, \$134,563.
43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 220; number of parsonages, 214.
44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$453,950; indebtedness, \$24,463.
45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of districts, 12; district parsonages, 12.
46. What is the value of districts parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$47,500; indebtedness, \$4,650.
47. 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, 13; amount of damage, \$2,435.
48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$1,191,180; losses sustained, \$904; premiums paid, \$6,882; collections on losses, \$1,531.
49. What are the educational statistics?
50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 324; Conference organ, 4,777.
51. Who is elected Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. Erskine Williams.
52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Georgetown.
53. Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See appointments.)

Memoirs.

SAMUEL MORRISS.



Samuel Morriss was born in Sevier County, Arkansas, March 23, 1826. He was converted and joined the Methodist Church when he was twenty years old. In 1848 he was licensed to preach by William Moores, presiding elder. In November of the same year he was admitted on trial into the Arkansas Conference, Andrew Hunter, president. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine at Clarksville, Arkansas, in 1850, and elder by Bishop Kavanaugh in 1854. He was a charter member of the Ouachita (afterward the Little Rock) Conference. In November, 1848, he was appointed to the Dover Circuit, in 1849-51 to the Hempstead Circuit and in 1851 was sent to the Lapeal Circuit and returned to it in 1853. In 1854 he was stationed in Camden, remaining two years. In 1856 he was stationed in Arkadelphia. In 1857-8 he was sent to Washington. In 1859 to Monticello. At the end of that year he was appointed presiding elder of the Pine Bluff District. From November, 1861 to 1864, he was college agent. From 1865 to 1869 he was on the Camden Circuit. In 1870 he was transferred to the East Texas Conference. In 1875 he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and appointed to Mount Calm, in 1876 to Lancaster, in 1877 to the Georgetown Circuit, in 1879 to Wheelock, in 1880 to Kosse, remaining on that work two years. In 1882-3 to Waco Circuit, in 1884 to Mount Calm, in 1885-6 to Corn Hill Circuit, in 1887 to North Belton Circuit, in 1888 to McGregor, in 1889 to Florence, in 1890 to Bruceville, in 1891 to West, in 1892-3 to Oglesby charge. In 1894 he was superannuated at his own request, closing an active and uninterrupted ministry of forty-six years. On October 24, 1855, he was married to Miss Virginia C. Wade in Ouachita County, Arkansas. Six children were born to them, two of whom have long since passed away. The others lived to be grown and married. Sister Morriss died in Cherokee County, Texas, November 26, 1871. Two of the children are living still—a son, William, who lives in Oak Cliff (Dallas, Texas,) and a daughter, Mrs. G. W. Kincheloe. With the latter, since his superannuation, Brother Morriss has made his home. His love for his children and grandchildren knew no limits. His devotion to his granddaughter, Miss Virginia Kincheloe, was

stronger than death. The generation that worked with Samuel Morriss has almost passed away.

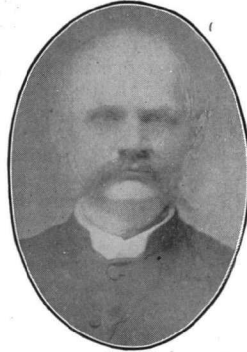
For several years he has been unable to attend the sessions of the Annual Conference. More recently he has been confined to his room at home. Although his name will soon cease to be mentioned, and his great labors be forgotten, yet he still lives in the progress of Methodism in Central Texas. The Methodist Church was dear to him and the itineracy was his chief joy. He looked askance at new movements, but he tried to keep the step because he had faith in the leadership of Divine Providence. He was instant and constant in prayer. He objected to life on the prairie because there were so few places for secret prayer. If he had to preach and there was a thicket near by he could be found kneeling there with his face on the ground. His sermons were interpretations of the Scriptures, interspersed with many quotations from the old Methodist Hymn Book. In fact, the Bible, Hymn Book and Discipline were his daily food. He preached with conscious authority from the Lord, and when he heard the Word it was with meekness and faith. He was natural; no imitator of any one but the Lord. He accepted his appointments as from the Lord, and went to his work to serve rather than to receive. The thought of the stipend did not occur to him when he got his appointment. "What wilt thou have me to do?" was uppermost in his mind. He was deeply interested in the children. They all loved him. He faithfully circulated the books and periodicals of the church. Had it been in his province he would have canonized Dr. Rankin. When memory failed, so that he did not know his friends, he would talk about preaching and wanted to make appointments. Solomon says, "A hoary head is a crown of glory if it be found in the way of righteousness." St. Paul, in his letter to Titus, tells us the gems that compose that crown: "Let the aged men be temperate, grave, sober-minded, sound in faith, in love and in patience." Not one of these jewels is missing from the crown of Samuel Morriss. He fell asleep in the parsonage at Bardwell, the home of Brother and Sister Kincheloe, on Friday, September 15, 1916, and was buried from the Methodist Church in Corsicana at high noon on the following Sunday. HORACE BISHOP.

REV. JAMES WILLIAM MONTGOMERY.

It does not always require greatness of character and mastery of spirit to remain true and loyal while steadily advancing, occupying prominent places, looked up to by the great mass of mankind. It may require more real manhood, greater heroism to live on a lower level, occupy an obscure place, have little recognition from the world; and yet all the while to do one's part well, keep sweet-spirited and come at last serenely to the close of life.

James William Montgomery labored long in poor appointments, was compelled at midday to go on the retired list, spent his latter days almost unknown to the younger part of this Conference and came at last peacefully, unstained, loved and admired by neighbors, to the close of his earthly pilgrimage.

He was born in Taylor County, Georgia, October 20, 1853. His father died when he was five years old, and his mother followed a little later. He was then taken and reared by his father's parents, a pious Primitive Baptist couple, to whom he owed



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much. He came to Corsicana, Texas, in 1874, and soon thereafter he was converted and received into the Methodist Church. On November 27, 1894, when he was past forty-one years of age, he was happily married to Mrs. Mary Farmer, daughter of Rev. W. H. Biggs, once a member of the West Texas Conference, and widow of Rev. Jeremiah Farmer, for some time a member of this Conference. Two children were born of this union, one of whom died early. The other, a daughter, and her two-step-brothers, remain to comfort their sorrowing mother.

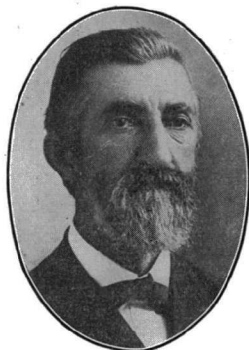
Bro. Montgomery joined the old Northwest Texas Conference at Waco in November, 1880, coming up from the Rice and Chatfield Circuit, J. P. Hulse, pastor; C. E. Brown, presiding elder. Being so long unmarried, having gifts as a revivalist, strong to defend our doctrines, and being fitted for frontier, pioneer work, he spent almost his whole active ministry on picket line, mission charges. Often he was sent to new works with almost no membership with which to begin. His ministry was characterized by many conversions and additions to the church, the missions to which he was sent sometimes becoming self-supporting in a single year. He was cut off into the territory ceded to the West Texas Conference in 1882, but returned to his first love three years later. He was ordained a deacon by Bishop Linus Parker at Seguin, Texas, October 22, 1882, and an elder by Bishop E. R. Hendrix at Weatherford, Texas, November 18, 1888.

He served the following appointments: Lampasas Mission, 1881; San Saba Mission, 1882; Menard Mission, 1883; Yorktown Mission, 1884; Helena Mission, 1885; Gatesville Mission, 1886; Gatesville Circuit, 1887; Axtell Circuit, 1888; Fort Chadbourne Mission, 1889 and 1890; Colorado Mission, 1891; Finis Mission, 1892; Oak Glen Circuit, 1893; Seymour Mission, 1894; Hico Circuit, 1895. But hard frontier work, numerous revivals and open-air preaching had seriously affected his throat, making an operation necessary. But the surgeon's knife failed to give relief, and in the fall of 1895, at the advice of his physician, Dr. Wysong of Hico, he took the supernumerary relation. Later he undertook work again and was on Evant Mission, 1902; Gatesville Mission, 1903, and Brookhaven Mission, 1904. With these exceptions he was supernumerary from the fall of 1895 to fall of 1912, when he was placed on the superannuate roll. All this time he lived on his wife's small farm, nine miles southeast of

Gatesville. Here he was held in high esteem and affection. Perhaps no man in the county married more couples or baptized more infants than did he. His long funeral procession attested his high standing among those who knew him best.

His end was peaceful. On Friday morning, July 28, 1916, he came in from work and was resting on a pallet on his front porch when suddenly, about 11:30, the summons came and before any one could reach his side or he could give one word of farewell, he was gone. But his house was in order and he was ready. The day following, in the presence of one of the largest concourses ever assembled at a funeral in that section, after services conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. C. L. Cartwright, we laid his body to rest in the Ruth Cemetery near his home, where he awaits the summons from on high. And in that last day, when many of those that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake to everlasting life, James William Montgomery shall shine as the stars forever and ever for the many that he turned unto righteousness. S. J. RUCKER.

REV. S. W. TURNER.



Rev. Steven W. Turner was born in Warren County, North Carolina, March 21, 1842. When but a child he moved with his parents to Mecklenburg County, Virginia, where he spent his boyhood days and had the advantages of the old-fashioned country schoolhouse in which he received the early part of his education. When he was fifteen years of age he entered Emery and Henry College, and remained there until the outbreak of the Civil War, when his patriotism responded to the call of his country, and he joined Company B, Fifty-Sixth Virginia Infantry in the spring of 1861. He was elected Lieutenant of his company. For three and one-half years he served in the Confederate Army. Seven months of this time he was a Federal prisoner. At the close of the struggle he found himself at Velasco, Texas. The war had completely wrecked his father's fortune and he had to rely on himself, so he began life anew as a teacher. He obtained a position in Tyler, Texas, and taught there for four years. He was converted at Sardis Church, in Mecklenburg County, Virginia, under the ministry of Rev. J. W. Blincoe, and joined the

M. E. Church, South, at the same time and place, when fifteen years of age. Through all his young life, and even through the trying experiences of war he was faithful to his profession of religion. He was licensed to preach at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Tyler Station in November, 1873, and was recommended by the same Quarterly Conference to the Annual Conference for admission on trial.

He was admitted on trial into the East Texas Conference, which met in Palestine in the same month, and was appointed to Palestine Station. This was a remarkable record. When his name was called as an applicant for admission on trial he was very highly recommended by his Pastor and Presiding Elder, Samuel Morriss, and the saintly Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh said: "He is the finest preacher I have ever seen or heard never to have preached a sermon." But to the surprise of many and more to himself, he was read out to Palestine Station.

He entered upon his new life as pastor with the same cool judgment and firm purpose that ever characterized him and succeeded abundantly from the beginning of his itinerant life. At the close of this year he was ordained deacon by Bishop Mc-Tyeire, at Marshall, Texas. In December, 1874, he was appointed to Starrville Circuit, serving this charge one year, and in 1875 he was appointed to Tyler Station. In 1877 he was appointed to Henderson Station and served this charge until 1880, when he was appointed Presiding Elder of Marshall District. Serving this district two years, his health failed, and in December, 1882, he took a supernumerary relation, holding this relation two years, and continued ill health gave him no promise of a return to his loved work, so in 1884 he located.

For some years after his location he was County Treasurer of Smith County. On account of continued ill health he moved to Wilbarger County in 1889, and soon gained his health. In 1891 he acted as Financial Agent of the Southwestern University, and in 1892 he supplied Chillicothe Circuit for two years, and built two churches. One was the first church built in Wilbarger County, outside of Vernon, the County seat, and the other was the first church built in Hardeman County.

In 1895 he founded the Commercial Department of Polytechnic College, and was in charge of that department for two years. In 1897 he supplied Weatherford Mission and in November of that year he was readmitted into the Northwest (now Central) Texas Conference, and was assigned to Cisco Station and served this charge in 1898 and 1899. In November, 1899, he was appointed to Quanah Station for one year, and in November, 1900, he was appointed to Hewitt charge, serving there two years, organizing the work, building a parsonage and two churches. From November, 1902, to November, 1906, he served the Gatesville District as Presiding Elder. His next appointment was Midlothian Station. He was appointed to this charge in 1906 and served it four years. In 1910 he was appointed editor of Texas Tract Society. In 1911 he was appointed to Eastland Station, one year. This was his last pastorate, and his last active work as a traveling preacher, for in November of this year, 1912, he was superannuated at his own request, and patiently waited in declining health and ministered to an invalid wife for nearly four years, when on March 22, of this year, 1916, his companion left him to go to her father's house on high.

Just two months from the day Sister Turner died, Brother Turner heard the call, answered the summons and went home.

This is a brief epitome of the biography of one of the best men I have ever known. A tender relation existed between us which began at the time of his pastorate at Midlothian. I was in my first year as Presiding Elder and felt keenly my need of counsel and advice. I found this in his home. His home life was beautiful and tender; truly, he commanded his household well.

Brother Turner was married to Mrs. Dora A. Long, in 1874. There were born to them eight children, six boys and two girls. One son, Rev. Neal W. Turner, was drowned in August, 1914, in attempting to rescue his young son and a boy companion from a watery grave. All the rest of his children survive him.

Brother Turner's ability as a preacher was recognized by all who knew him. He was a man of profound thought and ripe scholarship. Had his health permitted him to have continued an unbroken itinerancy his prominence in the Church would have been very much greater. But even with shattered health he stood among the first and was a recognized leader both in the East Texas Conference in his early ministry, and in this Conference where he finished his life's work. He represented the East Texas Conference in the General Conference of 1882. Any interest of the Church was safe in hands. He loved his Church above all other interests and in all the course of his life he never suffered her banner to trail in the dust. He rejoiced in the history, in the polity, and in the doctrine of Methodism, and no abler defender have these mighty forces of our Church ever had than S. W. Turner.

His judgment was deliberate, his counsel safe and wise. His heart was warm and he dealt tenderly. His friendship was strong and steady. He loved with a passionate love, yet not very demonstrative. His ministry was fruitful, many being brought into the Kingdom under his preaching.

But he was weary; let him rest. The world is richer since he has lived in it; the Church is more glorious since he has had membership and labor in it, and Heaven is dearer and more real since he has passed through its shining portals and entered the life celestial.

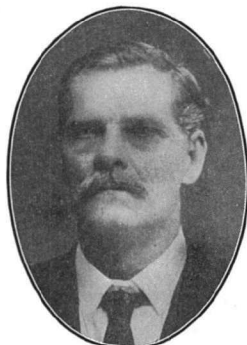
We shall meet him after the storms are over, after the battles are ended and the mists have cleared away.

T. S. ARMSTRONG.

DR. JAMES ANDREW WALKUP.

Dr. James Andrew Walkup, a superannuate member of the Central Texas Conference, died at his home on Polytechnic Hill, Fort Worth, Texas, July 2, 1916. He was born in Henderson County, Tennessee, July 3, 1844. His span of life covered 72 years, lacking one day of eventful history extending from the Old South to the marvelous opening of the twentieth century.

In 1861 young Walkup responded to the South's bugle call and enlisted at Memphis, Tenn., in Col. N. B. Forrest's Cavalry Regiment. His term of service ended with the surrender of Lee at Appomatox. No braver soldier, none more gallant, ever followed the Southern flag than this West Tennessee boy. He fought in the bloody battles of Fort Donelson, Murphreesboro, Franklin, Corinth, Chickamauga, Pittsburg and Shiloh. In recognition of his



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cool courage and fearless daring, his Captain often assigned him to scout and picket duty. In this dangerous service he had thrilling experiences and narrow escapes. He was finally captured and carried to Rock Island, where he was held as a prisoner of war for six or seven months until the surrender. During this time he studied dentistry, which he later practiced.

Dr. James A. Walkup was happily married to Miss Mary C. Cogbill, August 18, 1866. As husband and wife they walked side by side through almost a half century, one the complement of the other and each the sharer of the other's sorrows and joys. Into their homes were born eight children, three of whom preceded the father to the Home above: Mrs. C. M. Rosser, Edna and little Mary. One son, Jas. A. Walkup, Jr., and four daughters, Mrs. J. P. McClain, Mrs. Lee Suttle, Mrs. Kirk Holland and Mrs. W. K. Wylie, survive, with their devoted mother and two brothers, John Wesley Walkup of Rosebud and Dr. Henry Bascom Walkup of San Antonio, to mourn the loss of him who was loved and honored as God's priest in his own household.

Converted at the age of twelve years and a Christian from a child, Dr. Walkup definitely accepted his call to preach when his second child died in infancy. The broken-hearted father, yielding, said: "Dear Lord, I'll do what you want me to do." He was licensed to preach June 10, 1871, at Mt. Zion, Arkansas, by the Quarterly Conference of the Wittsburg Circuit, Wm. A. Cobb, Presiding Elder. He was ordained deacon by Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh, at Searcy, Arkansas, November 15, 1874, and Elder by Bishop J. C. Keener, at Belton, Texas, November 3, 1878. His credentials, kept without a stain until death, are now treasured by the family as a sacred heritage.

Brother Walkup was born into the Methodist ministry and was literally brought up in the Traveling Connection. His father, Rev. John Wesley Walkup, a faithful circuit rider of the old school, was a member of Annual Conferences for forty-four years, and his no less devoted itinerant mother, herself a daughter of a Methodist minister, dedicated her son James in infancy to the Methodist ministry. The itinerant ministry of the two Walkups, father and son, covered a period of seventy-seven years of faithful service.

Rev. James A. Walkup was admitted on trial in the White River Conference in 1871, and for three consecutive years served the Gainesville Station in that Conference. In 1875 he trans-

ferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and was appointed to the Cameron Circuit. His appointment in this Conference and its successor, the Central Texas Conference, were as follows: 1875-8, Cameron Circuit; 1879, Ferris Circuit; 1880, Lancaster and Prairie View; 1881-3, Agent of Marvin College; 1884, supernumerary; 1885, Reager Circuit; 1886, Waxahachie Mission; 1887-1890, supernumerary; 1891-93, Ennis Station; 1894-95, Italy and Frost; 1896, Mansfield and Godley; 1897-98, Arlington Circuit; 1899-1900, Palmer Circuit; 1901-02, Venus Circuit; 1903, Trinity Church, Fort Worth; 1904-16, superannuate. In every relation, on circuits, in stations, as College Agent, supernumerary and superannuate, this consecrated Methodist preacher magnified the Grace of God in his appointments. There was that about the man and his ministry that won men from sin to a better life. Friendships of a life-time grew up out of the sacred relationship of pastor and parishioner.

Supernumerary for four years and twelve years on the superannuate roll are explained by the fact that Brother Walkup, in 1881, lost one of his legs from a stray shot of a gun in the hands of a drunken man. His health impaired and forced to go on crutches, he could no longer do the regular work of the pastorate. Taking the honored relation, first as supernumerary and later as superannuate, he threw himself, heart and soul, into the work of an evangelist. For sixteen years he has gone in and out among his brethren, assisting them as opportunities presented, in revival meetings. He was never happier than when at work in the altar of an old-fashioned Methodist protracted meeting, instructing the penitents and rejoicing with the saints. His soul delighted in preaching the Gospel of Jesus and calling sinners to repentance.

It was at Gordon two years ago, while laboring in a revival meeting, that this man of God received a stroke of paralysis from which he never fully recovered. The passion and the habit of a life time gripped him in death. When the end came and the mind wandered, he was still preaching and calling penitents.

"Soldier of Christ, well done,
Praise be thy new employ;
And while eternal ages run,
Rest in thy Savior's joy."

JOHN R. NELSON.

JNO. JAS. CALLOWAY.

Rev. Jno. Jas. Calloway was born at Pinckneyville, Ala., July 22, 1857, and died at his home in Gresson, Texas, January 23, 1916. His parents were W. B. and Kathryn Calloway, and from early childhood his feet were directed in the way of life. He was born again at Liberty Church, Pinckneyville Circuit, August 26, 1873, under the ministry of Rev. W. B. Nicholson.

He was married to Miss Emma Slaughter, September 30, 1880. This was a happy marriage, and his wife proved a helpmeet indeed, and with five children survive. The living children are Oscar W. Calloway of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Jno. J. Strickland of Austin, Mrs. Mabel Harris of Capps, Mrs. Ed. Holman of Munger, and Miss Monnie Calloway of Cresson. His aged father also lives at Pinckneyville, Ala.

At a meeting held near Reagan, Texas, by Rev. O. T. Hotchkiss, assisted by the writer in 1890, Brother Calloway with ten

or twelve others answered the call of God to preach the gospel, and placed all on the altar of service to the Master. He was licensed to preach that fall, October 25, H. M. Sears, Presiding Elder. He hesitated about entering the itinerant ministry, fearing lest with his large family he should become a burden to the Church. His neighbor and intimate friend, Charlie Shihegan, urged him forward, and proffered to go with him to Annual Conference. He yielded, and never regretted the step taken.

He was admitted on trial into the Texas Conference at Austin, 1891, Bishop Fitzgerald presiding. He was ordained Deacon by Bishop Hendrix, 1893, at Navasota, and Elder by him, 1896, at Bastrop. He served the following charges, and during the years indicated by these figures: Bald Prairie, 1891; Rogers Prairie, 1892-4; Prairie Plains, 1894-6; Matagorda, 1896 to 1900; West Point and Winchester, 1900-2. While serving this charge he went with the Austin District and other ceded territory into the West Texas Conference. He served Manchaca, 1902-4, and Oakville, 1904-6. After two years' service there he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference, and stationed at Tye, where he served until 1909; Strawn, 1909-10; Graford, 1910-12; Lovelace, 1912-14.

At the close of this year he was granted a superannuate relation and lived for one year at Arlington. Soon after the last session of our Conference he moved to the Home provided for him by the Church at Cresson. His stay there was brief though in a short time he endeared himself to many in the quiet little city. Sunday morning, January 23, 1916, he attended Sunday School, led the opening prayer, took active part in the study of the lesson. Feeling too unwell to attend Church he returned home, laid his weary head on his pillow, surrounded by his faithful wife and son, Oscar and daughter Monnie, and new made friends, heard his Master say, "It is enough—come home," and Jno. J. Calloway was at rest.

His was a fruitful ministry. At Bald Prairie 125 were converted; at Durango, 200 were brought into the kingdom; at Matagorda, 100, and at Oakville, 120. During a ministry of nearly a quarter of a century he served the Church faithfully on small salaries, led many into the fold, built up the Church, reared a large family, left an unsullied character, went home to meet his children that had preceded him, and his loved ones rise up and bless his memory.

M. S. HOTCHKISS.

MRS. S. W. TURNER.

Mrs. Dora A. Turner, wife of Rev. S. W. Turner, was the eldest daughter of Dr. O. A. and Mrs. Julia A. Shufford. She was born in Catawba County, North Carolina, September 17, 1850. She came to Smith County, Texas, with her parents in 1857. Here she grew to womanhood and in 1868 was married to Mr. James Long. To this union one son was born who survives her. Her husband died while this son was yet a child, and in 1874 she was married to Rev. S. W. Turner. After many months of serious affliction and much suffering Sister Turner passed to her reward at 9:30 on the morning of March 22, 1916. The writer conducted the funeral services at Gatesville, Texas, Thursday, March 23, from the Methodist Church, assisted by the pastor, Rev. C. L. Cartwright and the Presiding Elder,

Rev. S. J. Rucker. Sister Turner was a Christian from childhood. She filled the sphere of life as the wife of an itinerant Methodist preacher. She was in thorough harmony with her husband and in fullest sympathy with his duties as a pastor, as a Presiding Elder, as teacher and editor. In whatever character of work he was engaged or that the Church called him to do, she was not only in sympathy and harmony, but by her superior intellect and tact, she was an inspiration to him and in her council he found help.

Her home life was most beautiful. As a mother she occupied a superior realm. This is manifest from the character of the children she has sent out into the world. From these parents have gone out sons and daughters that tell in life and character the story of a well regulated home.

She was devoted to the Church she loved and in which she had held membership practically all her life. She labored with true devotion for the upbuilding and enlargement of Zion. In her personal life she possessed all the graces that go to make up the ideal Christian woman. They loved her most who knew her best.

Sister Turner had a stroke of paralysis several years ago which impaired her activities and she suffered much inconvenience and pain from this affliction. A little over a year before she died she was stricken again and this last was more severe and grew worse until it deprived her of her speech finally resulting in her death.

The end came peacefully as if some Angel messenger had been sent to keep vigil beside her bed and stay the cruel hand that would send a dart of pain into her body, but would lead her into the very presence of her Christ who conquered death, and teach her to lean her head upon His breast and breathe her life out sweetly there.

Thus she lived and thus she died, and thus she entered into rest. We will meet her beyond the river where the shadows never fall.

T. S. ARMSTRONG.

MRS. C. R. WRIGHT.

An Appreciation by John R. Nelson.

Mrs. K. Barlow Wright, wife of Dr. C. R. Wright, passed away at the Parsonage, 1517 Lipscomb Street, Fort Worth, Texas, April 15, 1916. Her funeral was held in Central Methodist Church of which her husband was pastor and she had been a faithful member. Early as was the hour, 7 o'clock A. M., a large congregation in tears and with floral wreaths assembled to pay respects to her whose beautiful life had just closed.

The services were conducted by Reverend John R. Nelson, assisted by Reverend Hoyt M. Dobbs and Reverend M. S. Hotchkiss and were deeply impressive.

Mrs. Wright was the daughter of Mr. Jas. J. and Mrs. Amelia Follis Barlow and was born in Scottsville, Kentucky. She belonged to one of Kentucky's old and respected families. One sister and four brothers survive a sister beloved.

Miss K. Barlow was educated at Glasgow, Kentucky, under Prof. A. M. Mell, an eminent teacher in his day. She was a life long student and especially fond of music and art.

Gentle of speech and refined in manners, she was one of the South's best types of cultured womanhood. Her mind had fine poise and was well trained.

When Miss Barlow finished her education, being ambitious to be useful, for five years she taught in the public schools of her native state. She was both a born and trained teacher, which work she loved and did in the Sunday School.

On September 6, 1886, Miss K. Barlow was happily married to Rev. C. R. Wright, a member of the Texas Annual Conference and at the time stationed at Houston. Of this union two children were born: Wilbur F. and Pauline, who, with the father and husband, mourn the loss of their best friend. Both son and daughter are graduates of Southwestern University, active members of the Methodist Church and representative citizens of the state of Texas.

When the accomplished and consecrated Miss Barlow joined hands and heart with the young Methodist preacher fresh from Vanderbilt, a valuable contribution was made to Texas Methodism. She threw herself unreservedly into his plans and work for doing good, and until the day of her death, toiled and sacrificed at his side for the uplift of mankind and the glory of God.

Sister Wright was a devout Christian with a marked individuality of character. She was conscientious, an earnest student of the Bible, regular in attendance upon all church services and faithful in the discharge of duty. Religion with her was possession rather than her profession; a principle more than a demonstration. Privileged friends who know her most intimately, appreciated her true worth and high Christian character. She was retiring and modest to the point of timidity, but when principle was involved and the path of duty was plain, she was resolute and determinedly aggressive. One who knew her longest and best, bears tribute to her memory, "She was one of the purest and most loyal Christians, without pretension to higher attainments, I ever knew."

This elect woman died as she had lived, "unto the Lord." In a note written during her last illness, giving suggestions as to an "ideal funeral," she said: "God is my refuge and strength." Her course was finished; faith had triumphed over the last enemy. The life beautiful was dawning as she further wrote these farewell words of confidence, of hope and of re-union. "May my life only strengthen some other life by my having lived in this world and may my two children, Wilbur and Pauline, and he by whose side I have labored, and friends and all who would be friends of God, be with me in the eternal."

MARY McKINNON McSWAIN.

Was born in Warren, Ark., November 24, 1872, and died March 23, 1916, following an operation for gall stones.

She was the daughter of Rev. H. D. McKinnon. Her father, after fifty years as pastor and Presiding Elder, is now a superannuate in the Little Rock Conference.

She was converted in the home, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, when but a mere child. Great were her home advantages. She loved the Word of God from childhood. Was a graduate of Hinemon University School, Monticello, Ark., of the Arkadelphia Methodist College and an A. B. Graduate of Hendricks College and later was a student in Chicago University.

She taught in the public schools of her native state, and in

the Harrell Institute under the control of the Board of Missions, and in the Marvin Collegiate Institute.

On August 29, 1900, she was married to the Rev. R. B. McSwain, a professor in Southwestern University, now a superannuate member of this Conference.

She was mother of five children, three survive her, namely: Elizabeth, Richard, and Mary Brown.

She threw herself unreservedly into the work assisting her husband, being of special service in the making of the Summer School of Theology a great success.

She had a remarkable knowledge of literature and theology, was entirely familiar with Methodist doctrine, discipline and polity. From the days as a young school girl she was active in church work, especially that of the Epworth League, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Society. After her marriage she strove to make the parsonage a home for all the Church.

Her home was always in a Methodist Parsonage, and it was from the parsonage her body was borne when taken to be laid to rest in the lot bought and kept by the Woman's Missionary Society of San Angelo as a burial place for Methodist preachers and their families.

She was always interested in woman's larger sphere. She greatly appreciated the honorary membership voted her by the Review Club of Georgetown. But her greater interest was in the Missionary Society. She ever hoped that it might be the privilege of herself and husband to see service in foreign fields. She was a writer for "Our Homes" her contributions always being without pay.

As a wife she was ever willing to suppress her own personal achievements that her husband might be a better scholar and a more useful preacher. She was known over the whole Church by her contributions to our Church papers. By her teaching and by her writing she sought to promote the reading of the best literature in the home, to deepen the spirit of service and to join the social aspects of Christianity with evangelical Christian experience.

Finer than any thing she wrote or wrought was the unexpressed reserve—the purpose of the woman struggling towards her place in God's unfinished plan.

By sorrow and by hardship she learned how to sing and pray and love and smile her way through adversity. Her hope for heaven was through the blood of Jesus her savior.

The following poem written by her in 1911 when her husband's health failed for the second time, and sung at her funeral, well expresses the spirit of her life.

"I do not ask that I should have no cross
That I should hold life's gain without its loss,
That I no burdens share:
But grant me that my arm may never fail,
That at the worst my courage may not quail,
That I have strength to bear.

"I do not ask that I shall have no sorrow deep,
Mine eyes shall ever smile and never weep,
My heart be always gay;
But grant that when the bitter cup I drink,
My faith may look to Thee and never shrink,
And love all pain outweigh.

I do not ask thy mighty laws should turn
 And bring back those for whom my life doth yearn,
 Those loved ones gone before;
 But when at last there comes the long, long night,
 Be Thou with me, my never-failing Light,
 Eternal, evermore."

R. B. McSWAIN.

MRS. WALTER GRIFFITH.

Mrs. Bulah Walker Griffith was born in Brazos County, Texas, September 27, 1864. Her father who still lives, was a practicing physician and moved to Bell County in 1881. There she met and married Walter Griffith, May 11, 1882. They were both young and their union was characterized with a love that never grew old. For about eighteen years Brother Griffith was in business, but for much of that time he was under the impression that God had called him into the ministry. About sixteen years ago he joined this Conference. Sister Griffith accepted the situation and cheerfully put her whole heart and life into the work of her husband. For several years their work was on the plains, where the charges served were large in extent of territory and small in salaries, and required much travel and long absences from home. Yet she never murmured nor complained. She had her share of sorrow. Her first baby died at three months of age. Her only son died when 26 years of age at San Juan, Porto Rico, in the employ of the United States Army. Her second daughter died at 21 years of age. Only her youngest daughter, Mrs. Maymie White, still lives and is now keeping house for her father.

For several years Sister Griffith had been a great sufferer. All that the best physicians could do was of no avail. For months she realized she could not get well. Through all her suffering she maintained a hopeful and happy disposition. As the end approached she gave repeated assurance that her spiritual sky was clear and the future full of hope.

The end came at Malone, Texas, August 18, 1916, and loving hands laid her body to rest by the side of her son in the cemetery at Frost, Texas.

Sister Griffith was a splendid type of Christian womanhood. She filled full the God-given task of wife and mother. She gave her all unstintedly and uncomplainingly to God and the Church. She passed away in great peace and her influence abides as a sweet and precious memory to her loved ones and to all who know her.

May a covenant keeping God answer her prayers for those whom she loved so well and bring the whole family at last to a happy reunion in our Father's house on high.

JOHN M. BARCUS.

MRS. FRANCIS ASBURY MOOD.

Mrs. Susan Richardson Mood was born in South Carolina in 1843. She was the daughter of Dr. Logan, a prominent physician of that state who afterward moved to California and was at one time president of the American Medical Association. She became the wife of Rev. Francis Asbury Mood in December, 1858. While Dr. Mood belonged to all Texas Methodism, by

reason of his great work, in founding our central educational institution, he held his membership in this Conference at the time of his death.

Mrs. Mood was a woman of culture, of patience and of poise. And with all a remarkable woman and one of great worth. Dr. Mood on proper occasions, spoke of her unfailing resourcefulness and help to him through the struggles of his early work in Texas, while laying the foundations of Southwestern University. In the autobiography written for his children, he declared that should this institution in subsequent years attain to the importance and magnitude that he hoped it might,—and that should its students and alumni, scattered throughout Texas, desire to erect a monument in recognition of the work done in its founding, then Mrs. Mood's name should be carved upon this stone high above all others, for the work never could have been finished without her inspiring help.

Mrs. Mood has lived in Georgetown since the death of her honored husband in Nov., 1884, and her life has been a beautiful realization of what a real mother should be. She was left in her widowhood to care for nine children. All of them, save one, living under her roof, looking to her for direction, and being subject to her control. It was due to her that each child was well educated and grew to womanhood and manhood to grace society and the Church.

Two of her sons are Methodist preachers, each with a record of efficient work and service and all of her children are active in Church work.

Mrs. Mood's life in Georgetown was a benediction to the great school her husband founded and to the entire Church and community. She passed through great sorrows but through them all she was sustained by an unfaltering trust.

Her health had been failing for some years. And while it was generally known that her death might occur at any time still it came as a great shock and a great sorrow to her many friends all over Texas. She died November 13, 1916, and was buried on the afternoon of November 14, exactly thirty-two years to the hour after the burial of her husband.

C. C. CODY.

Reports of Boards.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The report of the Secretary of your General Board brings gratifying facts to you, to which we would urge your especial attention. In its seventieth report we note an increase over the receipts of the past year of \$54,592.53, and in the Woman's Work an increase of \$21,827.22, making a total of \$76,419.75.

We are pleased to note the increase and growing interest in Specials. One-fourth of the whole budget for Foreign Missions is now carried as Specials. The entire budget for China is carried in this way. This clearly indicates the possibilities on this line. Then the value of direct connection with some part of the foreign field intensifies interest, and is marked by greater liberality.

The Church faces extraordinary opportunities. Our Country was never so wealthy; the wide open doors were never more inviting; our resources in men and women were never greater; and results in the foreign field were never surpassed.

Your Board would urge that the law touching the Missionary offering in the Sunday School be given careful study by our preachers, and that with greater accuracy it be observed. The Secretary of Sunday School Board points out that our Conference reported last year that our Sunday Schools raised \$7569.00, and his books show only \$30.25 reported as coming from all sources to him. Your Conference Board does not undertake to explain.

The General Board took the following action: "That the Conference Boards of Missions make a study of the Sunday School Missionary collections, and urge a loyal observance of the law, bringing the facts before the Conference and Presiding Bishops, so that in the cabinet and from the Chair attention may be directed to the law and obedience to it be enjoined."

In pursuance of the intent and purpose of the discipline, because of the educational value of the special, and in view of the imperative needs of the missionary cause, we recommend:

1. That we adopt it as the policy of our Conference to direct the offering of Missionary Day in the Sunday School as a Special to the objects indicated by the General Board, viz.: the offering in March to the Texas Mexican Mission, and the offerings of the other eleven Missionary Sundays to go to China.

2. That we set as our Conference goal \$1,000 per month to be raised on Missionary Day in our Sunday Schools, which is an average of a little less than two dollars per month for each School.

3. That we join in a united and vigorous campaign to get all of our Sunday Schools to observe Missionary Day in obedience to the law of our Church.

Under the efficient work of our Conference Secretary, Brother J. E. Crawford, and the educational policy, and literature coming from him, and the office of the General Secretary, great advancement has been made, and we are confidently looking forward to the time when all our Sunday Schools shall move as one mighty army.

Your Board would again call attention to the Every Member Canvass as the disciplinary method of raising our Church

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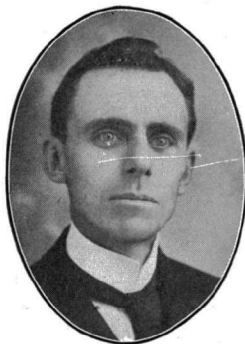
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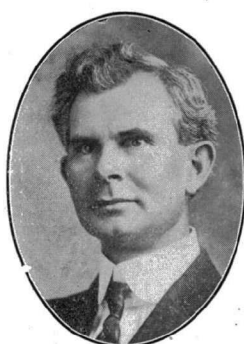
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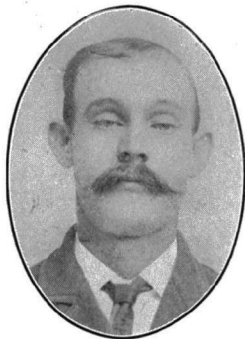
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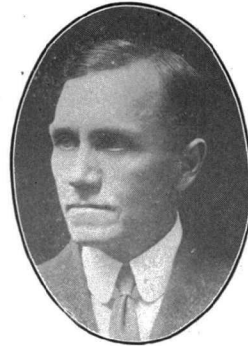
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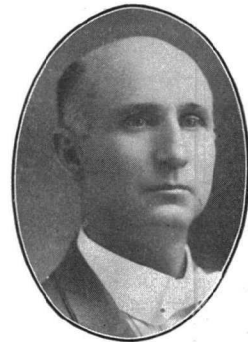
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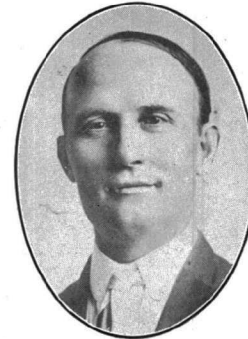
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finances. Excellent results have followed its use in many Charges, but it is remarkable that so many have failed to adopt it. Many seem to regard it as a matter of choice or of expediency, whether they adopt it. It is neither. It is required by the law of the Discipline that every pastor "see that a canvass is made of every member early in the year for Missions." This law ought to be carefully observed.

The week of prayer and self-denial is strongly endorsed by the Board of Missions and its continuance directed. The time of its observance, however, is changed to the week preceding Easter instead of the first week in January.

The following statistics are furnished by the Woman's Missionary Society for 1916:

Number of adult auxiliaries, 200; new auxiliaries 21; net increase, 9; members, 5810; new members, 1028; net increase, 738; young peoples' auxiliaries, 58; members, 1350; Junior Auxiliaries, 100; members, 1609; Baby Division, 58; members, 425; subscribers to the Missionary Board, 1470; Missionaries supported, 7; Bible Women, 17; Scholarships in Foreign Fields, 20; Scholarships Scarrett Bible and Training School, 4; one day school in China and two in Korea are supported by them. Money for all purposes \$20,000.00. These statistics have the note of progress and the ring of victory. Let every pastor heed their call for hearty co-operation.

The matter of self-support in the Missions at home and abroad is emphasized by the General Board, and we would specially direct the attention of the pastors and Presiding Elders to this important matter. Your Conference Board is giving practically the same amount to some missions that it did twenty years ago, and there is less indication of self-support than formerly. Our policy has been to reduce these appropriations annually, but the Board has been urged to wait. May we not set ourselves to the correction of this matter? Your Board has moved to test this matter by experimental stations looking to the solution of the rural problems.

We are pleased to note progress made by our laymen in providing for the building of the Kong Hong Church at Soo Chow, China, the Ft. Worth District has paid its pro rata with a nice surplus. The Cisco District will report in full, and other districts are nearing the goal and have determined to succeed. The Specials for China in the Sunday Schools under joint direction of the Sunday School Board and Mission Board has largely augmented the amount raised. About \$5,000.00 will be sent at once, and provisions will be made to begin at an early date the erection of the Church. The above amount lacks but \$1,000.00 of the Disciplinary requirement in order to begin building. Your Board would suggest that in each district where it is practicable this matter be pushed and completed, and elsewhere, since the General Board and Sunday School Board have taken action, let our laymen and Sunday Schools adopt whatever Special may be best in China, and set ourselves again to the task of "full collection."

REPORT NUMBER TWO, BOARD OF MISSIONS.

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference.
Dear Fathers and Brethren:

On the assessment of \$20,850.00 for Foreign Missions, there has been paid \$16,878.80. Paid on Foreign Mission Special, \$3,094.23. On the assessment of \$6,672.00 for Home Missions there has been paid \$5,415.05. Special for Home Missions \$228.00. On your assessment of \$20,000.00 for Conference Missions there has been paid \$16,236.50. Grand total for missions \$41,852.38. Increase over last year, \$3,618.37.

Assessments for 1916-17.

Foreign Missions	\$20,850.00
Home Missions	6,672.00
Conference Missions	20,000.00

Every Member Canvass Week.

The week from January 14th to January 21st has been designated by your Board and the Committee on Lay Activities as the week for the simultaneous every member canvass. Wherever possible, let all our pastors and Presiding Elders co-operate in its observance. The committee on evangelism has recommended, and the Board has approved the following, in addition to those mentioned in Report No. 1, as evangelists: J. T. Bloodworth, R. J. Tooley, S. P. Gilmore, and Eugene Hudnall.

J. E. Crawford was again elected as Conference Missionary Secretary, to devote all his time to the work.

Appropriations for 1916 and 1917.

Brownwood District.		Cleburne District.	
Bangs	\$100.00	Brazos Ave.	\$250.00
Bronte	200.00	Glen Rose	200.00
Indian Creek	200.00	Joshua	100.00
Norton	100.00	Lillian	100.00
Novice	100.00	Total	\$650.00
Robert Lee	100.00	Corsicana District	
Valera	100.00	Emmett	\$150.00
Winchell	250.00	Harmony	100.00
Zephyr	100.00	Horn Hill	150.00
Talpa	300.00	Kirvin & Streetman...	150.00
Total	\$1550.00	Purdon	200.00
Cisco District.		Total	\$750.00
Carbon	\$100.00	Dublin District.	
Cisco Mission	250.00	Bluffdale	\$150.00
Eolian	100.00	Bunyan	150.00
Gordon	100.00	Carlton	150.00
May	100.00	Duffau	100.00
Romney	150.00	Greens Creek	300.00
Sipe Springs	150.00	Comanche	200.00
Scranton	100.00	Huckabay	150.00
Staff	150.00	Iredell	150.00
Thurber & Mingus.....	400.00	Proctor	100.00
Wayland	250.00	Stephenville	150.00
Desdemonia	150.00	Total	\$1600.00
Total	\$2000.00		

Fort Worth District.		Hillsboro District.	
Brooklyn Hts. & H. C.....	\$150.00	Line Street	\$300.00
Diamond Hill	300.00	Munger	100.00
Glenwood	100.00	Whitney	200.00
Handley	200.00	Total	\$600.00
Highland Park	150.00	Waco District.	
Kennedale	250.00	Clay Street	\$250.00
McKinley Ave.	100.00	Herring Ave.	250.00
Sagamon & Sycamore..	250.00	Elm St.	200.00
Smithfield	100.00	West	100.00
Weatherford St.	200.00	Total	\$800.00
Total	\$1800.00	Waxahachie District.	
Gatesville District.		Bristol	\$150.00
Clifton	\$150.00	Milford	200.00
Coperas Cove	100.00	Total	\$350.00
Coryell	150.00	Weatherford District.	
Fairy & Lanham.....	100.00	Couts Memorial	\$200.00
Jonesboro	100.00	Eliasville	100.00
Killeen Mission.....	200.00	Graford	150.00
Meridian Mission.....	250.00	Graham Mission	200.00
Nolanville	100.00	Loving	200.00
Total	\$1150.00	New Castle	100.00
Georgetown District.		Olney	150.00
Florence	\$350.00	Palo Pinto	250.00
Midway	200.00	Total	\$1350.00
Thrall	100.00	Total Appropriations	
Total	\$650.00	.....\$13250.00	
F. P. CULVER, President.			
M. S. HOTCHKISS, Secretary.			

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

To the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in session in Waxahachie, Texas, Nov. 18, 1916.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

We, your Board of Education, would submit the following report: Our Church in all its history has never shown such a quickened interest in the cause of Education as now exists throughout all our bounds. This is abundantly in evidence, as is revealed by the increased zeal for the institutions of learning of a local character. But above all do we rejoice in the evidence of a deep-seated conviction on this great matter as is expressed in the fact that our people rise above local and selfish interests and consecrate their possessions to the establishment and maintenance of institutions that can in no possible way affect them materially and financially. To our Church of a generation ago, the wonderful achievements in behalf of Emory University and the Southern Methodist University would have been not only an impossibility, but the conception of such an achievement would have been considered a wild dream of an over-wrought imagination. Scarcely less remarkable than the results wrought out in

these instances is the fact that our oldest and most cherished schools, Southwestern University, has been maintained and not only maintained, but has made great progress in every material way, and has passed through a great crisis and stands today upon surer footing than ever before. In this forward Educational Movement which challenges our enthusiastic interest no one of the institutions committed to our care has shared to a more remarkable extent, the beneficent effects than the Texas Woman's College.

The Southern Methodist University.

The Southern Methodist University has had a phenomenal year. Its total assets now amount to \$2,650,000.00. Much of this is in real estate which, when sold, will probably bring even a larger amount than is now indicated by the foregoing figures.

During the year just closed the University has operated the School of Liberal Arts, the School of Fine Arts, and the School of Theology. In all these departments there has been an enrollment of 751 students, which number does not include 156 students enrolled in the summer normal school. This record we regard as unsurpassed in the history of Southern institutions, and we feel sure it will give great joy to the Church. The University has five buildings completed, which have been in use during the past year. Others will be added as necessities arise and resources permit.

Most of what has been done financially for the University up to this time has been done by the Methodists of Texas, and we feel sure that gifts will always more than maintain the undergraduate work of the University. It is but just to ask that the Methodists of other conferences west of the Mississippi River unite in maintenance of the post-graduate and professional schools of the University, especially the School of Theology.

Bishop Candler asks, "Why might not the Methodists of Missouri endow a chair in the School of Theology to bear the name of Enoch M. Marvin, who was elected to the Episcopacy while serving as a pastor at Marshall, Texas? Could not the Methodists of Arkansas endow another chair to be called after the great man, Dr. Andrew Hunter, and why not other conferences unite to endow "The John C. Keener Chair of Theology"? These suggestions are made as suggestions only, and are respectfully submitted for the consideration of the Annual Conferences.

We are glad to report that the Rev. Hoyt M. Dobbs, D. D., has accepted the office of Dean of the School of Theology, and that the theological faculty is now complete and ready to render the highest service.

Your Board desires to call attention to the fact that it is necessary to collect all outstanding claims by the 31st of July, 1917, because failure to do so will cause us to forfeit the \$88,000.00 now ready for us in the hands of a Rockefeller Foundation. We urge the Conference to come to the rescue of the University authorities in every possible way to save this situation.

We also urge prompt payment of all subscriptions made at the District Conferences of 1916 in favor of the Theological Loan of Scholarship Funds. Our young preachers in school are largely dependent upon this help.

We most heartily commend the action of our Conference Sunday School Board in their resolution to inaugurate Religious Education Sunday (second Sunday in March) which looks to the endowment of a chair of Sunday School Pedagogy in Southern Methodist University.

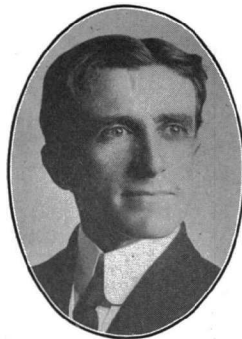
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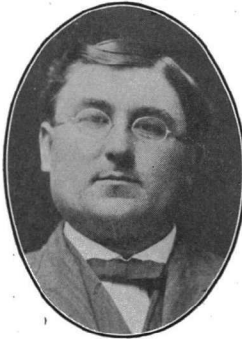
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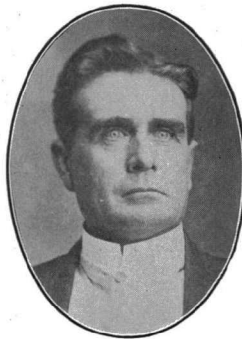
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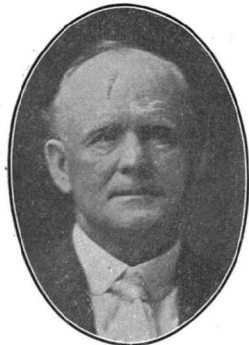


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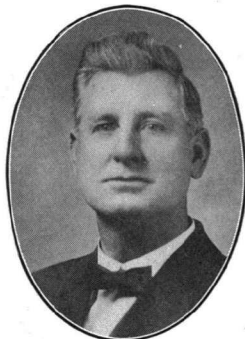
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We are specially impressed with the idea of the Education Commission in its purpose to hold a Conference in Dallas April 4th to 5th, 1917. This Conference is in the interest of Southern Methodist University, and we feel that it behooves every Texas Methodist to do all possible for the success of said Conference.

We look with pride upon the fact that Rev. Hoyt M. Dobbs, D. D., one of our own number, has been chosen as Dean of the School of Theology, and respectfully request our Presiding Bishop to appoint him accordingly.

Southwestern University.

The last was one of the most successful of the forty-three years of the history of the institution. There were 422 students in the College Department, 123 in the School of Fine Arts, 79 in the Fitting School, and 138 in the Summer School.

At the session of the Board of Trustees in June the discontinuance of the Fitting School, and the sale of the property was authorized. This has now been consummated, and the institution is now operated strictly as a college for men and women.

The cornerstone of the Williamson County Science Building was laid with appropriate ceremonies at the last commencement, and that magnificent building is now approaching completion. The campaign for the building endowment fund has made progress during the past year. The endowment of the institution, including subscriptions, now amounts to about \$270,000.00. One hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$115,000.00) of this, exclusive of seventy-odd thousand invested in buildings, is income-yielding.

It is a joy to report that the health of the student body has been good, and the moral and religious life of the very best tone.

The imperative and pressing need of the institution is a large income, and to that end we recommend that you authorize the continuance of the campaign for endowment.

Texas Woman's College.

The success made thus far by the Texas Woman's College has exceeded the fondest anticipations of the most optimistic friends. The experimental stage has been passed, and the institution is now on a safe and secure foundation.

The net enrollment for the first year was 258; last year the net enrollment increased to 321. The net enrollment for the present session has already reached 346, and we believe we will pass the 400 mark by the opening of the second term. The enrollment at the present is 91 more than at the corresponding date last year.

This institution has been given the highest—that is, Class A—rank by Church and State.

According to the Auditor's statement, which accompanies this report, the property is valued at \$333,394.00. The indebtedness has been provided for with a liberal margin.

In order to accommodate the increasing patronage we have been compelled to add two new professors to the Liberal Arts Faculty, one in the Department of Household Economics, and one in the Academy. This increases our expenses over that of last year approximately \$4,000.00. We also call your attention to the fact that all Class A colleges must have an income of \$5,000.00 exclusive of tuition receipts and profits on boarding departments. You cannot afford to let T. W. C. fail in this par-

ticular. We earnestly urge that you make the appropriation in full as requested.

Weatherford College.

We are glad to note the flourishing condition of Weatherford College. Last year, acting under your instructions, the Board of Trustees reopened this school as a boys' training school, with two teachers and a student assistant. This year the school has opened with four teachers and added a commercial department. The number of students enrolled is nearly one hundred per cent in advance of the enrollment at the corresponding date of last year. Old indebtedness has been discharged, substantial improvements have been made on the property, the school is in great favor with the people of Weatherford, and evidently is destined to fill an important place in our educational system.

Since the charter of Weatherford College provides for the annual election of Trustees we nominate the following as Trustees for the next Conference year: E. Hightower, I. W. Stephens, G. A. Holland, T. F. Temple, Geo. W. Barcus, W. W. McCrary, Henry F. Brooks, L. A. Webb, J. W. Cardwell, George C. Poston, A. C. Temple, J. N. McCain, and E. A. Camp.

Meridian College.

We are glad to report Meridian College in good condition. The property of Meridian College is worth between ninety and one hundred thousand dollars, and has no bonded indebtedness. The floating debts amount to \$1500.00, and we have on hand notes to the amount of \$3000.00 which are due this fall. The income from this year from tuition and fees will aggregate \$13,000.00. Teachers salaries aggregate \$10,000.00, and the school is giving \$891.00 free tuition to preachers' children; \$922.00 free tuition to young preachers, and \$148.50 on scholarships, making a total of \$1,961.50 free tuition.

The enrollment last year showed a 64% increase over that of the previous year. To date the enrollment for this term is as follows: 222 in the Academy and Junior College doing literary work; 120 in the Fine Arts Department, total gross enrollment 342. Total enrollment exclusive of duplicates, 288. We now have thirty-five more boarding students than were enrolled the entire session last year. At present there are 78 students, all or nearly all of whose work is in the College Department. Fourteen others are doing some college work. Thus 92 students are doing literary work of college grade.

The teachers are efficient and faithful in the discharge of their duties. The students are loyal and enthusiastic.

Meridian College was classified by the committee appointed by the State Teachers' Association to classify all of the colleges of the State, and is one of only five schools in the State to get class A rating, and recognition of the Science Department.

Wesley Theological Chair.

The importance of offering to the Methodist students at the State University a course in the Bible cannot be overestimated. There are more students of our church in attendance upon that institution than of any other denomination. Your Conference, in connection with the other Conferences of the State, elected a Board of Trustees with authority to establish such a chair, and employ a professor. Professor Harry King, an A. B. graduate of the University of Arkansas, and a B. D. graduate

of Vanderbilt University, has been chosen and is now at work. We most earnestly appeal to this Conference to put its fullest endorsement upon this enterprise, and grant the small assessment recommended by this Board as our share for the support of this chair.

Recommendations.

We recommend the following appointments by the Bishop:
 Southern Methodist University—Hoyt M. Dobbs, Dean of Theological Department.

Texas Woman's College—H. A. Boaz, President; J. D. Young, Vice-President.

Meridian College—G. F. Winfield, President.

Southwestern University—C. M. Bishop, President.

Conference Secretary of Education—W. L. Nelms.

W. B. Wilson, Commissioner of Education, S. M. U.

W. B. Gilliland, student in Meridian College.

To be Trustees of Texas Woman's College: W. H. Matthews in place of H. D. Knickerbocker, transferred; Dr. Frank Boyd in place of Dr. Clay Johnson, whose term expires.

Trustee of Southwestern University, J. M. Barcus, whose term expires at this time.

As there have appeared discrepancies between the reports in the statistical tables and the amounts paid into the treasury, we urge greater care on the part of the pastors in making out their statistical reports.

Second, we request the co-operation of the treasurers of the other Boards in checking up the reports.

We recommend the following assessments on the Conference:

Southern Methodist University, Academic Dept.....	\$3,500.00
Southern Methodist University, Theological Dept.....	3,500.00
Southwestern University	7,500.00
Summer School of Theology.....	300.00
Texas Woman's College.....	5,000.00
Meridian College	1,000.00
Weatherford College	1,000.00
Bible Chair at University of Texas.....	500.00

Total	\$22,300.00
The General Board sends the following assessment.....	3,961.00

Grand total

(Signed) W. L. NELMS, President.
 C. C. HIGHTOWER, Sec., Pro Tem.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, Report No. 2.

We greatly rejoice in the report submitted to us by the General Board. These reports reveal the fact that our Church is rallying with great unanimity to the action of our General Conference in its plans to give the cause of education the place it should hold.

We join with this Board in the call to all our people to place our institutions that stand for higher education upon such a basis as that we may be able to offer to our people as good educational advantages as are offered by the State and other universities and schools.

We specially rejoice in the almost unanimous support accorded the Educational Commission created by the General Conference.

Our Church should see to it that ample Christian instruction is given to the youth of our country. It is coming to be recognized as never before that the mightiest agency for saving education from all forms of materialism as well as from all forms of paganism, and for making it definitely, morally idealistic and Christian, is the Church of the living Christ. We pledge to our General Board our fullest and heartiest co-operation.

W. L. NELMS, President.
W. B. ANDREWS, Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Waxahachie, Tex., Nov. 20, 1916.

Receipts.

Received during year by Geo. E. Jester, Conf. Treas.....	\$ 3,316.85
Received during Conf. by Geo. E. Jester, Conf. Treas.	14,572.65
Total.....	\$17,889.50

Disbursements.

For Conf. Treasurer's bond and for bank exchange.....	\$ 12.00
For Conference Journal.....	200.00
For Summer School of Theology.....	300.00
For Southern Methodist University.....	4,444.18
For Southwestern University.....	5,555.23
For Texas Woman's College.....	2,962.79
For Meridian College.....	740.70
For Weatherford College.....	740.70
For Educational Extension.....	2,933.90
Total.....	\$17,889.50

Respectfully submitted,

GID J. BRYAN, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

To the Central Texas Annual Conference, 1916.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

We have received for Bishop's Fund \$3,133.50, and for the Superannuate Endowment Fund \$1,882.20. The assessment for Bishop's Fund the coming year is \$3,753.00.

We have received for delegates' expenses \$917.10, and have apportioned the uncollected balance of \$1,441.00 to the several presiding elders' districts for collection the coming year.

We estimate the amount necessary for Conference Claimants the coming year at \$15,000.00 and plead for a full collection of this sum.

The assessment for the Superannuate Endowment Fund the coming year is \$2,500.00.

We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$129; the Board of Education \$129; the Board of Church Extension \$95; the Sunday School Board \$65, and the Board for the American Bible Society \$32 for printing the Conference Journal.

We have received for Conference Claimants the following amounts:

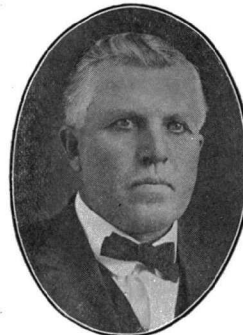
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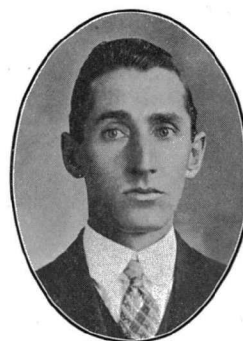
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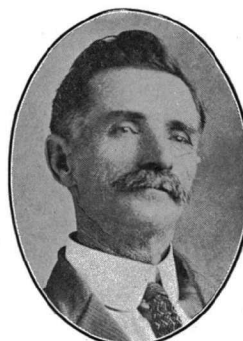
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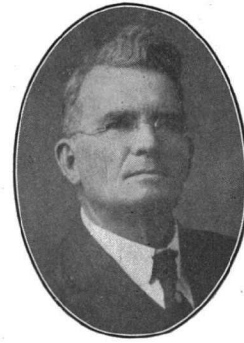
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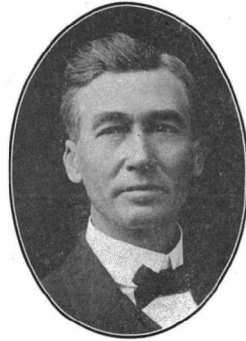
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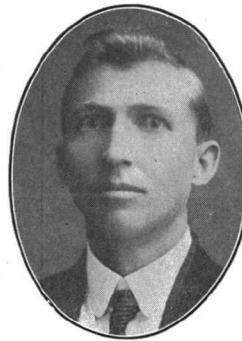
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J. G. POLLARD

From the Conference Treasurer.....	\$13,014.50
Superannuate Endowment Fund, last year.....	360.00
Texas Christian Advocate, by L. Blaylock.....	245.10
From our Publishing House.....	535.00
Marquis Fund.....	178.67
Superannuate Endowment Fund, this year.....	346.50
Calvin Fund.....	14.00
Balance left over of "Reserve Fund".....	304.75

Grand total.....\$14,998.52

After prayerful and patient consideration, we have disbursed this amount as follows:

Adkisson, Mrs. J. W.....	\$ 25.25	McLaughlin, Mrs. N. M.....	100.75
Bennett, Mrs. N. B.....	200.25	Mackey, Mrs. James.....	100.25
Bond, Mrs. J. M.....	300.75	Morgan, Mrs. Daniel.....	500.25
Bailey, Mrs. E. A.....	100.25	Mills, Mrs. M.....	450.50
Boone, Rev. E. F.....	250.00	McSwain, Rev. R. B.....	400.00
Cox, Mrs. J. Fred.....	25.25	Mussett, Rev. J. P.....	250.00
Canafax, Rev. J. J.....	500.00	Major, Rev. M. H.....	300.00
Carter, Rev. J. C.....	50.00	Millis, Rev. V. J.....	200.00
Chenoweth, Rev. E. B.....	150.00	Montgomery, Mrs. J. W.....	25.25
Crawford, Rev. W. H.....	325.00	McCarter, Rev. J. M.....	250.00
Callaway, Mrs. J. J.....	200.75	McGehee, Rev. F. L.....	250.00
Campbell, Rev. James.....	250.00	Maxwell, Rev. E. J.....	250.00
Davis, Mrs. J. J.....	100.25	Noble, Rev. W. W.....	300.00
Davis, Mrs. Charles.....	200.25	Price, Mrs. William.....	125.25
Duncan, Mrs. Jerome.....	200.75	Rascoe, Mrs. J. T.....	100.25
Downs, Mrs. J. W.....	150.75	Rogers, Mrs. T. W.....	250.25
Ellis, Rev. D. C.....	350.00	Rowland, Rev. C.....	100.00
Gaskill, Miss Mittie.....	100.25	Rogers, Mrs. L. G.....	125.75
Glass, Rev. H. M.....	150.00	Rape, Rev. J. J.....	275.00
Graves, Rev. W. F.....	260.00	Sweet, Rev. E. M.....	200.00
Galloway, Mrs. R. V.....	125.50	Snoddy, Rev. B. A.....	300.00
Gilleland, Rev. W. A.....	150.00	Smith, Mrs. A. P.....	200.50
Gallagher, Rev. C. E.....	200.00	Shrader, Rev. H. P.....	300.00
Harris, Rev. G. W.....	350.00	Stark, Rev. D. C.....	250.00
Haralson, Rev. Jerome.....	350.00	Shutt, Rev. C. G.....	100.00
Hiner, Mrs. James.....	100.25	Statham, Rev. C. E.....	250.00
Harris, Rev. I. F.....	400.00	Trimble, Mrs. J. H.....	200.25
Harrison, Mrs. E. T.....	50.75	Tunnell, Mrs. J. S.....	200.75
Henry, Rev. H. B.....	250.00	Turner, Mrs. Neal W.....	100.50
Jones, Rev. W. V.....	350.00	Wilson, Mrs. G. D.....	150.25
Jordon, Mrs. C. D.....	250.25	Walker, Rev. J. E.....	200.00
Keen, Mrs. N. A.....	50.25	Winburn, Rev. F. M.....	150.00
Kennedy, Mrs. B. H.....	150.75	Misc. Expense.....	15.00
Long, Rev. A.....	200.00	Reserve Fund.....	609.52
Lemons, Rev. W. J.....	300.00		
Lloyd, Mrs. W. F.....	250.50		
		Total.....	\$14,998.52

Respectfully submitted,
 J. B. BERRY, Chairman.
 J. M. ROBERTSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference,
 now in session:

Dear Brethren:

We have checked up the books of Board Treasurers and
 Conference Teller and find them correct.

Nov. 18, 1916.

J. B. BERRY,
 WALTER GRIFFITH.

Report of Geo. E. Jester, Treasurer Central Texas Conference, at Waxahachie, Texas, Nov. 18, 1916:

Bishop Fund	\$ 3,133.50
Conference Claimants	13,014.10
Foreign Missions	16,878.80
Foreign Missions, Special.....	765.12
Home and Conference Missions.....	21,651.55
Conference Missions, Special.....	228.00
Church Extension	10,068.50
Education	17,889.50
Bible Cause	988.10
Delegates' Expenses	917.10
Superannuate Endowment	1,882.20
Orphanage	90.25
Children's Day and Rally.....	1,586.10
Washington Church	534.00
Rescue Home	7.85
Special Missions unassigned.....	222.00
Sunday School Missionary offering—	
Special: For Hong Kong Church.....	1,171.98
For China	313.00
For China Bed.....	50.00
African Special	58.65
Total.....	\$91,450.30

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your Board has considered thirty-five applications for loans and donations, ten for parsonages and twenty-five for churches. The total amount of donations asked for was \$6,805.00. The total amount of loans asked for was \$1,900.00. To meet these requests the Board had at its disposal \$5,844.25. The Board made loans to the following churches: Covington, \$400; Leona, \$200; Aledo, \$150; Duffau, \$250; Concord, \$100. Donations to churches were made as follows: Ft. Chadbourn, \$100; Comanche, \$75; Cayote, \$200; Talpa, \$250; Hearing Ave., \$250; Kirvin, \$50; Streetman, \$100; Files Valley, \$125; Aledo, \$50; Duffau, \$150; Carlton, \$350; Jean, \$75; Crowley, \$75; Corbit, \$100; Ireland, \$300; Datma, \$200.

The total amount loaned, \$11,000.00.

The total amount donated to churches, \$2,450.00.

Donations to parsonages were made as follows: New Castle, \$100; Burleson, \$100; Highland Park, \$250; Emmett, \$50; Lillian, \$150; Gatesville Mission, \$400; Meridian, \$250; May, \$200; Strawn, \$300; Total, \$1,800. Grand total, \$5,350.00.

The Board was assessed \$150.00 for printing Conference Journal, and ten dollars for premium on Treasurer's bond, leaving balance of \$234.25.

(Signed) J. J. CREED, President.
K. P. BARTON, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Dear Brethren:

We rejoice in the continued prosperity of the Sunday School work throughout our Conference. We have had an increase in the enrollment of nearly one thousand and an increase in the

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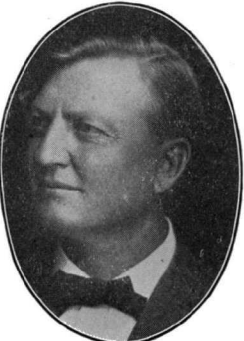
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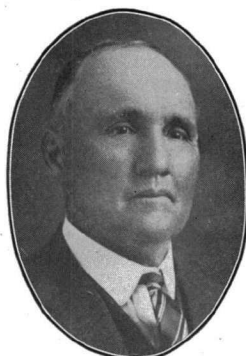


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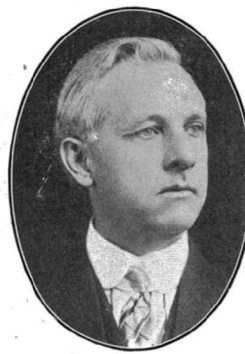
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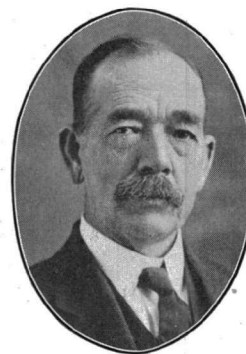
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J. C. MIMMS



C. V. OSWALT

total contributions of over one thousand dollars. We have grounds to believe that interest in all departments of our work is growing steadily.

In view of the interest now manifested, and of the importance of the Sunday School work, your Board would recommend the following:

District Organizations.

That a system of District Sunday Institute work shall be adopted as follows:

A District Secretary shall be appointed by the Executive Committee, presiding elder, and a member or members of the Sunday School Board who may reside in each district, whose duty shall be to furnish a plan, place, program and time for, first, a District Sunday School Institute as early in the year as practicable; and second, Subdivisional District Institutes, using and developing local pastors and Sunday School workers by using them on the programs of said Institutes in so far as this will best serve the purpose of the organization, striving to develop greater efficiency among pastors and laymen to meet the growing demand of our great Sunday School army.

We further suggest that in financing our District organizations the Children's Day collections shall be supplemented with a special contribution from each Sunday School Institute.

Missions.

Resolved, that we join in a wise and vigorous effort to get all our Sunday Schools to observe "Missionary Day" in obedience to the Discipline of our Church. And second, we will, as far as practicable, urge the Sunday Schools to direct the Missionary collections in accordance with the policy of the General Board of Missions, viz: The offering in the month of March to the Texas Mexican Mission, and of the other eleven Missionary Sundays to go to Missions in China.

We urge in this connection that the Missionary offerings of each month be sent to our Conference Treasurer, Mr. George E. Jester, Corsicana, Texas, as early as possible after each Missionary Sunday. This will save the Board considerable interest paid on borrowed money.

Field Workers.

We very greatly appreciate the faithful services rendered the Board by our Field Secretary, Mr. W. E. Hawkins. On account of a lack of funds, and a desire to develop the efficiency of each member of the Board, we deem it best not to employ a Field Secretary, but use members of the Board as far as possible in operating the plans of the Board.

We desire to record our unqualified approval of the work done by the Divisional Secretary of the Southwestern Division of the General Sunday School Board, Rev. Emmett Hightower, and we respectfully recommend that the Bishop appoint him to this work again.

Literature.

We are especially gratified at the character of our Literature. Dr. Chappell and the General Board are entitled to our utmost confidence and consideration in their ability to give to the Church a literature that is second to none. We very much appreciate the sane, sound and orthodox view of things which it invariably takes. We desire to commend heartily the "Grad-

ed Magazine," a new periodical, designed specifically for teachers of graded classes.

We respectfully urge the observance of Children's Day, "Rally Day" and "Decision Day."

Wesley Bible Class.

We urge that the Wesley Bible Class movement be encouraged and that Wesley Bible Classes be organized in all our churches and properly enrolled in accordance with the plans of the General Sunday School Board. We believe that a federation of these classes should begin in each presiding elder's district, and culminate in a Conference-wide federation of Wesley Bible Class Workers.

Education Day.

We are in hearty accord with the recommendation that the second Sunday in March be set aside as "Educational Day," and that an offering on that day be taken in each Sunday School to be applied to the Chair of Religious Pedagogy in Southern Methodist University.

(Signed) J. C. MIMMS, President.
T. E. BOWMAN, Secretary.

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL TREASURER.

Receipts.

Amount sent to Conf. Treas. before Conference.....	\$1,301.23
Amount sent to Treasurer of Board before Conference..	123.40
Amount collected at Conference.....	146.86
Total Children's Day receipts.....	\$1,576.49
Total Rally Day receipts.....	10.61
Cash offerings by Field Secretary.....	663.40
Balance from last year.....	1.02
Grand total receipts.....	\$2,251.52

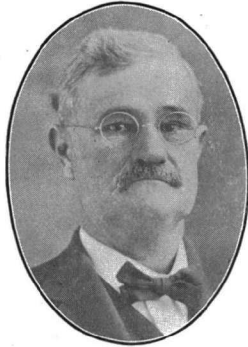
Disbursements.

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May 13, to G. E. Jester, bond premium.....	\$ 17.00
May 29, to W. E. Hawkins, C. D. expense.....	30.90
June 12, to W. E. Hawkins, salary, offerings..	499.20
June 12, to W. E. Hawkins, cash, trav. ex.....	164.20
June 12, to W. E. Hawkins, cash, salary.....	615.35
Sept. 5, to W. E. Hawkins, cards printed.....	6.25
Nov. 18, to D. M. Smith, Treas. Gen. Board....	394.12
Nov. 18, to Smith & Lamar, Dallas.....	196.08
Nov. 18, to A. D. Porter, printing minutes.....	196.08
Nov. 18, to Treasurer of Board.....	5.00
Nov. 18, to W. E. Hawkins, salary.....	249.65
Grand total disbursements	\$2,251.52

REPORT OF AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The American Bible Society completes this year a century of service, and the remarkable results attained are cause for gratitude. For one hundred years it has gone steadily forward in its great task of translating and circulating the Scriptures.

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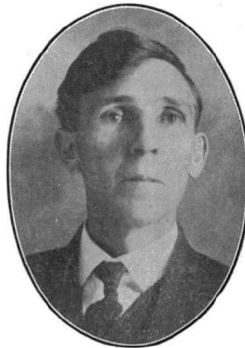
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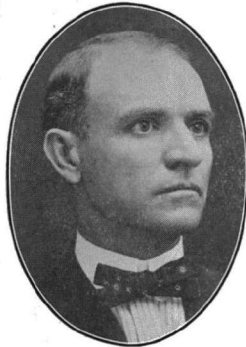
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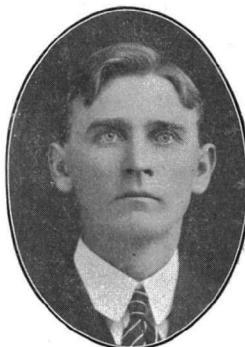
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MURAND COUNCIL

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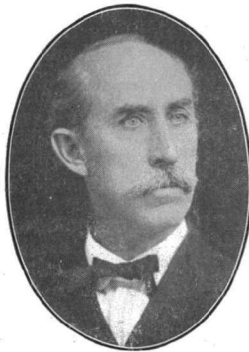
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More than one hundred and seventeen million volumes of Scriptures have been circulated by this society in one hundred and fifty languages.

Reports from the Society's Home and Foreign agencies all show conclusively that the whole wide world is beginning to ask for the Bible. In China last year six million volumes of the Scriptures did not supply the demand. At this critical time in the world's history we cannot afford to refuse our Bible to those who are asking for it, and yet this is what we are doing today for lack of funds to manufacture the books. Requests from our mission fields have been cut down twenty per cent during the past year. Church collections have kept up to normal, but gifts and legacies from individuals have fallen off considerably during the European war, cutting down receipts to the extent that the Society is unable to meet demands for Scriptures, which have doubled in the last few years. We are pleased to have before us Rev. J. J. Morgan, Secretary for the Southwestern Agency, who reports over one hundred thousand volumes of the Scriptures distributed in his field in forty-one languages during the year. This is the largest gain in Bible distribution made by any home agency, and the number of languages indicates the great value of this work from a missionary standpoint. The work now being carried on among the American soldiers is of vital importance to our whole country. We commend in the highest terms the American Bible Society in its efforts to place a khaki testament in the hands of every soldier who promises to read it. Fifteen thousand of these testaments have already been distributed among them, at a cost to the Society of about six thousand dollars. A Bible car and two men have been at work since July, and they have accomplished remarkable results. Chaplains and army officials co-operate, and conversions are frequent through the effort of the Bible worker.

In view of this emergency, we ask the Conference to set aside December 10th as Army Testament Day, at which time a free will offering is to be taken to supply the soldiers with testaments. The Bible Society can and will bear all the expenses of the distribution; the money needed at this time is to pay the cost of manufacture of the testaments. If some other day is more convenient than December 10th for Army Testament Day, it will suit our purpose just as well, but we suggest this day because it has been designated Universal Bible Sunday to be observed by all Protestant churches. All pastors who promise to preach a sermon on the Bible this day will be furnished with literature on request, helpful in preparing the sermon. We recommend the appropriation of \$50.00 for printing the minutes.

Your treasurer has received from the Conference Treasurer \$988.10. We recommend an assessment for the ensuing year of \$1,200.00.

M. A. TURNER, Chairman.
JNO. M. NEAL, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

We, your Epworth League Board, submit the following report:

"To maintain in all its vital power the testimony with which Methodism evangelized Great Britain and the American Continent, is the sacred charge of pastors, and the Epworth League

is one of the best agencies for effecting this noble end. Our Discipline says: 'Let Epworth Leagues be organized in all our congregations.' One-half our pastoral charges now have Epworth Leagues."

The outstanding feature of the year's history in the Epworth League is the series of Summer Conferences just completed. There is in these Conferences power and enthusiasm with which to do an immense amount of work in the Kingdom of God, when wisely directed. The presence and sympathetic counsel of the presiding elders and pastors mean much to the hosts of our young people.

Institutes or assemblies giving programs of a type both more intensive and extensive than the conferences have been held at Port O'Connor, Texas, where, under the able leadership of the Rev. T. F. Sessions, a new Epworth-by-the-Sea has arisen in the place of the old at Corpus Christi, at Lake Junalaska, N. C., at Pertle Springs, Mo., and at Asilomar, Cal., the last jointly under the auspices of the two great Episcopal Methodisms. The Assembly at Lake Junalaska is designed to become a connectional meeting place for the Epworthians of our Church, and is under the direction of the central office.

Membership.

The minutes of the Annual Conferences for 1915 give a total of 3,745 chapters, with 133,044 members, a gain of 9,013 members, but a loss of 192 chapters. This loss cannot be real, for we chartered last year 390 new chapters, besides renewing the charters of a number of suspended chapters, with a membership of more than 10,000.

Missions and Other Causes.

The Leagues contributed for missions last year the sum of \$30,067.37, of which \$10,994.37 was on the assessments and \$19,072 on specials. For other objects, including the Anniversary Day offering, \$70,913.02 was contributed, making a total for the year of \$100,979.39. The amounts contributed for the Africa Special exceeded \$10,000 and sufficed for the budget of the Congo Mission. The Board of Missions has again committed to the Epworth Leagues the responsibility of supporting the Congo Mission, which has, from the beginning, been sustained by the Leagues and manned by Epworth Leaguers. The Texas Leaguers have undertaken to raise \$10,000 for the purchase of a steamboat to ply on the upper tributaries of the Congo, and four young men are sailing this summer to re-enforce our mission in darkest Africa, and but for the dangers of submarine attack upon merchant vessels several young women also would go to Africa from the Woman's Missionary Council. The part of the Epworth League of our Church in the Congo Mission is the latest of its splendid chapters of missionary pioneering. The missionary work of the League continues to be its conspicuous connectional service.

The Epworth Era now has a monthly circulation of 22,000 and on the night of January 14th a concerted effort will be made to raise it to 30,000 subscribers.

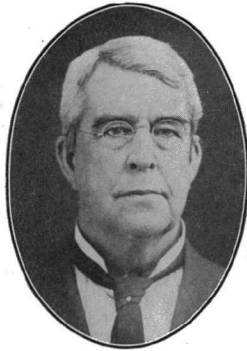
The Secretary of the Board, Dr. F. S. Parker, announces that Rev. Ralph E. Mollner has accepted the position as assistant secretary in the central office.

We approve the plan whereby the Central Texas League Conference expects to raise its part \$2,000, with which to aid in

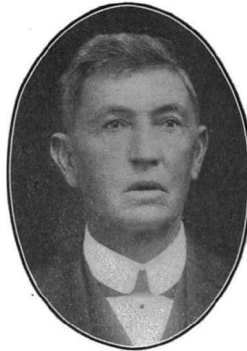
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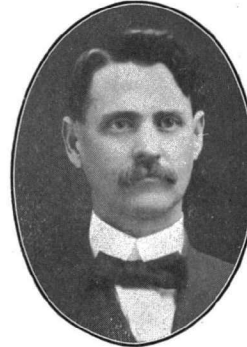
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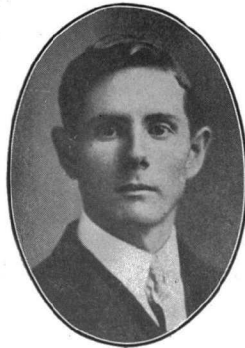
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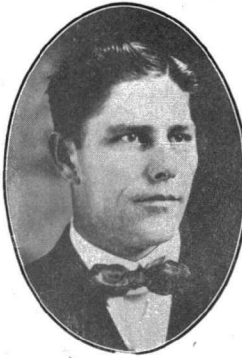
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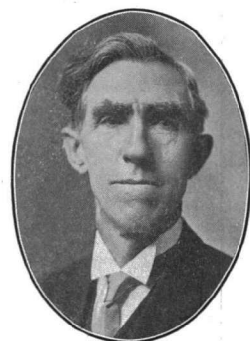
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E. N. PARISH
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A. P. LOWERY
Evangelist

the purchase of a boat for our Congo Mission, reference to which has been made in another paragraph.

We recommend that at the ensuing sessions of the District Conferences one pastor in each district be appointed by the presiding elder to represent the work of the League.

We approve the plan by which the Central Texas League Conference proposes to become responsible for the employment of a Field Secretary, and suggest that the Leagues secure her services wherever possible.

We further recommend the observance in every pastoral charge of the League Anniversary Day.

Your Board further asks that Rev. Thos. S. Barcus be named as a member of the Epworth League Board in place of Hoyt M. Dobbs.

In your daily intercessions for the Kingdom of God we request that you remember the Epworth League and your fellow-workers in this great cause.

Respectfully submitted,
 HOYT M. DOBBS, Chairman.
 H. L. MUNGER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT, Report No. 1.

We recommend that this Conference allow an assessment of fifteen hundred dollars for the San Antonio Rescue Home.

FRANKLIN MOORE, Secretary.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT, Report No. 2.

We, your Board of Adjustment, recommend that the following assessments be allowed by this Annual Conference:

Board of Education.

For Texas Woman's College.....	\$ 5,500.00
For Southern Methodist University.....	6,000.00
For Theological Department of S. M. U.....	3,600.00
For Southwestern University	7,500.00
For Summer School of Theology.....	300.00
For Bible Chair State University.....	500.00
For Meridian College	1,000.00
For Weatherford College	1,000.00

Joint Board of Finance.

General Board	15,000.00
Superannuate Endowment	2,500.00

Board of Missions.

Conference Missions	20,000.00
Foreign Missions	20,850.00
Home Missions	6,672.00
Board of Church Extension.....	12,510.00
American Bible Society.....	1,200.00

W. H. HOWARD, President.
 FRANKLIN MOORE, Secretary.

**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR SUPER-
ANNUATE HOMES.**

The report of our Conference Agent shows some progress during the past year. One additional home has been secured, located at Oran, Palo Pinto County, and donated by Grandma Pratt. Three have been repaired, and the insurance renewed on five of the homes.

During the year a mother in Israel has made provision in her will for securing to the Church a splendid piece of property for a superannuate home. When the provisions in her will are carried out this home will be one of the best and most desirable in the Southern Methodist Church, and at a fair valuation will be worth \$3,000. In this connection we would urge that our preachers call the attention of our Methodist people of means to the importance of making bequests to this worthy cause.

We believe that with the hearty co-operation of the presiding elders and pastors with the Conference Agent, Homes can be secured within the next few years for all our Conference Claimants who need them.

We request Bishop McCoy to reappoint D. L. Collie agent for Superannuate Homes.

(Signed) J. A. WHITEHURST, President.
W. B. ANDREWS, Secretary.

Standing and Special Committees.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

To the President and Members of the Central Texas Conference
in Waxahachie, Texas:

Dear Brethren:

We, your Committee on Sabbath Observance, after duly and prayerfully considering the question, submit the following:

In the morning of time, after the stupendous work of Creation, God, Himself, rested on the seventh day. The records read that He blessed and sanctified the seventh period of time. By so doing He contra-distinguished this day from the six secular days and also made it a holy day by a definite act, just as He created man. The emphasis is on this day throughout the Bible, which sets forth the fact that it is the Lord's Day in a peculiar sense. The right to use it for two distinct purposes was designated to man, to-wit: First, as a day of rest and a day of worship, including deeds of mercy and charity. To use it for purposes of temporal gain or pleasure is to profane it. Around this day is thrown the majesty of the law, safeguarding it against desecration in such a striking way as to impress men in all periods of time that to disregard its sanctity is to imperil the soul. The happiness, prosperity and perpetuity of the Jewish nation was contingent upon their fidelity to God, and that mildew, blighting and destruction would follow if they refused or failed to keep the day holy. This they did fail to do and their utter destruction as a nation followed. Who can say that the great European nations are not today reaping what they have sown? They have sown to the wind and are reaping the whirlwind. The Sabbath has been handed down as an heirloom from our Heavenly Father from generation to generation. Our mothers and fathers did their duty in preserving its sanctity and handed it down to us untarnished.

The responsibility now rests upon us to transmit it to our posterity in its purity. Being impressed with the great importance of preserving intact the sanctity of the Lord's Day, we deplore the fact that Sabbath desecration is on the increase. Within the last few years automobiles are responsible for increased Sabbath desecration. To an alarming extent members of the church leave their church services for the fascinating auto ride. We can but condemn this open crime against God's Holy Day. We believe that as Christians we should never cease our war upon Sunday fairs, ball games, theatre going and picture shows until they are eliminated. We believe the pulpit and our religious press should wage an aggressive war upon Sabbath desecration in all forms until the Sabbath is preserved. We are gratified at the success of the committee appointed to secure the organization of an inter-denominational Lord's Day Commission in the State, as indicated in the report previously submitted and adopted. That report calls for the election of two lay delegates. We therefore recommend the election of Judges W. E. Williams and Josh L. Halbert.

The City of New York has had such an organization for fifty-seven years, which has accomplished incalculable good. We heartily recommend the work of the Sunday League of America, and call the attention of our pastors and people to the fact that our General Conference recommend that they give encourage-

ment to this work. We recommend the appointment of R. C. Armstrong as Secretary of this League.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. HEAD, Chairman.

R. C. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

REPORT ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your Committee on Books and Periodicals, make the following report:

We are gratified that there has been an increase of thirty-six thousand seven hundred and seventy dollars and twenty cents in the total volume of business of our Publishing House this year. We regret that our Nashville Christian Advocate has been published this year at a loss of more than seven thousand dollars. We rejoice in the fifty years of noble service Brother L. Blaylock has rendered to the Church. We give our unqualified approval to the inestimable service Dr. Bradfield is rendering to the Church as editor of the Texas Christian Advocate. His work is absolutely essential to the progress of Methodism in our section. The Texas Advocate is equal to the best religious periodicals published in the South or on the earth, for that matter. We most heartily endorse the Publishers' Jubilee Campaign to be launched with the week beginning December 3rd, 1916. We are convinced that forty thousand subscriptions to the Advocate ought to be the minimum this year. We pledge ourselves to increase the number of subscribers in the Central Texas Conference to ten thousand. That is, we purpose to secure four thousand four hundred and twenty-six new subscribers this year. We call upon every preacher and every official member of the Church to throw himself into this campaign. We can do it if we will.

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. CODY, Chairman.

SEBA KIRKPATRICK, Secretary.

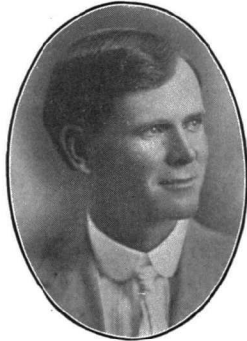
TEMPERANCE REPORT.

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference: We, your Committee on Temperance, beg leave to submit the following report:

We rejoice in the recent great victories for our cause that have now put about one-half of our nation dry by States, and much more by county option. The time is ripe for the nation to go dry. For years by a nation-wide wet law it has gone into dry States, and license rum sellers in violation of States rights. A nation-wide prohibition law would no more violate the rights of the States than this law has, and would be in far more harmony with "the consent of the governed."

The temperance people of Texas have voted a demand upon the coming session of the legislature to submit next year to the people of Texas an amendment for State-wide prohibition. As sovereign citizens of a free country we expect no less of that legislature than such action. It carried by a majority vote. The plea that each representative should take the vote of his district as his instructions is absolutely untenable. No such method of amending our constitution is recognized in our con-

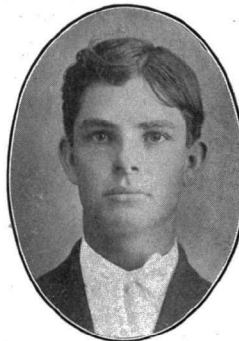
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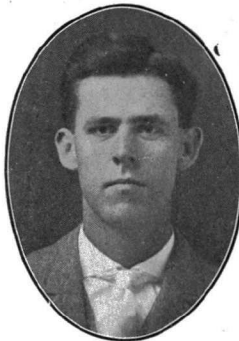
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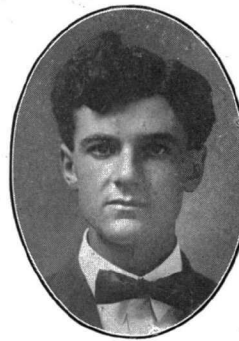
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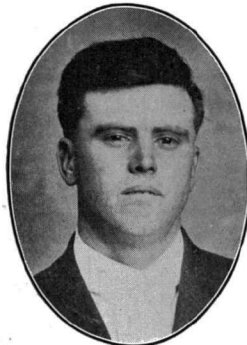
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T. G. STORY

stitution, but comes from the headquarters of rum. We are tired of our representatives taking orders from brewery bosses rather than from the voice of the people.

We heartily condemn the wholesale frauds that have been perpetuated at some political conventions in Texas this year. Such action is dishonesty and not Democracy, and in condemning it we are not meddling in politics, but denouncing fraud and corruption. Such a course can mean nothing less than disaster to our State, unless speedily corrected.

We heartily endorse the Anti-Saloon League of Texas, and recognize the fact that it is doing a great work in our midst.

Since today we are at a crucial period in this fight against rum, we believe that it would be of large benefit to our cause if each pastor would give one service of his own to this cause within the next six months, and we urge that every pastor and church give the heartiest co-operation with our temperance work.

We recommend that the Conference instruct the Secretary of this committee to send a marked copy of this report to each member of the next legislature.

We recommend that Rev. Atticus Webb be reappointed to the work of the Anti-Saloon League. We heartily endorse the work of our own temperance worker, the Rev. J. R. B. Hall, and ask that he be reappointed to this work.

Respectfully submitted,

ATTICUS WEBB, President.

J. R. B. HALL, Secretary.

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The one thing of importance to us as a people is that we may know God. The spiritual life is of first importance. It is the fountain source of all success in every department of our church life. Without a deepening of our Christian experiences, the missionary, the evangelistic, the social work of our church will fail.

We have no fears concerning the proper observance of the Sabbath Day, or of the benevolences of our church being paid in full, when our people are really in touch with Jesus Christ. While we are stressing the importance of full collections we would lay greater emphasis on the salvation of men and women from sin, and a conscious acceptance of Jesus Christ.

We fear that in many instances, more time and more thought is being given to bringing up the collections in full than is given to the needy souls among us.

We rejoice in the great victories that have come to our church throughout the past year. The reports submitted to this Annual Conference bring the glad news that many gracious revivals have been held. There have been many conversions, with a splendid net increase of members.

While we rejoice in the great work accomplished through the One-to-Win-One Campaign, we desire to lay emphasis on the necessity of preaching the cardinal doctrines of our church, on the necessity of genuine conviction and repentance of sin. The Gospel of Jesus Christ is still the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth. We must not permit ourselves, in our eagerness to receive members, to persuade people to come into the church unsaved. Increased numbers do not mean increased strength to the kingdom of God.

We would call all our people back to the family altar as the only bulwark that will save our children and hold them true to God when there is so much to attract and draw them away.

The sacredness of the church vows should be impressed on all our people.

We would urge that greater emphasis be placed on the baptism of children, the family altar, and the Lord's Supper, as a means of deepening the spiritual life among our people.

If we, as pastors would, in our pastoral visiting, stress the importance of the spiritual life of our people, inquire, as our fathers did, concerning the religious life of every member of the household and always be careful to pray in the homes of our people, we believe we would greatly strengthen our people to stand against an enticing world.

THOS. S. BARCUS, Chairman.
G. E. KINCANNON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

Your Committee on Conference Relations submit the following report:

We recommend for the supernumerary relation: R. O. Bailey, J. W. Dickinson, T. W. Ellis, A. P. Lipscomb, Jno. F. Neal, G. W. Owens, R. J. Tooley and B. A. Evans. For the supernumate relation: E. F. Boone, James Campbell, J. J. Canafax, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, W. H. Crawford, D. C. Ellis, C. E. Gallagher, W. A. Gilliland, H. M. Glass, W. F. Graves, Jerome Harralson, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris, H. B. Henry, W. V. Jones, W. J. Lemmons, Abe Long, J. M. McCarter, F. L. McGehee, R. B. McSwain, M. H. Major, E. J. Maxwell, J. C. Mayhew, V. J. Millis, J. P. Mussett, W. W. Noble, J. J. Rape, C. Rowland, H. B. Shrader, C. G. Shutt, W. K. Simpson, B. A. Snoddy, D. C. Stark, C. E. Stathan, E. M. Sweet, J. E. Walker, R. W. Welbourne and F. M. Winburne.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. HENDRICKSON, Chairman.
H. B. CLARK, Secretary.

ORPHANAGE.

To the Central Texas Conference:

Dear Brethren:

We, your Committee on Orphanage, beg leave to submit the following report:

We have endeavored to look into the condition of the Orphanage and its management, and find its condition excellent and its management commendable.

There are now 155 children in the Orphanage and 68 have been placed in good homes this year. When the new building is completed there will be room for 75 more children.

It is gratifying to know that the industrial, physical and spiritual in the children's lives is being developed. Here we find one of the best small Sunday Schools in the Conference. Most excellent work is being done, due partly to the fact that on each Sunday afternoon one and one-half hours is devoted to the study of the lesson for the following Sunday. Though orphans, they are being taught to support the institutions of

the Church. They have, of their savings, this year contributed \$65.00 in the Sunday School.

Their spiritual interest is being looked after as is evidenced by the fact that of the 155 in the Home 111 are members of the Church. Their League is in fine condition; the entire programs being rendered by the boys and girls, among whom are 25 that will lead in public prayer.

Their literary school is very fine. It is correlated with the city schools, and no teacher is permitted to teach in the school who is not competent to teach in the schools of the city. Seven grades are taught. The boys and girls then enter the city schools, and make excellent records, some having been excused from final examinations on account of good work done.

The sanitary conditions are the very best, and sickness is almost unknown.

The work of Rev. R. A. Burroughs as manager, and Rev. W. T. Gray and Josephus Lee as Field Secretaries, is to be highly commended. They have wrought well, and we recommend that Brother W. T. Gray be reappointed as Field Secretary, Rev. Josephus Lee having resigned, and his resignation having been accepted by the Board, and Rev. W. H. Vaughan, Agent.

We find that the non-assessment plan has succeeded well, and we recommend that it be followed next year. We further recommend that in all instances where the Field Secretary cannot reach the pastoral charge, the preacher in charge take a free will offering for the Home.

We commend the work that Rev. J. D. Odom is doing through the Orphans' Home Society, and recommend his reappointment to the same work.

Respectfully submitted,

B. R. WAGNER, Chairman.
F. O. WADDILL, Secretary.

EVANGELISM.

We rejoice to learn that revivals have been held throughout the Conference. The One-to-Win-One Campaign was made in many charges with good results. We urge its continuance. We recognize in the Sunday School a splendid field for Evangelism, and urge our pastors and other workers to cultivate it well.

We recommend that the following be appointed as evangelists: A. P. Lowery, Albert C. Fisher, J. W. Bowden, P. M. Lowery, L. L. Evans, W. E. Hawkins, Jr., W. M. Bowden.

We further recommend that the Committee on Evangelism arrange and hold at some central point a great inspirational meeting.

On the assessments to the first of November there had been paid to your Conference Treasurer the following amounts: Home and Conference Missions, \$10,364.73; Foreign Missions, \$3,647.91; for Mission Specials, \$1,244.35. It is the opinion of your Secretary that this indicated a considerable increase as compared with the same period last year.

F. P. CULVER, President.
M. S. HOTCHKISS, Secretary.

REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE.

Our relationship to our fellow man is being more closely studied, and our desire to meet the obligations of that relationship is being more intensified today than ever before in the history of man. Therefore, believing that the world-wide uplift of man is to come through Christian organization, we hail with pleasure the efforts of our Church to seek the betterment of man through Social Service, as well as the promulgation of the Gospel.

We no longer feel that the best interest of the child can be subserved in the midst of the inadequate school, church or home buildings, and rejoice to note that many earnest, godly men and women are seeking to effect such changes and improvements in these surroundings as shall result not only in the immediate comfort of the citizenship of our country districts, but put an ambition in these souls that will cause them to seek to attain the true and noblest purposes of life.

It is true that the Social Service Committee, ordered by our church, may have been in the past appointed merely to keep faith with the Church, yet we believe that many are beginning to see the tremendous possibilities and opportunities of this special work for man by man.

We rejoice that laws have been enacted by the Congress of the United States looking to the protection of childhood, and the adjudication of all questions that may arise between capital and labor.

While we have for long years groped under the curse of a double standard in morals and compensation, we rejoice to note that all honest men are now demanding a single standard in the moral code, and that a few great employers of labor are putting into practice the law of justice and the doctrine of equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

Recognizing the possibilities of the Social Service Committee as a factor in the uplift of humanity, we urge our pastors not only to appoint the Social Service Committee, but to study well the utterance of our Church on this subject, and strive to work the suggestions found therein.

C. R. WRIGHT, President.
FRANKLIN MOORE, Secretary.

LAY ACTIVITIES.

To the Central Texas Conference, in session at Waxahachie, November 15, 1916:

In response to Question 51, Paragraph 52, of the Discipline, your Committee on Activities of Laymen reports as follows:

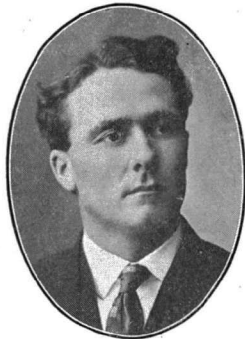
We rejoice that the last General Conference so enlarged the place of laymen in the work of the Church that now there is an opportunity for real service by every member of the Church.

We believe that more laymen are vitally interested in the work of the Church than at any time in its history.

We urge that in every church a Church Conference be held as now directed by the Discipline, and that the Tri-Committee on Activities of Laymen be elected, and that it be divided into a Missionary Committee, a Committee on Evangelism, and a Committee on Social Service.

We especially commend the booklet, "A Financial Method for Methodist," and most heartily endorse the Every Member Canvass, a weekly offering and the Duplex Envelopes.

CLASS OF THE THIRD YEAR.



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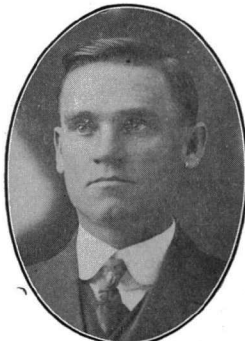
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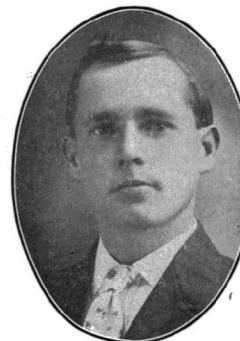
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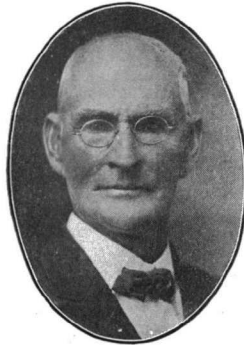


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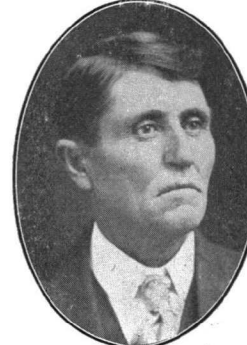
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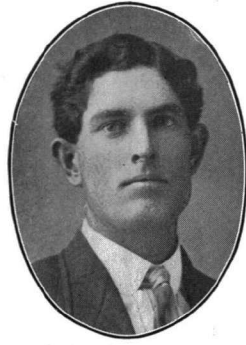
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W. L. BOYD



P. M. GLADNEY

We most earnestly insist that our pastors join with their committee in the Every Member Canvass, and in the use of the Duplex Envelopes, and ask that the canvass be made Conference-wide in the month of January, 1917, week from the 13th to 21st. The universal experience, where tried, is that this is a practical solution of the financial problems as to Conference assessments.

We express our appreciation to every individual who has in any way co-operated with us in the matter of building the Church in Soochow, China. We are glad to report that \$5,000 in cash has been raised. The Cisco and Fort Worth Districts have paid in full the amounts pledged by them, and other districts are nearing the goal. We are more than pleased to say that the General Secretary of the General Board of Missions will accept this sum and begin the erection of the Church in Hong Kong at the earliest practicable time, and provide for the balance of the \$10,000 necessary to complete the building. However, we trust that the district leaders in the districts that have not paid in full will take this special as their leader for another year, and thus relieve the General Board from the necessity of furnishing the money for this purpose.

We endorse the Missionary policy of the Sunday School outlined in the report of the Board of Missions, and the report of the Sunday School Board as a great policy worthy of Central Texas Conference, and we pledge our fullest co-operation to these Boards, and to the presiding elders and pastors, in carrying it out in every district and charge.

We further pledge our co-operation in helping in every way possible to secure all assessments in full.

We make special request that this report be printed in the Journal of this Conference.

Your Board on Lay Activities, with their post office addresses, is given as follows:

Conference Leader—W. Erskine Williams.....Fort Worth

District Leaders—

Brownwood District—Judge W. H. Garrett.....Santa Anna
 Cisco District—John H. Garner.....Cisco
 Cleburne District—Judge E. A. Rice.....Cleburne
 Corsicana District—J. E. Blair.....Corsicana
 Dublin District—W. J. Clay.....Dublin
 Fort Worth District—Judge D. M. Alexander.....Fort Worth
 Gatesville District—Walter Amsler.....McGregor
 Georgetown District—J. S. Fox.....Granger
 Hillsboro District—J. A. Christie.....Irene
 Waxahachie District—Walter A. Crow.....Waxahachie
 Weatherford District—Fritz G. Lanham.....Weatherford
 Waco District—George W. Barcus.....Waco

We recommend the election of W. Erskine Williams for Conference Lay Leader for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ERSKINE WILLIAMS,
 Conference Leader.

JNO. H. GARNER,
 Secretary Board of Activities of Laymen.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We, your Committee on District Conference Records, are glad to be able to report that each District Record has been neatly kept, the minutes accurately recorded and well arranged.

We congratulate the various Districts and this Conference on the efficiency of the Jubilee District Conference Secretaries.

T. G. STORY, President.
J. F. ISBELL, Secretary.

CENTENNIAL OF TEXAS METHODISM.

To the Central Texas Conference:

We, your Committee to whom was referred the paper concerning the observance of the Centennial of Texas Methodism, beg leave to report that we recommend the adoption of the paper on the subject which has been adopted by other conferences in Texas.

In order to carry out the provisions of the paper, we nominate Horace Bishop and D. M. Alexander to represent this Conference on the general committee called for.

JNO. M. BARCUS,
JNO. R. NELSON.

At a call meeting of preachers and laymen at the Methodist Publishing House, Dallas, Texas, October 13th, 1916, to consider the advisability of celebrating in some appropriate and profitable manner the Centenary of Methodism in Texas, and after organization of the meeting by electing W. C. Everett, Chairman, and R. W. Barnes, Secretary, W. C. Everett, Jno. H. McLean and B. M. Burgher were appointed a committee to memorialize the conferences on the subject, and after due consideration the following paper was adopted, and the chairman instructed to present the same to the ensuing Annual Conference, bespeaking their kindly consideration and favorable action.

Whereas, on the authority of Rev. H. S. Thrall, D. D., a trustworthy historian of our church in Texas, we are informed that in 1817 under the ministry of Rev. William Stevenson, a member of the Missouri Conference, "the first Methodist Class was organized at Jonesboro, Red River County, Texas, then known as Miller County, Arkansas, with Mr. Tidwell class leader."

Whereas, Judge B. F. Fuller, a recognized historian of the Baptist Church in Texas, states that "As early as 1816, William Stevenson, a Methodist minister, preached in the settlement in Red River County, and in 1817 organized a Methodist Society, and appointed a man by the name of Tidwell, as class leader," and then adds: "This doubtless was the first Protestant organization in Texas." (See Fuller's History of Texas Baptists, page 71), and,

Whereas, from these and other credible sources of information, we are well assured that the above time and place mark the first organization of Methodism in Texas, and 1917, as its appropriate centennial, and as a common heritage we invite all Methodists of the State to participate in its celebration, and by reviewing the great achievements of the century—along social, civic, evangelistic, educational, and material lines—we can but hold our fathers in great honor and esteem and be stimulated

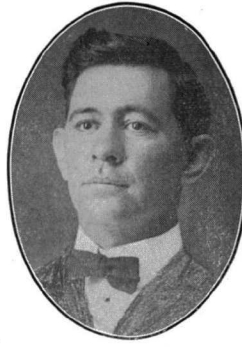
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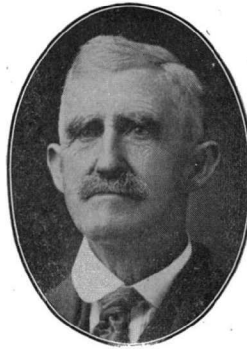
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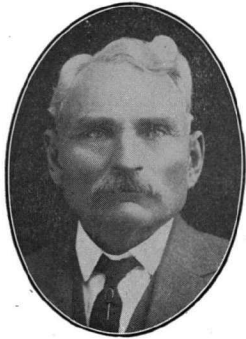
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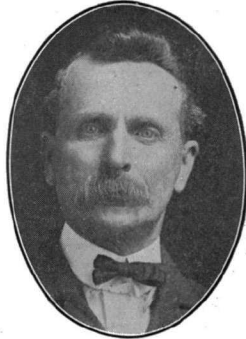
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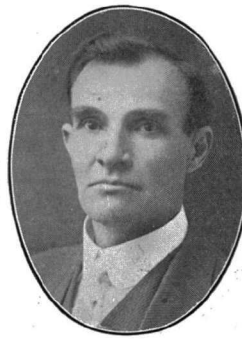
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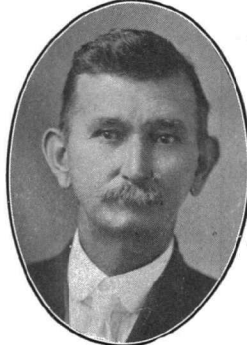
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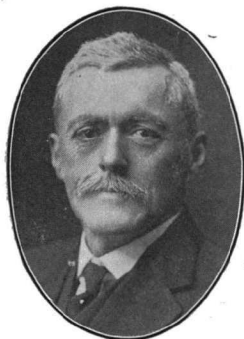
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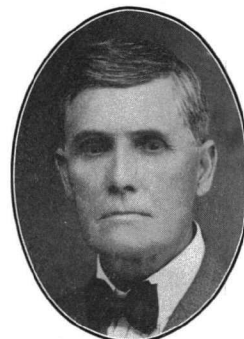
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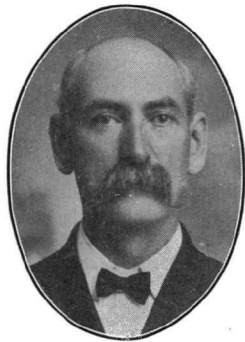


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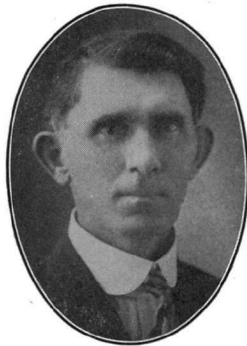
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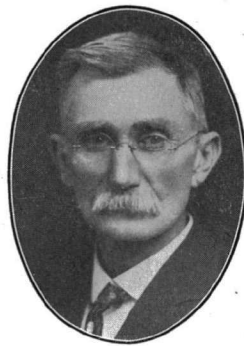
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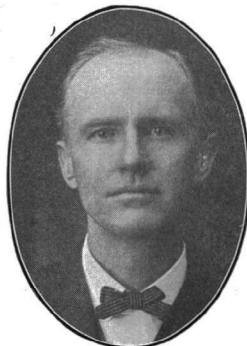
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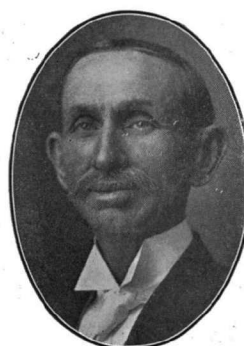
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J. M. CLOWER



J. S. FOX



W. E. HAWKINS, SR.

to greater zeal in the extension of the Redeemer's Kingdom, as their worthy successors.

Therefore, resolved, that in furtherance of this laudable purpose, we respectfully suggest the following:

1. That a centennial service be held in the bounds of each pastoral charge during the month of May, next, or at such time as may be preferred.

2. That the pastor, with the advice and assistance of the presiding elder, be responsible for this service.

3. That the pastor prepare for that occasion a brief history of his charge, naming in succession the former pastors, and leading laymen, and such account of its progress, enterprises and achievements as may be of interest and that said historic account of the charge be filed with the Quarterly Conference and a copy also be deposited with the Secretary of the Annual Conference for historic reference.

4. That the presiding elder be charged with the duty of writing up the history of his district, mentioning his predecessors in their succession, accounts of the several district conferences, and such occurrences as are of general interest, and that said historical paper be read at the ensuing district conference, and filed with its records, and a copy filed with the Secretary of the Annual Conference, for historical purposes.

5. That we further suggest that our preachers and laymen have at much sacrifice and heroism established schools and institutions of a charitable character, some of which are not now in existence, but all should be written up by competent writers and their complete history preserved.

6. That the Secretary of the Annual Conference be requested to prepare for the Annual Conference, to be presented at the next session of the Conference and filed with its records, a historical statement of the sessions of the Annual Conference from its organization to the present, with the mention of the presiding bishops, places of meeting and such matters as are worthy of note.

7. That a general committee on the Centennial of Texas Methodism be appointed, consisting of one minister and one layman from each of the five larger conferences and one member each from the German and Mexican Conferences of the State, said members to be chosen by their respective conferences.

8. That it shall be the duty of the general committee to formulate suitable plans and programs for the use of the pastoral charges, district and Annual Conferences.

9. That there be an executive committee of five—at least three of whom shall reside in the city of Dallas, and two others of easy access—and these to be chosen by the general committee without regard to conference relations, whose duty shall be to execute the will of the general committee, and assist said committee in promoting the success of the centennial movement.

10. That should favorable action be taken upon the general purposes of this paper, and a committee be constituted to carry its provisions into effect, we would recommend Tuesday, January 9th, 10:00 a. m., at the Southern Methodist Publishing House, of Dallas, as a suitable time and place for the committee to meet and project its work.

11. That we invoke the hearty support of the Advocate in furtherance of the great possibilities of this eventful occasion, and that it be made memorable as the Centennial volume of the Texas Christian Advocate.

W. C. EVERETT, President.
R. W. BARNES, Secretary.

Resolutions.

SUPERANNUATE HOME.

Resolved, that we endorse the action of the Conference Board for Superannuate Homes in starting a movement to secure a Superannuate Home to be known as the "Charles E. Brown Memorial Home" and to be occupied by the Conference Agent for Superannuate Homes.

(Signed) J. M. ROBERTSON,
H. A. BOAZ,
F. F. DOWNS,
J. P. MUSSETT,

ENDOWMENT AND HOME FUND.

Whereas, the five Texas Conferences have banded together to create an endowment and home fund for the benefit of our Conference Claimants, and,

Whereas, each Conference that has been held has appointed a commission to be the custodians of the funds so raised for such endowment,

Therefore, Resolved, that two business men, namely, Geo. T. Jester and J. H. Garner, be appointed as commissioners to hold in trust such fund for this Conference.

(Signed) T. S. ARMSTRONG,
W. L. NELMS.

JUNIOR COLLEGES.

Whereas, six thousand more teachers are required for the public schools of this State each year, and

Whereas, the State normal schools and four-year colleges combined are able to supply only about forty per cent of the number needed; therefore,

Be It Resolved, That the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, requests the legislature to re-enact a law granting the same privilege to standard A grade junior colleges that is now enjoyed by the four-year colleges, relative to issuing first grade teachers' certificates.

(Signed) G. F. WINFIELD,
S. J. VAUGHAN,
W. L. NELMS,
W. J. MAYHEW,
A. D. PORTER.

RESOLUTION.

Resolved, that we request Rev. J. M. Barcus, D. D., to publish in pamphlet form the splendid address delivered by him on the occasion of our Jubilee celebration, and second, that we ask Rev. A. D. Porter to furnish a copy of the poem entitled "The Lone Soldier" to be printed as an appendix to the pamphlet; and, third, that we pledge ourselves to purchase and circulate the same among our people.

(Signed) H. BISHOP,
H. A. BOAZ,
M. A. TURNER.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Resolved, that the Central Texas Conference does hereby express its profound appreciation for the unbounded hospitality given by the pastor and people of Waxahachie, to the presiding elder for his courtesy, to the other churches of the city for their open pulpits and other accommodations, to the local press and to the Dallas News and other State papers for their liberal reports.

(Signed) H. A. BOAZ,
L. A. WEBB,
E. R. STANFORD,
A. D. PORTER.

To the Central Texas Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in session at Waxahachie, Texas.

We, your committee appointed to try the case of Frank Hughen, an elder of the Central Texas Conference, M. E. Church, South, charged with immorality, report that we find him not guilty.

W. L. NELMS, Chairman.
M. A. TURNER, Secretary.
H. C. BOWMAN,
HENRY F. BROOKS,
THOS. S. BARCUS,
W. T. SINGLEY,
J. W. W. SHULER,
W. C. HILBURN,
W. J. HEARON,
E. R. PATTERSON,
J. B. CURRY,
JNO. M. NEAL,
E. F. HUDGENS,
W. T. KINSLOW,
J. H. BRASWELL,

Waxahachie, Texas, Nov. 16, 1916.

Statistical Table No. 1—Membership, Baptisms, Church Property and Woman's Work.
BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Local Preachers	Additions on Profession of Faith		Additions by Certificate, etc.		Removals by Death and Otherwise	Present Total Membership	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	No. of Churches in Charge	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Indebtedness on Church Buildings	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Value Other Church Property	Expended for Churches and Parsonages	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected	No. of Societies—Woman's Work	Members	Money Collected	Total for Table 1	Ch. Papers Taken—Genl. Organ	Ch. Papers—Conference Organ	
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Ballinger	3	30	40	22	350	10	350	10	3	1	12500	700	1	1	2000	40	600	892	8000	91	1	1	20	20	1	1	62	325	1278	1	21
Bangs	17	20	30	30	386	13	386	13	4	1	8000	700	1	1	2000	40	600	915	8000	91	1	1	20	20	1	1	7	150	1086	2	21
Blanket	16	22	17	204	3	9	204	3	2	2	4750	700	1	1	1500	40	600	96	5515	32	1	1	20	20	1	1	5	150	278	1	17
Bronte	18	15	57	205	4	1	205	4	1	2	6500	700	1	1	1500	40	600	150	5093	32	1	1	20	20	1	1	9	210	360	1	18
Brownwood	5	19	58	54	593	9	593	9	21	1	15000	3666	2	2	15000	3666	1008	16000	166	166	1	108	108	2	2	97	1086	2260	4	28	
Coleman	1	62	31	24	564	35	564	35	7	1	40000	700	1	1	300	3000	300	42000	47000	370	1	108	108	1	1	74	2129	13799	8	38	
Indian Creek	1	1	13	10	321	17	321	17	4	3	4000	700	1	1	1000	1000	275	1700	17	17	1	1	1	1	1	14	59	351	1	13	
Norton	30	10	12	326	17	2	326	17	2	4	4000	700	1	1	1650	1650	1900	2800	64	64	1	1	1	1	1	10	80	772	1	16	
Novice	17	41	48	320	11	7	320	11	7	3	3700	700	1	1	1000	40	500	750	1500	42	1	1	1	1	2	29	80	772	1	16	
Robert Lee	1	21	10	18	274	12	274	12	7	3	6000	171	1	1	1000	40	500	310	3000	42	1	1	1	1	1	2	29	80	772	1	16
Rockwood	1	3	12	28	205	3	205	3	4	4	6000	171	1	1	1000	40	500	310	3000	42	1	1	1	1	1	2	29	80	772	1	16
Santa Anna	56	49	17	434	25	3	434	25	3	1	12000	1300	1	1	1200	1200	1475	5000	42	42	1	1	1	1	1	25	331	1806	2	27	
Talpa	17	20	30	219	16	1	219	16	2	2	3500	500	1	1	900	900	1650	5000	42	42	1	1	1	1	1	12	100	1660	1	27	
Valera	30	10	5	240	20	5	240	20	5	3	3000	50	1	1	600	600	800	1000	14	14	1	1	1	1	1	15	40	840	1	20	
Winchell	2	3	10	8	270	3	270	3	4	4	5000	50	1	1	600	600	906	3300	28	28	2	2	34	34	1	12	77	177	1	21	
Wingate	43	35	31	288	23	1	288	23	1	4	6800	700	1	1	1000	1000	1100	2000	28	28	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	85	1068	1	38
Winters	1	49	44	47	395	30	395	30	1	1	11000	700	1	1	1800	1800	1270	2000	50	50	1	1	1	1	1	13	235	1505	2	23	
Zephyr	5	16	239	15	320	9	320	9	1	4	8100	700	1	1	1800	1800	1270	2000	50	50	1	1	1	1	1	13	235	1505	2	23	
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CISCO DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Local Preachers	Additions on Profession of Faith	Additions by Certificate, etc.	Removals by Death and Otherwise	Present Total Membership	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	No. of Churches in Charge	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Indebtedness on Church Buildings	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Value Other Church Property	Expended for Churches and Parsonages	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected	No. of Societies—Woman's Work	Members	Money Collected	Total for Table 1	Ch. Papers Taken—Genl. Organ	Ch. Papers—Conference Organ
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Caddo and Cedar Springs		7	13	33	64	4	4	2	1	1000			1000				1400	14							39	39	8	
Carbon	3	44	34	31	367	2	3	1	2	2500		1	1000	600		188	6000						2	50	462	550	3	
Cisco	6	40	31	36	194	3	3	1	1	4500		2	9000	1500													3	
Cisco Mission		23	16	16	194	2	3	2	2	1300			1200													12	1	
Desdemona	1	17	8	20	317	5	4	3	3	3000		1	1800	400		12	3000	30					1	9	151	312	1	
Eastland	3	23	17	336	12	3	4	1	1	2800		1	800			1										123	1	
Eolian	1	9	6	12	206	3	3	4	1	800		1	800			1										65	2	
Gordon	1	1	5	103	237	2	5	1	1	4000		1	1000	1500		1945	6555	58					1	19	521	2524	4	
Gorman	3	19	21	180	3	2	1	1	1	10000		1	1700	600		100	100						1	16	115	215	1	
May	1	64	10	10	286	46	3	3	3	5300		1	1600	500		100	70								70	1	15	
Pioneer	1	11	9	14	215	3	1	4	2	3000		1	1000	500		70									210	1	29	
Ranger	1	13	13	21	289	8	1	2	1	2000		1	1500	40		45	1500	19					2	19	146	210	1	
Rising Star	2	35	16	75	214	23	8	1	1	2500		1	1500	1500		300	45	2250	23				1	21	149	216	4	
Romney	3	23	53	79	277	17	4	6	5	4400		1	500	100		100							4	67	170	200	2	
Scranton	4	16	20	11	306	16	1	3	3	5000		1	1000	120		30	105						4	67	170	200	2	
Sipe Springs	5	14	46	27	235	12	4	4	4	4500		1	750	436		105	15						1	19	186	105	2	
Staff	2	14	55	110	192	10	9	2	1	1200		2	2850	436		1900	43	2800	43				1	19	186	2129	2	
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Wayland	1	7	8	85	250	7	2	6	3	3600		1	500													14	11	
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CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

Alvarado		3	11	37	251	3	1	1	1	5000		1	1500			117	3500	51					1	24	237	405	2	23
Barnesville		14	132	18	433	10	8	4	4	5500		2	1850	200	1000	650	3400	39								3400	39	29
Burlison	1	9	14	57	261	3	3	4	3	4700	200	1	1000	700		50	1800	25					1	16	118	193	1	21
Cleburne, Main Street	2	103	75	86	1046	49	5	1	1	28000		1	8000			71	18500	29					2	150	1050	1079	2	50

Cleburne, Anglin St.....	1	105	52	96	699	76	22	1	1	10000	1332	1	2000	108	1166	3900	14	1	60	557	1737	1	38	
Cleburne, Brazos Ave.....	1	7	40	40	300	18	5	1	1	2500	1800	1	1500	150	586	2000	5	2	51	216	687	1	14	
Glen Rose Station.....	2	42	12	1	251	20	4	5	4	15000	1800	1	1000	1800	10500	8525	40	2	61	581	10625	1	13	
Glen Rose Mission.....	2	22	8	22	916	10	2	5	4	4000	1800	2	1200	250	418	2500	64	2	20	178	170	1	18	
Godley and Cresson.....	1	12	20	15	292	11	1	1	1	16000	1800	1	4000	125	900	1000	120	1	20	165	285	1	24	
Granbury Station.....	1	12	11	22	347	12	1	6	5	5500	1800	1	1800	49	300	4800	49	1	41	574	761	1	20	
Grandview.....	1	6	18	49	339	3	1	1	1	6500	350	1	600	447	900	2500	14	1	33	200	1114	1	26	
Joshua and Eagan.....	1	33	40	33	485	15	3	4	4	2000	640	1	1000	425	215	2300	22	1	16	39	254	1	1	
Lillian.....	1	8	8	16	344	8	3	4	4	3000	1100	1	1100	100	72	2500	22	2	34	17	89	1	12	
Morgan.....	1	16	29	14	384	10	3	4	4	6000	350	1	1200	100	98	3600	64	1	22	138	160	1	4	
Parker.....	1	33	105	100	318	33	5	4	4	2000	640	1	1200	100	98	3600	64	1	22	138	160	1	4	
Venus.....	1	16	18	49	236	10	2	1	1	8000	1100	1	1200	100	98	3600	64	1	22	138	160	1	4	
Walnut Springs.....	1	16	18	49	236	10	2	1	1	8000	1100	1	1200	100	98	3600	64	1	22	138	160	1	4	
Total.....	12	287	612	835	6518	297	62	50	43	131000	6122	19	30450	1708	4050	15637	62925	520	19	570	4850	13995	16	376
Total last year.....					7071																			
Increase.....																								
Decrease.....																								

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

Barry and Embhouse.....	34	19	14	347	34	34	2	3	3	6000	225	1	1000	325	950	1000	17	2	36	250	1017	1	31	
Blooming Grove.....	8	14	35	305	8	8	2	1	1	10000	1500	1	1500	50	5800	5800	52	1	40	350	452	2	28	
Chatfield.....	63	12	9	328	41	3	11	3	3	3000	1000	2	1000	200	200	30000	200	1	73	866	200	3	22	
Corsicana, First Church.....	2	7	42	31	941	3	1	1	1	50000	2000	2	10000	2600	30000	30000	110	1	26	353	463	1	33	
Corsicana, 11th Avenue.....	1	20	26	407	16	16	3	4	4	6000	48	1	1200	48	48	10000	48	1	35	150	235	2	27	
Corsicana Circuit.....	3	27	22	68	430	16	3	4	4	1500	1200	1	1200	85	3100	3100	15	4	57	260	691	2	31	
Dawson.....	1	27	39	21	237	21	2	1	1	4000	154	1	9500	416	3500	104	15	4	54	1123	1932	1	30	
Emmitt.....	1	13	24	41	355	7	9	4	4	4000	154	1	9500	705	7000	175	5	1	23	273	443	2	25	
Frost.....	1	70	24	24	385	50	8	1	1	10500	100	1	3000	100	78	500	5	1	23	273	443	2	25	
Groesbeck.....	1	9	20	20	369	5	3	3	3	5000	700	1	1500	75	500	500	5	1	23	273	443	2	25	
Harmony.....	1	34	7	44	339	23	7	5	5	4500	700	1	500	1260	1260	1260	1	1	22	402	1079	1	19	
Horn Hill.....	2	36	15	16	466	23	14	5	5	9000	300	1	2000	635	4500	4500	42	1	22	402	1079	1	16	
Kerens and Streetman.....	1	29	15	71	261	20	8	4	4	5000	300	1	750	100	64	3000	25	1	57	924	1200	1	18	
Mexia.....	1	15	14	65	452	3	5	1	1	27500	12000	1	4000	650	12000	133	133	1	17	51	1093	1	48	
Purdon.....	8	54	14	327	4	4	5	5	4	57000	100	1	900	165	143	11000	143	1	17	51	1093	1	13	
Rice.....	2	26	9	9	238	21	4	1	1	22000	100	1	2000	160	160	11000	160	1	24	214	214	1	12	
Thornton.....	1	32	31	18	384	30	4	1	1	11000	2	2	1000	400	600	2000	78	1	24	160	160	1	24	
Worham and Richland.....	1	25	95	10	385	10	4	4	3	50000	2	2	1000	400	600	2000	78	1	24	160	160	1	24	
Total.....	16	472	480	546	7332	323	97	62	48	203100	13479	21	41100	165	2042	9002	93400	756	18	502	5701	15133	24	518
Total last year.....					7071																			
Increase.....																								
Decrease.....																								

Statistical Table No. 1—Membership, Baptisms, Church Property and Woman's Work.
DUBLIN DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Local Preachers	Additions on Profession of Faith	Additions by Certificate, etc.	Removals by Death and Otherwise	Present Total Membership	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	No. of Churches in Charge	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Indebtedness on Church Buildings	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Value (Other Church Property	Expended for Churches and Parsonages	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected	No. of Societies—Woman's Work	Members	Money Collected	Total for Table 1	Ch. Papers Taken—Genl. Organ	Ch. Papers—Conference Organ
Bluffdale	1	24	42	297	8	4	4	6000	1	1000	225	1500	12	1	1	11	36	237	1	1	109	1	1	22	1	22		
Bunyan	3	22	46	341	8	4	4	5800	1	1400	50	4100	34	1	1	11	36	109	1	1	2205	1	1	40	1	40		
Carlton	1	67	47	22	483	12	5	7000	20	1000	1835	4025	84	1	1	21	40	2205	2	2	598	2	2	24	2	24		
Comanche Station	1	86	35	22	433	63	1	5000	1	4000	150	2700	76	1	1	33	300	598	2	2	226	1	1	36	1	36		
Comanche Circuit	1	8	25	72	266	25	10	7350	1	800	150	2700	76	1	1	14	226	226	1	1	1328	1	1	17	1	17		
De Leon Station	1	8	25	72	266	25	10	4500	1	3500	981	4500	45	2	2	53	301	1328	1	1	110	1	1	24	1	24		
De Leon Circuit	2	18	50	33	476	11	6	4800	100	1600	110	1000	45	1	1	38	750	1890	2	2	28	2	2	28	2	28		
Dublin	1	11	39	29	440	7	1	12000	1	6000	338	11000	1	1	1	16	109	1890	1	1	134	1	1	22	1	22		
Duffau	2	8	17	247	8	5	1	3500	1	800	200	1750	10	1	1	16	109	134	5	5	210	1	1	20	1	20		
Gustine	1	16	25	55	231	16	2	3500	350	1000	108	1750	10	1	1	38	165	251	1	1	108	1	1	8	1	8		
Harbin	4	8	29	154	301	3	2	2400	1	2000	86	5000	42	1	1	3	165	251	1	1	108	1	1	2	1	2		
Hasse	2	42	13	43	192	34	6	5500	1	2000	18	3500	20	1	1	3	165	251	1	1	108	1	1	12	1	12		
Hico	2	21	32	79	275	2	7	6500	1	1000	13	1600	15	1	1	15	22	15	1	1	173	1	1	22	1	22		
Huckaby	2	22	7	4	236	16	6	7500	645	1000	46	2800	27	1	1	9	101	173	1	1	173	1	1	22	1	22		
Iredell	2	28	63	19	324	20	1	4600	1	1000	700	4000	35	1	1	60	1016	1751	4	4	40	4	4	40	4	40		
Proctor	4	20	50	63	486	2	3	1000	1	4500	85	600	4	1	1	15	94	188	2	2	86	2	2	86	2	86		
Stephenville Station	1	11	13	101	157	7	10	3050	1	1000	85	600	4	1	1	15	94	188	2	2	86	2	2	86	2	86		
Stephenville Circuit	4	4	6	894	4	6	4	7000	1	1000	85	600	4	1	1	15	94	188	2	2	86	2	2	86	2	86		
Tolar and Lipan	25	405	571	1050	6605	274	85	66	56	98450	3095	18	31600	228	4780	7048	53975	392	3	410	305	15	313	2312	9501	30	392	
Total last year				6802																								
Increase				197																								
Decrease																												

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

Arlington	3	15	53	33	568	5	1	1	1	23000	2370	1	4000	1200			13000											1	37	565	2835	2	15
Boulevard	1	35	74	44	495	17	7	1	1	11000	4000	1	4000				6500											1	103	374	1624	8	22
Central	1	16	101	56	940	6	16	1	1	41800	8350	1	4500				2367											1	180	1133	3500	1	12
Diamond Hill	3	27	42	215			1	3	2	3000		1	1200				2400	43										1	10	128	239	1	12

Coledge	1	44	26	14	286	25	5	1	1	2000	1000	500	1500	1000	500	1600	12	40	316	816	2	20		
Covington	17	26	15	302	11	2	2	2	2	4000	500	1500	1500	500	500	500	12	1	18	80	2	20		
Hillsboro, First Church	32	83	79	111	24	14	1	1	2	8000	33000	1	1500	3700	50700	225	1	1	96	714	4709	3	52	
Hubbard	13	24	5	186	6	1	1	1	1	4000	150	2500	300	20	2300	18	1	1	52	90	126	1	10	
Iasca	17	46	31	394	7	2	1	1	1	35000	400	4000	4000	400	28500	38	1	1	26	218	404	1	40	
Irene	16	25	49	230	2	7	1	1	1	3000	400	3000	3000	400	3300	82	1	1	29	400	577	2	36	
Kirk	20	51	8	200	16	2	2	2	2	2500	184	1000	1000	1400	2050	54	1	1	15	32	204	2	35	
Lovelace	20	15	28	341	13	14	1	1	1	3000	1400	1000	1000	1400	2050	54	1	1	15	20	1400	2	13	
Malone	31	25	8	308	16	12	3	3	3	6000	200	1500	200	350	2000	30	1	1	16	180	560	1	13	
Munger	18	11	37	178	12	4	3	2	1	2000	4	1000	1000	4	1822	20	1	1	13	44	1822	20	20	
Penelope	21	29	49	416	21	8	3	2	1	8500	500	2000	2000	1692	3000	86	1	1	18	44	204	1	17	
Peoria	6	105	51	255	6	3	3	3	3	4500	300	1000	1000	204	3000	28	1	1	38	387	820	1	15	
Whitney Station	10	12	15	282	6	4	1	1	1	5000	405	2000	2000	405	3000	28	1	1	75	387	820	1	15	
Whitney Mission	6	46	15	201	5	6	3	1	1	2350	45	1000	1000	45	3000	28	1	1	75	387	820	1	15	
Total	5	827	583	5414	201	100	43	35	154050	34385	16	27500	350	3200	9279	105700	587	15	445	3070	12944	22	335	
Total last year	4	364	471	583	5538	232	53	43	84	182650	38330	16	23050	950	10950	115050	817	12	245	2114	21430	31	355	
Increase																								
Decrease																								

WACO DISTRICT.

Aquila	1	12	19	12	434	8	3	3	5000	1200	200	1200	200	380	2000	15	2	80	383	728	1	30		
Bosqueville	2	41	61	41	316	23	8	6	9000	1400	800	1400	800	100	4000	100	1	1	12	70	270	1	31	
Bruceville and Eddy	56	19	19	431	44	2	2	2	20000	800	300	800	300	100	8100	116	2	2	42	194	810	1	13	
China Springs	32	12	8	302	20	4	2	2	4000	974	1200	1200	490	2000	17	1	1	10	341	507	1	14		
Hewitt and Spring Valley	2	28	77	266	1	2	2	2	9000	1200	200	1200	200	105	3300	25	1	1	46	341	471	1	20	
Lorena	23	8	27	388	18	10	4	4	14000	4500	200	4500	200	216	6500	72	1	1	31	215	603	1	33	
Mart	2	69	54	21	591	35	5	1	2500	1000	1000	1000	1000	100	2000	53	1	1	20	546	799	2	30	
Mt. Calm	2	41	48	15	244	19	2	1	6000	150	400	1000	400	1600	38700	70	1	1	195	1388	3058	12	19	
Waco, Austin Avenue	2	35	88	61	896	16	17	1	4000	150	173	1500	400	1600	4000	32	1	1	14	120	285	1	12	
Waco, Clay Street	1	30	64	25	333	20	6	1	6000	150	173	1500	400	1600	4000	32	1	1	14	120	285	1	12	
Waco, Elm Street	1	14	39	110	447	9	9	1	4000	150	173	1500	400	1600	4000	32	1	1	14	120	285	1	12	
Waco, Fifth Street	3	17	76	50	573	10	1	1	4000	150	173	1500	400	1600	4000	32	1	1	14	120	285	1	12	
Waco, Herring Avenue	1	60	77	49	483	50	3	1	9000	1200	23380	3500	23380	80250	89	1	1	49	232	352	1	15		
Waco, Morrow Street	1	40	144	88	646	23	5	1	9000	1200	23380	3500	23380	80250	89	1	1	49	232	352	1	15		
Waco Mission	1	22	54	15	212	14	3	3	3500	700	6500	1000	6500	135	7500	10	1	1	16	87	1112	1	25	
West and Elm Mott	3	6	49	26	341	1	3	3	5000	2000	778	2000	778	61	2000	53	2	2	47	183	1014	1	21	
Total	18	500	840	646	6904	311	71	35	33	207000	2324	17	71800	400	24184	3552	182850	602	21	707	5591	10695	261	331
Total last year	13	430	608	689	6345	301	70	37	38	211675	2057	16	63475	78	8320	2033	175950	838	31	610	4757	7628	29	379
Increase																								
Decrease																								

Statistical Table No. 1—Membership, Baptisms, Church Property and Woman's Work.
WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

NAME OF DISTRICT	Local Preachers	Additions on Profession of Faith	Additions by Certificate, etc.	Removals by Death and Otherwise	Present Total Membership	Adults Baptized	Infants Baptized	No. of Churches in Charge	No. of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Indebtedness on Church Buildings	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Value Other Church Property	Expended for Churches and Parsonages	Insurance Carried	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected	No. of Societies—Woman's Work	Members	Money Collected	Total for Table 1	Ch. Papers Taken—Genl. Organ	Ch. Papers—Conference Organ
Bardwell	1	156	129	470	1	2	4	9	4	5800	.....	2	2800	312	400	303	1500	6	.....	.....	.....	1	16	108	.....	1	35
Bethel	1	12	41	183	13	3	1	1	1	1000	.....	1	600	.....	3000	220	700	27	.....	.....	.....	1	16	108	.....	1	12
Bristol	2	13	8	235	5	2	3	8	3	4000	.....	1	700	.....	800	256	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	16	108	.....	1	4
Britton	.....	40	13	10	353	30	1	4	4	6000	600	1	800	500	.....	1125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
Emis	.....	25	24	22	740	1	1	1	1	16400	.....	1	4000	.....	.....	.....	11,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
Ferris	1	25	24	29	314	20	3	1	1	4400	.....	1	2000	.....	.....	.....	3500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38
Italy	.....	1	12	17	26	364	7	5	4	8300	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	3175	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
Ferreston	1	16	84	37	297	12	1	2	1	6500	375	1	3000	.....	.....	.....	4500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Italy	.....	8	14	124	322	5	3	1	1	5000	.....	1	1800	.....	.....	.....	4100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
Mansfield	3	84	27	61	614	18	5	5	5	10000	.....	1	1800	.....	800	139	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26
Maypearl	.....	5	27	19	360	14	1	1	1	12500	.....	1	2500	.....	.....	.....	7000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	46
Midkhan	.....	60	20	20	438	45	5	3	3	2000	.....	1	1200	370	.....	.....	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29
Milford	.....	46	82	52	429	33	6	4	3	2300	.....	2	2000	.....	.....	.....	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21
Palmer	.....	40	20	30	375	40	1	4	3	4000	.....	2	2000	.....	.....	.....	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44
East Oak	1	38	51	68	970	21	6	1	1	36000	.....	2	10000	.....	.....	.....	37080	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
Waxahachie	.....	2	12	25	45	366	7	9	4	8050	.....	2	10000	.....	.....	.....	3700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65
Waxahachie Circuit	.....	18	356	562	612	6872	262	66	47	133950	975	18	36400	1182	6125	8066	89225	910	2	259	259	11	361	3099	10579	22	450
Total	18	363	526	969	7344	250	72	49	40	140000	2135	18	34700	1530	6200	6200	91350	706	2	50	50	11	345	2893	9040	28	460
Total last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Increase	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

Aledo	6	17	30	279	42	5	5	5300	600	1	1000	700	2500	21						1	16	60	781	1	25	
Azle		25	80	195	9	4	3	3865	158	1	3500	282	1000	8	2	14				2	14		41		26	
Elkville		10	40	320	14	5	4	5000		1	3000	68	1800	58	1	18				1	18	167	290	1	2	
Graford		25	14	385	10	1	1	3000		1	2500	356	2000		1	30				1	30	450	800	3	35	
Graham		25	17	394		1	1	3600	180	1	750	10			1	17				1	17	38	288	1	28	
Graham Mission		1	10	300	10	5	3	14000	600	1	9000	83			1	156				2	156	1223	1139	1	17	
Missap		19	69	35	396	10	7	11000		1	3000	567	7000	19	2	30				1	30	863	1139	1	63	
Mineral Wells		3	182	102	53	1036	51	11	1	1200	408	135	1600	18	1	23				1	23	479	1479		7	
New Castle		38	33	47	235	28	3	1	1	2250	600	400	949	1250	49	1	603			1	603	1000	771		7	
Oney		4	10	36	25	224	4	1	1	700	200	25	769	1000	12	1	14			1	14	90	270	1	26	
Oney Mission		1	26	28	20	289	22	2	5	4	4	180			1	32				1	32	70	250	1	31	
Santo		26	5	8	350			20000		2	6000	25000	723	12000		1	57			1	57	498	1218	5	47	
Springtown		32	46	62	758	19	14	1	1	1500		900	2600	52	1	15				1	15	160	1112	1	12	
Weatherford, 1st Church		2	75	25	32	70	23	2	1	1500		515	2000	12	1	48				1	48	20	547	1	21	
Weatherford, Cou't's Mem.		1	36	12	10	480	30	2	1	1400		54	750		1	8				1	8	20	74	1	21	
Weatherford Circuit		1	18	35	400	14	2	4500		2	1400														2	
Whitt		17	556	492	466	6473	333	82	62	49	97215	2138	20	27300	678	29510	7515	35200	249	16	488	3628	9413	22	402	
Total last year		18	524	498	579	6247	298	86	73	47	107250	2771	17	24400	148	13985	6311	94400	196	13	320	3406	9623	21	498	
Increase																										
Decrease																										

RECAPITULATION.

Brownwood	20	482	741	473	6164	243	68	55	43	158950	2721	14	27950	3746	4600	25471	106315	937	4	162	162	524	30870	28	433				
Cisco	32	337	446	735	5194	243	64	67	41	67100	6122	19	21400	5105	3240	7202	29300	209	1	300	162	427	524	30	371				
Cleburne	12	237	612	835	6618	297	97	52	48	131000	13472	21	30450	1708	4050	15637	69925	691				16	277	1936	16	316			
Constance	16	472	480	546	7332	323	85	66	56	203100	3095	18	41100	163	2042	9002	98400	756				18	502	5701	15133	24	618		
Dublin	25	405	571	1060	6605	274	190	32	32	98450	3095	18	31600	228	4780	7048	53975	392	3	410	315	15	313	2912	9601	30	332		
Fort Worth	29	898	1080	1140	10111	575	123	65	50	340100	26375	16	55800	3923	5600	13521	21670	313	1	349	48	21	849	783	21626	48	396		
Gatesville	39	511	512	701	6472	366	165	36	35	148750	14560	21	33100	3523	6300	22431	38540	1005	1	30	30	17	427	3469	26208	25	364		
Georgetown	45	354	673	622	7373	212	100	42	35	261550	28180	14	33550	2450	3300	17608	123050	200	1	50	50	18	529	5852	21130	31	408		
Hillstovon	5	327	589	548	5414	201	71	35	33	184050	34885	16	27500	350	3200	9279	105100	657	1	75	45	445	3070	12944	22	336			
Waco	18	500	840	648	6904	311	86	47	41	207000	2824	17	71300	400	241841	3552	182850	602	1	80	707	21	707	5591	10695	26	331		
Waxahatchie	18	358	552	612	8872	262	82	62	48	133950	375	18	36430	1182	6125	8066	89223	910	2	259	259	11	361	3099	10979	22	450		
Weatherford	17	556	492	466	6473	333	82	62	49	97215	2138	20	27300	678	29510	7515	35200	249				16	488	3628	9413	22	402		
Total	276	5435	7588	8384	81432	3640	1063	610	506	2031225	134563	214	453950	24463	314423	144423	1191180	6882	13	2	2435	1531	1200	5875	52752	195	29	324	477
Total last year	289	6215	7058	9141	79261	3917	112	637	501	2011787	162637	209	446431	22473	560655	124998	1236015	7585	5	1	1819	2036	186	5609	43862	145229	373	5754	
Increase		535	767	2171	277		66	27	5	19438	28074	6	7519	1900	246237	11823	44885	708	8	1	756	505			49809	4	977		
Decrease	13	78																											

Statistical Table No. 2—Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools
BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.														Total from Table No. 1	Net Total Table No. 2	Total Tables 1 and 2								
	No. Leagues	Members	Missions on Assessment	Missions Special	Anniversary Day	Other Objects	Total from Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Training Classes	Wesley Bible Classes				S. S. Pupils Received into Church	Missions on Assessment	Missions Special	Children's Day	Sunday School Supplies	Other Objects	Total from Sunday School	Total from Sunday Schools and Epworth League	Less Amount Diswhere Reported
Ballinger	1	30	308	50	2	8	30	55	15	10	133	170	313	313	70	243	1521	7	64	10	313	313	70	1278	
Bangs	2	60	250	23	10	1	14	13	20	10	32	260	23	1	3	20	1167	4	71	5	313	313	70	1521	
Blanket	2	60	250	23	10	1	14	13	20	10	32	260	23	1	3	20	1167	4	71	5	313	313	70	1521	
Bronze	1	35	175	30	175	30	3	20	175	30	106	175	30	6	15	104	468	15	106	127	342	342	104	2498	
Brownwood	1	38	15	45	60	1	31	180	14	347	29	110	110	110	110	460	421	378	29	441	501	80	13779	14189	
Coleman	1	38	15	45	60	1	31	180	14	347	29	110	110	110	460	421	378	29	441	501	80	13779	14189		
Indian Creek	1	38	15	45	60	1	31	180	14	347	29	110	110	110	460	421	378	29	441	501	80	13779	14189		
Norton	1	50	281	10	10	4	88	281	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Novice	1	50	281	10	10	4	88	281	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Robert Lee	2	103	29	30	30	3	29	280	6	1	107	25	182	162	48	162	772	2	25	2	48	48	48	71	934
Rockwood	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Santa Anna	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Talpa	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Valera	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Winchell	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Wingate	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Winters	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Zephyr	1	25	38	38	28	24	8	71	28	24	56	72	72	10	62	351	413	6	56	66	384	384	25	1808	
Total	8	311	417	427	141	333	3	45	238	307	76	161	1986	645	3001	3062	480	2682	30458	33639	3062	480	2682	30458	
Total last year	6	175	36	43	79	38	387	4629	166	314	2	26	186	307	2771	2850	304	2546	41887	44433	2850	304	2546	41887	
Increase	2	136	35	47	82	3	30	102	25	1	19	42	76	31	36	271	230	212	176	136	11429	10794	11429	10794	
Decrease																									

CISCO DISTRICT.

Breckenridge	2	15	165	15																					
Caddo and Cedar Springs	1	25	413	18																					
Carbon	1	20	450	36	24	1	2	33	25	8	143	60	236	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204
Cisco	1	20	450	36	24	1	2	33	25	8	143	60	236	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204	204
Total	5	75	1038	89	63	5	10	111	75	41	166	144	476	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412
Increase	2	136	35	47	82	3	30	102	25	1	19	42	76	31	36	271	230	212	176	136	11429	10794	11429	10794	
Decrease																									

Statistical Table No. 2—Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Leagues	Members	Missions Special	Anniversary Day	Other Objects	Total from Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children on Cradle Roll	Training Classes	Wesley Bible Classes	S. S. Pupils Received into Church	Missions on Assessment	Missions Special	Children's Day	Sunday School Supplies	Other Objects	Total from Sunday School	Total from Epworth League	Less Amount Elsewhere Reported	Net Total Table No. 2	Total from Table No. 1	Total Tables 1 and 2
Barry and Emhouse	1	30			10	10	3	30	253		20		5	30	48	15	165	75	303	313		313	1,117	1,380	
Blooming Grove	2	45			6	6	1	20	310	12	18		5	9	30	6	165	20	221	227	50	177	452	629	
Chatfield	1	30			30	30	3	25	300	12	30		3	29	100		55	185	155	185	100	85	2,700	2,850	
Corsicana, First Church	1	25			20	20	1	47	643	26	28	1	4	3	100	161	617	200	964	1014	100	1014	3466	4480	
Corsicana, 11th Avenue	1	42	10		17	22	1	30	361	31	61	3	3	18	23	23	78	52	253	275	100	175	463	633	
Corsicana Circuit	3	86					4	24	358	11	6		3	33	30	8	66	104	104	104	23	101	48	149	
Dawson	2	63			15	15	4	34	518		66		3	37	30	7	72	20	122	137	10	127	235	339	
Emmitt	1	22			20	20	2	19	331	44	58	3	4	25	32	22	5	120	125	304	324	32	232	1,322	2,224
Frost	2	80	12		2,5	307	2	20	350		28	2	2	9	18	4	149	203	203	510	66	510	448	958	
Groesbeck	1						5	35	275		28	1	1	22	30	4	80	114	114	66	66	18	48	83	131
Horn Hill	1						4	32	257		10		10	10	23	6	75	64	168	168	5	163	1,079	1,242	
Kerens	1						3	20	200		16		14	14	24	6	60	14	98	98	32	61	89	143	
Kirvin and Streetman	2	100	10		80	90	1	22	534	50	20	20	2	105	105	9	327	131	572	632	50	612	1,200	1,812	
Mexia	1	52			3	3	1	14	194		20		3	3	5	10	100	85	85	85	85	85	1,003	1,173	
Purdon	2	60			3	3	1	14	160		6		1	15	12	8	50	20	121	124	12	112	214	328	
Rice	1	60					3	16	160		6		4	5	8	209	209	209	209	209	32	249	1,003	1,252	
Thornton	2	75			40	40	2	28	300		6	1	4	25	32	4	209	209	241	281	32	249	1,003	1,252	
Wortham and Richland	2	75			40	40	2	28	300		6	1	4	25	32	4	209	209	241	281	32	249	1,003	1,252	
Total	21	710	22	10	491	563	47	491	6096	206	457	5	42	277	397	479	135	2602	721	4334	4897	478	4419	15133	19552
Total last year	16	503	5	6	280	241	48	492	6487	230	556	7	53	425	787	100	119	2118	1479	5002	5243	787	4456	8220	12673
Increase	5	207	17	10	261	322	1	1	391	24	99	2	11	148	390	379	16	89	758	663	346	309	37	6913	6876
Decrease																									

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

Bluffdale																									
Burzan	2	55			12	12	4	30	242						19	3	3	51		75	75	19	56	237	283
Carlton							4	33	355		27			6	7	7	9	80		96	108	7	101	109	210
							4	33	517	12	22	1	1	46	9	9	26	122	17	174	174	9	165	2205	2370

Statistical Table No. 2—Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Leagues	Members	Missions on Assessment	Missions Special	Anniversary Day	Other Objects	Total from Leagues	No. of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrollment in All Departments	Members in Home Department	Children of Cradle Roll	Training Classes	Wesley Bible Classes	S. S. Pupils Received into Church	Missions on Assessment	Missions Special	Children's Day	Sunday School Supplies	Other Objects	Total from Sunday Schools	Total from Sunday Schools and Epworth League	Less Amount Elsewhere Reported	Net Total Table No. 2	Total from Table No. 1	Total Tables 1 and 2
Clifton	1	12					1	1	151	32	8	8	1	1	25	28		3	80	10	127	127	38	80	154	248
Coppas Cove	4	27					4	27	200	9	9	9	1	1	7	12		12	75	35	125	125	12	89	192	285
Coryell	2	18					2	18	80	6	6	6	1	1	4	0		12	40	38	60	60	64	138	351	446
Crawford	4	25					4	25	256	6	10	10	2	2	0	31	5		63	160	282	282	64	346	3789	414
Evant	4	27					4	27	217	9	9	9	1	1	10	12		20	64	11	80	80	11	91	200	346
Fairy and Lanham	1	50					1	50	408	55	34	34	3	3	27	130	17	17	219	110	146	146	146	146	200	346
Gatesville Station	4	28					4	28	256	5	5	5	1	1	9	13	13	17	302	110	576	588	257	331	1233	1564
Gatesville Mission	1	25	18				1	25	347	12	35	35	5	5	4	39	41	10	222	69	342	485	108	485	1111	1219
Hamilton Station	5	43					5	43	428	20	20	20	1	1	23	48	22	14	90	90	121	121	121	380	501	881
Hamilton Circuit	2	12					2	12	109	20	26	26	6	6	24	20	14	12	50	86	86	86	20	66	17	83
Jonesboro	1	18					1	18	243	20	26	26	1	1	24	48	7	5	165	218	218	218	22	218	5456	5674
Killeen Station	3	15					3	15	100	72	32	32	5	5	33	7	22	2	13	22	22	22	22	22	4	26
Killeen Mission	1	37					1	37	410	72	32	32	5	5	33	7	22	9	180	183	394	394	110	384	1107	1501
McGregor	2	75					2	75	354	65	8	8	2	2	4	110	110	8	177	295	295	110	185	334	519	834
Meridian Station	1	26					1	26	225	65	8	8	1	1	3	32	32	12	32	32	32	32	32	32	21	53
Meridian Mission	3	15					3	15	331	33	33	33	6	6	11	61	61	12	163	236	236	236	236	236	763	999
Moody	1	32					1	32	130	10	26	26	18	18	10	10	6	6	43	25	84	105	5	100	55	155
Nolanville	2	21					2	21	250	10	26	26	16	16	21	21	25	11	75	102	102	102	102	102	152	254
Oglesby	8	5					8	5	40	320	20	20	5	5	30	30	25	11	98	158	292	300	300	300	206	506
Turnersville	5	6					5	6	190	15	15	15	3	3	8	42	42	8	82	20	144	149	42	107	8975	9082
Valley Mills	1	15					1	15	190	15	15	15	3	3	8	42	42	8	82	20	144	149	42	107	8975	9082
Total	91	317	18				171	189	510	5349	243	3	38	38	345	551	125	242	2250	899	3852	4041	559	3482	26207	29689
Total last year	12	398	21				81	103	58	4864	202	195	4	27	331	540	45	126	1992	576	3279	3382	514	2868	8937	11805
Increase	3	81	21				90	86	2	485	79	48	1	14	11	14	11	16	258	323	573	559	45	614	17270	17884
Decrease																										

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

Bartlett	1	21					1	21	316	42	55	2	1	21	60	60	5	149	214	214	214	214	214	214	2978	3192
Belton	1	50	15				35	50	32	455	60	45	1	3	10	65	65	12	130	110	317	357	357	357	1660	2027
Florence	1	50					35	50	32	455	60	45	1	3	10	65	65	12	130	110	317	357	357	357	1660	2027
Total	3	121	15				71	121	1047	167	160	117	5	24	31	130	130	27	379	434	845	885	885	885	4738	5826

Milford	4	32	300	20	4	40	12	120	132	132	132	531	663
Palmer	4	47	444	50	2	48	5	90	6	130	180	1800	900
Red Oak	3	21	300	10	1	25	10	75	35	95	95	605	600
Waxahachie	60	60	1	36	886	130	400	23	279	277	979	1039	1187
Waxahachie Circuit	4	40	374	20	8	27	14	86	78	200	200	37	163
Total	64	64	43	477	5656	282	360	2	40	233	243	640	174
Total last year	134	134	42	514	5839	217	354	4	33	206	630	55	107
Increase	70	70	1	37	183	65	6	7	27	585	136	1798	2574
Decrease													

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

Aledo	40	55	4	21	250	14	12	1	40	12	6	82	7	107	162	781	943
Azle	5	29	8	20	150	20	10	2	8	30	10	35	3	51	80	80	41
Eliasville	2	2	4	27	200	54	18	1	30	30	7	54	18	109	111	80	260
Graford	2	4	27	332	20	3	90	20	8	65	9	86	2	113	113	113	290
Graham	4	1	15	275	40	1	2	65	4	51	4	51	2	57	57	57	10
Graham Mission	8	23	165	4	31	115	8	17	10	32	6	32	55	55	55	288	343
Loving	6	39	366	6	39	366	10	10	10	32	3	68	66	66	66	88	149
Milsap	6	39	366	6	39	366	10	10	10	32	3	68	66	66	66	88	149
Mineral Wells	22	65	1	33	991	166	25	3	6	72	11	467	150	735	800	125	675
New Castle	1	12	175	13	1	26	10	77	77	77	5	145	9	202	202	46	156
Olney	1	13	205	51	23	2	12	36	7	6	12	190	32	252	254	20	234
Olney Mission	2	5	48	234	12	2	6	20	6	20	12	190	32	252	254	20	234
Santo	3	28	215	14	9	18	154	7	350	511	3	85	24	112	112	112	250
Springtown	20	1	27	467	28	14	9	18	154	7	350	511	3	85	24	112	250
Weatherford, First Church	2	26	400	20	25	1	4	50	75	15	1	145	50	271	271	75	531
Weatherford, Court's Memorial	7	48	450	14	18	14	18	15	15	15	1	95	110	110	110	110	1112
Weatherford Circuit	4	40	275	4	40	275	14	18	14	18	5	84	86	113	113	74	657
Whitt	9	357	56	40	8	69	173	54	478	5265	279	178	8	29	359	455	124
Total	10	484	66	513	76	160	51	438	4940	406	130	3	19	210	451	116	2167
Total last year	1	127	10	35	7	13	3	40	325	127	48	3	10	159	14	124	186
Increase																	
Decrease																	

RECAPITULATION.

Brownwood	8	311	71	8	90	151	41	417	4527	141	333	3	45	228	307	76	161	1986	645	3001	3062	480	2682	30458	33639	
Cisco	9	347	25	8	25	58	54	514	5215	199	225	3	32	230	288	140	101	1801	402	2722	2780	445	2335	7124	9459	
Cleburne	6	167	8	5	106	121	42	426	5383	67	139	1	34	272	170	384	120	2340	585	3567	3688	690	2998	19794	22392	
Corsicana	21	710	22	10	491	563	47	491	6096	206	457	5	42	277	397	479	135	2602	721	4384	4897	478	4419	15133	19562	
Dublin	9	314	18	3	40	40	54	453	5746	187	341	5	36	276	440	4	138	1673	288	1961	2001	487	4564	10298	11862	
Fort Worth	20	745	105	112	436	656	32	634	9082	429	588	17	78	554	641	494	253	3560	2073	7021	7676	1109	6578	21695	27264	
Gatesville	9	317	18	7	171	189	56	510	5549	281	243	3	38	345	551	125	242	2250	899	3852	4041	559	3482	26207	29689	
Georgetown	6	224	15	7	157	179	33	459	6153	307	389	15	45	298	611	335	126	2938	442	4452	4631	633	3998	22323	26321	
Hillsboro	5	179	20	35	86	90	33	377	4731	177	214	3	36	174	301	145	105	1641	345	2639	2729	376	2353	12944	15268	
Waco	3	159	20	35	94	159	35	427	5656	282	360	2	40	238	243	640	174	2942	659	4212	4371	1037	3334	10694	14028	
Waxahachie	8	357	56	40	64	64	43	477	5656	282	360	2	40	238	243	640	174	2942	659	4212	4371	1037	3334	10694	14028	
Weatherford	9	357	56	40	69	173	54	478	5265	279	178	8	29	359	455	124	89	2031	383	3066	3239	296	2943	11211	14154	
Total	110	3986	311	243	1829	2453	624	5668	68810	2638	4020	69	1511	3536	4759	940	1786	27790	8009	48420	4573	6636	39287	198497	238784	
Total last year	119	4242	424	107	1776	2334	523	5502	67918	2671	3633	80	457	3326	6161	1408	1438	27278	8670	44808	47137	6978	40159	168900	209959	
Increase					53	119	1	161	892	22	387	11	54	210	2002	347	512	347	512	661	1383	1264	342	29687	28775	
Decrease					9	256	113	14																		

Statistical Table No. 3—Financial
BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder Assessed	Presiding Elder Paid	Preacher in Charge Assessed	Preacher in Charge Paid	Bishops' Fund Assessed	Bishops' Fund Paid	Conference Chairmans—Assessed	Conference Chairmans—Paid	Foreign Missions Assessed	Foreign Missions Paid	Foreign Missions Special	Home and Conference Missions—Assessed	Home and Conference Missions—Paid	Home Missions—Special	Home Missions—Assessed	Home Missions—Special	Church Extension—Assessed	Church Extension—Paid	Church Extension—Special	Education Assessed	Education Paid	Amer. Bible Society—Assessed	Amer. Bible Society—Paid	General Conf. Expenses—Assessed	General Conf. Expenses—Paid	For S. E. F.—Assessed	For S. E. F.—Paid	Orphanage Paid	Incidental Expenses	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported	Total from Table No. 2	Grand Total for Year
	Ballingier	250	250	1500	1500	22	15	89	60	123	86	55	157	112	74	50	141	100	7	5	7	5	14	12	40	503	385	1521	4649			
Bangs	133	133	800	800	14	14	55	55	77	77	77	59	89	46	46	88	88	4	4	4	4	9	30	40	166	221	1167	2920				
Blank	121	121	800	800	14	14	65	4	77	50	77	59	89	36	28	88	36	2	2	2	2	9	6	19	208	459	883	1858				
Bronte	374	374	2280	2280	12	12	183	25	25	25	25	84	33	39	14	76	15	4	4	4	4	8	29	16	120	1120	465	2588				
Brownwood	316	316	1900	1900	36	36	144	144	200	254	254	323	286	120	120	229	229	11	11	11	11	11	23	29	52	159	2498	7935				
Cotman	100	100	600	600	10	10	42	23	58	29	73	36	35	35	18	66	33	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	226	14199	17681	461	1283			
Indian Creek	100	100	600	600	8	8	33	33	46	46	46	59	59	28	11	61	53	3	3	3	3	6	5	35	68	244	2080	3347				
Novice	100	100	600	600	10	10	39	39	54	54	54	69	69	32	10	70	70	3	3	3	3	6	6	21	54	226	71	1302	2182			
Robert Lee	100	100	600	600	11	11	44	27	62	31	79	41	37	37	15	74	74	4	4	4	4	7	7	12	59	230	984	2123	4800			
Rockwood	100	100	600	600	12	12	47	24	55	20	10	84	80	40	20	74	74	2	2	2	2	8	12	12	70	317	413	1591	1591			
Santa Anna	133	133	800	800	18	14	72	66	100	80	128	100	100	60	48	114	84	6	6	6	6	12	8	272	649	2123	4800	15	1808	3830		
Talpa	100	100	600	600	12	12	50	50	69	69	69	89	89	42	42	79	79	4	4	4	4	8	8	210	15	1808	3830	12	12	810	1694	
Valera	100	100	600	600	8	8	33	33	46	46	46	59	59	28	10	44	44	2	2	2	2	4	4	15	24	121	119	1169	1694			
Winchell	100	100	600	600	13	12	53	51	73	58	94	75	75	44	35	82	62	4	4	4	4	5	5	8	31	252	1324	2738	1324			
Wingate	108	111	652	683	17	17	67	67	92	92	92	119	119	55	55	105	105	5	5	5	5	11	11	114	296	867	1571	3921	1571			
Winters	166	166	1000	1000	7	7	28	10	40	14	49	14	14	23	10	44	44	2	2	2	2	4	4	7	65	137	1695	2637	1695			
Zephyr	108	100	650	600	7	7	28	10	40	14	49	14	14	23	10	44	44	2	2	2	2	4	4	7	65	137	1695	2637	1695			
Total	2699	2629	16218	15913	2771	2331	1108	904	1541	1236	73	1971	1606	91	524	751	121	83	75	83	65	177	128	309	309	309	3002	5241	33702	66950		
Total last year	2452	2438	14975	14731	2621	2301	1048	904	1457	1170	1864	1582	874	708	1661	1321	84	47	47	175	132	132	352	2138	4285	43080	79816	43080				
Increase	247	191	1243	1182	15	3	60		84	66	73	107	74	9	50	43	12	4	28	83	65	2	4	43	864	956	9378	6626	9378			
Decrease																																

CISCO DISTRICT.

Breckenridge	111	82	669	413	12	5	49	29	67	82		86	42		43	18						8	7	13	175	55	276	1169
Cardo & Cedar Spgs	50	50	300	300	4	2	18	4	25	6		31	6		16	3						1	1	1	1	1	8	381
Carbon	111	111	666	666	13	7	53	25	74	25		94	61		44	20						8	8	60	248	262	1526	

Cisco Mission	255	1353	1350	20	20	79	79	110	141	141	66	125	119	205	754	3222																	
Desdemona	85	63	514	8	3	18	14	25	31	31	15	28	16	14	102	663																	
Eastland	121	70	720	13	9	33	37	49	62	62	30	36	26	35	103	695																	
Eolian	71	40	429	4	4	36	21	49	95	95	44	34	12	180	201	1937																	
Gordon	104	90	626	12	3	46	18	64	62	62	30	25	16	18	105	455	384																
Gorman	100	107	606	642	13	11	5	60	83	83	39	13	5	95	175	1192																	
May	107	107	643	643	10	5	42	24	75	75	42	38	12	143	343	2658	4212																
Pioneer	80	76	500	473	8	2	32	20	44	44	16	96	221	349	1742	148	968																
Ranger	139	139	836	836	14	3	55	38	58	58	27	87	100	100	358	148	148																
Rising Star	150	150	900	900	15	11	41	42	82	82	46	51	92	51	61	367	1763																
Romey	78	59	467	361	9	4	36	16	36	36	30	53	145	162	368	2209	731																
Scranton	125	100	750	600	13	13	53	53	95	95	44	84	95	95	63	731	1560																
Sipe Springs	96	77	574	465	10	7	40	39	71	71	44	63	2	52	194	726	110	673															
Staff	70	58	420	352	8	9	31	12	58	58	26	49	2	50	162	2357	4	14															
Strawn	150	150	900	900	11	11	44	44	78	78	37	69	7	20	120	162	86	325															
Thurber	71	45	429	273	7	5	26	16	47	47	22	42	1	4	86	376	547	876															
Wayland	78	46	472	273	4	3	18	10	31	31	15	28	2	2	24	80	49	547															
Total	2201	1988	13065	11874	216	189	877	600	1213	737	15	1544	1026	729	442	1877	814	70	47	65	40	140	64	140	1658	2885	9557	31596					
Total last year	2045	1706	12912	10445	229	117	919	416	1252	617	617	1590	887	5	750	346	1429	612	75	39	8	65	40	151	60	223	1599	2909	5483	26384			
Increase	156	282	153	1429	13	22	42	184	39	184	139	5	5	21	96	52	2	2	5	8	65	40	11	4	83	59	74	4074	5212	74	4074		
Decrease																																	

CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

Alvarado	170	170	1000	1000	16	16	64	64	113	64	58	101	173	145	520	2380																	
Barnesville	153	129	900	738	14	8	58	58	104	104	48	91	10	78	398	765	2486																
Burleson	158	149	900	879	14	10	59	42	104	104	49	92	8	111	210	329	1973																
Cleburne, Main St	425	425	2500	2500	54	54	223	223	314	314	134	360	276	763	2685	1885	10133																
Cleburne, Anglin	255	255	1500	1500	19	19	75	75	104	104	62	119	12	72	208	81	1760	4518															
Cleburne, Brazos	127	127	750	750	10	10	40	40	56	56	24	64	6	12	94	397	889	2549															
Glen Rose Station	170	170	1000	1000	15	15	52	52	74	74	44	64	10	10	122	25	10750	12630															
Glen Rose, Miss.	68	51	400	300	8	4	28	17	40	40	24	46	2	5	10	5	204	792															
Godley & Cresson	153	140	902	816	14	6	58	20	85	85	48	91	10	18	115	811	2100	1144															
Granbury Station	170	170	1000	1000	17	8	64	24	113	47	25	101	18	25	166	133	1144	2092															
Granbury Circuit	204	204	1200	1218	21	2	45	54	83	58	39	73	13	13	129	175	160	566	3556														
Grandview Station	119	119	700	700	12	8	46	36	107	107	70	133	6	60	22	1330	2478	1330	2478														
Joshua and Eagan	68	68	400	400	11	5	43	23	64	64	36	69	4	85	80	479	2211	479	2211														
Lillian	187	187	1050	1050	18	8	36	36	114	86	53	101	6	80	135	166	1106	1106	1106														
Morgan	172	72	420	420	8	8	36	36	63	63	29	55	3	3	40	40	135	166	1106														
Parker	170	170	1000	1000	16	10	64	44	83	69	53	101	40	142	346	258	2330	2330	2330														
Venus	136	129	801	757	14	10	55	35	76	42	29	87	4	90	158	448	1831	448	1831														
Walnut Springs	2307	2823	17079	16550	289	228	1157	949	1607	1215	136	1834	81	2735	5130	2292	57176	57176	57176														
Total	2825	2599	16637	15332	806	197	1224	859	1702	1080	24	1939	92	462	2587	4528	12655	4278	4278	4278													
Total last year	82	224	442	1218	17	31	67	90	185	112	72	146	6	64	399	148	592	10237	1478	1478													
Increase																																	
Decrease																																	

Statistical Table No. 3—Financial
CORSICANA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder Assessed	Presiding Elder Paid	Preacher in Charge Assessed	Preacher in Charge Paid	Bishops' Fund Assessed	Bishops' Fund Paid	Conference Claimants—Assessed	Conference Claimants—Paid	Foreign Missions Assessed	Foreign Missions Paid	Home and Conference Missions—Assessed	Home and Conference Missions—Paid	Home Missions—Special	Conference Missions—Special	Church Extension—Assessed	Church Extension—Paid	Church Extension—Special	Education Assessed	Education Paid	Amer. Bible Society—Assessed	Amer. Bible Society—Paid	General Conf. Expenses—Assessed	General Conf. Expenses—Paid	For S. E. F.—Assessed	For S. E. F.—Paid	Orphanage Paid	Incidental Expenses	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported	Total from Table No. 2	Grand Total for Year	
	Barry & Emhouse	170	170	1000	1000	17	17	68	68	95	95	122	122			57	57		108	108	6	6	5	5	11	11	18	150	215	1320	3372
Blooming Grove	212	212	1250	1250	22	22	85	85	119	119	152	152			71	71		135	135	7	7	6	6	14	14	25	208	89	323	3024	
Chatfield	136	136	800	800	13	13	57	57	71	71	91	91			43	43		81	81	4	4	3	3	8	8	6	80	112	286	1894	
Corsicana, First	465	465	2750	2750	60	60	239	239	332	332	424	424			199	199		378	378	19	19	18	18	38	38	700	300	6053	4430	16615	
Corsicana, 11th A	204	204	1200	1200	18	18	72	72	100	100	128	128			59	59		118	118	6	6	5	5	11	11	16	133	54	638	2191	
Corsicana, Circuit	136	136	800	800	13	13	51	51	71	71	91	91			43	43		81	81	4	4	3	3	8	8	7	20	20	80	449	1582
Dawson	170	170	1000	1000	14	14	55	55	76	76	97	97			45	45	5	86	86	5	5	4	4	9	9	17	90	184	339	2204	
Emmitt	102	102	600	600	12	12	47	47	66	66	85	85			40	40		76	76	4	4	4	4	8	8	25	43	263	818	2200	
Frost	204	204	1200	1200	15	15	62	62	85	85	109	109			51	51		98	98	5	5	4	4	10	10	100	330	387	958	4923	
Groesbeck	255	255	1500	1500	24	24	96	96	133	133	170	170			80	80		151	151	8	8	7	7	15	15	100	220	614	2024	4923	
Harmony	136	136	800	800	12	12	47	47	66	66	85	85			40	40		76	76	4	4	4	4	8	8	11	21	111	111	131	1671
Horn Hill	119	119	700	700	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73			34	34		65	65	3	3	3	3	7	7	18	40	125	1374	2714	
Kerens	181	181	1069	1069	14	14	55	55	76	76	97	97			45	45		86	86	5	5	4	4	9	9	22	129	326	1242	3260	
Kirvin & Str'm'n	123	124	727	738	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73			34	34		65	65	3	3	3	3	7	7	44	55	369	149	1772	
Mexia	306	306	1800	1800	36	36	143	143	199	199	255	255			120	120		227	227	11	11	11	11	23	23	50	2048	1808	1812	8849	
Purdon	100	100	600	600	8	8	34	34	47	47	61	61			29	29		54	54	3	3	2	2	6	6	15	50	148	1178	2335	
Rice	170	170	1000	1000	12	12	48	48	66	66	85	85			34	34		76	76	7	7	6	6	14	14	47	200	5889	322	8427	
Thorton	153	153	900	900	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73			34	34		65	65	3	3	3	3	7	7	14	60	259	238	1917	
Worham and R.	170	170	1000	1000	12	12	48	48	66	66	85	85			40	40		76	76	4	4	3	3	8	8	36	200	400	1250	3401	
Total	3512	3522	20686	20836	342	342	1371	1364	1896	1896	2429	2431			1138	1138		2152	2152	111	111	98	98	221	221	220	1166	4197	17674	19346	77076
Total last year	3391	3110	20120	18686	324	280	1293	1144	1797	1630	2299	2060			1078	944		2048	1786	104	90	215	215	180	180	508	2150	7232	12949	53031	
Increase	121	412	576	2150	18	42	72	220	99	366	151	371			60	134		114	376	7	21	98	98	6	40	658	1447	10442	6397	24045	
Decrease																															

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

Bluffdale	100	93	600	557	13	8	50	30	70	45	3	90	61		42	25	6	79	47	4	3	4	3	8		37	25	46	294	1280
Bunyan	132	102	800	612	14	7	56	30	78	43	100	55			47	24		89	47	4	2	4	2	9	4		18	138	210	1304
Carlton	150	150	900	900	14	14	56	56	78	78	100	100			47	47		89	89	4	4	4	4	9	9	48	76	475	2370	4415

Comanche Station	250	217	1500	1310	22	10	90	50	125	74	160	60	75	40	142	46	7	7	5	14	155	584	747	3315			
Comanche Circuit	150	100	900	600	15	7	62	30	86	30	108	40	52	20	98	30	5	5	10	10	100	165	298	1531			
De Leon Station	180	180	960	960	20	20	79	79	109	109	140	140	66	66	125	104	4	4	10	13	162	286	469	1616			
De Leon Circuit	138	138	812	812	15	15	62	62	86	86	108	108	52	40	98	60	5	5	10	10	17	30	51	1671			
Duffau	250	250	1500	1500	22	22	89	90	125	125	160	160	75	75	142	142	7	7	14	14	223	517	1044	4900			
Duffau	88	50	500	303	10	4	39	15	55	22	71	27	33	13	62	23	3	1	6	6	25	59	1847	7907			
Gustine	100	100	600	600	10	10	39	35	56	56	71	71	33	30	62	50	3	3	2	2	4	60	152	593			
Harbin	134	67	800	405	14	3	66	12	78	18	100	23	47	11	63	20	4	1	9	9	4	46	18	725			
Hasse	57	57	342	342	8	8	34	18	47	28	60	20	29	16	63	26	3	3	2	2	20	280	231	983			
Hisco	200	176	1200	1058	22	8	90	35	125	86	160	108	75	28	142	45	7	7	14	8	16	42	67	83			
Huckaby	100	73	600	441	13	4	50	9	63	20	90	25	42	14	70	21	4	4	2	2	24	37	398	72			
Iredell	85	79	600	563	11	11	45	45	60	63	80	80	38	18	71	71	4	4	7	7	24	315	292	1393			
Proctor	112	78	675	472	13	6	60	29	70	39	90	48	42	23	5	79	45	4	2	8	25	220	16	1995			
Stephenville Sta.	250	221	1500	1326	22	16	90	67	125	94	160	120	75	47	142	105	7	6	14	11	25	220	16	1995			
Stephenville Ct.	50	24	300	144	8	2	34	11	47	9	60	20	29	8	58	15	3	3	5	1	3	49	2	39			
Tolar and Lipan	135	124	800	745	14	8	56	38	78	39	100	94	47	22	5	89	42	4	2	9	5	70	26	291			
Total	2656	2502	15889	13640	280	180	1128	736	1570	1062	8	2008	1360	946	555	51	1783	1040	88	42	178	91	415	2159	3039	12439	39181
Total last year	2675	2147	15687	12909	300	160	1205	690	1664	955	2145	1262	2	1000	499	1895	913	95	54	200	95	226	1887	2649	5526	29922	
Increase	49	355	202	731	20	20	77	46	94	107	3	98	2	56	51	112	97	7	4	88	42	189	272	390	6973	9259	
Decrease																											

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

Arlington	225	1500	1500	1500	19	19	74	74	104	104	133	132	62	62	118	118	5	5	12	12	285	275	2183	5121		
Boulevard	202	1350	1865	177	17	17	66	66	92	82	118	118	56	66	105	105	5	5	11	11	291	166	1789	4265		
Central	420	2800	2800	2800	59	59	266	236	328	328	419	419	197	197	374	374	19	18	38	38	736	14	4389	10047		
Diamond Hill	135	94	755	623	7	7	26	26	37	37	47	47	22	22	42	42	2	2	2	2	51	20	306	1291		
Eulless & Thomas	75	59	400	323	6	3	27	25	37	30	1	47	40	3	42	14	2	1	4	4	79	28	547			
First Church	300	600	4000	1000	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73	34	34	65	65	3	3	7	7	170	62	5100	21724		
Glenwood	150	150	1000	1000	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73	34	34	65	65	3	3	7	7	170	62	5100	21724		
Grapevine	144	144	956	856	14	14	55	55	76	76	15	47	45	45	86	86	5	4	9	9	208	255	1880	3811		
Handley and Bk.	134	85	859	595	8	5	31	27	38	38	54	36	26	17	49	30	2	2	2	2	62	93	272	1248		
Hemphill	129	1100	1150	7	7	26	26	35	35	35	48	48	23	23	43	43	2	2	2	2	208	255	1880	3811		
Highland Park	120	120	800	800	7	7	26	26	35	35	48	48	23	23	43	43	2	2	2	2	208	255	1880	3811		
Kennedale	95	95	555	555	12	12	47	47	65	65	83	83	39	39	74	74	4	4	4	4	100	504	1203	2869		
McKinley Avenue	135	135	900	900	10	10	41	41	57	57	73	73	34	34	65	65	3	3	7	7	170	62	5100	21724		
Missouri Avenue	200	1500	1500	1500	30	30	119	119	165	165	211	211	99	99	189	189	10	10	19	19	238	486	1000	4401		
Mulkey Memorial	300	300	2000	2000	46	46	186	186	258	258	330	330	155	155	295	295	15	14	30	30	328	1116	975	2907		
Polytechnic	375	375	2500	2500	51	51	202	202	282	282	359	359	169	169	321	321	16	16	32	32	328	1116	975	2907		
Riverside	135	135	900	900	7	7	29	29	41	41	52	52	25	25	47	47	2	2	2	2	166	227	629	2267		
Sagamore & S.	105	65	700	453	5	4	19	14	27	20	20	20	12	12	22	22	1	1	1	1	72	7	1313	2233		
Smithfield	150	81	1000	546	15	10	54	25	75	30	95	40	45	20	85	30	4	2	2	2	245	9	245	1462		
Weatherford St.	3920	3695	26108	25075	441	431	1761	1725	2448	2376	185	3124	1469	1423	110	2790	2678	141	136	252	253	224	10295	7401	27283	86552
Total last year	3858	3735	25274	24695	422	408	1688	1600	2346	2250	3007	2897	1408	1351	2678	2555	185	130	282	240	269	7893	4653	25150	78660	
Increase	67	40	919	480	19	23	73	125	102	126	186	117	61	72	117	123	6	6	133	123	2402	2758	2183	7892		
Decrease																										

Statistical Table No. 3—Financial
GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder Assessed	Presiding Elder Paid	Preacher in Charge Assessed	Preacher in Charge Paid	Bishops' Fund Assessed	Bishops' Fund Paid	Conference Claimants—Assessed	Conference Claimants—Paid	Foreign Missions Assessed	Foreign Missions Paid	Home and Conference Missions—Assessed	Home and Conference Missions—Paid	Home Missions—Special	Conference Missions—Special	Church Extension—Assessed	Church Extension—Paid	Church Extension—Special	Education Assessed	Education Paid	Amer. Bible Society—Assessed	Amer. Bible Society—Paid	Genl. Conf. Expenses—Assessed	Genl. Conf. Expenses—Paid	For S. E. F.—Assessed	For S. E. F.—Paid	Orphanage Paid	Incidental Expenses	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported	Total from Table 2	Grand Total for Year		
Clifton	140	140	840	840	12	12	43	43	68	68	87	87	41	41	41	41	77	77	77	77	4	4	4	4	8	8	113	88	243	1774		
Copperas Cove	128	104	772	625	12	12	49	49	68	68	87	87	41	19	41	19	77	77	18	18	4	4	4	4	8	8	100	170	2085	3297		
Corvill	78	75	472	451	16	16	24	24	34	34	44	44	20	20	20	20	39	39	39	39	4	4	4	4	8	8	100	118	145	1017		
Crawford	166	166	1000	1000	15	15	61	61	85	85	108	108	22	22	51	51	97	97	97	97	5	5	5	5	10	10	65	332	3789	5812		
Evant	109	91	659	649	13	8	42	28	59	59	79	69	22	22	33	33	68	68	40	40	3	3	3	3	2	2	11	29	114	994		
Fairy & L.	100	94	600	564	9	9	37	37	51	51	64	64	31	31	31	31	58	58	40	40	3	3	3	3	2	2	25	200	346	1491		
Gatesville Station	283	283	1700	1700	27	27	110	110	153	153	196	196	31	31	92	92	174	174	174	174	3	3	3	3	17	17	110	621	1564	5107		
Gatesville Mission	200	200	1200	1200	24	24	98	98	136	136	174	174	31	31	81	81	155	155	155	155	7	7	7	7	16	16	59	183	1835	4572		
Hamilton Station	200	200	1200	1200	24	24	98	98	136	136	174	174	31	31	81	81	155	155	155	155	7	7	7	7	16	16	59	183	1835	4572		
Hamilton Circuit	133	126	800	755	15	10	61	45	85	60	108	85	41	34	41	34	77	77	70	70	4	4	4	4	8	8	44	39	118	883	3906	
Jonesboro	117	117	700	700	20	20	79	79	110	110	141	141	20	20	66	66	126	126	126	126	6	6	6	6	13	13	60	214	337	5674	8352	
Killeen Station	250	214	1500	1286	20	20	79	79	110	110	141	141	20	20	66	66	126	126	126	126	6	6	6	6	13	13	60	214	337	5674	8352	
Killeen Mission	83	46	500	276	6	8	24	4	34	12	44	14	7	7	20	12	39	39	10	10	4	4	4	4	17	17	50	15	274	1501	5196	
McGregor	200	200	1200	1200	26	26	104	104	144	144	184	184	20	20	62	62	116	116	116	116	6	6	6	6	12	12	22	60	350	1944	519	4769
Meridian Station	200	200	1200	1200	18	18	73	73	102	102	129	129	20	20	62	62	116	116	116	116	6	6	6	6	12	12	22	60	350	1944	519	4769
Meridian Mission	59	48	356	289	6	6	24	24	34	20	44	44	10	10	10	10	39	39	13	13	4	4	4	4	8	8	12	38	862	989	4384	
Moody	250	250	1500	1503	26	26	104	104	144	144	184	184	20	20	62	62	116	116	116	116	6	6	6	6	12	12	22	60	350	1944	519	4769
Nolanville	100	79	600	475	8	6	31	25	42	34	55	45	20	20	20	20	48	48	39	39	5	5	5	5	10	10	40	41	35	254	1757	
Oglesby	140	140	850	850	15	15	61	61	85	85	108	108	51	51	51	51	88	88	79	79	5	5	5	5	9	9	58	87	245	508	2086	
Tarrowsville	140	129	865	765	14	14	55	55	76	70	98	88	46	46	46	46	87	87	75	75	4	4	4	4	8	8	12	82	76	9082	10768	
Valley Mills	166	166	1000	1000	12	12	49	49	68	68	87	87	41	41	41	41	77	77	77	77	4	4	4	4	8	8	12	82	76	9082	10768	
Total	3141	2969	18014	17826	306	283	1221	1160	1687	1582	94	2171	2039	7	1018	939	30	1934	1725	98	93	92	87	195	183	856	2241	10053	23703	71875		
Total last year	2978	2783	17861	16748	311	272	1244	1045	1729	1368	2212	1827	7	1038	773	30	1970	1409	1970	160	160	160	160	207	160	617	2418	3427	11673	44536		
Increase	163	186	153	1077	6	11	23	115	224	94	212	212	7	166	30	36	316	36	36	1	11	92	87	23	239	177	6626	13030	27219			
Decrease																																

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

Bartlett	255	255	1500	1500	24	15	94	94	90	131	168	99	78	55	8	5	7	149	100	100	28	150	150	28	150	150	150	150	3192	5738
Belton	306	306	1800	1800	31	31	123	123	111	171	220	220	103	103	10	10	10	15	195	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	2037	5648
Florence	93	93	550	550	8	8	36	36	50	50	63	63	31	31	3	3	3	58	58	3	3	2	2	5	5	10	10	19	154	1435

Statistical Table No. 3—Financial
WACO DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder Assessed	Presiding Elder Paid	Preacher in Charge Assessed	Preacher in Charge Paid	Bishops' Fund Assessed	Bishops' Fund Paid	Conference Claimants—Assessed	Conference Claimants—Paid	Foreign Missions Assessed	Foreign Missions Paid	Foreign Missions Special	Home and Conference Missions—Assessed	Home and Conference Missions—Paid	Home Missions—Special	Conference Missions—Special	Church Extension—Assessed	Church Extension—Paid	Church Extension—Special	Education Assessed	Education Paid	Amer. Bible Society—Assessed	Amer. Bible Society—Paid	Genl. Conf. Expenses—Assessed	General Conf. Expenses—Paid	For S. F. F.—Assessed	For S. F. F.—Paid	Orphanage Paid	Incidental Expenses	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported	Total from Table 2	Grand Total for Year
Aquila	121	80	720	645	13	41	33	66	22	2	5	85	23	78	15	40	15	76	25	4	4	2	5	3	8	7	30	138	803	1838	
Bosqueville	100	184	1000	967	65	11	65	44	60	60	5	116	78	128	35	51	35	103	67	2	2	2	4	3	11	7	200	440	488	2577	
Bruceville & Ed...	294	267	1200	1200	82	21	82	114	80	50	68	145	128	128	98	68	98	130	60	60	7	7	6	6	13	95	218	345	564	3101	
China Springs	150	150	900	450	10	15	11	12	40	40	33	70	33	33	16	33	16	65	30	4	4	1	2	1	7	3	35	273	597	1545	
Hewitt & S. Val...	150	150	900	450	10	15	11	12	40	40	33	70	33	33	16	33	16	65	30	4	4	1	2	1	7	3	35	273	597	1545	
Lorena	200	200	1200	1215	21	21	82	114	80	50	68	145	128	128	98	68	98	130	60	60	7	7	6	6	13	95	218	345	564	3101	
Mart	333	333	2000	2000	32	24	180	95	180	135	19	221	171	171	108	75	25	205	150	10	10	7	7	6	12	13	209	408	75	678	3481
Mt. Calm	133	133	800	513	14	4	55	37	76	48	28	97	71	71	46	28	87	40	4	4	4	4	4	4	9	9	117	60	162	415	2067
Waco, Austin Av.	666	666	4000	4000	72	72	289	399	399	300	511	511	511	511	289	239	455	455	23	23	23	23	22	22	46	46	190	750	3750	8446	15358
Waco, Clay Street	150	150	900	917	10	10	41	17	40	45	73	73	73	73	34	24	62	62	62	62	4	4	3	3	7	7	25	307	69	824	2621
Waco, Elm Street	200	200	1200	1200	19	18	75	50	104	45	138	55	55	55	193	25	119	119	73	73	11	11	10	10	6	6	55	900	165	428	2400
Waco, Fifth St.	333	333	2000	2000	34	16	131	55	190	68	248	67	67	67	174	33	216	216	77	77	4	4	3	3	7	7	28	203	730	462	2856
Waco, Herrings A.	158	158	950	950	11	11	44	44	52	62	79	79	79	79	37	33	70	70	70	70	4	4	3	3	7	7	28	203	730	462	2856
Waco, Morrow St.	300	300	1800	1800	29	20	116	57	161	114	207	164	164	164	37	33	184	184	128	128	5	5	4	4	6	6	19	493	3225	1375	7948
Waco, Mission	105	105	630	630	8	8	31	31	43	43	55	55	55	55	26	26	48	48	48	48	2	2	2	2	6	6	9	29	147	233	1384
West & Elm Mott	118	118	708	708	14	9	55	35	76	48	46	97	75	75	46	28	87	87	45	45	4	4	4	4	9	9	28	82	15	116	2921
Total	3451	3441	20437	20522	343	289	1360	1068	1898	1392	470	2430	1834	1834	5	1136	820	38	2164	1504	111	84	103	79	221	142	962	4210	10620	14355	61884
Total last year	3670	3415	21845	20557	376	248	1488	1031	2063	1224	116	2637	1846	1846	165	1240	739	2355	1363	125	83	251	173	739	4673	8454	11450	56817			
Increase	219	26	1408	55	33	21	128	87	163	354	160	207	188	188	160	104	81	191	141	141	14	14	148	79	30	223	463	2066	2805	6067	
Decrease	289	26	1408	55	33	21	128	87	163	354	160	207	188	188	160	104	81	191	141	141	14	14	148	79	30	223	463	2066	2805	6067	

WAKAHACHE DISTRICT.

Bardwell	136	114	800	668	61	10	32	35	115	25	10	147	45	69	20	131	20	131	20	7	7	6	6	3	13	5	25	60	18	418	1412	
Bechel	136	136	800	800	12	12	36	36	62	62	93	93	93	93	40	40	76	76	76	76	4	4	3	3	8	8	38	66	138	396	1920	
Britton	85	85	500	500	9	5	35	20	47	12	10	61	32	32	29	10	54	54	15	15	3	3	2	2	5	5	11	70	25	336	1107	
Britton	175	138	900	703	17	5	69	20	28	10	123	27	27	57	10	109	109	109	109	6	6	5	5	11	11	10	87	534	810	325	4766	
Ennis	340	340	2000	2000	48	17	192	70	268	164	382	124	124	124	160	48	306	306	112	112	16	16	14	10	32	10	87	534	810	325	4766	
Ferris	170	173	1000	1000	12	12	48	46	67	67	81	81	81	81	40	38	76	76	76	76	4	4	3	3	8	8	24	52	156	290	966	2944
Forreston	170	170	1000	982	17	12	69	42	35	67	27	123	81	81	47	38	109	109	72	72	6	6	4	4	11	8	24	52	156	290	966	2944
Italy	204	204	1200	1200	24	15	96	72	134	97	21	171	105	105	80	59	153	153	92	92	7	7	6	6	13	13	38	92	205	437	2167	
Mansfield	170	170	1000	1000	21	7	82	42	115	69	147	50	50	50	42	34	131	131	47	47	8	8	7	7	13	13	38	92	205	437	2167	
Maypearl	204	204	1200	1200	23	23	89	89	124	69	60	159	159	159	75	75	142	142	142	142	7	7	6	6	14	14	98	157	292	445	2300	

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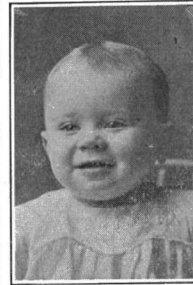
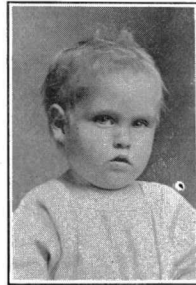
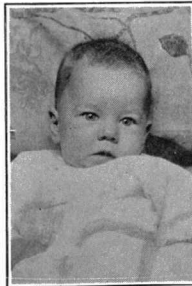
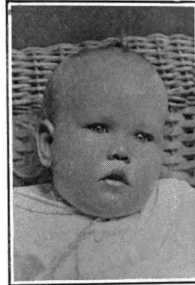
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Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 2,350.01
Overdrafts	NONE
United States Bonds.....	150,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	16,267.64
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	4,650.00
Cash and Bills of Exchange on Cotton.....	563,791.11
Total.....	\$1,028,058.76

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Circulation	147,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	18,666.51
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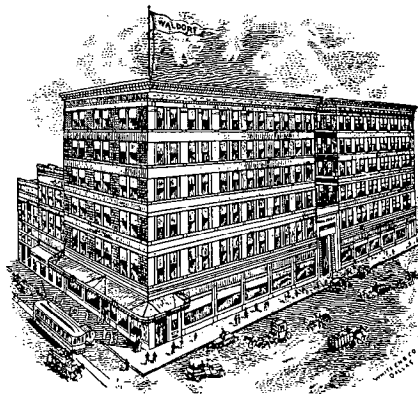
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December 13—American Bible Society Sunday.
- *January—Minimum Salary Support Month.
January 25-29—Ministers' Week—Southern Methodist University.
- *February 14—Race Relations Sunday.
February 21—Layman's Day.
- *February 28-March 7—Week of Dedication.
April 11—Decision Day.
April 18—Palm Sunday.
April 25—Easter.
- *May—Golden Cross Enrollment Month.
May 31-June 11—Pastors' School—Southwestern University.
June-July-August—Conference Camping Program, Camp Glen Lake.
June—Vacation Church Schools.
June 2-7—Young People's Assembly—Glen Lake.
June 13—Pentecost.
June 16-21—Senior Assembly, Georgetown.
June 14-25—Pastors' School—Southern Methodist University.
July 6-8—Children's Workers' Conference, Southwestern University.
- *July 11—College Day.
August 23-30—Conference Youth Camp—Glen Lake.
- *September 19—Church School Rally Day.
September 26—Church School Promotion Day.
- *October 3—World Communion Sunday.

DAYS DESIGNATED BUT DATES NOT SET

- *Methodist Student Day.
- Veterans' Day.

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