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|  |  |  |  | Deacon | Elder |
| 1 | Bishop Horace | Se | Admission, 1868. |  |  |
| 2 | Jones, W. V. | Se | Admission, 1872 | 1874 | 1877 |
| 3 | Henry, H. B. | Se | Admission, 1875 | 1877 | 1879 |
| 4. | Armstrong, R. C. | E | Transfer, 1876 | 1863 | 1867 |
| 5 | McCarver, C. S.... | Se | Admission, 1876. | 1878 | 1880 |
| 6 | Nelms, W. L. | Se | Admission, 1877. | 1879 | 1881 |
| 7 | Smith, E. A. | Se | Admission, 1878 | 1880 | 1882 |
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| 13 | Vaughan, S. J. | Se | Admission, 1889 |  |  |
| 14 | Gilleland, W. A | Se | Admission, 1880 | 1882 | 1885 |
| 15 | Barcus, Jno. M. | E | Admission, 1882 | 1884 | 1886 |
| 16 | Bloodworth, J. T. | Se | Admission, 1883 |  |  |
| 17 | Culbertson, A. T. | Sy | Admission, 1883 |  |  |
| 18 | Field, | Sy | Admission, 1883 |  |  |
| 19 | Oswalt, C. V | Se | Admission, 1884 | 1886 | 1889 |
| 20 | Sweet, E. M. | Se | Transfer, 1884 | 1877 | 1879 |
| 21 | Hightower, E. | E | Admission, 1885. | 1887 | 1891 |
| 22 | Carter, J. C. | Se | Transfer, 1886 | 1874 | 1876 |
| 23 | Irvin, C. W | E | Admission, 1886 | 1888 | 1891 |
| 24 | Simpson, W. K | Se | Admission, 1886 |  |  |
| 25 | Boone, E. F | Se | Transfer, 1887 | 1870 | 1872 |
| 26 | Ellis, D. C. | Se | Admission, 1888 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 27 | Snoddy, B. A. | Se | Admission, 1888 | 1886 | 1892 |
| 28 | Harris, W. H. | Se | Admission, 1888 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 29 | Hilburn, W. C | E | Admission, 1889 |  |  |
| 30 | Walker, J. E. | Se | Transfer, 1889 | 1877 | 1884 |
| 31 | McCullough, W. S | E | Admission, 1889. |  |  |
| 32 | Smith, M. M. | Se | Admission, 1889 | 1891 | 1894 |
| 33 | Wright, C. R.. | E | Transfer, 1889.. |  |  |
| 34 | Armstrong, T. S | E | Transfer, 1890 | 1885 | 1888 |
| 35 | Hightower, I. E. | E | Admission, 1890 |  |  |
| 36 | Hotchkiss, M. S. | E | Transfer, 1890 | 1881 | 1882 |
| 37 | Armstrong, J. M | E | Transfer, 1891 |  |  |
| 38 | Carraway, A. E. | E | Transfer, 1891 | 1886 | 1888 |
| 39 | Hall, J. R. B. | Sy | Admission, 1891. |  |  |
| 40 | Lindsey, C. E. | E | Admission, 1891. |  |  |
| 41 | Sawyer, S. B. | Se | Admission, 1891. |  |  |
| 42 | Crawford, W. H. | Se | Transfer, 1892 | 1883 | 1885 |
| 43 | Lipscomb, A. P. | Se | Transfer, 1892 |  |  |
| 44 | Matthews, W. H. | E | Admission, 1892 | 1892 | 1894 |
| 45 | Morris, Jno. R. | E | Transfer, 1892 |  |  |
| 46 | Tooley, R. J.. | $\underset{\text { Se }}{ }$ | Admission, 1892 | 1893 | 1898 |
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|  |  |  |  | Deacon | Elder |
| 49 | Sensabaugh, 0. F. | E |  | $1880$ | 1882 |
| 50 | Statham, C. E...... | Se | Transfer, 1893. | 1887 | 1889 |
| 51 | \|Stewart, J. H. | E | Admission, 1893. | 1893 | 1897 |
| 52 | Wagner, B. R | E | Admission, 1893. | 1895 | 1897 |
| 53 | Walker, R. A. | E | Admission, 1893 |  |  |
| 54 | Andrews, W. B. | E | Transfer, 1894 | 1887 | 1891 |
| 55 | Braswell, J. H... | Se | Transfer, 1894 | 1888 | 1890 |
| 56 | Shrader, H. P. | Se | Transfer, 1894 | 1882 | 1885 |
| 57 | Vanzant, K. S. | Se | Transfer, 1894 |  |  |
| 58 | Young, R. B. | E | Admission, 1895. | 1893 | 1904 |
| 59 | Rucker, S. J | E | Admission, 1895. | 1891 | 1895 |
| 60 | Wynne, J. M | E | Admission, 1895 | 1897 | 1900 |
| 61 | Wilson, W. B. | Se | Transfer, 1896. |  |  |
| 62 | Heizer, R. H. |  | Admission, 1897. | ........ | ........ |
| 63 | Munger, H. L | E | Admission, 1897. |  |  |
| 64 | Walker, J. H. | E | Admission, 1897. |  |  |
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| 88 | Gore, J. O.. | Se | Admission, 1902 |  |  |
| 89 | Nevill, S. P... | E | Admission, 1902. |  |  |
| 90 | Patterson, E. R. | E | Admission, 1902 |  |  |
| 91 | Webb, L. A. | E | Transfer, 1902 |  |  |
| 92 | Macune, C. W. | Se | Admission, 1903 | 1905 | 1907 |
| 93 | Turney, A. E. | E | Admission, 1903 | 1905 | 1907 |
| 94 | Brown, R. F. | E | Admission, 1904 | 1906 | 1908 |
| 95 | Collie, D. L | E | Transfer, 1904 | 1873 | 1881 |
| 96 | Howell, Z. L. | E | Admission, 1904. | 1906 | 1908 |
| 97 | Jones, W. T. | E | Admission, 1904 | 1906 | 1908 |

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL-Continued
Abbreviations: Se-Superannuate; Sy-Supernumerary; E—Effective.

|  | Name |  | How and When Admitted | Ordained |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | - Deacon | Elder |
| 98 | McAfee, J. U. | E | Admission, 1904 | 1904 | 1908 |
| 99 | Pollard, J. G. | Se | Transfer, 1904 |  |  |
| 100 | Baldridge, J. H | E | Admission, 1905... | 1909 | 1911 |
| 101 | Bryan, Gid J. | E | Admission, 1905.. | 1908 | 191.0 |
| 102 | Clark, H. B. | E | Admission, 1905. | 1907 | 1909 |
| 103 | Crawford, J. E | E | Admission, 1905. |  | 1909 |
| 104 | Gardner, N. E. | Se | Transfer, 1905. | 1892 | 1894 |
| 105 | Gaskins, W. D. | E | Transfer, 1905 | 1893 | 1897 |
| 106 | Holt, J. W. | E | Transfer, 1905 | 1887 | 1889 |
| 107 | Patison, J. W | Se | Transfer, 1905 |  | 1891 |
| 108 | Peeples, N. J | Se | Transfer, 1905 | 1901 | 1908 |
| 109 | Singleton, F. E. | E | Transfer, 1905. |  |  |
| 110 | Alsup, B. F. | E | Transfer, 1906... | 1894 | 1896 |
| 111 | Bowman, J. Hall | E. | Admission, 1906. | 1908 | 1910 |
| 112 | Chenoweth, E. B. |  | Transfer, 1906 |  |  |
| 113 | Crow, B. S. | ${ }_{\text {E }}$ | Admission, 1906... | 1908 | 1910 |
| 114 | Huddleston, H. D | $\stackrel{\mathrm{S}}{\mathrm{S}}$ | Transfer, 1906... | 1904 | 1909 |
| 115 | Millis, V. J. | Se | Transfer, 1906.. |  |  |
| 116 | Neal, Jno. M. | E | Transfer, 1906. | 1905 | 1908 |
| 117 | Simpson, C. E | E | Transfer, 1906 |  |  |
| 118 | Keener, W. H. | E | Admission, 1907. | 1909 | 1911 |
| 119 | Luker, J. Frank | E | Admission, 1907. | 1909 | 1911 |
| 120 | Siceloff, J. A. | $\underset{\text { E }}{\text { E }}$ | Admission, 1907.. | 1909 | 1914 |
| 121 | Vinsant, W. | ${ }_{\text {E }}$ | Admission, 1907. |  | 1911 |
| 122 | Webb, Atticus | E | Transfer, 1907. | 1893 | 1897 |
| 123 | Adams, J. F.. | $\underset{\text { E }}{ }$ | Admission, 1908. | 1910 | 1913 |
| 124 | Ashburn, S. A. | E | Transfer, 1908 | 1884 | 1886 |
| 125 | Bowman, H. C | E | Admission, 1908 | 1910 | 1914 |
| 126 | Head, J. W. | Se | Transfer, 1908. | 1888 | 1890 |
| 127 | Kimbrow, B. E. | Sy | Admission, 1908 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 128 | Langston, R. A | E | Admission, 1908. | 1911 | 1915 |
| 129 | \|McGehee, F. L | Se | Transfer, 1908. |  |  |
| 130 | Monk, Alonzo, Jr | E | Admission, 1908.. |  | 1912 |
| 131 | Wilkins, C. E. | E | Admission, 1903. | 1910 | 1912 |
| 132 | Rape, J. J. | Se | Transfer, 1908. | 1896 | 1903 |
| 133 | Hawk, E. B. | E | Admission, 1909 | 1911 | 1913 |
| 134 | Kinslow, W. T. | E | Admission, 1909. | 1911 | 1913 |
| 135 | Kornegay, G. F. | E | Admission, 1909 | 1911 | 1913 |
| 136 | Lackey, A. C. | Se | Admn. Pres. 1909.... |  |  |
| 137 | Lloyd, E. L. | E | Transfer, 1909.. |  |  |
| 138 | Neill, W. A. | E | Admission, 1909 | 1911 | 1913 |
| 139 | Noble, W. W. | E | Transfer, 1909 |  | 1912 |
| 140 | Ray, F. A. | E | Admission, 1909 | 1911 | 1914 |
| 141 | Bowman, T. E. | E | Transfer, 1910 |  | 1901 |
| 142 | Broxton, Preston | E | Admission, 1910 | 1912 | 1915 |
| 143 | Culver, F. P. | E | Transfer, 1911 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 144 | Doss, W. H. | Se | Transfer, 1910. | 1877 | 1879 |
| 145 | Isbell, J. F. | E | Admission, 1910 | 1912 | 1914 |
| 146 | Landrum, H. B. | E | Admission, 1910 | 1912 | 1914 |

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL-Continued

Abbreviations: Se-Superannuate; Sy-Supernumerary; E-Effective.

| $$ | Name |  | How and When Admitted | Ordained |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Deacon | Elder |
| 147 | Morphis, W. J. | E | Transfer, 1910 | 1900 | 1907 |
| 148 | Smoot, J. D. | Sy | Admission, 1910 | 1912 | 1915 |
| 149 | Sory, R. O. | E | Admission, 1910 | 1912 | 1914 |
| 150 | Wisdom, E. M | E | M. E. Ch.,1910. | 1909 | 1912 |
| 151 | Bond, J. M. | E | Admission, 1911. | 1913 | 1915 |
| 152 | Capps, R. T. | E | Admission, 1911. | 1914 | 1916 |
| 153 | Clark, J. F. | E | Transfer, 1911. | 1896 | 1902 |
| 154 | Diltz, C. B. | E | Admission, 1911. | 1913 | 1915 |
| 155 | Felder, L. L | E | Admission, 1911. | 1913 | 1915 |
| 156 | Gilmore, S. P. | E | Admission, 1911. |  | 1921 |
| 157 | Morton, O. A. | E | Admission, 1911. | 1910 | 1916 |
| 158 | Thompson, S. G. | E | Transfer, 1911. |  |  |
| 159 | Waddill, F. O. | E | Admission, 1911. | 1913 | 1915 |
| 160 | White, L. G. | E | Transfer, 1911. |  |  |
| 161 | Bailey, W. G | E | Admission, 1912 | 1914 | 1916 |
| 162 | Bridges, E. W | E | Admission, 1912 | 1915 | 1917 |
| 163 | Chunn, M. M. | E | Admission, 1912 | 1914 | 1916 |
| 154 | Clarke, W. A. | E | Transfer, 1912 | 1894 | 1897 |
| 165 | Council, M. D. | E | Admission, 1912 | 1913 | 1916 |
| 166 | Hester, J. N. | E | Admission, 1912 | 1914 | 1918 |
| 167 | Reese, R. L | Se | Transfer, 1912 |  |  |
| 168 | Baird, J. V. | E | Transfer, 1913. |  |  |
| 169 | Bell, C. F. | E | Admission, 1913. | 1915 | 1917 |
| 170 | Boulware, W. T. | E | Admission, 1913 | 1914 | 1917 |
| 171 | Brockette, C. T. | E | Admission, 1913 | 1915 | 1917 |
| 172 | Burton, T. H. | E | Admission, 1913. | 1915 | 1917 |
| 173 | Crabtree, Elmer | E | Admission, 1913. | 1914 | 1917 |
| 174 | Ellis, T. D... | E | Admission, 1913. | 1915 | 1917 |
| 175 | Hawkins, W. E., Jr. | E | Admission, 1913. | 1914 | 1917 |
| 176 | Hightower, C. O..... | E | Admission, 1913 | 1915 | 1917 |
| 177 | Kirkpatrick, Seba | E | Transfer, 1913 |  | 1908 |
| 178 | Layne, P. W. | E | Admission, 1913 | 1914 |  |
| 179 | Mitchell, G. G | E | Admission, 1913 | 1916 | 1920 |
| 180 | Meadow, F. L | E | Transfer, 1913 | 1911 | 1914 |
| 181 | Patterson, J. Fred. | Sy | Admission, 1913 | 1914 | 1918 |
| 182 | Poteet, Horace ...... | E | Admission, 1913. | 1914 | 1917 |
| 183 | Shuler, J. W. W. | E | Transfer, 1913 | 1894 | 1896 |
| 184 | Sorrells, T | E | Admission, 1913 | 1914 | 1917 |
| 185 | Story, T. G. | E | Admission, 1913. | 1914 | 1917 |
| 186 | Boone, M. L. | E | Admission, 1914. | 1917 | 1919 |
| 187 | Booth, C. H. | E | Transfer, 1914. |  |  |
| 188 | Connell, W. L. | E | Admission, 1914. | 1917 | 1921 |
| 189 | Gates, P. H. | E | Admission, 1914. | 1916 | 1918 |
| 190 | Hays, J. M. | E | Admission, 1914 | 1916 | 1918 |
| 191 | Hooper, R. B. | E | Admission, 1914.. | 1914 | 1918 |
| 192 | Leach, L. P. | E | Admission, 1914. | 1917 | 1919 |
| 193 | Riley, P. E. | E | Transfer, 1914. | 1909 | 1911 |
| 194 | Oliver, J. L | E | Admission, 1915. | 1917 | 1919 |
| 195 | Story, M. L................ | Se | Transfer, 1915. | 1903 | 1907 |

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL—Continued

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wّ } \\ & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{g} \end{aligned}$ | Name |  | How and When Admitted | Ordained |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Deacon | Elder |
| 196 | Anderson, W. E. | E | Admission, 1916 | 1918 | 1920 |
| 197 | Bergin, J. W. | E | Transfer, 1916 | 1897 | 1899 |
| 198 | Chisholm, D. A. | E | Admission, 1916. | 1917 | 1920 |
| 199 | Cole, W. H....... | E | Admission, 1916. | 1916 | 1918 |
| 200 | Crosby, R. A | E | Transfer, 1916 | 1895 | 1899 |
| 201 | Scarlett, E. N | E | Admission, 1916. | 1918 | 1920 |
| 202 | Smith, C. Q. | E | Admission, 1916. | 16 | 1920 |
| 203 | Bowles, J. S. | Se | Transfer, 1917. |  |  |
| 204 | Cantrell, P. E. | E | Admission, 1917. | 1919 | 1921 |
| 205 | Ferguson, J. T | E | Admission, 1917. | 1919 | 1921 |
| 206 | Harrell, W. E | E | Admission, 1917... | 1919 | 1921 |
| 207 | Haynes, A. C. | E | Admission, 1917. | 1919 | 1921 |
| 208 | Mayne, J. W. | E | Transfer, 1917. | 1905 | 1907 |
| 209 | Neal, T. Edgar | E | Transfer, 1917.. | 1914 | 1917 |
| 210 | Morton, W. B. | E | Admission, 1917.. | 1920 | 1922 |
| 211 | Odom, O. O.... | E | Admission, 1917. | 1919 | 1921 |
| 212 | Thompson, H. B | E | Admission, 1917 | 1919 | 1921 |
| 213 | Walkup, J. A. | E | Admission, 1917 | 1919 | 21 |
| 214 | \|Wright, G. R. | E | Transfer, 1917. |  |  |
| 215 | Nollner, R. E. | E | Admission, 1917. |  |  |
| 216 | Butler, R. L. | E | Admission, 1917. | 1923 |  |
| 217 | Boiles, Marsh | E | Admission, 1918. | 1920 | 1922 |
| 218 | Franklin, A. W. | E | Admission, 1918. | 1916 | 1922 |
| 219 | Irvin, David ... | E | Admission, 1918. |  | 1914 |
| 220 | Lancaster, P. E | E | Admission, 1918 Transfer, 1918. | 1920 | 1922 |
| 221 | Ogle, T. S. | E | Transfer, 1918. | 1913 | 1915 |
| 222 | Ramsey, J. ${ }^{\text {Veatch, W. }}$ | $\stackrel{\mathrm{E}}{\mathrm{E}}$ | $\begin{array}{\|ll} \text { Transfer, } & \text { 1918.... } \\ \text { Admission, } & 1918 \end{array}$ | 1920 | 1922 |
| 224 | Wallace, R. T | E | Admission, 1918. | 1920 | 1922 |
| 225 | Ward, W. W. | E | Admission, 1918. | 1913 | 1918 |
| 226 | \|Bell, A. C. | E | Transfer, 1918. |  |  |
| 227 | Puckett, C. H. | E | Admission, 1919. | ....... | 1922 |
| 228 | Stanford, P. T. | E | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Admission, } & 1919 . \\ \text { Admission, } & 1919\end{array}$ |  |  |
| 229 | Lightfoot, E. H. | E | Admission, 1919 <br> Admission, 1919 |  |  |
| 230 | Willshire, F. L. | $\underset{\mathrm{E}}{\mathrm{E}}$ | Admission, 1919  <br> Transfer, 1919 | 1921 | 1923 |
| 231 | Hall, A. W..... | E | Transfer, 1919 <br> Transfer, 1919 | 1904 | 1906 |
| 232 | Rentfro, J. N | E | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Transfer, } & 1919 \\ \text { Transfer, } & 1919\end{array}$ |  |  |
| 233 | Stout, H. E. | E | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Transfer, } \\ \text { Admission, } & 1920 . \\ & 1929\end{array}$ | 1922 | 1904 |
| 234 | Byrd, W. N. | E | Admission, 1920 | 1922 | 1924 |
| 235 | Cloud, W. J. | E | Admission, 1920 <br> Admission, 1920 | 1922 | 1924 |
| 236 | Edmiaston, B. B | E | Admission, 1920. <br> Admission, 1920 | 1922 | 1924 |
| 237 | Fort, H. T.... | $\underset{\mathrm{E}}{\mathrm{E}}$ | Admission, 1920 <br> Admission, 1920 | 1922 | 1924 |
| 238 | Sanders, J. T. | $\underset{\mathrm{E}}{\mathrm{E}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Admission, } 1920 \\ & \text { Admission, } 1920 \end{aligned}$ | 1922 | 1924 |
| 239 | Sharbutt, J. W. | E | Transfer, 1920 | 1920 | 1923 |
| 241 | Buttrill, C. M. | E | Transfer, 1920 |  |  |
| 242 | LaPrade, R. J. | E | Transfer, 1920 |  | 1922 |
| 243 | Potter, E. W. | E | Transfer, 1920.. | 1905 | 1908 |
| 244 | Rader, W. M | E | Transfer, 1920. | 1893 | 1895 | CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL-Continued

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Chronological Roll of Undergraduates.


## Lay Delegates.

| Brownwood District | Gatesville District |
| :---: | :---: |
| *Judge E. J. Stockton, Robert Lee | J. M. Robertson, Meridian |
| Rev. C. S. Reese, Winchell | H. Y. Price, Evant |
| *J. B. Pitts, Coleman | Mrs. R. W. Nation, Valley Mills |
| J. W. Golson, Coleman | *W. Leake Ayers, Gatesville |
| W. O. Turner, Blanket | Rev. J. W. Bowden, Meridian |
| J. W. Mitchell, Brownwood | Mrs. J. W. Bowden, Meridian |
| J. A. Jones, Comanche | *Jno. M. Grimland, Clifton |
| Mrs. A. D. Porter, Brownwood | Mrs. Pearl White, Gatesville |
| Cisco District | Georgetown District |
| J. E. Hickman, Breckenridge | F. F. Downs, Temple |
| Mrs. E. W. Kimble, Gorman | J. S. Fox, Granger |
| $\dagger$ James Irby, Rising Star | J. D. Seiders, Taylor |
| $\dagger$ Rev. W. A. Tate, Carbon | Oscar Lusk, Belton |
| Mrs. J. W. Foster, Eastland | W. S. Rowland, Temple |
| *C. E. Love, Desdemona | M. C. Cook, Granger |
| J. A. McClenry, Breckenridge | *R. E. Guess, Rogers |
| A. B. White, Gunsight | H. C. Smith, Killeen |
| Cleburne District | Waco District |
| *T. W. Hines, Venus | *Geo. H. Wiebusch, Jr., Waco |
| R. G. Cashion, Alvarado | Mrs. W. E. Collins, Eddy |
| $\dagger$ Miss Nellie Robinson, Granbury | Judge G. W. Barcus, Waco |
| J. J. Moore, Joshua | Mrs. W. S. Mayes, Waco |
| *Judge W. J. Oxford, Stephenville | *A. J. Kincannon, Eddy |
| J. B. Wilson, Granbury | $\dagger$ Mrs. Ellen Hatch, Lorena |
| $\dagger$ E. A. Rice, Cleburne | Mrs. C. H. Booth, Waco |
| W. W. Hudson, Glenrose | Sem Nix |
| Corsicana District | Waxahachie District |
| Mrs. H. B. Clark, Dawson | H. N. Peters, Waxahachie |
| *J. H. Farmer, Dawson | Mrs. E. W. Potter, Waxahachie |
| $\dagger$ Miss Ollie McAfee, Frost | J. V. Forbes, Waxahachie |
| *Mrs. W. B. Andrews, Mexia | $\dagger$ L. R. Campbell, Italy |
| J. O. Sessions, Kerens | *Mrs. J. G. Oliver, Midlothian |
| Mrs. W. B. Landrum, Mexia | *Mrs. J. S. Richard, Itasca |
| *Henry Bounds, Wortham | A. J. Turk, Hillsboro |
| S. W. South, Rice | *L. C. Callaway, Itasca |
| Fort Worth District | Weatherford District |
| *Miss Ethel Farmer, Kennedale | R. G. Boger, Weatherford |
| E. J. White, Fort Worth | *J. D. Hutcheson, Springtow |
| J. B. Parr, Handley | *R. P. Lee, Graford |
| C. F. Webb, Fort Worth | $\dagger$ Sam Bird, Olney |
| J. W. Akers, Fort Worth | J. C. White, Graham |
| *W. J. Baker, Fort Worth | Mrs. S. J. Rucker, Weatherford |
| *M. L. Williams, Arlington | R. W. Dent, Azle |
| G. A. Henderson, Mansfield | *A. L. Howard, Mineral Wells |
| * Absent. <br> $\dagger$ Answered second roll calị. |  |

## Conference Directory.

## ALPHABETICAL ROLL OF MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE, INCLUDING PREACHERS ON TRIAL

| No. |  | Postoffice | Appointment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Seoul, Korea |  |
| 2 | Adams, J. F.......... | Hamilton ... | Hamilton Station |
| 3 | Alsup, B. F..... | Glen Rose | Glen Rose Station |
| 4 | Anderson, W. E. | Bronte | Bronte |
| 5 | Andrews, W. B. | Mexia | Mexia, First Church |
| 6 | Armstrong, J. M... | Salado | Field Agent A. B. S. |
| 7 | Armstrong, R. C... | Fort Worth | Sec'y Sunday L. of A |
| 8 | Armstrong, T. S..... | Groesbeck | Groesbeck |
| 10 | Ashburn, S. A...... | Fort Worth. | Highland Park |
| 10 | Bailey, J. B. (I).... | Waco .... | Jr. P. Austin Ave. Coleman |
| 11 | Bailey, W. G.......... *Baird J V | Coleman | Secretary Y. M. C. A. |
| 13 | Baldridge, J. H....... | Brownwood | Central |
| 14 | Barcus, Jno. M.... | Corsicana | Presiding Elder |
| 15 | Barcus, Thos. S..... | Hillsboro | First Church |
| 16 | Beaird, W. R.. | Dallas | Student S. M. U. |
|  | $\dagger$ Bell, A. C. | Abilene | Gen. Evange |
| 18 | Bell, C. F. | Sipe Springs | Sipe Springs |
| 19 | $\dagger$ Bell, J. A.............. | Hillsboro | Line Street |
| 20 | Bennett, H. W....... | Hutto | Hutto and Jonah |
| 21 | Bergin, J. W........ | Fort Worth .a.c.i........ | First Church |
| 22 | Berry, J. B........... | Waco, 1814 Amicable.... | Secretary Education Graham Circuit |
| 23 | Bickley, J. W........ | Graham |  |
| 24 | Billingsley, S. A. <br> (IV) | Boyce | Boyce Circuit |
| 25 | Bishop, Horace | San Angelo | Superannuate |
| 26 | Bloodworth, J. T... | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 27 | Boatman, C. O. (I) | Salado | Salado and Bell |
| 28 | Boatman, L. D... | Strawn | Str |
| 29 | Boiles, Marsh ....... | Gustine |  |
| 30 | Bond, J. M............. | Itasca | Itasca Station |
| 31 | Boone, E. F............ | Fort Worth, 2601 Wil- kinson | Superannuate |
| 32 | Boone, M. L.......... | Abbott | Abbott and Vaughan |
| 33 | Booth, C. H. | Waco | Austin |
| 34 | Boulware, W. T..... | Dawson | Dawson |
| 43 | *Bowles, J. S. | Brady | Superannuate |
| 36 | Bowman, H. C |  | Santa Anna |
| 37 | Bowman, J. Hall.... | Santa Anna | Santa Anna First Church |
| 38 | Bowman, T. E...... | Cisco -... | First Church |
| 39 | Boyd, R. H... | Emhouse |  |
| 40 | Braswell, J. H. | Hico .... | Superannuate Ballinger |
| 41 | Bridges, E. W. | Ballinger -...- | China Springs |
| 43 | Brockette, C. T | Iredell ......... | Iredell |
| 44 | Brown, R. F.......... | Waco | Conf. Supt. S. S. |
| 45 | Broxton, Preston.... | Drasco | Drasco |
| 46 | Bryan, Gid J........ | Winters | Winters |
| 47 | Butler, R. L.. | Indian Creek | Indian Cr |
| 48 | Buttrill, C. M. | Fort Worth | Diamond Hill |
| 49 | Burton, T. H. | Bartlett | Bartlett |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| 50 | Byrd, W. N. | Bluffdale | Bluffda |
| 51 | Cantrell, P. E. | Waxahachie | Waxahachie Circuit |
| 52 | Capps, R. T. | Godley | Godley |
| 53 | Carraway, A. C. | Forreston | Forreston and Nash |
| 54 | Carraway, A. E..... | Rice | Rice, Haynie Memorial |
| 55 | *Carter, J. C. | Car | Superannuate |
| 56 | Cartwright, C. L... | Breckenridge | Breckenridge |
| 57 | *Chenoweth, E. B... |  | Superannuate |
| 58 | Chisholm, D. A.... | Corsicana | Eleventh Avenue |
| 59 | Chunn, J. L. (II).. | Walnut Springs | Walnut Springs |
| 60 | Chunn, M. M..... | West ..... | West |
| 61 | Clark H. B... | Wortham | Wortham |
| 62 | Clark, J. F. | Nolanville | Nolanville |
| 63 | Clark, L. A. | Granbury | Granbury Circuit |
|  | *Clark, M. W. | Waco | Clay Avenue |
| 65 | Clarke, W. A. | Covington | Covington and 0. |
| 66 | Cloud, W. J. | Millsap | Millsap |
| 67 | Cole, W. H. | Lorena | Lorena |
| 68 | Collie, D. L. | Fort Worth | Agt. Superan. Homes |
| 69 | Connell, W. L. | Crosscut | Crosscut |
|  | Cook, J. S. (II) | Meridian ..................... | Pres. Meridian College |
|  | $\dagger$ Council, M. D. | Olney | Olney Station |
| 72 | Covington, T. A..... | Florence | Florence |
| 73 | Cowan, J. W........ | Italy, | Italy |
| 74 | Cox, B. M. (I)....... | Georgetown | Student S. U. |
| 75 | Crabtree, Elmer | Mount Calm | Mount Calm |
| 76 | Crawford, J. E.. | Fort Worth | Centenary Secretary |
| 771. | Crawford,R.L. (I) | Brownwood | Jr. Pr. First Church |
| 78 | Crawford, W. H..... | Midlothian | Superannuate |
| 79 | Creed, J. J. | Cleburne | Anglin Street |
| 80 | Crosby, R. A. | Fort Worth .................. | Glenwood |
| 81 | Crow, B. S. | Duffau | Duffau |
| 82 | Culbertson, A. T... | Fort Worth | Supernumerary |
| 83 | Culver, F. P... | Fort Worth | Presiding Elder |
| 84 | Culwell, J. W.(IV) | Bunyan .- | Bunyan |
| 85 | Culwell, S. L. | Waco | Herring Avenue |
| 86 | Curry, J. B.... | Dublin | Dublin |
| 87 | Curry, W. N | Mansfield | Mansfield |
| 88 | Dailey, E. M... | Arlington, Rt. 3 | Euless |
| 89 | *Daniel, C. W. | Fort Worth .. | Superannuate |
| 90 | Davenport,R.H.(1) | Fairy | Fairy |
| 91. | Davis, C. O. | Blum | Blum and Rio Vista |
| 92 | Davis, W. C. (III) | Gatesville | Gatesville Circuit |
| 93 | Diltz, C. B. | Crawford | Crawford |
| 94 | - Doss, W. H. | Ballinger | Superannuate |
| 95 | Dunson, W. N. (I) | Olney | Olney Circuit |
| 96 | Edmiaston. B. B..... | Waco | Axtel, Riesel and M. |
| 97 | Ellis, D. C............ | Ft. Worth, 2520 McKinley | Superannuate |
| 98 | Ellis, T. D... | Bynum ........................... | Bynum and Brandon |
|  | *Ellis, T. W. | Fort Worth | Supernumerary |
| 100 | * Evans, B. A. | Neighbours, Cal. | Superannuate |
| 101 | Felder, L. L. | Fort Worth | Missouri Avenue |
| 102 | Ferguson, C.W.(II) | Fort Worth | Jr. Pr. Polytechnic |
| 103 | $\dagger$ Ferguson, J. T. | Maypearl | Maypearl and A. |
| 104 | Ferguson, W. C.... | Winchell | Winchell \& Mt. Vernon |

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| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 105 | *Field, C. S. | Dallas, 3704 Stratford. | Supernumerary |
| 106 | Fort, Homer T. | Eddy | Eddy |
| 107 | Fort, J. W... | Temple | First Church |
| 108 | Franklin, A. W. | Weatherford | Weatherford Circuit |
| 109 | *Frost, S. E. Jr. | New Haven, Conn... | Student Yale U. |
| 110 | Gafford, A. S. (II) | Roswell | Roswell |
| 111 | *Gardner, N. E... | Comanche | Superannuate |
| 112 | Gaskins, W. D. | Waxahachie | Bethel |
| 113 | Gaston,H. W. (IV) | Grandview | Grandview Circuit |
| 114 | Gates, P. H | Kerens | Kerens Station |
| 115 | *Gilleland, W. A..... | Georgetown | Superannuate |
| 116 | Gilleland, W. B..... | Graford | Graford |
| 117 | Gilmore, S. P... | Mosheim | Mosheim |
| 118 | Gordon, E. R. (II) | Thrall | Thrall and L. |
| 119 | *Gore, J. 0. | San Jon, N. M. | Superannuate |
| 120 | Gray, W. T... | Waco | F. Supt. Orphanage |
| 121 | Griffith, Walter.... | Thurber | Thurber |
| 122 | Grimes, J. C. (IV) | Loving | Loving |
| 123 | Hall, A. W.... | Ranger | Ranger |
| 124 | Hall, H. R. (I)...... | Frost | Emmett |
| 125 | * Hall, J. R: B.......... | Fort Worth | Supernumerary |
| 126 | Harrell, W. E. ...... | Palo Pinto | Palo Pinto |
| 127 | *Harris, I. F............ | Waxahachie | Superannuate |
| 128 | *Harris, W. H. | Red Oak | Superannuate |
| 129 | Hawk, E. B.. | Waxahachie | Presiding Elder |
| 130 | Hawkins, W. E., Jr. | Robert Lee | Robert Lee |
| 131 | Hay, Horace (III) | Holland | Holland |
| 132 | $\ddagger$ Haynes A. C........ | Hillsboro | Prof. H. Jr. Col. |
| 133 | Hays, J. M............ | Chatfield | Chatfield |
| 134 | Hays, M. C. | Killeen | Killeen |
| 135 | *Head, J. W. | Altus, Ark. | Superannuate |
| 136 | Hearon, W. J. | Valley Mills | Valley Mills |
| 137 | Heizer, R. H. | Glen Rose | Glen Rose Mission |
| 138 | Heinsohn, Edmund (II) | Red Oak |  |
| 139 | Helms, A. J. (IV) | Santo | Santo |
| 140 | Hendrickson, J. D. | Thornton, Rt. 4 | Big Hill and B. H. |
| 141 | Henry, H. B.......... | San Antonio, 1041 Denver Blvd. |  |
| 142 | Hester, J. N. | Proctor | Proctor and L. |
| 143 | Hightower, C. O..- | Kennedale | Forest Hill and K. |
| 144 | Hightower, E. | Nashville, Tenn. ........... | Asst. S. S. Editor |
| 145 | $\dagger$ Hightower, I. E..... | Caddo ............... | Caddo |
| 146 | Hilburn, W. C.... | Handley .......- | Handley |
| 147 | Hill, E. L. (III) | Cisco ... | 12th Street |
| 148 | Hodges, C. L. (I) | Georgetown | Student S. U. |
| 149 | Hollingsworth, F. <br> (IV) | Novice | Novice and Crews |
| 150 | Holt, J. W.......... | Mart, Rt. 1. | Conf. Evangelist |
| 151 | Hooks, T. W. (I) | Gordon | Gordon |
| 152 | Hooper, R. B... | Midlothian | Midlothian |
| 153 | Hotchkiss, M. S..... | Granger ....................... | Granger |
| 154 | Howell, Z. L... | Morgan ...................... | Morgan and K. |
| 155 | Huddleston, H. D... | Hico ...... |  |
| 156 | Hulme, A. G. (IV) | Hamilton | Hamilton Circuit |
| 157 | Irvin, C. W. | Burleson | Burleson |

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| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 158 | Irvin, David | Penelope | Penelope |
| 159 | Isbell, J. F | Gorman | Gorman |
| 160 | Jones, A. C. (I) | Coleman .. | Coleman Circuit |
| 161 | Jones, A. J. (III).- | May | May |
| 162 | Jones, W. T......... | Desdemona | Desdemona |
| 164 | Justice, T. J. | Rockwood | Superannuate Rockwood and G. |
| 165 | Justice, W. M. (I) | Georgetown | Student S. U. |
| 166 | Keathley, B. H.(I) | Thornton | Thornton |
| 167 | - Keener, W. H.... | Munger | Munger |
| 168 | Kimbrow, B. E..... | Waxahachie | Supernumerary |
| 169 | Kincheloe, G. W... | Corsicana, M. Rt. A. | Asst. Conf. Miss. Sec. |
| 170 | Kinslow, W. T | Oglesby | Oglesby |
| 171 | Kirkpatrick, S. | DeLeon | DeLeon Station |
| 172 | Knoy, J. D. (III).- | Barry | Barry |
| 173 | Kornegay, G. F..... | Fort Worth | Sylvania Heights |
| 174 | Kramer, B. W...- | Azle | Azle |
| 175 | Lackey, A. C. | Carlton | Superannuate |
| 176 | Lancaster, P. E.... | Britton | Britton |
| 177 | Landrum, H. B. | Frost | Frost |
| 178 | Langston, R. A..... | Waco | First Church |
| 179\| | LaPrade, R. J........ | Newcastle | Newcastle |
| 180 | Layne, P. W. | Waco, RFD 3, Bx. $557 .$. | Bosqueville and S. |
| 181 | Leach, L. P. | Grapevine | Grapevine |
| 182 | \$Lightfoot, E. H | Fort Worth | Arlington Heights |
| 183 | Lindsey, C. E. | Gatesville | Presiding Elder |
| 184 | *Lipscomb, A. P.... | Bryson | Superannuate |
| 185 | Little, M. K.......... | Fort Worth, 2233 Harrison $\qquad$ |  |
| 186 | Lloyd, E. L........... | Fort Worth | Educ. Direc., 1st Ch. |
| 187 | *Long, A. L. (II) .... | Dallas ..... | Student S. M. U. |
| 188 | Luker, J. F............ | Fort Worth | Boulevard |
| 189 | Macune, C. W... | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 190 | Marney, A. K. (I) | Bardwell | Bardwell |
| 191 | Matthews, W. H... | Fort Worth | Hospital Commissioner |
| 192 | Mayne, J. W.......... | Fort Worth | Mulkey Memorial |
| 193 | McAfee, J. U. | Fort Worth | Sagamore |
| 194 | McBrayer, T. M. <br> (II) | Whitt | Whitt |
| 195 | *McCarter, J. M.... | Tyler | Superannuate |
| 196 | *McCarver, C. S. | Pecos | Superannuate |
| 197 | McCauley, D. R. <br> (II) | Kirvin | Kirvin |
| 198 | McCullough, W. S. <br> P. $\qquad$ | Ft. Worth, Rt. 4, Box 363-D | Sycamore |
| 199 | $\dagger$ McGehee, F. L... | Weatherford | Superannuate |
| 200 | *McGuire, D. A... | Fort Worth | Weatherford Street |
| 201 | Meadow, F. L. | Stephenville | Stephenville |
| 202 | Mitchell. G. G. | Eliasville | Eliasville |
| 203 | *Millis, V. J... | Houston | Superannuate |
| 204 | Monk, Alonzo, Jr..- | Mineral Wells | Mineral Wells |
| 205 | Morphis, M. M.... | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 206 | Morphis, W. J...... | Meridian | Meridian Station |
| 207\| | Morris, Jno. R..... | Hubbard | Hubbard |


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| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| $\overline{208}$ | Morrison, V. P. <br> (III) | Itasca | Itasca Circuit |
| 209 | Morton, C. N. | Venus | Venus |
| 210 | Morton, O. A. | Delia, Rt. 2. | Prairie Hill |
| $211 \dagger$ | Morton, W. B. | Carbon | Carbon |
| 212 | Moss, W. W. | Gatesville | Gatesville Station |
| 213 | Munger, H. L | Cleburne | Main Street |
| 214 | Nance, H. H. (III) | Mexia | Mexia Circuit |
| 215 | Nation, R. W...- | Moody | Moody Station |
| 216 | \#Neal, Jno. M. | Huntsville | Gen. Evangelist |
| 217 | Neal, T. Edgar...... | Weatherford | First Church |
| 218 | Neill, W. A... | DeLeon | DeLeon Circuit |
| 219 * | *Nelms, W. L. | Beaumont, 456 Oakland | Superannuate |
| 220 | Nevill, S. P. | Hewitt | Hewitt and S. V. |
| 221 | Noble, W. W. | Temple, Rt. 6. | Midway and C. C. |
| 222 | Noe, F. M. | Rogers | Rogers |
| 223 | Nollner, R. E. | Nashville, Tenn. | Asst. Sec. E. L. Board |
| 224 | Odom, O. 0 | Waco | Wesley |
| 225 | Ogle, T. S. | Cleburne | St. Mark's |
| 226 | Oliver, J. L | Ireland | Ireland |
| 227 | *Oswalt, C. V. | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 228 | Page, Earl (IV)...- | Blanket | Blanket |
| 229 | *Patison, J. W... | Mineral Wells | Superannuate |
| 230 * | *Patterson, J. I.(II) | New York | Student Columbia U. |
| 231 | Patterson, E. R....- | McGregor | McGregor |
| 232 | *Patterson, J. Fred | Waco | Supernumerary |
| 233 | *Peeples, N. J. | Corsicana | Superannuate |
| 234 | *Pollard, J. G. | San Antonio . | Superannuate |
| 235 | Pope, Kenneth (I) | Milford | Milford |
| 236 | Porter, A. D. | Brownwood | Presiding Elder |
| 237 | Porter, D. K. | Fort Worth | Central |
| 238 | Poteet, Horace...... | Norton | Norton |
| 239 | Potter, E. W... | Corsicana | First Church |
| 240 | Price, R. H. (II).- |  | Collier's Falls |
| 241 | $\ddagger$ Puckett, C. H......... | Scranton | Scranton |
| 242 | Rader, W. M. | Arlington | Arlington |
| 243 | Ramsey, J. D. | Talpa .... | Talpa |
| 244 | *Rape, J. J...... | Weatherford | Superannuate |
| 245 | Ray, F. A. | Fort Worth | Conf. Evangelist |
| 246 | Ray, J. L. | Comanche | Comanche Circuit |
| 247 | Reese, R. L. | Mangum, Okla. | Superannuate |
| 248 | Renfro, G: W. | Carlton ...... | Carlton |
| 249 | Rentfro, J. N. | Georgetown | Georgetown |
| 250 | Richeson, W. W. | Georgetown | Prof. S. W. University |
| 251 | Riley, P. E. | Dallas | Editor Tex. C. Advo. |
| 252 | Roper, Ernest(IV) | Turnersville | Turnersville |
| 253 | *Rowland, C......: | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 254 | Rucker, S. J. | Weatherford | Presiding Elder |
| 255 | Sanders, H. J. (I).. | Eolian | Eolian |
| 256 | Sanders, J. T........ | Corsicana | Max Ave. and E. |
| 257 | *Sawyer, S. B. | Palmer | Superannuate |
| 258 | Scarlett, E. N. | Aquilla | Aquilla and E. M. |
| 259 | $\dagger$ Schlueter, G. A.... | Weatherford | Couts Memorial |
| 260 | Sensabaugh, O. F. | Cleburne | Presiding Elder |
| 261 | Sharbutt, J. W..-... | Troy | Troy and P. |
| 262 | Shearer, G. W.. | Waxahachie | First Church |
| 26 | *Shrader, H. P. | Corsicana | Superannuate |


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| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| 264 | Shugart, C. 0. | Ennis | Ennis |
| 265 | Shuler, J. W. W... | Graham | Graham Station |
| 266 | Shuler, P. L. (IV) | Granbury | Granbury Station |
| 267 | Shutt, C. G. | Jonesboro .... | Jonesboro |
| 268 | Siceloff, J. A | Fort Worth . | Hemphill Heights |
| 269 | Simpson, C. E. | Temple | Seventh Street |
| 270 | *Simpson, W. K. | Robert Lee | Superannuate |
| 271 | Singleton, F. E..... | Fort Worth | Polytechnic |
| 272 | Smith, C. Q............ | Brownwood | First Church |
| 273 | *Smith, E. A. | Waxahachie | Superannuate |
| 274 | Smith G,. G. (IV) | Corsicana | Corsicana Circuit |
| 275 | Smith, M. M, | Waco | Superannuate |
| 276 | Smith, W. F. (II).. | Springtown | Springtown |
| 277. | Smoot, J. D... | Comanche | Supernumerary |
| 278 | Snoddy, B. A. | Graham | Superannuate |
| 279 | Sory, R. 0 | Belton | Belton |
| 280 | $\dagger$ Sorrells, T. L | Ft. Worth-Polytechnic... | Englewood and G. G. |
| 281 | Sowell, T. B. | Tolar | Tolar and Lipan |
| 282 | Stanford, P. T. | Mart | Mart |
| 283 | Statham, C. E...... | Arlington | Superannuate |
| 284 | Stewart, J. H.. | Eastland | Eastland |
| 285 | Story, M. L.... | Coleman | Superannuate* |
| 286 | Story, T. G. | Clifton | Clifton |
| 287 | Stout, H. E | Fort Worth | Pres. T. W. C. |
| 288 | *Sweet, E. M. | Fort Worth | Superannuate |
| 289 | Swindall, E. P. | Palmer | Palmer |
| 290 | Thompson, H. B.... | Comanche | Comanche |
| 291 | Thompson, S. G..... | Georgetown | Presiding Elder |
| 292 | *Tooley, R. J.. | Weatherford | Superannuate |
| 293\| | Tucker, H. D. (IV) | Malone | Malone |
| 294 | Turner, F. L. (II).. | Jarrell | Jarrell |
| 295 | Turner, M. A. | Fort Worth | Trinity |
| 296 | Turney, A. E. | Grandview | Grandview |
| 297 | Tyson, J. F.... | Grandview, R. F. D....... | Barnesville and C. |
| 298 | Utley, P. W. (II).. | Kerens | Kerens Circuit |
| 2991 | $\pm$ Vanzant, K. S....... | Carbon ... | Superannuate |
| 300 | Vaughan, S. J. | Cisco | Superannuate |
| 301 | *Vaughan. W. H...-- | Brookhaven, Miss. .. | Superȧnnuate |
| 302 | Veatch, W. T. | Oenaville | Oenaville |
| 3031. | Vinsant, W | Bruceville | Bruceville and R. |
| 304 | Wade. C. E. (IV). | Aledo | Aledo |
| 305 | Waddill, F. O....... | Bangs | Bangs |
| $306 \dagger$ | Wagner, B. R..... | Blooming Grove ... | Blooming Grove |
| 307* | *Walker, J. E........ | Gorman | Superannuate |
| 308 | Walker, J. H. | Copperas Cove | Copperas Cove |
| 309 | Walker, M. A. (I) | Moody | Moody Circuit |
| 310 | Walker, R. A. | Rising Star | Rising Star |
| 311 | Walkup, J. A. | Irene | Irene and M. |
| 312 | Wall, W. L. | Wingate | Wingate |
| 313 | Wallace, R. T. | Huckabay | Huckabay |
| 314 | Ward, W. W. | Ferris | Ferris |
| 315 | Watkins, H. P.(II) | Haslett | Haslett |
| 316 | Watts, H. B. | Waco | St. John's |
| 317 | Weathers, J. B.(I) | Pioneer | Pioneer |
| 318 | Webb, Atticus ....... | Dallas | Supt. Anti-Saloon L. |
| 319 | Webb, L. A. | Cisco | Presiding Elder |

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| No. | Name | P. O. Address | Appointment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 320 | White, L. G. | Fort Worth | Supernumerary |
| 321 | Wilkins, C. E. | Joshua | Joshua |
| 322 | Williams, E. P.- | Taylor | Taylor |
| 323 | Williams, L. D. (I) |  | Conf. Sec. E. L. |
| 324 | Willshire, F. L. | Richland | Richland |
| 325 | Wilson, W. B........ | Dallas, 3601 Roberts. | Superannuate |
| 326 | Wisdom, E. M...... | Whitney ......... | Whitney |
| 327 | Wright, C. R......... | Waco | Presiding Elder |
| 328 | Wright, G. R........ | Wayland | Wayland |
| 329 | Wynne, J. M.......... | Cooledge | Cooledge |
| 330 | Young, R. B..- | Cleburne | Brazos Avenue |

*Absent.
$\dagger$ Answered second roll call. $\ddagger$ Appeared later.

LOCAL PREACHERS SERVING AS SUPPLIES

| No. | Name | Postoffice | Appointment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Boone, Bolton ........ | Round Rock | Round Rock and Weir |
| 2 | Darwood, L. R......... | Purdon .......... | Purdon and $\mathbf{H}$. |
|  | Reynolds, B. F......... | Pearl | Pearl |

## Local Preachers.

Key: L. P.-Licentiate. L. D.-Local Deacon. L. E.-Local Elder.

| No.l | I Name <br> Adams, Frank $\qquad$ | Postoffice Mart | Waco | Quar. Conf. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Allen, W. D.....................L.P. | Jean | Weatherford. | Loving |
| 3 | Alien, W. P...................L.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown. | Georgetown |
| 4 | Anderson, I. N.................L.E. L . | Rising Star | Cisco. | Rising Star |
| 5 | Baker, Albert ..................L.P. | Bradshaw | Brownwood |  |
| 6 | Baker, J. B.....................L. L.P. | Bradshaw | Brownwood |  |
| 7 | Bailey, C. V....................L. L. | Waco | Waco. | Herring Avenue |
| 8 | Ball, W. I.....................L.D. | Bartlett | Georgetow | Bartlett |
| 9 | Ballentine, R. M............. L.E. | Stephenville | Clebu | Stephenville |
| 10 | Barber, J. P....................L. $\mathbf{L}$ | Dallas (S. M. U.) | Cisco. |  |
| 11 | Barnard, R. ...................L.D | Haslett | Fort Worth | Haslett |
| 12 | Barnes, Cecil .................l.P. ${ }^{\text {l }}$ | Waco | Waco. |  |
| 13 | Barrack, C. M.................L.E. | Rising Star | Cisco. | Rising Star |
| 14 | Beatty, J. P.....................L.D. | Zephyr | Brownwood. | Blanket |
| 15 | Bennett, T. .....................I. ${ }^{\text {I }}$ D. | Mineral Wells | Weatherford | Mineral Wells |
| 16 | Bird, L. S.....................L.P. | Sanco | Brownw |  |
| 17 | Bloodworth, Lloyd .........L.P. | Fort Worth |  | Robert Lee |
| 18 | Boiles, B. ...................... L.P. | Whitney | Waco | Whitney |
| 19 | Bowman, O. E................L. L. | Comanche | Brownwood | Comanche |
| 20 | Bowman, R. L................L.P. | Comanche | Brownwood | Comanche |
| 21 | Bowden, A. F.................. L.E. | Brownwood | Brownwood |  |
| 22 | Bowden, J. L...................L.E. | Meridian, Rt. | Gatesville. | Meridian |
| 23 | Bowden, J. W.................L.P. | Meridian | Gates ville | Meridian |
| 24 | Brewer, Lonnie ............... T.P. | Oran | Weatherford. | Graford |
| 25 | Brewer, M. J..................L.D. ${ }^{\text {L }}$. | Oran | Weatherford | Graford |
| 26 | Briggs, I. E...................I.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown. | Georgetown |
| 27 | Brim, J. K.....................L.P. | Purmela | Gatesville. |  |
| 28 | Brown, LeRoy ..................L.I | Cleburne | Ceburne.........- |  |
| 29 | Burns, Aubrey | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Highland Park |
| 30 | Calhoun, E. C............ .......... | Temple | Georgetown.....- |  |
| 31 | Callaway, B. M...............L.E. | Ranger | Cisco. | Ranger |
| 2 | Casey, J. T.....................L.P. | Norton | Brownwood. | Brownwood |
| 33 | Caviness, F. D................. L.E. | Mineral Wells | Weatherford | Mineral Wel's |
| 34 | Chaffee, M. C................L.E. | Cleburne | Clebur |  |
| 35 | Chancy, C. C..................... L.P. | Gorman | Cisco. | Gorman |
| 36 | Clinton, J. W..................L.D. | Saginaw | Weatherford | Azle |
| 37 | Coalson, Jno. W............L.P. | Garner | Weatherford | Whitt |
| 38 | Cook, S. D....................L.E.E. | Graham | Weathe | Graha m |
| 391 | Courtney, H. M..............L.E. | Gorman | Cisco | Gorman |
| 40 | Cox, E. A......................-L.D. | Dlney | Weatherford | Olney |
| 41 | Cox, H. W.......................L.P. | Meridian | Gatesville. | Meridian |
| 42 | Cox, J. P.......................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Polytechnic |
| 43 | Cox, W. A.......................L.P. | Nolanville | Georgetown. | Nolanville |
| 44. | Crenshaw, R. P.............L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Missouri Avenue |
| 45 | Crow, A. B....................L. L.E. | Weatherford | Weatherford. | Couts Mem. |
| 46 | Curtis, I. S.....................L.E. | Ovilla | Waxahachie. |  |
| 47 | Dair, H. H.....................L.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown.... | Georgetown |
| 48 | Darwood, I. R.................L.D. | Barry | Corsicana.. | Barry |
| 49 | Davenport, Lester .........L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford | 1st Ch., Weath. |
| 50 | DeShazo, M. E................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth.... | Boulevard |
| 51 | DeWald, Louis ................L. L.P. | Copperas Cove | Georgetow | Copperas Cove |
| 52 | Doerr, C. J......................L. L. | Kerens | Corsicana. | Kerens |
| 53 | Donaho, J. W................L.L.P. | Somanche | Brownwood | Comanche |
| 54 | Duncan, M. B................ L.P. | Meridian | Gates ville | Meridian |
| 55 | Earls, E. H...................L.D. | Waco | Waco... | ClayStreet |
| 56 | Elliott, W. H. C.............L.D. | Gra nbury | Cleburne. | Granbury |
|  | Ellis, H. B.....................L.E.E. | Cisco | Cisco.. |  |
| 58 | Evans, H. M.....-...........L.P. | Temple | Georgetown.. |  |
| 59 | Farrar, W. T.................L.L.D. | Red Oak | Waxahachie... | Red Oak |
| 60 | Feeler, E. E. | Talpa | Brownwood... | Talpa |
| 61 | Fine, G. H.......................L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford.. | Couts Mem. |
| 62 | Finley, Wm. R...............L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford. | First Church |
| 63 | Fisher, A. C..................L.D. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | First Church |
| 64 | Fletcher, E. L................. L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford | First Church |
| 65 | Freeman, J. J.................L.E.E. | Caddo | Cisco........ | Caddo |
| 66 | Fox, C. H.......................... L.P | Thornton | Corsicana. | Thornton |
| 67 | Gardner, J. T.................L.P. | Cisco | Cisco..... |  |
| 68 | Garrett, J. W..................L.D. | Mertens | TMirana | Irene and M. |
| 69 | Garrison, W. D...............L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Polytechnic |
| 70 | Gilstrap, P. C | Mansfield | Fort Worth... | Mansfield |
| 71 | Gladney, P. M..............-L.D. | Gorsicana | Corsicana |  |
| 72 | Glenn, J. W....................L.E.E. | Jublin | Cisco.... | Dublin |
| 73 | Goldring, W. E...............L.D. | Arlington | Fort Worth.. | Arlington |
| 74 | Goodman, C. ..................L.P. | Mart | Waco | Mart |
|  | Grant, W. C..................L.D. | Strawn | Cisco... | Strawn |
|  | Greenfield, E. L.............L.P. | Temple | Gsorgetown. |  |
|  | Grounds, D. W.................L.E | Talpa | Brownwecd. | Talpa |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 78 | Griffith, E. E................L.P. | lado | Georgetown... | lado |
| 79 | Groves, G. P..................L.P. | Olney | Weatherford | Olney |
| 80 | Gunter, C. E..................L.P. | Corsicana | Corsicana |  |
| 81 | Gunter, C. O..................L.L.D. | Corsicana | Corsicana. |  |
| 82 | Guinn, G. W..................L.E. | Handley | Fort Worth. | Handley |
| 83 | Guthrie, J. O....-..............L.D. | Weatherford | Weatherford | Couts Mem. |
| 84 | Hallmark, L. .................L.P. | Handley | Fort Worth | Handley |
| 85 | HalseII, A. C.................L.P. | Romney | Weatherford | Olney |
| 86 | Hammond, E. J...............L.P. | Waco | Waco. | First Chureh |
| 87 | Hardy, R. .......................L.P. | May | Brownwood. | May |
| 88 | Havens, J. L................... L.E. | Strawn | Weatherford | Strawn |
| 89 | Hays, Robt. .....................L.L.D. | Red Oak | Waxahachie. | Red Oak |
| 90 | Hewitt, M. S.................L.L.D. | Georgetown | Georgetown.. | Georgetown |
| 91 | Hiles, R, L......................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | First Church |
| 92 | Hill, F. B.....................L.P. | Arlington | Fort Worth. | Arlington |
| 93 | Hill, F. B., Jr................ L.P. | Whitt | Weatherford | Whitt |
| 94 | Hill, L. E.......................L. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Polytechnic |
| 95 | Hines, G. L......................L.P. | Waxahachie | Waxahachie. | Waxahachie |
| 96 | Hodges, R. J...........-...-- L. D . | Wayland | Cisco | Wayland |
| 97 | Holdridge, H. L.............L.P. | DeLeon | Cisco. | DeLeon |
| 98 | Hollingsworth, W. C.....-L.E. | Walnut, Springs | Gatesville. | Walnut Springs |
| 99 | Hudson, H. C..................L.P. | Kirven | Corsicana | Kirven |
| 100 | Hughes, H. L...................L.D. | Evant | Gatesville. | Evant |
| 101 | Hulme, T, B....................L.D. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Mulkey Mem. |
| 102 | Iley, R. R.......................-L.E. | Meridian | Gatesville. | Meridian |
| 103 | Ingram, J. L.................-L.P. | Maypearl | Waxahachie | Maypearl |
| 104 | Irvin, J. A ......................L.P. | Alvarado | Cleburne | Alvarado |
| 105 | Johns, H. W..................L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford | Weatherford Cir. |
| 106 | Johnson, F. E................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Glenwood |
| 107 | Johnson, T, J.................L.P. | Gustine | Brown wood. | Gustine |
| 108 | Jones, H. B..................L.P.P. | Waco, Rt. 8 | Waco. | China Springs |
| 109 | Jones, S. F......................L.P. | Maytown | Cisco |  |
| 110 | Jones, W. A...................L. L.P. |  | Cleburne. |  |
| 111 | Jordan, A. E...................L.E. | Thornton | Corsicana. | Thornton |
| 112 | Kelley, J. J......................L. | Weatherford | Cleburne. |  |
| 113 | Kersey, L. ..........-...........L.P. | Cleburne | Cleburne |  |
| 114 | Kidwell, J. R..................-L.D. | Brownwood | Brownwood |  |
| 115 | Kilpatrick, J. C.............L.P. | Thornton | Corsicana. | Thornton |
| 116 | Knight, J. H..................-L.P. | Iorena, Rt. | Waco. | Hewitt |
| 117 | Knott, C. S......................L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | First Church |
| 118 | Knox, D. F......................-L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford.... | Couts Mem. |
| 119 | Lane, J. R......................-L.E. | Waco | Waco | Austin Ave. |
| 120 | Lavender, J. I................L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth..... | Mulkey Mem. |
| 121 | Leberman, R, ................L.P. | Olney | Weatherford.... | Olney |
| 122 | Legg, J. W.....................L.P. | Moody | Gatesville.. | Moody |
| 123 | Lewis, R. N.--.-------........L.P. | Olney | Weatherford.... | Olney |
| 124 | Lloyd, H. B...................L.P. | Hewitt | Waco..... | Hewitt |
| 125 | Long, H. M....................L.E. | Eort Worth | Fort Worth | Poly technic |
| 126 | Love, Dr, W. R...............L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Missouri Avenue |
| 127 | Lovett, S. .......................L.P. | Arlington | Fort Worth. | Arlington |
| 128 | Lowery, A. P................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Polytechnic |
| 129 | Lowery, T. N................L.E. | Waco | Waco. | St. John's |
| 130 | Lucas, W. C....................L.P. | Dallas | Weatherford | First Church |
| 131 | McBrayer, C. C...............L.D. | Mineral Wells | Weatherford | Mineral Wells |
| 132 | MeBride, J. D................. L.P. | Meridian | Gatesville. | Meridian |
| 133 | McClesky, J. R...............L.R. | Lingleville | Cisco... |  |
| 134 | McElroy. P. B................L.E. | Brownwood | Brownwood. | Brownwood |
| 135 | McKelvey, J. F..............L.E. | Oglesby | Gatesville. | Oglesby |
| 136 | McKeown, J. T...............L.E. | Dawson | Corsicana. | Dawson |
| 137 | Meyers, R. L................... L.D. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Sagamore |
| 138. | Moore, D. A...................L.D. | Ferris | Waxahachie. | Ferris |
| 139 | Moore, E. C...................L.P. | Ennis | Waxahachie. | Ennis |
| 140 | Moore, Thos. .-...............L.I.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown | Georgetown |
| 141 | Moore, Warner ...............L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth.... | Riverside |
| 142 | Morrison, Max ..............L.P. | Waxahachie | Waxahachie.. | Waxahachie |
| 143 | Morrow, D. C.................L.P. | Gatesville | Gatesville. |  |
| 144 | Morton, U. J...................L.E. | Dublin | Cisco. | Dublin |
| 145 | Nabors, A. F..................L.E. | DeLeon | Ciseo. | DeLeon |
| 146 | Nichols, A. B., Jr.-.......L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth.. | Glenwood |
| 147 | Owens, A. J............-.......L.D. | Ranger | Cisco. | Ranger |
| 148 | Owens, J. F....................L.D. | Burleson | Fort Worth. | Burleson |
| 149 | Owens, W. D..................L.P. | Corsicana | Corsicana. |  |
| 150 | Owens, W. R.................L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth. | Stanford Mem. |
| 151 | Paxrish, E. N.................L.D. | Cleburne | Cleburne. |  |
| 152 | Patterson, D. N............. L.P. | Springtown | Weatherford | Springtown |
| 153 | Pattison, O. P................L.P. | Ireland | Gatesville.. | Ireland |
| 154 | Patton, E. J....................L.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown...... | Georgetown |
| 155 | Pennington, Dan ...........L.P. | Oglesby | Gatesville. | Oglesby |
| 156 | Pittman, Clyde ...............L.P. | Hico | Gatesville. | Hico |
| 157 | Pliler, G. L.....................L.E. | Zephyr | Gatesville. | Zephyr |
| 158 | Pulliam, T. L.--...-..........-L.P. | Garner | Weatherford. | Whitt |
| 159 | Puxifoy, M. L.................L.P. | Wortham | Corsicana --....... | Wortham |
| 160 | Price, T. M......................L.E. | Eolian | Cisco........ | Eolian |


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| 161 | Purcell, Graham ....... | W Worth | Fort Worth. | Central |
| 162 | Rand, F. G.....................L.E. | Austin | Weatherford. | First Church |
| 163 | Rape, T. A.............................. | Ballinger | Brownwood. | Ballinger |
| 164 | Reagor, J. G...s................L.D. | Bangs ... | Brownwood. | Bangs |
| 165 | Renfro, S. H....................-L.E. | Waco | Waco.. | First Church |
| 166 | Reece, Thos. .-......................L.E. L. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Weatherford St. |
| 167 | Reese, C. S.....................L.E. | Winchell | Brownwood...... | Winchell |
| 168 | Reynolds, B. F.................L.E. | Pearl | Gatesville | Pearl |
| 169 | Richards, W. D.................L.P. | Norton | Brownwood. | Norton |
| 170\| | Rickard, G. E..................L.P. | Meridian | Gatesville | Meridian |
| 171 | Rickard, J. S......................L.P.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford | Couts Mem. |
| 172 | Ridge, C. A............................P. | Arlington . | Fort Worth.... | Arlington |
| 173 | Rigby, J. H....................L. ${ }^{\text {L }}$. | Grandview | Cleburne. | Grandview |
| 174 | Riley, W. W............................... | Mineral Wells | Weatherford | Mineral Wells |
| 175 | Risinger, J. M,...............L.P. | Hamilton ....... | Gatesville..... | Hamilton |
| 176 |  | Millsap | Weatherford | Millsap |
| 177 | Robins, W. P..................L.D. | Personville | Corsicana. | Mexia Circuit |
| 178 | Robinson, Z. D...............L.P. | Wingate | Brownwood |  |
| 179 | Rose, G. P........................... | Olney ... | Weatherford. | Olney |
| 180 | Rucker, W. K..................L.D. | Waco | Waco. | Herring Ave. |
| 181 | Sands, J. A........--- --.....L.P. | Chatfield | Corsicana. | Chatficld |
| 182 | Scruggs, W. A................L.P. | Penelope | Waco. | Penelope |
| 183 | Shaw, P. A......................L.D. | Maypearl | Waxahachie. | Maypearl |
| 184\| | Shown, B. F................-L.P. | Hamilton | Gatesville... | Hamilton |
| 185 | Shelton. R. M.................L.D. | Zephyr | Brown wood |  |
| 186 | Ship, W. E.....................L.P. | Meridian | Gatesville... | Meridian |
| 187 | Sibley, D. C....................L.L.D. | Arlington | Fort Worth | Arlington |
| 188\| | Sifford. S. A...----.......-L. P. | Godley | Cleburne | Godley |
| 189 | Siler, Geo. ......................L.P. | Moody | Gatesville. | Moody |
| 190 | Skinner, B. W...............L.P. | Chilton, Rt. 3 | Waco. | Eddy |
| 191 | Smith, George ...............-L.E. | Walnut Springs | Gatesville. | Walnut Springs |
| 192 | Smith, D. F...................L.P. | Georgetown -... | Georgetown...... | Georgetown |
| 193 | Smith, H. C...................L.P. | Waxahachie | Waxahachie.... |  |
| 194 | Smith, J. L......................L.D. | Palmer | Waxahachie. | Palmer |
| 195 | Smith, H. B....................L.E. | Stephenville | Cleburne | Stephenville |
| 196 |  | Hills boro | Waxahachie | Hillsboro |
| 197 | Smith, W. J...................L.P. | Frost | Corsicana | Frost |
| 198 | Smotherman, A. H..........L.P. | Mineral Wells | Weatherford. | Mineral Wells |
| 199 \| | Speer, J: L......................L.D. | Winters | Brown wood | Winters |
| 200 | Stanford, W. T...............L.E. | Hico | Gatesville. |  |
| 2011 | Steinman, Geo. .............-L.P. | Georgetown | Georgetown | Georgetown |
| 202 | Stepp, D. N...................L.D. | Kerens | Corsicana.... | Kerens |
| 203 | Starling, W. B..............LL.D. | Blanket | Brownwood | Blanket |
| 204 | Stephenson, C. A.-.........-L.P. | Sardis | Waxahachie. | Waxahachie Cir. |
| 205. | Stewart, J. H., Jr...........L.P. | Waxahachie | Waxahachie..... |  |
| 206 | Storey, N. W..................L.P. | Comanche .- | Brown wood. | Comanche |
| 207 | Swearingen, E. W...........-L.P. | Hewitt . | Waco. | Hewitt |
| $208 \mid$ | Tate, W, A...........................P. | Carbon | Cisco. | Carbon |
| 209 | Taylor, A. P..................L.P. | Temple | George town...... |  |
| 210 | Taylor, C. ......................L.P. | Hewitt | Waco........... |  |
| 211 | Teague, Weldon | Moody | Gatesville | Moody |
| 212 | Thomas, B. J. H.............-L.E. | Arlington | Fort Worth... | Arlington |
| 213 | Thomas, E. G..................L.E. | Kennedale | Fort Worth.... | Forest H. \& K. |
| 214 | Thornton, L. E.............-L.E. | Hamilton | Gatesville... | Hamilton |
| 215 | Tharp, G. G...................L.P. | Meridian | Gatesville. | Meridian |
| 216 | Thrash, F. W..............L.P. | Blooming Grove | Corsicana | Blooming Grove |
| 217 | Tickner, W. J.................L.P. | Cisco | Cisco. |  |
| 218 | Tinkle, J. N...................-L.D. | Kerens | Corsicana | Kerens |
| 219 | Tucker, J. H....................L.P. | Arlington | Fort Worth | Arlington |
| 220 | Vance, C. F..................L.L.D. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth.. | Riverside |
| 221 | Ward, T. J.......................... | Breckenridge | Cisco........... | Breckenridge |
| 222 | Ward, W. D..................L.D. | Terrell ......... | Weatherford | Strawn |
| 223 | Warner, V. A..................L.L.D. | Oglesby | Gatesville......... | Oglesby |
| 224 | Warren, V. A...............L.D. | Ireland | Gatesville | Ireland |
| 225 | Watkins, J. C................L.E. | Rising Star | Cisco. | Rising Star |
| 226 | Watkins, M. M.-...-........L.P. | Rising Star | Cisco................ | Rising Star |
| 2271 | West, H. E......................L.P. | Olney ...... | Weatherford | Olney |
| 228 | West, T. A...................-L.P. | Rising Star | Cisco... | Rising Star |
| 229 \| | Weathers, J. B..............-L.E. | Wayland ... | Cisco......... | Wayland |
| 230 | Williams, E. O..............L.E. | Corsicana | Corsicana. |  |
| 231 | Willis, Jesse | Breckenridge | Cisco........ | Breckenridge |
| 232 | Whatley, W. L...............L.P. | Kirvin ......... | Corsicana. | Kirvin |
| 233 | Whitaker, M. F..............L.E.E. | Granbury | Cleburne........ | Granbury |
| 234 | Whitworth, F. M. L.P. | Thurber | Weatherford | Thurber |
| 235 | Witherspoon, W. R........L.E. | Weatherford | Weatherford.... | Couts Mem. |
| 236 | Wolfenberger, J L.........L.P. | Weatherford | Weatherford.... | Couts Mem. |
| 2371 | Woolsey, J. L................L.P.P. | Gustine | Brownwood...... | Gustine |
| 2381 | Wooten, Cleo ..................L.P. | Hillsboro | Waxahachie.... | Line St. |
| 239 | Wren, H. .-..................-L.P. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth | Sagamore |
| 240 | Wright, I. M....................L.P. | Orth | Weatherford.... | Newcastle |
| 241 | Young, J. D....................L.E. | Fort Worth | Fort Worth.. | First Church |
| 242\| | Young, W. L. | Corsicana | Corsicana. |  |




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## Daily Proceedings.

## FIRST DAY—WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION


#### Abstract

Opening-The fifty-ninth session (being the fifteenth session since division in 1910) of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in the First Methodist Church, Brownwood, Texas, at 9:00 a. m., November 12th, 1924, with Bishop James E. Dickey in the chair. The opening hymn was No. 388, "A Charge to Keep I Have," and the opening prayer was offered by Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh. The Bishop read the 53rd chapter of Isaiah, after which the Conference sang. "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross." Bishop Dickey based his morning address upon a portion of Scripture found in the ninth chapter of Matthew, his subject being, "What the Harvest Means to the Lord of the Harvest and What the Harvest. Means to the World." Standing, the Conference was led by Dr. John M. Barcus in singing "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"


Roll Call-The Secretary of the former session of the Conference, A. D. Porter, called the roll. Two hundred and twenty-three clerical members, forty-nine lay delegates, six preachers of the Second-Year Class, thirteen of the First-Year Class and four local preachers serving as supplies answered to their names. (See roll.)

Alternates-Alternates were seated as follows: Brownwood District, G. L. Morris in place of J. B. Pitts; Gatesville District, Mrs. C. E. Lindsey in place of John M. Grimland; Waco District, Mrs. C. R. Wright in place of A. J. Kincannon; Waxahachie District, Mrs. L. P. Martin in place of Mrs. J. L. Oliver and Ed Slaton in place of L. C. Callaway.

Election of Secretary-A. D. Porter was elected Secretary and on his nomination R. W. Nation, J. M. Bond, R. A. Crosby and M. A. Turner were elected assistants.

Statistical Secretary-F. O. Waddill was elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination, his assistants were named as follows: P. T. Stanford, W. T. Veatch, O. O. Odom, R. H. Boyd, W. W. Ward, L. D. Boatman, A. E. Turney, C. O. Hightower, J. B. Curry and W. E. Harrell.

Bar of the Conference-The Bar of the Conference was fixed as the entire lower floor of the auditorium.

Hours of Meeting and Adjourning-On motion of C. Q. Smith, the hours of meeting and adjournment were fixed at 9:00 a. m. and 12:30 p. m., respectively.

Welcome Addresses-Addresses of welcome were delivered by Hon. Fred S. Abney, Mayor of Brownwood, and Judge R. L. McGaugh, and the Bishop made fitting replies.

Visitors-The following visitors were introduced: Rev. J. W. Hunt, President of McMurry College, Abilene, Texas; Dr. W. G. Cram, Centenary Director General; Dr. R. D. Russell, one of the Secretaries of the Board of Missions; Dr. Luther E. Todd, Secretary of the Board of Finance; Dr. J. T. Curry, Centenary Commission of the West Texas Conference; Rev. E. L. Shettles of the Texas Conference; Rev. R. A. Rives, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brownwood.

Committees-S. J. Rucker read the report of the Presiding Elders nominating the Standing Committees and filling vacancies on the various boards, which was adopted. (See list.)

Communications-A number of communications were referred to their respective boards and committees without reading.

Presiding Elders' Reports-Question No. 21, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called. The names of the following were called, their characters passed, and they reported for the respective districts: A. D. Porter, Sam G. Thompson, O. F. Sensabaugh, C. A. Bickley, F. P. Culver, C. E. Lindsey, John M. Barcus, C. R. Wright, E. B. Hawk and S. J. Rucker.

Vote of Thanks, Superannuate Home-On motion of A. D. Porter, a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. J. B. Pitts for the erection of the beautiful Superannuate Home at Coleman, Texas.

Supernumerary-The call of question 21 was resumed and the names of the following were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary Relation: T. W. Ellis, J. D. Smoot, B. E. Kimbrow, C. S. Field, J. R. B. Hall, J. Fred Patterson and A. T. Culbertson. The name of L. G. White was called and his character passed. The name of J. H. Wiseman was called and referred to the Committee on Memoirs, he having died during the year.

Devotional Service-On motion of W. C. Hilburn, it was ordered that the Conference be led for the next three mornings from 8:30 to 9:00 in a missionary devotional service by Alonzo Monk, Jr.
E. A. Smith-On motion of Alonzo Monk, Jr., the Secretary was instructed to communicate with Rev. E. A. Smith of Waxahachie, who was detained at home by ill health.

Introduction-Mrs. James E. Dickey, wife of the Bishop, was presented to the Conference by the pastor host, Rev. C. Q. Smith.

Adjournment-After numerous announcements, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Geo. F. Fair of the Northwest Texas Conference.

## SECOND DAY-THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening-Bishop Dickey called the Conference to order promptly at 9:00 o'clock. Rev. R. C. Armstrong led in prayer. A thirty-minute devotional service had been conducted from 8:30 to 9:00 a. m. by Alonzo Monk, Jr.

Minutes-The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Roll Call-The call of absentees was made and six clerical members and one member of the First-Year Class answered to their names. (See roll.)

Introduction-The following visitors were introduced to the Conference: Dr. Stonewall Anderson, Secretary of the Board of Education; Rev. O. P. Clark of the Northwest Texas Conference and Dr. C. S. Wright of the West Texas Conference.

Resolution-Dr. Wright was granted the floor and presented a resolution concerning the San Antonio Mission Home and Training School which follows:

## RESOLUTION ON SAN ANTONIO MISSION HOME AND TRAINING SCHOOL

Whereas, conditions at the San Antonio Mission Home and Training School are steadily becoming more crowded and the equipment and grounds available at the present location are daily becoming more inadequate, and,

Whereas, it is the opinion of the Administrative Board of said institution that a more suitable location might be obtained through an ex-
change of properties or by the sale of the present property and a reinvestment of the funds derived thereofrom.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, that the Board of Trustees of the San Antonio Mission Home and Training School be, and it is hereby authorized to sell or exchange the present property and equipment belonging to said institution and obtain in lieu thereof property better suited for the purpose of said institution, and to make all necessary conveyances in connection with such sale or exchange, provided, that such transactions shall in no wise incur financial obligations against this Conference.

Be it further resolved, that the Trustees of said San Antonio Mission Home and Training School be, and they are hereby authorized to incorporate said institution under the laws of the State of Texas. Respectfully submitted,
J. T. BLOODWORTH, F. L. MEADOW, CULLOM H. BOOTH, EUGENE B. HAWK.

This is to certify that the above resolutions were adopted by the West Texas Conference in session at Austin, Texas, October 25, 1924.

> A. D. PORTER, Secretary.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Temperance and Social Service. Dr. Wright also offered the Auditor's report on the financial condition of the institution above named, and it is to be published in connection with the report of the Committee on Temperance and Social Service.

Hospital Cause-On motion of C. H. Booth, it was made the order of the day for Friday morning at 11:00 o'clock to consider the Hospital Cause.

Dr. Stonewall Anderson-Dr. Stonewall Anderson addressed the Conference on the subject of Christian Education.

Superannuates-Under question 21 the names of the following were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee for the Superannuate Relation: H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, D. C. Ellis, W. V. Jones, J. M. McCarter, V. J. Millis, C. V. Oswalt, J. J. Rape, E. M. Sweet, W. K. Simpson, E. F.' Boone, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, I. F. Harris, F. L. McGehee, A. C. Lackey, N. E. Gardner, J. E. Walker, B. A. Snoddy, B. A. Evans, W. H. Crawford.

Report of J. E. Crawford-Rev. J. E. Crawford, Centenary Secretary, read a report of his work which was filed for record. It follows below:

## REPORT OF J. E. CRAWFORD, CENTENARY SECRETARY

## District Rallies

Early in the year we held a District Missionary Rally in every district in the Conference in the interest of the Centenary Pay-Out Campaign. In these rallies we had the able assistance of Prof. G. L. Morelock, Secretary of the General Board of Lay Activities, and the hearty co-operation of the Presiding Elders, the Conference and district leaders and the district secretaries of the Woman's Missionary Society. These meetings were the best attended in the history of the Conference and proved to be a stimulus to the Centenary and other interests of the church.

## District Conference Visitation

We reached five of the District Conferences and presented the fifth anniversay appeal, which was based on the expiration of the five calendar years of the Centenary period. We received responses from about two
hundred treasurers in the Conference stating that the special anniversary letters were sent out to the subscribers.

## Town and Country Program

In accordance with the plan of the Centenary Commission, we selected several volunteer helpers to assist in visiting the churches in town and country which subscribed five thousand dollars and under. Some real good was accomplished by this visitation during the summer season.

## European Missions Visited

At his own expense in July and August the Secretary visited our missions in Belgium and Czecho-Slovakia in the hope that by obtaining first-hand knowledge of conditions in our new fields on the historic and interesting continent of Europe, he might be able to render more effective service in behalf of the missionary cause.

## Fall Round-Up

In view of the pressing needs of the Conference Board and the crisis we are facing in our general work, we made an earnest and persistent effort in September and October to get all available Centenary money collected and remitted by Annual Conference.

## Amount Collected

The collections for the year, while much below our desire and expectation, are above the average returns for the church at large. The amount collected on individual pledges from Nov. 1, 1923, to Nov. 1, 1924 , is $\$ 58,107.46$; from Sunday Schools, $\$ 5,687.32$, and from Epworth Leagues $\$ 1,640.54$, making a total of $\$ 65,435.32$. This is about 56 per cent of the amount paid last year. The church as a whole has collected about 40 per cent of the amount paid last year.

## Adjustment of the Original Pledge

A definite plan of adjustment has been adopted by the Commission, and it is proposed to make an adjustment of the pledge in every local church, where adjustment is necessary, by Jan. 1st. This is to be done under the direction of the secretary with the aid of volunteer helpers.

Plans for "Carrying On"
The program for the coming year is to be a "Carry On Program." Its two main features are:
(1) The finishing up of the Centenary.
(2) The securing of supplemental funds by taking shares in our World Program.

The money invested in World Program shares may be directed through the Centenary channel, if a church so desires, and credited on its Centenary obligation, in which case the Conference Board will still receive 10 per cent. Churches and Sunday Schools that have paid their pledges in full are encouraged to assume the support of one or more specials and send the full amount for these specials direct to the General Board of Missions.

The period allotted by the General Conference Committee for special cultivation and emphasis upon the "Carrying On Program" is Jan. 15March 15, 1925. It is recommended and urged that the Week of Prayer, Jan. 8-15, be observed and emphasized as a special period for prayer and intercession in behalf of our mission work.

> (Signed) J. E. CRAWFORD,

Mr. Pendingoard Report No. 1-This report was read by Alonzo Monk, Jr. Pending its adoption, it was spoken to by Dr. R. L. Russell, Dr. W. G. Cram and E. W. Potter. The report was adopted and follows below:

## REPORT NO. 1 OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

To the Presiding Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference: Dear Brethren-We, your Board of Missions, desire to submit for prayerful consideration and adoption our report No. 1.

Through a communication from the parent board we have learned that the General Board now finds itself one million dollars in debt, and because of the expansion of the work made possible by the Centenary, it will need an additional one million dollars for maintenance purposes above the amounts now paid through the general collections.

Not only is the trouble financial, but it is also one of lack of information on matters missionary-and in addition the spiritual danger of becoming spiritually isolated in the world's spiritual program.

We would therefore recommend the adoption by this Conference of the remedies and program suggested by the General Board to meet the situation as follows:

First-A week of prayer by this Conference beginning January 8th and ending January 15th.

Second-Effective missionary institutes within the districts in cooperation with the Presiding Elders.

Third-An extensive plan for missionary study in classes reaching the last member of the church possible.

Fourth-The dissemination of specially prepared literature on missions and stewardship through the many different channels.

Fifth-That Missionary Specials be adopted by churches, individuals, Sunday Schools, Epworth Leagues and other organizations of the church.

Sixth-That we encourage the taking of shares in the World Movement for the Carry On Program of the Centenary in which churches and individuals will in their own chosen manner make new contributions to be turned over to the General Board of Missions for use when and where they may deem best.

Seventh-That we insist on the proper direction of monies collected on Missionary and Social Service Days to the General Board of Missions.

Eighth-That we co-operate with the General Board in its "Carry On" Prcgram for January 15th to March 15th, 1925.
(Signed) W. C. HILBURN, President of the Board of Missions.
ALONZO MONK, JR.,
Secretary of the Board of Missions.
Done November 13th, 1924.
Readmission-In answer to question 8, "Who are readmitted?" the case of J. R. Kidwell, coming recommended by the Brownwood District, was presented by the Presiding Elder, and he being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, was re-admitted, taking his place in the Class of the Second Year. The Bishop announced that he would be transferred to the West Texas Conference and stationed at Eden in the San Angelo District.

Superannuates-Question No. 21 was resumed and the following names were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee for the Superannuate Relation: C. W. Macune, W. A. Gilleland, H. B. Henry, C. Rowland, M. M. Morphis, R. L. Reese, C. W. Daniel, Horace Bishop, W. H. Doss, S. J. Vaughan, W. L. Nese, C. W. Vanzant, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H.

Braswell, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, E. A. Smith, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, R. J. Tooley, M. K. Little, W. B. Wilson, J. S. Bowles, J. W. Patison, S. B. Sawyer, the time having been extended for the completion of this call.

Introductions-After numerous announcements, the following visitors were introduced: Rev. G. W. Shearer, transfer from the Northwest Texas Conference; Rev. H. E. Draper of the West Texas Conference, Rev. H. K. Agee of the North Texas Conference, Rev. Josephus Lee of the West Texas Conference, Dr. C. C. Selecman, President of Southern Methodist University; Dr. H. M. Whaling, Vice President of the same institution; Rev. J. W. Johnson of the Texas Conference, Dr. W. B. Gray, pastor of the local First Presbyterian Church; Rev. W. L. Fall, transfer from the West. Texas Conference; Rev. Glenn Flinn of the West Texas Conference, Rev. Louis N. Stuckey of the Northwest Texas Conference, Rev. W. E. Lyon of the Northwest Texas Conference and Rev. Gaston Hartsfield of the West Texas Conference.

Adjournment-The doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction pronounced by Rev. H. E. Draper.

## THIRD DAY-FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening-After a thirty-minute devotional service conducted as the Conference had previously ordered, promptly at 9:00 a. m. the Bishop called the Conference to order and Rev. J. W. Fort led in prayer.

Minutes-The minutes of the previous session were read and opproved.

Late Arrivals-The presence of the following was noted: W. H. Doss, C. E. Wilkins, W. E. Beaird, transfer from North Alabama Conference; G. W. Barcus, delegate from the Waco District; E. A. Rice from the Cleburne District and J. D. Hutcheson from the Weatherford District.

- Alternate-C. W. Wilson from the Weatherford District was seated in place of C. F. Yeager.
E. Hightower-Rev. E. Hightower, Assistant Sunday School Editor, represented the great Sunday School cause.

Resolution-Mrs. John R. Nelson-A resolution was presented by Dr. Horace Bishop, requesting the Memphis Conference to allow the name of Mrs. John R. Nelson, widow of the late and much honored Dr. John R. Nelson, to be transferred from their Conference Journal to that of the Central Texas Conference. The resolution was unanimously adopted and follows below:

## RESOLUTION

To the Bishop and Members of the Memphis Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South:
Dear Brethren-Dr. John R. Nelson, who died in Memphis April 22, 1924, and who was then Presiding Elder of the Memphis District, was for thirty-eight years a member of the Central Texas Conference. He came to us a young man fresh from Vanderbilt University. He even developed among us those qualities of leadership by which he has been so long and so well known to the entire church. On the 25th of April, 1888, he was married to a noble woman, reared in Texas and in the bounds of our Conference. She is now in her widowhood living in Highland Park, Dallas. For thirty-six years her life has been bound up in the life of the Northwest, now the Central Texas Conference. For these sentimental reasons it would be a comfort to her for her enrollment to be in this Conference. It will be a source of joy to us to have it so.

We therefore respectfully request that you consent to have the name of Mrs. John R. Nelson transferred to the roll of honor called Conference Claimants in the Central Texas Conference.

HORACE BISHOP,
0. F. SENSABAUGH.

Resolution by H. B. Henry-A resolution offered by H. B. Henry concerning the publication of the sermon delivered by Dr. C. C. Selecman on Thursday night was laid on the table.

Leave of Absence-Leave of absence was granted H. B. Henry and
Hightower. E. Hightower.

Admission on Trial-Question 1 was called, "Who are admitted on trial?" and was answered as follows: From the Brownwood District Roy L. Crawford, Homer R. Hall and Adron C. Jones, the last named being admitted by a two-thirds vote, he not having met the educational requirements. Cisco District, John. B. Weathers and Henry Jefferson Sanders, by a two-thirds vote. Corsicana District, Bryan H. Keathley. Fort Worth District, Andy K. Marney. Gatesville District, Melvin A. Walker and R. H. Davenport, by a two-thirds vote. Georgetown District, Louie D. Williams, Bruce M. Cox, Wm. M. Justice and Clifton L. Hodges. Waco District, John B. Bailey and Wallace N. Dunson. Waxahachie District, Kenneth Pope.

On Trial-Question 3, "Who remain on trial?" was called, and the names of the following were called, their characters passed, and they were advanced to the Class of the Second Year: Edmund Heinsohn, Thomas Marvin McBrayer, Frank L. Turner, Robert H. Price, Clarence O. Boatman, Eustace R. Gordon, David R. McCauley, Paul W. Utley, Samuel R. Grace (transferred to Northwest Texas), Joseph L. Chunn, Alvin S. Gafford, Henry P. Watkins (in orders) and Charles Wright
Ferguson. The name of Thomas W. Hook was called, his character Ferguson. The name of Thomas W. Hook was called, his character passed and he remained in the Class of the First Year, not having completed the year's course of study.

Deacon's Orders-The names of the following were called under question 17, their characters passed, and they were advanced to the Class of the Third Year, all being elected to deacon's orders: Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance and Wm. Calvin Davis, E. L. Hill's character passed and he was advanced to the Class of the Third Year, he being in orders.

The names of the following were called, their characters passed and they remained in the Class of the Second Year, not having completed the year's course of study: Jos. S. Cook, A. L. Long, S. E. Frost, Jr. and J. I. Patterson, the last named being already a Deacon.

The name of W. J. Whitley was called and it was stated by his Presiding Elder that he had withdrawn from the Methodist Church.

Third-Year Class-Under the call of question 15, "Who are the deacons of one year?" the names of the following were called; their characters passed, and they were advanced to the Class of the Fourth Year: S. A. Billingsley, R. E. Briggs, H. W. Gaston, Floyd Hollingsworth, A. G. Hulme, Earl Page, J. L. Ray, Ernest Roper, P. L. Shuler, W. F. Smith, H. D. Tucker, C. E. Wade, R. L. Butler, E. M. Dailey, A. J. Helms, J. W. Culwell, W. C. Ferguson, J. C. Grimes, R. E. Nollner and T. J.
Justice. Justice.

The name of. J. G. Harwell was called, his character passed, and he remained in the Class of the Third Year.

Order of the Day-The order of the day having arrived, W. H. Matthews read report of the Hospital Commission. Pending adoption the report was spoken to by W. H. Matthews, F. P. Culver and J. W. W.

Shuler. Bishop Dickey urged the importance of the Conference living up to the promise made by the Conference concerning this great undertaking. The report was adopted and follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE METHODIST HOSPITAL

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference in Session at Brownwood, Texas, November 15th, 1924:
Perhaps no board of this Conference has been able to make such inspiring reports as have been made by the Hospital Board for several years.

We are glad to report that your board has made large progress in the hospital enterprise since the last session of the Annual Conference. At that time the excavations for the foundation of the hospital building were being made and we were rejoicing in the very beginning of the construction work. We are glad to report to you that after the placing of the foundation that a contract was let on June 26th, 1924, for the total frame, brick, stone and terra cotta and all necessary work to Contractors Butcher \& Sweeney at a price of $\$ 364,523.00$. The contract for the electric wiring necessary in the outer walls and floors was also let at about the same time. At this time they have proceeded with the work until they are now building on the fourth fioor of the building. When this contract is completed, the building will, from an outside appearance, seem completed save for the placing of the windows and we then can proceed to the interior work.

If we can now have united effort and co-operation, we can go forward with this great enterprise to ultimate success and we believe that our great Conference will rally now to the necessity of these collections and that the greatest hospital building in the South will soon be completed and owned by your Conference.

The assessment that you have made for the Hospital Commissioner and the expenses of the board have not only left the actual pledges to the hospital to be used for the building, but the moral effect has been very fine; in that all who have made pledges have been assured that the expenses of the promotion of the hospital were being paid by your assessment. The assessment of $\$ 7,500.00$ is scarcely enough for this promotion work and we would like to have a large appropriation, but in vicw of the claims of other boards of the church, we only make a request for an assessment of this amount and trust that by no means will you reduce this sum.

We have elected W. H. Matthews as Hospital Commissioner and request the Bishop to appoint him to this work for the next Conference year.

## Recommendations

Inasmuch as each District Conference has already accepted its full quota, and

Inasmuch as a District Campaign Committee has been provided for each district,

We hereby recommend that these Campaign Committees continue their work of securing individual and church pledges until the quota of each charge is secured in full, and that they also be instructed to continue their work until the whole amount of the quota of each district is paid in full. (The District Campaign Committee consists of the following: The Presiding Elder, the district Lay Leader, the district Associate Lay Leaders, the district Secretaries of the Epworth League, the district Secretary of the Sunday School and all members of Hospital Board residing in the district.)

We recommend that the Presiding Elders and pastors be instructed to secure, in the first quarterly Conference, if possible, the acceptance and pledge of the Quarterly Conference for the full quota of each charge,
where the quota has not already been pledged, and that the hospital office be furnished with a pledge card; and that the Church Campaign Committee, already provided for, be continued until the entire quota is paid in full. (The Church Campaign Committee consists of the following: The pastor, the chairman of the Board of Stewards, the Sunday School Superintendent, the President of the Woman's Missionary Society, the President of the Epworth League and such others as these may elect.)

We recommend that the Woman's Missionary Society be earnestly requested to put THE METHODIST HOSPITAL and NURSE TRAINING on their programs in the local auxiliary and also on their Conference and district programs.

The Sunday School and Epworth League Boards have set apart the third Sunday in May as HOSPITAL DAY in all Sunday Schools and Epworth Leagues in the Conference; and provided that an offering be taken to apply to the building of the Children's Department in the hospital.

We recommend that the whole church join heartily in making this day a great success.

We recommend that the month of May, 1925, be set apart as Hospital Month and that we set for our goal for June 1st, 1925, the raising of two-thirds of the quotas in each charge in cash.

We recommend that the Presiding Elders be requested to give ample time in all District Conferences and District Pastors' Conferences for a thorough discussion of hospital matters.

We had referred to us a report from the General Hospital Board. This report brings to us the cheering news of general progress of hospital work in our church.

The report announces the opening of new hospitals in Memphis, Tenn., and in Houston, Texas, during the last year and that another one will be opened in Montgomery, Ala., January 15th, 1925.

These, with the Barnes Hospital at St. Louis, Mo.; the Wesley Memorial at Atlanta, Ga., and a small hospital at Hattiesburg, Miss., are treating from ten to twelve thousand patients annually, with a total income of $\$ 627,795.00$ and a property valuation of $\$ 4,249,822.00$.

The terms of office of several members of our board expires with this Conference year and we nominate and recommend for election the following as members of the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Hospital: W. B. Andrews, J. E. Hickman, Marvin D. Evans, W. Erskine Williams. W. H. McCullough, H. H. Simmons and M. K. Graham.

Attached hereto is a list of the Trustees with their postoffice addresses.

> Respectfully submitted,
> L. A. WEBB,
> MARVEsident Board of Trustees.
> MARIN D. EVANS,
> Assistant Secretary.
(Editor's Note.-The list of Trustees of the hospital are printed in the first part of the Journal in connection with other boards.)

Southern Methodist University-Dr. C. C. Selecman president of Southern Methodist University, addressed the Conference in the interest of that institution.

Resolution-D. L. Collie offered a resolution commending the sermon preached on Thursday evening by Dr. Selecman and asking for publication of same. The resolution was adopted and is as follows:

## RESOLUTION

Whereas. we were greatly delighted with the se mon preached by Dr. C. C. Selecman, President of Southern Methodist University, on Thursday evening, Nov. 13th, and

Whereas, we are in hearty accord with the sentiments set forth in that sermon, and

Whereas, we believe that a circulation of it would promote great good. Therefore,

Be It Resolved, That we request Dr. Selecman to furnish to our church press the said sermon for publication.
(Signed)
D. L. COLLIE,
H. B. HENRY,
F. P. CULVER
J. W. W. SHULER,
P. E. RILEY,

W: H. MATTHEWS,
JOHN M. BARCUS,
J. D. SEIDERS.

Southwestern University-Dr. J. Sam Barcus, President of Southwestern University, spoke in behalf of that institution.

Introductions-Rev. W. M. Pearce, pastor of First Church, Abilene and Miss Hanson, Missionary to Korea, were introduced to the Conference.

Adjournment-After the singing of the doxology, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Horace Bishop.

## FOURTH DAY-_SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening-The Conference came to order at the call of the Bishop promptly at 9 o'clock and after singing, prayer was offered by $W$. H. Crawford.

Minutes-The minutes of the previous session were read and ap-. proved.

Election of Elders-Question 19 was called, "What traveling and what local preachers are elected elders?" The names of the following were called, their characters passed, and they were elected elders, having passed the Committee of Examination: Wm. Nicodemus Byrd, Wm. Jeremiah Cloud, Bernard Bates Edmiaston, Homer Thomas Fort, Jno. Thos. Sanders, Geo. Andrew Schlueter, Lewis DeWitt Botman, Walter Robin Beaird, Jos. Wilson Bickley, Jas. William Sharbutt.

The name of J. D. Kursell was called, his character passed and was shown to have passed the Committee of Examination.

Transfers In-Question 9 was called, "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" The Bishop announced the following: Chas. W. Ferguson in the Class of the First Year from the Northwest Texas Conference; W. W. Richeson, G. W. Shearer, and S. L. Culwell, Elders, from the Northwest Texas Conference; G. G. Smith, Class of the Fourth Year, from the Northwest Texas Conference; J. W. Fort, W. L. Wall, Elders, and L. D. Boatman, Class of the Fourth Year, from the North Texas Conference; C. O. Davis, Elder, from the New Mexico Conference; T. A. Covington, Elder, from the West Texas Conference; and W. R. Beaird, Class of the Fourth Year, from the North Alabama Conference.

Transfers Out-Question 13, "Who are transferred to other Conferences?" was called, and the Bishop named the following: C. A. Bickley, E. E. White, W. B. Vaughn, J. W. Shepherd, all Elders, and S. R. Grace (advanced to Class of Second Year), to the Northwest Texas Conference; J. D. Kursell (having passed Fourth Year examination), and J. R. Kidwell, Class of Third Year, to West Texas Conference; Henry Francis and W. H. Coleman, Elders, to the New Mexico Conference; Z. R. Fee to the East Oklahoma Conference.
"Election of Local Elder-In answer to the second section of Question 19, "What local preachers are elected elders?" C. S. Reese coming properly recommended from the Brownwood District, was elected.

Discontinued-Answering Question 5, "Who are discontinued?" there was no one.

Reception of Preachers From Other Churches-In answer to Question 10, "Who are received as traveling preachers from other churches?" T. B. Sowell, an Elder from the Baptist Church, coming properly recommended from the Gatesville District, was received.

Location-Question No. 11 was called, "Who are located this year?" and the answer was J. G. Harwell.

Withdrawal-Question 12 was called, "Who have withdrawn or been expelled?" It was announced that J. A. Dozier and W. J. Whitley had withdrawn and their characters passed up to the time of their withdrawal.

Memoirs-Question 14, "What preachers have died during the year?" was answered with the name of E. V. Cox and J. H. Wiseman, and they were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Recognition of Orders-P. B. McElroy, an Elder in the Nazarene Church, coming properly recommended from the Brownwood District was granted recognition of his orders as a Local Elder.

Place of Next Meeting-Question 42 was called, "Where shall the next session' of the Conference be held?" H. N. Peters nominated Waxahachie and F. P. Culver nominated Fort Worth. Waxahachie received a majority of the votes, then followed a motion that carried which made Waxahachie the unanimous choice.

Class of Fourth Year-Question 16, "Who else is in the Class of the Fourth Year?" was called and the answer was no one.

Local Deacons-In answer to the last section of Question 17, "Who are elected local deacons?" the name of Oly Ocy Worthington from the Waxahachie District was presented, and he was elected.

Full Connection-Question 6 was called, "Who are admitted into full connection?" The following came before the bar of the Conference, and after an inspiring address by the Bishop and having given satisfactory answers to the Disciplinary questions, they were admitted by a unanimous vote into full connection: Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance and Wm. Calvin Davis.

Restoration of Credentials-F. P. Culver presented a request from the Quarterly Conference of the Harrisburg Station, Houston District, Texas Conference, asking for the restoration of credentials of H. B. Urquhart. All the requirements of the Discipline having been complied with, the request was granted.

Report of Trustees of Superannuate Home-W. C. Hilburn read the report of the Trustees of Superannuate Homes. It was adopted and follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR SUPERANNUATE HOMES

Our agent has prosecuted his work this year under many difficulties, yet it has been a year of success in the way of securing homes. The conference representative of this important interest has had more trouble in making appointments with the pastors, and in raising money in the congregations, than during any other year of his agency. No blame is to be attached to any one. This state of affairs has been due to conditions over which the pastors have had no control.

Two splendid homes have been secured. The Pitts Memorial Home, located at Coleman, Texas, is a thing of beauty and a model of convenience. This Home was built by Brother John B. Pitts at his own expense, the trustees of the Methodist Church at Coleman having deeded a part of the parsonage lot to the Conference Board of Trustees for Superannuate Homes. It is now occupied by Rev. M. L. Story and family. This Home is worth at a very conservative estimate four thousand dollars ( $\$ 4,000.00$ ).

The Needham Memorial Home is located at Mineral Wells. Sister C. L. Cartwright and her fine Sunday School Class, composed of twentysix young women from sixteen to twenty years of age, all of whom are tithers, have raised fourteen hundred dollars towards the purchase of this home. This Home is valued at three thousand dollars ( $\$ 3,000.00$ ). Brother J. W. Patison and family are the happy occupants of this delightful Home. The report of the agent to our Board shows a financial exhibit of eight thousand one hundred dollars and seventy-four cents raised for all purposes.

During the past year an enterprise for securing a Superannuate Home in the bounds of the Waco District has been started. W. W. Lastinger, Geo. Weibusch, Jr., and W. A. Denton, constitute a committee of laymen that will undertake to push this matter to a successful completion as a Waco District Enterprise. Eddy is the place selected for the location of this Home, where Brother A. J. Kincannon and wife have donated a very fine site for the Home, consisting of two lots valued at seven hundred dollars ( $\$ 700.00$ ). In addition to the lots being given, the Methodist congregation at Eddy has pledged two hundred dollars toward the building fund.

The more our good Methodist people are informed about what we are doing to secure Homes for our retired veterans, the more they become interested in this great cause, and as it is impossible for our agent to visit all the charges in the Conference during the year, we, therefore, direct him to select some suitable person to represent this cause at each District Conference, and the Presiding Elders are requested to give such representatives a suitable time and place on their program.

We request Bishop Dickey to appoint D. L. Collie, agent for Superannuate Homes for the ensuing conference year.

Respectfully submitted,
W. B. ANDREWS, President.
W. C. HILBURN, Secretary.

Collection-In connection with this report W. B. Andrews took a collection for D. L. Collie and his work which amounted to $\$ 126.65$.

Report of Conference Treasurer-Homer Fort read the Conference Treasurer's Report, and it was adopted. The report follows:

## REPORT OF CONFERENCE TREASURER

To the Bishop and Members of the Conference:
Your Treasurer begs to submit his report as follows:
Amount collected during the year................................................... \$ 46,558.06
Amount collected at Conference...................................................... 121,206.31
\$167,764.37
Or $.876 \%$ of total assessments applied as follows:
General Work Fund. . $70,038.63$
Conference Work Fund................................................................. 97,672.74
Conference Mission, Special
53.00
$\$ 167,764.37$
Included in above totals is $\$ 403.00$ from the last conference year which was received too late for my report.

In addition there has been deposited with me during the year for use of the Conference Board of Missions $\$ 6,000.00$ and for the Conference Board of Finance, $\$ 192.76$.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. E. JESTER,
Conference Treasurer.
Question 21-Question 21, "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called, and the names of all the preachers which had not been previously called, were called one by one and their characters passed. (See roll).

Supernumerary-Under Question 22, "Who are supernumerary?" the name of L. G. White was referred to the Committee for this relation.

Superannuates-Under Question 23, "Who are superannuated?" the names of the following were referred to the Committee for the Superannuate Relation: J. T. Bloodworth, M. L. Story and M. M. Smith. M. M. Smith and J. T. Bloodworth both made feeling and fine-spirited remarks.

Collections-An offering was taken for M. M. Smith amounting to $\$ 131.72$. S. J. Rucker represented the critical condition of R. J. Tooley, and an offering for him was taken amounting to $\$ 144.10$ which was placed in the hands of his Presiding Elder.

Commission on Budget-Gid J. Bryan presented the report of the Commission on Budget which was adopted, and is as follows:

## REPORT OF COMMISSION ON BUDGET

The Commission on Budget submits the following report showing the assessments approved for the ensuing year.

|  | Assessment | Scale |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Church Extension | . \$ 5,000 | . 044763 |
| Education | 36,600 | . 327663 |
| Entertainment, Committee on | 2.000 | . 017905 |
| Epworth League Board........... | - 3,250 | . 029096 |
| Finance, Board of, | 28,000 | . 250671 |
| Hospital Board | 7,350 | . 065801 |
| Lay Activities | 500 | . 004476 |
| Missions, Board of, | 22,000 | . 196957 |
| Sunday School Board | 4,000 | . 035810 |
| San Antonio Mission Home and Training School.. | . 3,000 | . 026858 |
|  | \$111,700 | 1.000000 |

The total amount for Conference work is $\$ 200$ more than last year. There is no assessment for the Washington City Church, which was $\$ 2,050$ last year. The assessment for the Epworth League is $\$ 1250$ more than last year. That for the Sunday School $\$ 1,000$ more than last year.

Table of Assessments for Year 1924-1925

| District- | Scale | Conference Work | General | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brownwood | . 095567 | \$ 10,675 | \$ 7,688 | \$ 18,363 |
| Cisco | . 083035 | 9,275 | 6,680 | 15,955 |
| Cleburne | ... . 075822 | 8,469 | 6,099 | 14,568 |
| Corsicana | . .107207 | 11,975 | 8,624 | 20,599 |
| Fort Worth | . 149603 | 16,710 | 12,035 | 28,745 |
| Gatesville | . 080596 | 9,003 | 6,483 | 15,486 |
| Georgetown | . 092131 | 10,291 | 7,411 | 17,702 |
| Waco | . 124654 | 13,924 | 10,028 | 23,952 |
| Waxahachie | . 105111 | 11,741 | 8,455 | 20,196 |
| Weatherford | . 086274 | 9,637 | 6,940 | 16,577 |
| TOTALS | .1.000000 | \$111,700 | \$80,443 | \$192,1 |
|  | Respectfully submitted, W. B. ANDREWS, President. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | GID. J. BRYAN Secretary |  |  |  |

Board of Missions-Report No. 2 of the Board of Missions was read by Alonzo Monk, Jr., and it was adopted. It follows below:

## , REPORT NO. 2 OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

We, your Board of Missions, desire to submit this our report number two for your consideration and adoption.

Your Board has had a most delightful session and is able with gratitude to God to report to you that while we are facing some very serious problems still our spirits are triumphant because of an undiminished faith in God.

The report from the Woman's Missionary Conference has a place on our records and shows that much fine work has been done this past year. May God's richest blessings rest upon their consecrated labors.

## Evangelism

We would emphasize the importance of the "Go To Church and Revival Program" of the Protestant Churches in America and urge your full co-operation with all of the plans. The date is March the fifth to April the twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five.

We recommend to the Bishop for appointment the following:
J. Earl Crawford, Conference Centenary Secretary.
E. W. Potter, Conference Missionary Secretary.

John M. Neal, General Evangelist.
A. C. Bell, General Evangelist.

John W. Holt, Conference Evangelist.
F. A. Ray, Conference Evangelist.
T. N. Lowery, Local Preacher Evangelist.
A. P. Lowery, Local Preacher Evangelist.
J. W. Bowden, Local Preacher Evangelist.

## Finances


Your board requested an appropriation for next year of $\$ 24,000.00$, an increase of $\$ 2,000.00$ but were allowed only $\$ 22,000.00$ as for many years past.

Methodist Students' Inter-Board Commissioner
Your Board requests the appointment of Alonzo Monk, Jr., as its representative on the Methodist Students' Inter-Board Commission which will have charge of all of our interests of the Methodist students in the colleges and universities of the State.

At the request of your General Board your Conference Board is sending W. C. Hilburn and M. S. Hotchkiss as delegates to the great Foreign Mission Convention of the United States and Canada to be held in Washington, D. C., January 28th to February 2nd, 1925.

The appropriations to the mission charges are made a part of this report and are as follows:

## BROWNWOOD DISTRICT

| Bronte ........................... ${ }^{\text {¢ }}$ | 200.00 | Rockwood | and Gouldbusk | 200.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coleman Mission | 300.00 | Winchell |  | 250.00 |
| Gustine | 150.00 | Comanche | Circuit | 200.00 |
| Indian Creek | 200.00 | Wingate |  | 250.00 |
| Novice --................ | 100.00 |  |  |  |
| Norton and Wayland. | 100.00 | Total | -a..............- | ,100.00 |
| Proctor .................... | 150.00 |  |  |  |


| CISCO DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Caddo ............................ \$ | 300.00 | Pioneer | 500.00 |
| Carbon ........................ | 250.00 | Sipe Springs | 300.00 |
| Cisco 12th District. | 300.00 | Weyland .... | 200.00 |
| De Leon Mission.............. | 400.00 |  |  |
| Desdemona ..................... | 200.00 | Total ......................... \$ | 2,650.00 |
| Eolin ............................. | 200.00 |  |  |
| CLEBURNE DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| Morgan and Kopperl........\$ | 250.00 | Glen Rose Mission. | 300.00 |
| Tolar and Lipan. | 200.00 | Huckaby | 250.00 |
| Brazos Avenue | 450.00 | Joshua | 100.00 |
| Blum and Rio Vista.......... | 100.00 | St. Marks | 500.00 |
| Bluffdale ......... | 200.00 |  |  |
| Barnesville and Cahill..... | 250.00 | Total | 2,850.00 |
| Covington and Osceola.... | 250.00 |  | 2,850.00 |
| CORSICANA DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| Corsicana Circuit.............\$ | 200.00 | Munger | 100.00 |
| Emmett | 100.00 | Richland | 300.00 |
| Kerens Circuit ................ | 200.00 | Max Ave. and Eureka... | 200.00 |
| Kirvin | 200.00 |  |  |
| Mexia Circuit ................... | 200.00 | Total .......................... $\$$ | 00.00 |

FORT WORTH DISTRICT

| Forest Hill \& Kennedale... | 300.00 | Diamond Hill | 450.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burleson | 300.00 | Haslett | 200.00 |
| Englewood \& Glenn Garden | 300.00 | Weatherford St. | 750.00 |
| Euless ............................ | 250.00 | Total | ,550.00 |


| GATESVILLE DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Clifton ............................ | 300.00 | Jonesboro |  |
| Duffau ..................................... | 300.00 | Moody Circuit | 300.00 |
| Pearl | 200.00 | Mosheim | 200.00 |
| Gatesville Circuit ............ | 200.00 | Roswell Circuit | 250.00 |
| Hamilton Circuit | 200.00 | Walnut Spring | 200.00 |
| Iredell | 250.00 |  |  |
| Meridian Station | 300.00 | Total | , 000.00 |


| GEORGETOWN DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Copperas Cove ................ $\$$ | 200.00 | Nolanville | 20 |
| Florence | 150.00 | Oenaville | 200.00 |
| Holland | 150.00 | Roundrock and Wier. | 100.00 |
| Hutto and Jonah............ | 100.00 | Thrall and L. Chapel.. | 200.00 |
| Jarrell | 100.00 |  |  |
| Midway and C. C... | 150.00 | Total | 1,550.00 |
| WACO DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| Aquilla ............................ $\$$ | 100.00 | China Springs and L. | 150.00 |
| Clay Street | 200.00 | Mt. Calm | 150.00 |
| Axtell and Mooreville...... Prairie Hill | 250.00 |  |  |
| Prairie Hill | 200.00 | Total | 1,250.00 |
| Penelope ....................... | 200.00 |  | 1,250.00 |

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT


| WEATHERFORD DISTRICT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aledo ............................. ${ }^{\text {S }}$ | 200.00 | Strawn | 300.00 |
| Azle | 200.00 | Santo | 300.00 |
| Gordon | 250.00 | Thurber | 500.00 |
| Graham Circuit .............. | 150.00 | Weatherford Circuit ........ | 250.00 |
| Millsap .......................... | 200.00 | Whitt | 250.00 |
| Olney Circuit .................. | 300.00 |  |  |
| Palo Pinto .......... . ............ | 200.00 | Total .......................... $\$$ | 3,250.00 |
| Springtown ..................... | 150.00 |  |  |
| Total |  |  | 1,600.00 |
| A. \& M. College |  |  | 500.00 |
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ALONZO MONK, JR.,
Secretary of the Board of Missions.

Lay Activities-G. W. Barcus read the report of the Board of Lay Activities which was spoken to by J. M. Way, Associate Secretary of the General Board of Lay Activities, and by M. A. Turner and G. W. Barcus. The report was adopted and follows below:

## REPORT OF BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference, in Session at Brownwood, Texas, November 11th, 1924:
The Conference Board of Lay Activities and the Conference Lay Leader make the following report to this Annual Conference:

We believe that large development has been made in the work of the District Boards of Lay Activities as well as the Circuit and Church Boards, and that permanent results will come from this organization, and we, therefore, trust that all of our pastors will make such use of their Boards of Lay Activities as will help them to develop the life of the individual Church to the end that more and more of our men and women will feel responsible for the whole program of the Church.

As a Conference Board, we were very fortunate in the beginning of this Conference year to have a visit from our General Secretary, Mr. G. L. Morelock, who held a meeting with the Lay Leaders and pastors of every district in the Conference. The Conference Lay Leader was able to attend four of these district meetings, and we are glad to say in every district in the Conference the district Lay Leaders were present and took an active part in the meetings. Mr. Morelock brought a great message and your Conference Lay Leader and others gave round table discussions, going into detail in the work of the circuit and church boards of Lay Activities. We believe that fine results have already come from these meetings of our General Secretary.

Your Conference Board held a mid-year meeting at Hubbard City on March 25, 1924, where reports were made from the district Lay Leaders. The Conference Lay Leader recommended, in view of the fact that he was likely not to attend this session of the Annual Conference, that an acting Conference Lay Leader be elected to act during his absence. Mr. C. W. Wilson, District Lay Leader of the Weatherford District, was elected. We nominate W. Erskine Williams for Conference Lay Leader for the next Conference year.

We are glad to report that our Conference Lay Leader was selected by the General Board of Lay Activities to accompany Bishop Boaz to the Orient where he will present the work of the boards to the Confer-
ences in Japan, China and Korea. The Manual of Lay Activities has. been translated into each of these languages.

We know no better objectives for the coming year than those set out in our last annual report to you, which are in substance that we will seek to have a revival in every church; that all salaries and Conference assessments shall be paid in full; that all Centenary, Educational and Superannuate Endowment and Hospital pledges be paid in full, and that we co-operate with all boards to carry forward their plans.

We feel urged to recommend to the church as a whole a more determined and continued consideration of the problems confronting our Methodism in the rural districts. It is our judgment that the condition of the rural church is at once a very grave problem, and likewise a large opportunity. To the end that the spiritual resources of the church in the rural districts, as represented by our own church, may be conserved and developed. We believe that the attention of the entire church should be directed to this matter, and as merely suggesting one way of solution, we commend to the consideration of the church a consolidation of rural churches into strong central churches, something akin to the movement now going on throughout the whole country for the uniting of the rural schools. Notwithstanding the growth and development of our city churches, and the large part they are playing in conserving the spiritual resources of the people of the nation, we yet feel a strong and virile, moral and spiritual life must be preserved and cultivated among our rural people if the welfare of the nation and of the church is to be conserved and carried forward.

For the Conference year 1922-1923, 90 per cent of all Conference assessments were paid.

From the reports made to this Conference, we find that 87.5 per cent has been paid for the Conference year now ending.

You made a small assessment last year of $\$ 500.00$ to pay for the actual expenses of the District and Conference Lay Leaders. We trust that you will not fail to make this small assessment for this year, that our printing bills may at least be paid. For your information, we give the names and addresses of the Conference Lay Leader and the District Lay Leaders as follows:

## Conference Lay Leader

W. Erskine Williams.........................................................Fort Worth, Texas

## Associate Lay Leaders

Brownwood District-J. W. Mitchell.
Cisco District-H. C. Lemons.......................................... Texas
Cisco District-H. C. Lemons........................................................................ Texas

Corsicana District-W. A. Tarver..................................................................ana, Texas
Fort Worth District-W. J. Baker................................................ Worth, Texas
Gatesville District-H. Y. Price...................................................................................................... Texas
Georgetown District-R. Wexas
Georgetown District-R. W. Tinsley.............................................etown, Texas
Waco District-G. W. Barcus.............
-....................................Waco, Texas

Weatherford District-C. W. Wilson.......................... $\$$ Weral Wells, Texas
We recommend that an assessment of $\$ 500.00$ be levied on the Conference for year 1924-1925 for use of Board of Lay Activities. Respectfully submitted,
C. W. WILSON,

Acting Conference Lay Leader. W. A. TARVER,

Secretary Conference Board of Lay Activities.
Conference Lay Leader-The adoption of the above report elected W. Erskine Williams as Conference Lay Leader, answering question 41.

Afternoon Session-On motion of F. P. Culver, it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet at $3: 00 \stackrel{\mathrm{p}}{\mathrm{p}} . \mathrm{m}$.

Superannuate Endowment Fund-The Secretary read a telegram from Dr. L. E. Todd stating that the Central Texas Conference had paid in on the special effort for Superannuate Endowment the sum of $\$ 32,500.55$.

Adjournment-After numerous announcements, the long meter doxology was sung and the Conference stood adjourned with the benediction by M. K. Little.

## FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Opening-The Conference convened pursuant to adjournment with Bishop Dickey in the chair. The hymn, "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing," was heartily sung and Rev. C. H. Booth led in prayer.

Minutes-The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Sunday School Board-The report of this board was read by T. E. Bowman and without discussion was adopted. It follows below:

## REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

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

The work of the Sunday School continues to prosper throughout the church. During the year there has been an increase in the number of schools of 561 and in enrollment of 22,185 , an increase in the members of officers and teachers of 9,586 . Along with the increase in enrollment there has come an increased demand for our literature, Teacher Training and other Sunday School helps, for all of which we are profoundly grateful.

## Membership Campaign

While we had an increase in enrollment during the year, it has fallen far below the increase during the year preceding. In 1923 the net increase was 110,122 , and in the year 1921 there was a net gain of more than a quarter of a million. There are still hundreds of thousands of people within easy access of our Sunday Schools who ought to be reached by the church. To the end that these may be reached the General Sunday School Board has outlined plans for a systematic campaign for larger ingatherings. It is earnestly hoped that all our pastors, superintendents and teachers will enter heartily into the campaign.

## Leadership Training

This has been a record year in leadership training. Twenty-eight thousand five hundred and thirty-six credits weré issued, an increase of 9,874 over the preceding year. This, we believe, is unprecedented in our own church or any other denomination doing like work. Our own Conference has made a wonderful showing in this work. Seven Standard Training Schools with a total enrollment of 800 and 16 Non-Standard Training Schools have been conducted. A grand total of 1,538 credits have been issued during the year, 68 Incomplete Diplomas, 20 Blue Seal Diplomas and 4 Gold Seal Diplomas have been issued. It is worthy of note that 73 preachers and 41 preachers' wives have been taking credits. In our recommendations will be found a statement relative to this work.

## Evangelism in the Sunday School

Since the primary aim of the Sunday School is to lead the pupils to Christ, develop them in Christ and train them for work in the Kingdom, a plain and sensible plan for evangelism in the Sunday School has been worked out by the General Board and full details of the plan may be had by sending a request to the General Board at Nashville. When we shall avail ourselves of the evangelistic potentialities in the Sunday

School, when we shall understand more vitally and essentially what evangelism is and how it may be accomplished through the Sunday School, we may expect that through the organized teaching church there shall be brought about a day of evangelistic ingathering in the future that shall far exceed in its scope and its vital permanence anything that has gone before. Let us work intelligently and prayerfully to this end.

## Missions in the Sunday School

Too much emphasis cannot be placed upon our Missionary Education of our children and young people. It is our conviction that the Sunday School has the largest opportunity of any single agency in the church to create a great Missionary Church in the future. Closely associated with any great program of missionary instruction must be a program of missionary giving, and this ought to include the objective of a larger and world-wide service as well as those that apply to the local community and Conference. A good per cent of our schools observe Missionary Day both with the program and the offering. It is earnestly hoped that all will do so. Please allow us to call attention here to an irregularity that ought to be corrected. Some of the schools observe the day with the collections and use the money for purposes other than that for which it was collected. We need to safeguard our schools in their right to contribute to specific missionary objectives and in the need that the funds so raised shall not be diverted from the objectives for which such funds have been raised. Only so can there be carried forward a consistent, intelligent and ever-growing interest in missionary giving.

Sunday School Day
We urge the pastors to call the attention of their superintendent to the disciplinary requirement for Sunday School Day. The third Sunday in April, or as near thereto as possible, is designated by the General Conference as Sunday School Day. A collection is to be taken and sent to W. S. Rowland, Temple, Texas, Treasurer of the Sunday School Board. It is very necessary to the work of the board that this day be observed. Only 225 out of 475 schools in the Conference reported Sunday School Day offerings. A considerable amount of interest on borrowed money could be saved if these offerings were sent in immediately after they are received.

## Programs of Work

The programs of work A, B and C are all in print and can be obtained from the General Sunday School Board at Nashville. We strongly urge pastors and superintendents to get these standards and to use them as outlines for building up their schools.

## Colored Methodist Church -

Acting on the suggestion of the General Sunday School Board, we make the following statement concerning the work of the Colored Methodist Church: They are under many handicaps in attempting to make a beginning in Institute and Teacher-Training work. Rev. P. J. Coleman is the Field Secretary for the C. M. E. Sunday School Board. We suggest that if he comes among us seeking help, we co-operate with him in every way that we can, by giving information and furnishing teachers for their institutes whenever possible.

We wish to express our hearty appreciation for the persistent, intelligent and effective service rendered by Conference Superintendent Rev. R. F. Brown. We request the Bishop to re-appoint him to the position of Conference Superintendent of Sunday Schools. We desire also to express our hearty thanks to Mrs. R. F. Brown, Superintendent of the Elementary Division.

Our Sunday School periodicals were never more popular nor better than now. The editorial staff at Nashville deserve our heartiest thanks
for the character of literature that they are giving to the church. We urge our pastors and workers to use it, certainly in all our churches and wherever else possible.

This board is indebted to Rev. E. Hightower, Associate Editor of our Literature, for many valuable suggestions. We request the Bishop to reappoint him to this same field of service.

The following recommendations are offered by the board:

1. That we request our Publishing Agents when making exhibits at our Conferences and Sunday School gatherings to give us a better collection of our own Methodist books and periodicals on Sunday School work, more especially on Teacher-Training work.
2. That the Sunday School Board provide for a Standard Training School in each district.
3. That the same plan as last year be adopted for the financing of the district organization. Which plan is that the first fifth Sunday offerings in the Sunday School following adjournment of the annual Conference be sent to the District Secretary for use in promoting the Sunday School interest in that district.
4. That the membership campaign as outlined by the General Sunday School Board be carried out.
5. That a Conference Sunday School Council be held as soon as possible after Conference for the purpose of planning the year's work and more perfectly organizing the district.
6. That we encourage just as many of our workers as can do so to attend the Leadership-Training Schools at Junaluska and Mt. Sequoyah.
7. That the Campaign of Evangelism as outlined by the General Sunday School Board be carried out as far as possible.
8. This board recommends the appointment of Rev. J. U. McAfee to represent the Sunday School Board on the Inter-Board Commission for he schools and colleges of the state.
9. That the third Sunday in May, or as near thereto as possible, be set apart and observed as "Hospital Day" in the Sunday School and an offering be taken and sent to Rev. W. H. Matthews, Hospital Commissioner, for the purpose of equipping the children's ward.

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& \text { J. B. CURRY, Chairman } \\
& \text { T. E. BOWMAN, Secretary. }
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State of the Church-Mrs. H. B. Landrum read the report of the Committee on the State of the Church, and on motion of D. L. Collie, it was
adopted and follows below:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
We, your Committee on the State of the Church, desire to report as follows:

It is with joy in our hearts and thankfulness to God that we note from reports made of the work throughout the Conference for the past year that distinct progress has been made along many lines. Particularly do we commend the great church-building program throughout the Conference. Just as God's law of nature is progress, we believe that the erection of new and larger houses of worship is an indication of spiritual growth.

We are pleased to find, by comparing the statistics of last year with those of this, that the number of additions on profession of faith has increased.

The reports indicate that the pastors and presiding elders, co-laboring with the laymen, have been faithful in promoting the work of our great church-making for spiritual uplift and material progress. If our people are to have the power of godiness, it is necessary that they should free themselves from worldliness. We, therefore, recommend
that all our leaders abstain from every form of recreation and amusement that does not tend to the knowledge or love of God, and thus by example as well as by precept, lead our people in the way of righteousness.

We recommend further, that our pastors on receiving members into the church on profession of faith inquire diligently into the religious experience of the applicants for membership.

We rejoice in the work wrought by Methodism during the past year, and with the gracious promise of our Lord: "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world," we believe that the words of John Wesley, "The world is my parish," will soon be a reality.

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. P. McCULLOUGH, Chairman

MRS. W. B. LANDRUM, Secretary.

Conference Relations-The report of this committee was read by $\mathrm{E}_{\text {, }}$ M. Wisdom and was adopted. It follows below:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
We, your Committee on Conference Relations recommend the following members for supernumerary relation: T. W. Ellis, J. D. Smoot, B. E. Kimbrow, C. S. Field, J. R. B. Hall, J. Fred Patterson, A. T. Culbertson and L. G. White.

The following we recommend for the superannuate relation: H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, D. C. Ellis, W. V. Jones, J. M. McCarter, V. J. Millis, C. V. Oswalt, J. J. Rape, E. M. Sweet, W. K. Simpson, E. F. Boone, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, I. F. Harris, F. L. McGehee, A. C. Lackey, N. E. Gardner, J. E. Walker, B. A. Snoddy, B. A. Evans, W. H. Crawford, C. W. Macune, W. A. Gilliland, H. B. Henry, C. Rowland, M. M. Morphis, R. L. Reese, C. W. Daniel, H. Bishop, W. H. Doss, S. J. Vaughan, W. L. Nelms, K. S. Vanzant, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H. Braswell, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, E. A. Smith, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, R. J. Tooley, M. K. Little, J. W. Patison, J. S. Bowles, W. B. Wilson, S. B. Sawyer, M. M. Smith, M. L. Story and J. T. Bloodworth.

Respectfully submitted,<br>T. S. ARMSTRONG, Chairman.<br>EDGAR M. WISDOM, Secretary.

Temperance and Social Service-The report of this board was read by T. F. Temple. Atticus Webb spoke to the report and it was adopted. It follows below:
REPORT OF BOARD OF TEMPERANCE AND SOCIAL SERVICE
To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
Dear Brethren:
We, your Board on Temperance and Social Service, beg leave to submit the following report:

In our report one year ago we said:
"If we can read the signs of the times, the civilization built up at such tremendous cost in the sacrifices and labors of those who have preceded us, is in danger. If this civilization is to be preserved, with the ideals and purposes of our forefathers, it will require the earnest attention of the Christian forces of today.
"The civilization of America has been built upon a virile, evangelical Christianity, largely through immigration from England and Northern Europe. For the past several decades, the bulk of our immigration has come from Southern and Southeastern Europe. We would not reflect
upon those composing this element of our immigration, but their social, governmental and religious ideals are largely different from that of our fathers, and we believe endanger the civilization of our country."

Since that was written our national Congress has enacted an excellent immigration law, putting the above suggestions into effect for our country. But, the lawless of our land, for the money so to be obtained, are smuggling in across our borders undesirable aliens to the number daily, variously estimated, at from three hundred to one thousand. This largely neutralizes the effect of the excellent immigration law. We would now urge upon those in charge of our laws to take prompt and effective measures to see that this smuggling is stopped.

Law enforcement is the most important matter facing our government today.

Newspapers, magazines, and even some of our judiciary are making claims that there is more crime in America than in any other civilized nation. While our national prohibition laws have proved the greatest boon ever enjoyed by any people, yet we have not given these laws half a chance through lack of proper enforcement.

Certain of our political leaders this year have been free to lecture our pastors on morals and ministerial propriety, and one party platform has demanded that the discussion of the prohibition issue cease. This is just what the liquor forces have always done. They severely criticised Dr. George C. Rankin, Dr. H. B. Carrol and Dr. J. B. Gambrell, all now gone to glory. But, had it not been for the courageous fight that these and other heroes of the cross made, our state and nation today would be under the curse of the legalized liquor traffic. We commend these heroic ministers of all churches who refuse to quail at the threats of the friends of rum; and pray that our present day Christianity may never fail to produce men with convictions and the courage to fight for them. We defy those politicians who demand our silence on the prohibition and other moral issues and serve notice that the fight is on for clean and honest government and the enforcement of our laws.

Our present state prohibition law assesses a penalty for its violation of confinement in the penitentiary for a period of from one to five years. There are rumors to the effect that a strenuous effort will be made at the coming session of the legislature to reduce this penalty to a mere fine. This will take the heart out of our state prohibition law and bring the law into contempt in the minds of the bootleggers. We condemn such a move and pledge our church to continue the fight both to maintain our laws in full strength upon our statute books and to secure their adequate and efficient enforcement.

We commend most heartily the Anti-Saloon League of Texas and its superintendent, Dr. Atticus Webb. For a third of a century this organization has led the fight for prohibion. In Texas, under the present superintendent, it has successfully and courageously maintained the fight for the strengthening of our laws and for their honest enforcement. Its management has been sane and efficient and has called down upon it the ill will and abuse of all elements of our citizenship who are opposed to prohibition and good government. We endorse the organization and its superintendent for the enemies they have made.

We also endorse its policy of neutrality on all issues other than that of the liquor traffic; which neutrality has been so consistently followed at a time so difficult because of the confused status of our state politics.

We fear our people scarcely realize the great service being rendered our cause by the Anti-Saloon League of Texas. Not only is it maintaining a healthy public sentiment and is the most powerful influence in our state in the election of good men to office; but its services in securing the passage of bills for the strengthening of our laws is equally as great. No other one in Texas is so well informed on what is needed here as is the superintendent of our League. We pledge Dr. Webb our heartiest support and co-operation and recommend to the Bishop and
cabinet his reappointment as State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League at its request.

The C. C. Young Memorial Home at Dallas was represented before our committee by Brother A. T. Wilson, who since the death of Brother Young, its founder, has been in charge of the work.

Brother Wilson reports good progress since the last Conference and is hopeful that before another year the home will be built. The Mothers ${ }^{6}$ Day offering this year was somewhat disappointing, doubtless due to the many other demands on the church. We cannot too strongly urge the pastors to get this great humanitarian cause upon the hearts of the people, and we urge the heartiest co-operation of all the pastors to the end that the next Mothers' Day offering may measure up to the necessities of this most worthy cause. We cannot too strongly emphasize the Mothers' Day free will offering for the C. C. Young Memorial Home.

We recommend a continuance of the appropriation of $\$ 3,000.00$ for the coming year to the Mission Home and Training School at San Antonio and nominate the following as trustees of same: F. F. Downs, J. G. Childers, R. O. Culp, E. G. Gillett and Rev. W. B. Andrews. We hand you herewith the audited treasurer's report for the Conference Journal. We take great pride in the fact that out of 2,360 girls and young mothers who have passed through the Home only 16 have gone back to a life of shame. We feel that you will continue to commend the very fine work done by Mrs. R. L. Culbertson, the superintendent of this Home. And whenever your Conference desires any information with regard to the work and condition of the institution, financially or otherwise, it will be gladly furnished by C. S. Wright.

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Our church stands for peace, and we urge upon our national government to lend its support to all movements and agencies calculated to bring about and preserve universal peace.

Respectfully submitted,
J. T. BLOODWORTH, Chairman.
M. L. BOONE, Secretary.

## REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL CONDITION OF MISSION HOME AND TRAINING SCHOOL AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

To the West Texas Conference:
We, your Auditing Committee, respectfully submit the following report of the financial condition of the Mission Home and Training School, situated at San Antonio, Texas:

We find that said institution has received during the past Conference year the following amounts:
From West Texas Conference.......................................... $\$ 3,009.56$
From Central Texas Conference. 2,548.87
From other sources 3,876.46

Total receipts
\$9,434.89
The following disbursements have been made dur-
ing the year:
ing the year: For miscellaneous expense ............................................ $\$ 1,253.36$
For improvements and repairs......................................................... 508.33
For maintenance ............................................................. 7,313.60

Total ........................................................................... $\$ 9,434.89$
Emergency fund-cash in bank.
. $\$ 2,387.10$
We have carefully checked the books, vouchers and bank statement of William L. Stiles, Treasurer of this fund, and find everything in fine
shape, and desire to commend the Treasurer for his faithful and efficient work. We therefore desire to commend Brother Stiles for his faithful and efficient work and ask that he be discharged from liability as to the foregoing fund handled by him during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
T. M. PEELMAN,
WALTER SCOTT,
Auditing Committee.

This is to certify that the above is a true copy of the report of the Auditing Committee concerning the accounts of the Mission Home and Training School presented to and approved by the West Texas Conference in session at Austin, Texas, October 22-27, 1924.

## STERLING FISHER, Secretary.

Christian Literature-The report of this board was read by E. M. Wisdom. Rev. G. S. Slover, Publisher of the Texas Christian Advocate, addressed the Conference in the interest of this valuable periodical, as also did the Editor, P. E. Riley. Bishop Dickey added a few words of appreciation for the Editor and the Texas Advocate. The report was adopted and follows below:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

To the Members of the Central Texas Conference:
Dear Brethren:
We, your Board of Christian Literature, are gratified with the progress of the church in all its departments. We are spending more time reading than ever before. We are reading all kinds of literature and the kinds of reading we do largely form and fashion our conduct. There is a great tendency of some of the so-called popular magazines to undervalue and belittle the church, ministry, courtship, marriage, proper relation between sex, the rightful relation between parents and children and employer and employe. We therefore urge our pastors and people to constantly call attention to the best literature for all ages. For the best way to have good and pure thoughts is to keep filling the mind with high and holy things found in good literature. We are glad to note the wonderful success of our Publishing House for the fiscal year that has just closed. The dividends which are distributed among the Conference Claimants has increased 100 per cent over last year, which gives us $\$ 60,000.00$ this year for this distribution. We would recommend a wider patronage through our church for the Publishing House, for it is supplied with the best books and is as reasonable in price as can be found any-
where.

The name Cokesbury Press has meant a great deal to our Publishing House and we would urge our pastors to call the attention of our people that this is our own trade name. The Cokesbury Hymnal has met with a phenomenal circulation which is now almost one-half million. We urge that our people use our own hymnal and other song books.

We greatly appreciate the wonderful success that has been attained this year in the Texas Christian Advocate. Its circulation has increased since January 1st from 4,180 to almost 16,000 subscribers. We urge a vigorous campaign to increase its circulation to the publishers' goal of 40,000 subscribers. Every pastor should do his best to get more of the laity to take and read the Conference organ. Nov. 23-30 has been set aside as "Advocate Week."

We have the best Sunday School literature in circulation. We want to commend the editorial department for securing able men to write the comments on the lessons, which is highly appreciated by the Sunday Schools. We are glad to know that we had two million two hundred and fifty thousand pieces of literature in circulation this year. We certainly
appreciate the wonderful work of Dr. E. Hightower in the editorial department. The Quarterly Review, the Nashville Advocate, the Missionary Voice and the Epworth Era should have a wider circulation among the laity, for there is a great store of the best reading matter that is almost lost and is not reaching the people who need this information so badly.

Dr. Ged. S. Slover is certainly standing by his contract with the Joint Board of Publication. He is going to give a certified financial statement annually to the patronizing conferences.

Dr. P. E. Riley is giving us a wonderful paper which is full of the information we need and we appreciate the efforts the editor is putting forth in giving us a paper that is full of the things we need to know.

We recommend the appointment of Dr. P. E. Riley, Editor of the Texas Christian Advocate.

Respectfully submitted,
H. E. STOUT, Chairman.

EDGAR M. WISDOM, Secretary.
Telegram-A telegram from L. H. Estes of the Memphis Conference was read, granting the request of this Conference that the name of Mrs. John R. Nelson be placed on the pages of our Conference Journal.

Church Extension-The report of this board was read by J. J. Creed and on motion of A. D. Porter, it was adopted, and follows below:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
Brownwood, Texas, November 15, 1924.
Your Conference Board of Church Extension is confronted by exceedingly large askings on the one hand and by a relatively small income on the other. This will account for the fact that we were able to give only a fractional part of the assistance needed by many of your churches.

Your attention is called to the fact that the assessment for Church Extension is very much smaller than that which is made for the other great boards of our conference. This fact is a serious handicap to our board and is even more embarrassing to the many churches which are struggling to build.

We can always do more for you in a loan than in a donation. Moreover, the loan becomes a perpetual revolving blessing to many congregations, while the gift is lodged permanently in a single church. Therefore, we earnestly urge that you ask for a loan always if it will at all suffice.

We have scarcely ever had a larger building program than is now on in our conference. In almost every district one or more new buildings have been erected or are in process of construction, notable examples of which are the two great enterprises of this city. To meet this very large demand, your board has had for disposal in the donation fund $\$ 4,441.00$, from which sum we have made the following donations, to-wit:

| Churches |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Alexander | \$181.00 |
| Davis Memorial | 150.00 |
| Garner | 80.00 |
| Hurst Springs | 80.00 |
| Hamilton ... | 150.00 |
| Munger | - 150.00 |
| Malone | ... 300.00 |
| Prairie Hill | 200.00 |
| Polytechnic | 320.00 |

Red Oak ..... 150.00
Salem
100.00
100.00
Strawn
500.00
500.00
Trinity
350.00
350.00
Wesley (EIm Street) ..... 750.00
Parsonages
Forest Hill ..... 100.00
Jarrell
Jarrell ..... 100.00 ..... 100.00
Total donationsfollowing loans were made:

C. L. CARTWRIGHT, President.
J. J. CREED, Secretary.

Board of Finance-The report of this board was read by J. M. Robertson and was adopted. It is as follows:

## REPORT OF BOARD OF FINANCE

Dear Fathers and Brethren:
We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$300; the Board of Education $\$ 262$; the Board of Church Extension $\$ 162$; the Sunday School Board $\$ 124$ and the Board of the American Bible Society $\$ 52$ for printing the Conference Journal.

Several of our claimants have requested no appropriation from us, gladly yielding to more necessitous cases, for which we thank them.

We have collected the following sums for distribution among the several Conference claimants, according to their several needs, viz: Interest on Royal A. Ferris Memorial Fund, through Rev. D.


After prayerful consideration and due deliberation, we have disbursed the foregoing amount as follows:

| rs. J. W. Adkisson........ |  | McSwain, deceased. | 300.00 |
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| Chilren of Rev. A. L. |  | Mrs. W. H. Moss.............. |  |
| Andrews, deceased ..... $\$$ | 300.00 | Mrs. M. H. Major. | $\begin{aligned} & 300.00 \\ & 200.00 \end{aligned}$ |
| Mrs. N. B. Bennett. | 200.00 | Rev. V. J. Millis.. |  |
| Mrs. J. M. Bond...... | 250.00 | Mrs. J. W. Montgomery.. | 00 |
| Mrs. E. A. Bailey | 100.00 | Rev. J. M. McCarter | 300.00 |
| Rev. E. F. Boone | 300.00 | Rev. F. L. McGehee. | 200.00 |
| Mrs. C. E. Brown |  | Mrs. E. J. Maxwell. | 200.00 |
| Mrs. S. C. Baird | 250.00 | Mrs. J. C. Mayhew. | 0 |
| Rev. H. Bishop |  | Rev. C. W. Macune. | 00 |
| Rev. J. H. Braswell | 400.00 | Rev. M. M. Morphis | 0 |
| Rev. J. S. Bowles.. | 200.00 | Rev.C. S. McCarver |  |
| Mrs. J. Fred Cox | 75.00 | Rev. W. L. Nelms.... | 450.00 |
| Mrs. J. J. Canafax | 300.00 | Mrs. John R. Nelson. |  |
| Rev. J. C. Carter.. | 100.00 | Rev. C. V. Oswalt. |  |
| Rev. E. B. Chenoweth | 200.00 | Mrs. G. W. Owens |  |
| Rev. W. H. Crawford. | 400.00 | Rev. J. G. Pollard. | 550.00 |
| Mrs. J. J. Calloway | 150.00 | Rev. N. J. Peeples | , |
| Mrs. Geo. F. Campbell | 300.00 | Rev. J. W. Patison. | 0.00 |
| Mrs. J. J. Davis... | 200.00 | Mrs. F. P. Ray |  |
| Mrs. Charles Davis | 200.00 | Rev. C. Rowland. | 200.00 |
| Mrs. Jerome Duncan | 250.00 | Mrs. L. G. Rogers | 0 |
| Mrs. J. W. Downs..... |  | Rev. J. J. Rape. | 0 |
| Mrs. J. B. Dodson. | 100.00 | Rev. R. L. Reese | 0 |
| Rev. C. W. Daniel. | 500.00 | Mrs. P. M. Riley. | 0 |
| Rev. W. H. Doss | 400.00 | Rev. E. M. Sweet. | 0 |
| Mrs. J. W. Dickinson | 75.00 | Rev. B. A. Snoddy | 150.00 |
| Rev. D. C. Ellis... | 300.00 | Rev. W. K. Simpson |  |
| Rev. B. A. Evans | 200.00 | Mrs. A. P. Smith. | 00.00 |
| Mrs. C. A. Evans. | 200.00 | Rev. H. P. Shrader | 400.00 |
| Miss Mittie Gask | 200.00 | Mrs. D. C. Stark | 100.00 |
| Mrs. G. W. Graves. |  | Rev. C. E. Statham | 0 |
| Mrs. R. V. Galloway | 150.00 | Child of Rev. Henry |  |
| Rev. W. A. Gilleland | 300.00 | Stanford; deceased. |  |
| Mrs. C. E. Gallagher | 200.00 | Mrs. O. C. Swinney... | 400.00 |
| Rev. N. E. Gardner- | 300.00 | Mrs. A. C. Smith | 250.00 |
| Rev. J. O. Gore...... | 250.00 | Rev. E. A. Smith. | 450.00 |
| Mrs. G. W. Harris. | 300.00 | Rev. S. B. Sawyers. |  |
| Mrs. Jerome Haralson. | 200.00 | Mrs. J. H. Trimble | 75.00 |
| Rev. I. F. Harris. | 500.00 | Mrs. J. S. Tunnell. | 00 |
| Mrs. E. T. Harrison | 200.00 | Mrs. Neal W. Turner |  |
| Rev. H. B. Henry. | 300.00 | Mrs. O. B. Turner.. | 500.00 |
| Mrs. W. H. Howard | 150.00 | Rev. R. J. Tooley | 0 |
| Rev. J. W. Head. | 250.00 | Rev. W. H. Vaughan |  |
| Rev. W. H. Harris | 350.00 | Rev. S. J. Vaughan | 350.00 |
| Rev. W. V. Jones. | 500.00 | Rev. K. M. Vanzant | 500.00 |
| Mrs. C. D. Jordan | 200.00 | Mrs. G. D. Wilson............ | 250.00 |
| Mrs. N. A. Keen. | 200.00 | Mrs. J. A. Walkup..........- | 100.00 |
| Mrs. B. H. Kennedy. | 350.00 | Rev. J. E. Walker. | 400.00 |
| Rev. A. C. Lackey-... |  | Mrs. J. A. Whitehurst.....- | 300.00 |
| Mrs. W. J. Lemons. | 200.00 | Rev. W. B. Wilson.. | 200.00 |
| Mrs. W. F. Lloyd. | 200.00 | Expenses this board | 13.20 |
| Rev. A. P. Lipscomb | 75.00 | Reserve fund, left with |  |
| Rev. M. K. Little............. | 400.00 | Conference Teller | 3,774.18 |
| Mrs. N. M. McLaughlin.... | 50.00 |  |  |
| Mrs. Daniel Morgan | 400.00 |  | 26,012.38 |

Whereas, there is such a demand for funds to be distributed for the maintenance of our superannuated preachers, their widows and orphans; therefore, be it resolved, First, that it is the sense of this board that every Presiding Elder, pastor and layman in the Central Texas Conference should support to the limit of their ability the program of the General Board of Finance in bringing to a successful completion the raising of the ten millions for the endowment fund for superannuated preachers, their widows and orphans. Resolved, second, that the period from March 15th to May 1st be accepted as the time when this cause shall have right of way.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

> C. N. MORTON, Chairman.
> JAMES M. ROBERTSON,
> Secretary-Treasurer.

Collection-On suggestion of Dr. Horace Bishop, a free-will offering was taken for B. S. Crow, Conference Postmaster, the offering amounting to $\$ 50.00$.

Orphanage--The report of the Orphanage Committee was read by T. J. Justice. The report was spoken to by T. J. Justice and C. H. Booth and was adopted. It follows below:

## REPORT OF ORPHANAGE COMMITTEE

We have heard with pleasure and profit Bro. W. T. Gray's report of the Methodist Orphanage at Waco and pledge ourselves to give all possible support to this worthy institution. We pray that all our people will take this work on their heart and each year make it an item in their giving to the cause of Christ.

We hereby submit the written report for 1923 and 1924. The report of Upleger \& Falk (certified public accountants) of the affairs of the Methodist Orphanage to the General Board of Managers at their annual meeting October 1st shows that the Methodist Orphanage is in a healthy and growing condition.

Some progress has been made during the year. The little farm near the city has been sold and a larger farm six miles from the city has been bought. The industrial wing to the new school building has been completed at a cost of more than $\$ 30,000$, and other improvements, making a net increase in the assets of the Orphanage of $\$ 35.532 .18$ during the year. The total assets of the Orphanage property now is $\$ 481,918.18$.


The receipts from the churches on the Christmas collection and specials are $\$ 18,712.44$ less than from the same source last year. This decrease in receipts comes largely from the specials, as the offerings from the churches was only $\$ 4,484.56$ less than last year.

There are 339 children in the Orphanage at this time. Forty more will be received within sixty days. All the children who are old enough
are in school, 49 of whom are in the city high school (the eighth grade work is being done at the Orphanage this year). This accounts for the smaller number of students than we had last year in high school. Two of our children have died during the year, making a total of 13 deaths in the Orphanage in its entire history of 33 years. The general health of the children at this time is very good. A revival was held at the Orphanage, closing on Easter Sunday. Sixty-three of the children were received into the church and 42 babies were baptized.

## Industrial Activities

The industrial activities are not only giving us our dairy products, canned vegetables and fruits, printing and laundering, but are paying all operating expenses, including a small salary to the children that work in these industries, and are giving the Home a small cash profit, as shown by Auditor's report, amounting to $\$ 9,347.87$.

If the church will provide funds sufficient to properly equip these industrial activities, your Orphanage will not only teach the larger boys and girls a trade that will make them productive citizens when they go out into the world, but will enable them to earn enough to pay their expenses while finishing their high school course.

## Recommendations

Whereas, there is an ever increasing demand on all the Orphanages to provide homes for the dependent children of our state; and

Whereas, more than 600 of these homeless children have been turned away from our Orphanage this year for the lack of room.

Be It Resolved: First, that we, as a Conference, give our hearty endorsement to the action of the Board of Managers in their recent session in asking our Texas Conferences for $\$ 150,000.00$ in the Christmas campaign, to be used for current expenses and to erect more buildings to provide for these homeless children.

Second, that December be designated as "Orphanage Month" in all our Texas Conferences for an educational campaign setting forth this work and its opportunity in all of its churches.

Third, that the interest of the Orphanage be presented in a broad and liberal way, the same as other great interests of our church, and that a collection be taken in both the Sunday School and church services on the second or third Sunday in December, in stations and on circuits, the collections to be started not later than the first Sunday in December in order that the collection may be taken in all churches during the Christmas time, and that a follow-up campaign be maintained until every member and friend of the church be given an opportunity to contribute to this worthy cause.

Fourth, since the above estimate-additional property has been purchased, making the valuation at least $\$ 500,000.00$.

Fifth, we recommend that R. B. Bryant be elected on the General Board to take the place of $\mathbb{W}$. A. Baker.

Sixth, we recommend the appointment of W. T. Gray as Field Secretary of the Methodist Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,
G. A. HENDERSON, Secretary.

Epworth League-J. A. Siceloff read the report of the Epworth League Board and it was adopted and follows:

## REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
Your Epworth League Board wishes to submit the following report:
Work of the Epworth League in Southern Methodism
Ralph E. Nollner, representing the General Board and a member of
your board, reported progress in Epworth League interest and achievement over the entire church. In five years the number of chapters has increased from 3,300 to 7,000 and the membership from $\cdot 115,000$ to 300 ,-
000 . 000.

During the year Epworth Leagues in Southern Methodism contributed for Missions, for Anniversary Day and for other objects $\$ 378,876$. And the next three months will see the completion of the Centenary pledge of $\$ 380,000$ for Africa. The Board of Missions, therefore, offers the Epworth Leagues of Southern Methodism the following new missionary
objectives:

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Africa (maintenance of Congo Mission)....................................................................................................... 15000
Paine College (maintenance)\(\$ 50,000\)
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Arizona Conference (Home Missions) ..... 15,000
Five Epworth League Secretaryships in foreign fields ..... 11,000
Japan
5,000
5,000
Scarritt College (Epworth League Chair of Religious Music) ..... 4,000

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\(\$ 100,000\)
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Thirty-nine Summer Assemblies resulted in a total attendance of 15,000 young people.

The Epworth Era has a circulation in the neighborhood of 40,000 .
The Reading Course is published this year by the board and consists of three volumes, boxed, selling for $\$ 2.95$. They are-
"Keynote Studies in the Keynote Books of the Bible." Smith.
"Fundamentals, of Success." Boaz.
"Provincetown." Parker.

## The Epworth League in Central Texas Conference

For the five months just preceding the present session, Miss Mary Vaughan Morgan did a pioneer work as Conference Field Secretary. Miss Morgan invested her unusual powers of observation, her consecration and capacity for work, and her report to the board resulted in the enlargement of the conference plans for the coming year. She voiced convictions that have been growing during these months:

That the Epworth League offers the largest opportunity for expressional activities among the young people.

That the thermometer of Epworth League interest and activity in the local church rises or falls in proportion to the warmth or chilliness of the pastor's personal interest.

That the great opportunity for Epworth League leadership lies with the colleges. Hence the need of a trained secretary for work in colleges.

Dr. J. D. F. Williams, President of the Conference League, reported that all districts except Cisco and Brownwood had held district institutes, with good attendance and approved courses given.

The Summer Assembly at Belton had an attendance of 289 Epworth Leaguers and 142 received Christian Culture Certificates.

The folowing totals show the growth of the Epworth League in five years:

| 1918 | Leagues | Members | For Missions | All Purposes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1923 | 93 | 3,175 | \& 759 | \$ 4,695 |
| 1924 | 279 | 8,194 | 2,215 | 7,080 |
|  | 277 | 8,478 | 2,229 | 11,441 |

Following is the Conference policy for 1924-1925:

1. Continuation of Life Service Work.
2. Enlistment of a still larger number in an effort to obtain Christian Culture Diplomas.
3. At least one District Institute in each district.
4. An effort in each League to reach the Standard of Efficiency and Excellence as indicated on Wall Charts furnished by the General Board.
5. The second Sunday in April set apart and observed as Anniversary Day in each chapter.
6. Awards to be made on the basis of the following District Standard: A. To the district organizing the greatest number of Leagues in proportion to pastoral charges.
B. Largest number of chartered chapters on roll in proportion to pastoral charges.
C. Largest grand average per chapter scored in the Standard of Efficiency and Excellence.
D. Holding an approved Institute during the year.

Having the largest percentage of chapters at such Institute.
E. Contributing the largest amount per chapter for Missions.
F. Sending the largest number of uniform Secretaries' Books to the Summer Assembly.
G. Contributing the largest amount per chapter for Anniversary Day offering.
H. Contributing the largest amount toward Conference expense fund.
I. Sending in the most Quarterly District and Assistant District Secretaries' reports.
J. Scoring highest number of points on representation at the Summer Assembly based on mileage.
7. Formation of County Epworth League Unions, and in rural communities, holding of fifth Sunday gatherings.

## Lake Worth Summer Assembly

This will be held at the beautiful and commodious Mosque at Lake Worth, beginning Saturday, July 4th, and continuing through Friday night, July 10th. Pastors are urged to make their plans to go with their young people for these six days of instruction, fellowship and inspiration.

## Recommendations

1. -We respectfully request the following appropriations:

Summer Assembly .............................................................................................. 250

Cabinet officers' expenses................................................................................. 250
Office and traveling expenses................................................................................................................. 150
Field Secretary ........................................................................................................
Total $\$ 3,250$
2. We recommend the appointment of R. E. Nollner as Assistant General Secretary.
3. We recommend the appointment of Louie Williams as Conference Field Secretary.
4. We recommend that the third Sunday in May be set aside as Hospital Day, that a suitable program be held on that day and an offering taken for the Children's Ward of the Methodist Hospital at Fort Worth.

In the past four years much has been heard and read about the Youth Movement in Germany, Italy, France and England. Imaginations have been stirred as we have heard about the activities of these countless thousands of young people in other lands who have arisen, apparently overnight, in response to the call of a newly discovered sense of mighty youth-power. And our preachers, recognizing a moral and spiritual force in the movement, have warned and denounced or else encouraged
and paid tribute, according to their angle of vision and understanding. All had agreed that the Youth Movement so-called had not yet reached America; but the visions of many pastors have been clearing until they have come to recognize that within the sound of their own voices there lives and moves small detachments of the great army of American youth, which all along has been moving in concert with the Allied Youth Armies of the world.

The Youth Movement is in our very midst. And the question that concerns the aroused pastor is: "What direction shall the movement take?" The church in America still has it within its power to point a guiding finger toward the highway that leads by way of the cross.

Our young people have always responded to struggling, sacrificial and heroic living, and every experience leads us to believe that they are just as ready to make that response today as they ever were. The Summer Assembly is not the solution, but it is a guiding finger. The Field Secretary is not the solution, but he is a guiding finger. The training of our young people in Epworth League activity within the colleges is not the whole solution, but it is a guiding finger. None of these fingers will indicate the way unless they are lifted by a pastor whose soul has been awakened to the latent power in the youth of Southern Methodism.

> H. L. MUNGER, President.
J. A. SICELOFF, Sec. Pro Tem.

Sabbath Observance-The report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance was read by Mrs. Ed Collins and was adopted. It follows below:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
The committee submits the following report:
We feel that too much emphasis cannot be placed upon the importance of Sabbath observance. From all reports, pastors and church leaders are combining their efforts to impress upon each individual the necessity of observing the command, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it

We commend the efforts of our pastors and laymen in their work to eliminate Sabbath desecration; and we especially commend them in standing for the election of men to office who stand for the enforcement of laws and also in upholding our officers in their work. We also desire to commend the work of the Lord's Day Alliance.

We feel that the wholesale desecration of the Sabbath Day calls for a decided statement from our religious body.

This committee does, therefore, take a positive stand against the operating on Sunday of the Waco Cotton Palace, Dallas Fair, Fort Worth Stock Show, and we also affirm our stand in opposition to the operation of picture shows and the playing of baseball on Sunday.

That all Christian people co-operate with us is our desire. We urge our pastors and members to preach often and practice scrupulously obedience to the Sabbath command until our people are fully aroused on
this question. this question.

We also recommend the appointment of Rev. R. C. Armstrong as State Secretary of the Sunday League of America. R. C. Armstrong as H. C. BOWMAN, Chairman. MRS. ELLEN HATCH, Secretary.
American Bible Society-Report No. 1 of the American Bible Society was read by F. L. Meadow and was adopted. It follows:

## REPORT OF AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY BOARD

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
Dear Bishop and Brethren:
We have before us the report of Rev. J. J. Morgan, Agency Secretary
for the Southwestern Agency of the American Bible Society, and learn from this report that the work of Bible distribution for the year just closed doubles that of the preceding year and is the largest since the war period.

This is especially gratifying, since many of these Bibles go into the hands of our Mexican population, to whom the Bible has always been a closed book.

We heartily commend Brother Morgan for his year's work, since we believe that the solution of many of our political, economic, social and religious problems hinge upon the practice of the knowledge gained only from reading the Bible-the Word of God.

PRESTON BROXTON, President.
F. L. MEADOW, Secretary.

Board of Education-The report of this board was read by P. E. Riley, and H. E. Stout and J. S. Cook represented the colleges of which they are Presidents. The report was adopted and follows below:

## REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

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

We, your Board of Education, desire to submit the following report:
The educational institutions which have been represented before our board have entered upon the fall term of the present session with a larger student enrollment than for the same period of time last year. Our schools are patronized by our people. The problem of those in charge is not that of securing a student body-it is that of adequately providing for those already enrolled, and of making provision for those who desire to enter. It is a problem both of maintenance and expansion. Enlarged responsibilities and opportunities call for enlarged resources. The assessment we make is inadequate; it does not, in many instances, cover the amount that the school gives in free tuition; by all means the assessment should be increased.

The Christian Education Movement
It is a matter for congratulation that during the year just closed $\$ 1,500,000$ has been collected on the subscriptions to the Christian Education Movement throughout the connection, making the total amount collected nearly $\$ 5,000,000$. In addition to the pledges taken in 1921, more than $\$ 5,000,000$ has been subscribed as "new money" through special efforts for our various institutions of learning, of which approximately $\$ 3,000,000$ has been paid.

In our own Conference, on a pledge of $\$ 725,000, \$ 165,150$ represents the amount paid to November 1 of this year, or a little more than 22 per cent. In this work, during the past year, the period of his incumbency, Rev. J. B. Berry, Conference Secretary and Treasurer, has rendered most faithful and efficient service, reporting cash collections at his office of $\$ 40,539.80$; directed gift collections of $\$ 15,744.81$, or a grand total for the year of $\$ 56,314.61$.

We are now within the period of the payment of the fourth installment on the pledges made to the cause of education. The hope of our educational institutions is the full fruitage of the Educational Movement. Pastors and laymen are urged to give all diligence to the collection of these sacred funds. All the interests of the church wait upon our educational work. We must maintain and strengthen our institutions of learning. This we can do by carrying on this movement to its completion.

We recommend the fourth Sunday in January as Education Day, and the week of January 25 to February 1 as Pay-Up Week, and we call for the observance of Education Day and Pay-Up Week in every charge.

## Educational Institutions

Southern Methodist University-The session 1923-24 has been the most successful in the history of the institution. Enrollment in every department has been larger than ever before, and the spirit of the school has been steadily growing toward the ideals for which it was founded. The past year has been one of success in every way. The total attendance was 2,425 , an increase of 415 over the previous year. From September 1, 1923, to September 1, 1924, the financial assets of the University have been increased by $\$ 785,775.87$. All indebtedness has been paid and the permanent endowment fund largely increased. The contract has lately been let for the McFarlin Memorial Auditorium, which, when completed, will be one of the largest and most attractive buildings of the kind in America. In the School of Theology there has been an increase of 31 in the student body, and also an increase in endowment funds. The School of Theology has a building of its own, for which grateful thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. R. Harper Kirby of Austin.

We commend President Selecman and his faculty for the firm stand taken in prohibiting student participation in dances, as well as for their prompt action in other matters of discipline.

Southwestern University-Soon after the adjournment of the Conferences last fall, Dr. Horn resigned as President to take charge of the school to be established at Lubbock. The faculty elected Prof. R. W. Tinsley to serve as Acting President until a successor to Dr. Horn could be secured. Under this arrangement the affairs of the University were very successfully carried on to practically the close of the session for 1923-24.

In April, 1924, the Board of Trustees, after carefully surveying the field of men available for the presidency, unanimously elected Rev. James Samuel Barcus, M. A., D. D., as Dr. Horn's successor.

Dr. Barcus is an Alumnus of Southwestern University and has had wide experience as pastor, presiding elder and educator, and we think his selection for this important post a most fitting one, and we pledge to him and his co-laborers our best co-operation.

Southwestern University opened this fall with the largest enrollment in its history. All of the students are of college grade. The ideals of former years are maintained, and the atmosphere of the relgious life of the institution is the best it has been for many years.

The Greater Southwestern Movement, which grew largely out of the Golden Jubilee Celebration of a year ago, has crystallized into a movement having for its object the raising of one million dollars for a greater Southwestern. Rev. Glenn Flinn, of the Texas Conference, who is an Alumnus of the University, has been elected to head up this movement, and he and the president are to work jointly in putting it over.

We rejoice in the increased assets which have recently come to the University, notably the gift of $\$ 100,000$ by Rev. R. A. Morris, and the gift of $\$ 10,000$ by Hon. W. L. Dean and his wife.

Texas Woman's College-This institution continues to do the excellent grade of work which has characterized it through the years. The class room work of the Woman's College is not inferior to any in the state. The attendance, from the standpoint of total attendance, and also the number of full college students, during the past year reached the highest point in the school's history. The religious life of the institution is most satisfactory. The great body of the students is actively religious, while more than 60 are volunteers for definite Christian service. Those who are seeking a place for the education of their daughters will do well to consider the superior opportunities which are offered by the Texas Woman's College.

Meridian College-Major Joseph S. Cook, a recent graduate of Southwestern University, assumed the duties of President of Meridian College
during the past summer. He has entered actively and enthusiastically upon his work, and the outlook for the school is promising. In the enrollment of 137 for the fall term, there are 100 students of college grade. The faculty is excellent, and the religious life of students and faculty all that could be hoped for.

Weatherford College-This institution has an unusually strong faculty of 15 members. Through the interest of the citizens of Weatherford a Girls' Co-operative Home has been established. In this home, under the guidance of a matron, the girls do all the work and expenses are reduced to a minimum. The school has an enrollment of 213. On December 1 of this year the school will receive an endowment of approximately $\$ 85,000$ from the Couts estate.

Wesley Bible Chair-The work of the Wesley Bible Chair has grown far beyond the expectation of its founders. The enrollment for the fall term is 195-a number far in excess of the enrollment of any other Bible Chair at the University. A building to house the Chair was begun last May, and it is now nearly completed. It is located by the University Church, on lots provided by that congregation. The completed building will cost $\$ 45,000$. The apportionment of that amount to this Conference is $\$ 7,000$, and the Trustees, Rev. C. H. Booth and Mr. W. S. Rowland, are commissioned to raise that sum. We commend them to all friends of this worthy enterprise.

Western Methodist Assembly-The 1924 session of the Western Methodist Assembly, Fayetteville, Arkansas, was even more satisfactory than the session of 1923. The Assembly has assets worth $\$ 200,000$. It is a purely benevolent and educational enterprise of the church, and we urge all of our people who can do so to take advantage of the educational and recreational features which it offers.

We appreciate the visits of the representatives of the various institutions, and of Dr. Stonewall Anderson, General Secretary, at our board meetings and to the Conference.

Recommendations for Appointment
We recommend the following appointments:
President of Texas Woman's College...........................................H. E. Stout
President of Meridian College......................................................J. S. Cook
Conference Secretary of Education.................................................. B. Berry
Teacher in Hillsboro Junior College............................................................ Cubrey C. Haynes
Student in Harvard University..............................................S. E. Frost, Jr.
Student in Southwestern University-................................... L. D. Williams
Student in Southwestern University........................................................................
Student in Southwestern College...........................................W. M. Justice
Student in Southwestern University-... C. D. Hodges

Student in Southwestern University-..................................................... L. Long
Student in Southern Methodist University.............................W. E. Beaird
Student in Columbia University. J. I. Patterson

## Nomination of Trustees

We nominate the following trustees:
Southwestern University: Rev. John M. Barcus, Mr. F. F. Downs, Rev. C. R. Wright.

Texas Woman's College: Marvin D. Evans, I. H. Burney.
Weatherford College: Rev. E. Hightower, Rev. S. J. Rucker, Dr. H. F. Leach, W. W. McCrary, G. A. Holland, E. A. Camp, I. W. Gardner, Dr. Phil R. Simmons, Judge I. W. Stephens, Rev. A. W. Hall, Rev. E. W. Potter, J. D. Hutcheson, T. F. Temple, C. S. Davis.

Meridian College: James M. Robertson, S. H. Cooper, W. V. Odle, Rev. J. Frank Luker, Rev. C. E. Lindsey, Rev. J. E. Walkup, W. H. Simpson,

Rev. T. G. Story, Rev. J. B. Curry, Rev. Joe Fort, W. M. Wright, H. B. Furr.

Western Assembly: W. H. Matthews, P. E. Riley, W. E. Williams.
Delegates to Educational Association: H. B. Watts and F. B. Isely.
Recommendations for loans from Christian Workers' Educational Aid Fund:

> Frances Marie Gaby, Polytechnic Lillian Eincke

The application of Meridian College to the General Board of Education for an appropriation of $\$ 1,000.00$ and the application of Weatherford College to the same board for an appropriation of $\$ 750.00$ were approved.

Interboard Commission on Religious Activities Among Methodist Students: A. W. Hall.

Assessment
We recommend the following assessment:
Southern Methodist University............................................................. 8,774.00
Southwestern University ................................................................... 8,774.00
Texas Woman's College....................................................................................................................
Meridian College ............................................................................. 4, 4,000.00
Weatherford College ......................................................................... $4,000.00$

Texas School for Pastors.................................................................... 300.00
Summer School of Theology_............................................................ 300.00
Reserved for Printing Minutes, expense account, etc.................... 468.00
$\$ 36,600.00$

> Respectfully submitted,
> HORACE BISHOP, President.
> P. E. RILEY, Secretary.

## Report of Treasurer of Board of Education

Amount received
Checks to-.......................................................................... $\$ 31,836.18$
Southern Methodist University......................................................... 7, 431.50


Meridian College 3,387.95
Weatherford College .-........................................................................................................................................
S. M. U. Summer School of Theology....................................................... 254.07
S. W. U. Summer School of Theology............................................ 254.07

Wesley Bible Chair........................................................................................... $1,024.86$
J. S. Berry, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board............................... $\quad 5.00$
R. W. Tinsley, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board....................... 24.00
H. B. Furr, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board.................................... 21.25
J. H. Stewart, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board.............................. $\quad 8.00$
P. E. Riley, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board............................ 1.25

John R. Morris, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board-...................... $\quad 5.65$
John Hall Bowman, Expenses Mid-year Meeting Board............... 18.90
Printing Minutes ................................................................................-. 262.00

Southern Methodist University_-................................................... 1,947.27
Southern Methodist University Summer School of Theology...... 63.22
Southwestern University ................................................................ 1,947.27
Southwestern University Summer School of Theology................ 63.22
Texas Women's College........................................................................ 1, 1,947.27
Weatherford College ........................................................................ 530.85
Wesley Bible Chair ........................................................................................................................... 265.53
Treasurer Board of Education Conference Dues..................................... $\quad 6.00$
R. W. Tinsley, expenses as delegate to Memphis.-......................... 82.00

| Horace Bishop, expenses as delegate to Memphis | ..........................-- |
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Treasurer's expenses ................................................
33.65

Memorial Session-On motion of J. W. Bergin, it was ordered that when the Conference adjourn it be to meet in memorial session Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, which session should be concluded by the ordination of Elders and the reading of the appointments.

American Bible Society-F. L. Meadow read report No. 2 of this board and it was adopted. It follows below:

## REPORT NO. 2 OF AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY BOARD

We respectfully request the Bishop to appoint Rev. J. M. Armstrong as Field Secretary of the American Bible Society.

PRESTON BROXTON, President F. L. MEADOW, Secretary.

Auditor's Report-E. W. Bridges read his report as Auditor and it was received and filed. It follows below:

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

Brownwood, Texas, November 15, 1924.
The books and accounts of the Conference Teller and of the Treas'urer of the Conference Entertainment Fund have been checked and found to be correct and in perfect order.
E. W. BRIDGES, Auditor.
HORACE POTEET, Clerk.

Lake Worth Assembly-H. E. Stout read a report of the Lake Worth Assembly and the report was withdrawn for presentation later.

District Conference Records-Horace Poteet read the report of the Committee on District Conference Records and it was adopted. It follows:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference:
We, your Committee on District Conference Records, beg to submit the following report: All the records were before us. These are all in good condition except the records for Corsicana and Weatherford Districts. They both have no signatures to the minutes and the official roll is a part of the minutes in the Corsicana record, while that for the - Weatherford District has no roll at all.

Respectfully submitted,

> R. O. SORY, Chairman.

HORACE POTEET, Secretary.
Commission on Budget-Gid J. Bryan was permitted to file with the Secretary Report No. 2 of the Commission on Budget. .

Statistical Questions-The statistical questions were called and answered. (See Condensed Minutes.)

Conference Secretary of Education-Rev. J. B. Berry, Conference Secretary of Education, was granted the floor and spoke concerning his work.

Reports on Superannuate Endowment Fund-By vote of the Conference it was ordered that the Editor of the Journal publish in Table No. 4 of statistics the figures furnished by the Central Office in St. Louis instead of figures reported from various charges of the Conference.

Minutes-The minutes of this session were read and approved.
Adjournment-The doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. W. Bergin.

## FIFTH DAY-SUNDAY AFTERNOON MEMORIAL SESSION

Opening-The Conference met in Memorial Session at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Nov. 16th, with E. F. Boone presiding by appointment of the Bishop. Rev. M. K. Little conducted the devotional service, reading a part of the 15th chapter of First Corinthians. Rev. John M. Barcus led in singing "Oh Think of the Home Over There." Prayer was offered by F. P. Culver and the Conference sang "Meet Me There."

Question 14-Question 14, "What preachers have died during the year?" was called and the answer was Ethalmore V. Cox and James H. Wiseman. Memoirs were read as follows: Of E. V. Cox by F. P. Culver; of J. H. Wiseman by S. J. Rucker.

Preachers' Wives Deceased-It was announced that the following wives of preachers had died during the year: Mrs. D. C. Ellis, Mrs. I. Z. T. Morris, Mrs. S. B. Ellis, Mrs. James Campbell. A sketch of the life of Mrs. D. C. Ellis was read by R. C. Armstrong; of Mrs. I. Z. T. Morris by F. E. Singleton; of Mrs. S. B. Ellis by R. C. Armstrong and of Mrs. James Campbell by Horace Bishop.

John R. Nelson-A written tribute to the memory of Dr. John R. Nelson, a member of this Conference for many years, was read by Horace Biship.

Adoption of Report-J. W. W. Shuler moved the adoption of the report of the Committee on Memoirs, and D. L. Collie offered an amendment that the report be adopted without discussion, and it was so ordered. A resolution was passed ordering that a sketch of the life of Lonnie B. Sawyer be placed in the Journal.
(Editor's Note-All of these memoirs and sketches can be found in Appendix of Journal.)

Ordination of Elders-Bishop Dickey took the chair and proceeded to the ordination of elders. (See list in Condensed Minutes.)

Bishop's Certificates-Answering Question 18, "Who are ordained deacons?" and Question 20, "Who are ordained elders?" the certificates of Bishop Dickey follow below:

## Deacons

I. James E. Dickey, one of the Bishops of the M. E. Church, South, did ordain the following named traveling preachers deacons, according to the ritual of the said church: Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance, William Calvin Davis,

I did-ordain, at the same time and place, the following named local preacher a deacon according to same ritual: Oly Ocy Worthington.

Done at Brownwood, Texas, November 16th, 1924.
JAMES E. DICKEY.

## Elders

I, James E. Dickey, one of the Bishops of the M. E. Church, South, did ordain the following named traveling preachers elders, according to the ritual of the said church: William Nicodemus Byrd, William Jeremiah Cloud, Bernard Bates Edmiaston, Homer Thomas Fort, John Thomas Sanders, Geo. Andrew Schlueter, James William Sharbutt, Joseph Wilson Bickley, Lewis Dewitt Boatman, Walter Robin Beaird.

I did ordain, at the same time and place, the following named local preacher an elder, according to same ritual: C. S. Reese.

Done at Brownwood, Texas, November 16th, 1924.
JAMES E. DICKEY.

Lake Worth Assembly-Dr. H. E. Stout presented a resolution concerning the Lake Worth Assembly, which was adopted and follows below:

REPORT OF LAKE WORTH METHODIST ASSEMBLY
Central Texas Conference, Brownwood, Texas-Dear Fathers and Brethren:
Texas Methodism has no place at the present time for a general meeting place for the Epworth League, Sunday School and other activities of the church. The need for such a place is apparent and imperative.

The Fort Worth District realizing the need for such a place purchased the Shrine Temple for $\$ 30,000.00$. The original cost of this property was $\$ 120,000.00$. This Assembly ground is situated on a beautiful eminence on the banks of Lake Worth. Lake Worth is the largest and one of the most beautiful bodies of water in the state of Texas. It is easily accessible to the city of Fort Worth and there is a strong possibility of a street car line passing adjacent to our property.

During the past summer a beginning was made towards furnishing a program for our young people and a Training School for our church leaders. This beginning encourages a continuance and an enlargement of our program. The plans in the mind of the Program Committee for the coming summer include a school which shall run for three months. Speakers of national and international reputation will be secured. A number of distinct schools and group meetings will be maintained. A General Bible School; the Central Texas Conference Epworth League; a Layman's Training School; a Training School for Church Leaders; a Standard Training School for Sunday School Workers, and the Woman's Missionary Training School.

We request the endorsement of the Lake Worth Assembly and further request that this Conference designate Rev. E. B. Hawk and Rev. E. W. Potter as representatives from this Conference to serve on our Board of Directors.
H. E. STOUT,
J. W. BERGIN.

Resolution of Thanks-A resolution of thanks was offered by H. D. Tucker which was adopted and follows below:

## RESOLUTION OF THANKS

Whereas, the city of Brownwood has extended to the members of this Conference every courtesy possible for her to extend, and

Whereas, the pastors and their assistants, together with the entire citizenship, have been unusually kind and courteous to us, and

Whereas, the daily newspapers of the state, the Brownwood Bulletin and the Brownwood News have given liberal space to the proceedings of the Conference, and

Whereas, the railroads leading into Brownwood have provided special accommodations for the members of the Conference;

Therefore, be it resolved, that we extend to these our heart-felt thanks and sincere appreciation for making this one of the best Conferences ever held and that the memory of these days will ever abide with us.

Respectfully submitted,
J. W. BERGIN,
F. P. CULVER,
W. H. MATTHEWS,
H. D. TUCKER.

Minutes-The minutes of this session were read and approved.
Appointments-In answering Question 43, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" the Bishop read the appointments (see appointments) and the Conference adjourned sine die with the singing of the doxology and the benediction pronounced by Bishop Dickey.

## Appointments.

## BROWNWOOD DISTRICT

A. D. Porter, Presiding Elder (2)


## CISCO DISTRICT

L. A. Webb, Presiding Elder (1)

Breckenridge ....................................... C. L. Cartwright (1)
Bunyan .
J. W C

Caddo I. E. Hightower (2)

Carbon ................................................W. B. Morton (4)
Cisco-
First Church .................................... E. Bowman (1)
Twelfth Street ...............................E. L. Hill (1-III)
Crosscut
DeLeon Station
W. L. Connell (2)

DeLeon Circuit
Seba Kirkpatrick (1)
Desdemona
W. A. Neill (1)

Dublin
W. T. Jones (2)
J. B. Curry (2)

Eastland
J. H. Stewart (1)

Gorman
Pioneer
J. B. Weathers (1-I)

Ranger
A. W. Hall (2)

Rising Star
R. A. Walker (2)

Scranton
C. H. Puckett (1)

Sipe Springs
C. F. Bell (1)

Wayland
G. R. Wright (1)

## CLEBURNE DISTRICT

O. F. Sensabaugh, Presiding Elder (2)

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## CORSICANA DISTRICT

John M. Barcus, Presiding Elder (1).

| Blooming Grove $\qquad$ B. D. Knoy (1-III) |
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Blooming Grove ....................................................................................................... ${ }^{\text {M }}$ (2)
Chatfield
Cooledge ................................................. M. Wynne (2)
Corsicana-
First Church .................................. E. W. Potter (1)
Eleventh Avenue .......................... D. A. Chisholm (2)
Max Ave. and Eureka.....................J. T. Sanders (1)
Corsicana Circuit ........................................ G. G. Smith (1-IV).
Dawson ...............................................W. T. Boulware (1)
Emhouse - --................................................................ (2)
Emmett ….......................................................................
Frost ...................................................... B. Landrum (2)
Groesbeck ...............................................................................
Irene and Mertens................................. A. Walkup (2)
Kerens ................................................... H. Gates (2)
Kerens Circuit ............................................................... (1-II)

Mexia, First Church..........................W. B. Andrews (3)
Mexia Circuit .................................................. H. Nance (1-III)
Munger ..............................................W. H. Keener (1)
Purdon and Harmony..........................I. R. Darwood, Supply (3)
Rice .....................................................A. E. Carraway (2)
Richland ..............................................F. L. Willshire (2)
Thornton .................................................... Hryan H. Keathley (2-I)
Wortham
Conference Missionary Secretary.....E. W. Potter
Asst. Conf. Missy. Sec........................G. W. Kincheloe


## GATESVILLE DISTRICT

C. E. Lindsey, Presiding Elder (3)

| Carlton | fro (1) |
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| Clifton | T. G. Story (3) |
| Crawford | C. B. Diltz (2) |
| Duffau | Ben S. Crow (1) |
| Fairy | R. H. Davenport (1-I) |
| Gatesville Station | W. W. Moss (1) |
| Gatesville Circuit | W. C. Davis (1-III) |
| Hamilton Station | T. F. Adams (2) |
| Hamilton Circuit | A. G. Hulme (1) |
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## GATESVILLE DISTRICT-Continued

| Iredell <br> C. T. Brockette <br> (1) |
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| Ireland ...-...................................................... L. Oliver (2) |
| Jonesboro .......................................C. G. Shutt (1) |
| McGregor .............................. .......E. R. Patterson (1) |
| Meridian ..........................................W. J. Morphis (1) |
| Moody .a............................................... Nation (1) |
| Moody Circuit ......... ........................Melvin Walker (1-I) |
| Mosheim .......................................S. P. Gilmore (1) |
| Oglesby ...........................................W. T. Kinslow (3) |
| Pearl ..............................................B. F. Reynolds, Supply (2) |
| Roswell ..........................................A. S. Gafford (2-II) |
| Turnersville ...................................Ernest Roper (1-IV) |
| Valley Mills ...................................W. J. Hearon (1) |
| - Walnut Springs .-.............................J. L. Chunn (2-II) |
| General Evangelist ............................ C. Bell (2) |
| President Meridian College ...............J. S. Cook (1-II) |

## GEORGETOWN DISTRICT

## S. G. Thompson, Presiding Elder (1)



WACO DISTRICT
C. R. Wright, Presiding Elder (2)

Abbott and Vaughan.......................... M. L. Boone (3)
Aquilla and Elm Mott
E. N. Scarlett (3)

Axtell, Riesel and Mooreville
B. B. Edmiaston (5)

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WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT
E. B. Hawk, Presiding Elder (3)


## WEATHERFORD DISTRICT

## S. J. Rucker, Presiding Elder (4)

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| Azle | B. W. Kramer (1) |
| Eliasville | G. G. Mitchell (1) |
| Gordon | T. W. Hook (2-I) |
| Graford | W. B. Gilleland (1) |
| Graham Station | J. W. W. Shuler (2) |
| Graham Circuit | J. W. Bickley (1) |
| Loving | J. C. Grimes (1-IV) |
| Millsap | W. J. Cloud (2) |
| Mineral Wells | Alonzo Monk, Jr. (1) |
| New Castle | R. J. LaPrade (4) |
| Olney Station | M. D. Council (3) |
| Olney Circuit | Wallace Dunson (1-1) |
| Palo Pinto | W. E. Harrell (1) |
| Santo | A. J. Helms (2-IV) |
| Springtown | W. F. Smith (2-IV) |
| Strawn | L. D. Boatman (1) |
| Thurber | Walter Griffith (1) |
| Weatherford |  |
| First Church | T. Edgar Neal (2) |
| Cout's Memorial | G. A. Schlueter (1) |
| Weatherford Circuit | A. W. Franklin (1) |
| Whitt | T. M. McBrayer (2-II) |

## Minutes

OF THE FIFTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH, HELD AT BROWNWOOD, TEXAS, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 12, 1924, ENDING NOVEMBER 16, 1924. BISHOP JAMES E. DICKEY, PRESIDENT; A. D. PORTER, SECRETARY. POSTOFFICE OF SECRETARY, BROWNWOOD, TEXAS.

## I. PROBATIONERS

1. Who are admitted on trial? Melvin A. Walker, Roy Leslie Crawford, Homer Ross Hall, Wallace Nail Dunson, Andy Kenneth Marney, Adron Collinsworth Jones, Bryan Herd Keathley, Henry Jefferson Sanders, John B. Weathers, Louie D. Williams, Robt. Howell Davenport, Wm. McKinley Justice, Bruce Meador Cox, Wm. Kenneth Pope, John Barton Bailey, Clifton Lee Hodges.
2. Who else is in the class of the first year? T. Wesley Hook, T. B. Sowell (in orders).
3. Who remain on trial? Edmund Heinsohn, Thos. Marvin McBrayer, Frank L. Turner, Robt. Henry Price, Clarence O. Boatman, Eustace R. Gordon, David R. McCauley, Paul W. Utley, Samuel R. Grace (transferred to Northwest Texas), Jos. L. Chunn, Alvin S. Gafford, Henry P. Watkins (in orders), Chas. W. Ferguson.
4. Who else is in the class of the second year? Jos. Singleton Cook (college president), A. L. Long (student), J. I. Patterson (studentdeacon), S. E. Frost, Jr. (student).
5. Who are discontinued? No one.

## II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP

6. Who are admitted into full connection? Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance, William Calvin Davis.
7. Who else is in the class of the third year? E. L. Hill (in orders).
8. Who are readmitted? J. R. Kidwell, placed in class of third year.
9. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? C. W. Ferguson (first year), W. W. Richeson, Geo. W. Shearer, G. G. Smith (fourth year), S. L. Culwell, from Northwest Texas; C. O. Davis, from New Mexico; Walter Robin Beaird (fourth year), from North Alabama; T..A. Covington, from West Texas; L. D. Boatman (fourth year), W. L. Wall, J. W. Fort, from North Texas.
10. Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers? T. B. Sowell, Elder, from Baptist Church.
11. Who are located this year? J. G. Harwell.
12. Who have withdrawn or been expelled?' Withdrawn, J. A. Dozier and W. J. Whitley.
13. Who are transferred to other Conferences? J. R. Kidwell (third year), J. D. Kursell (fourth year), to West Texas; Henry Francis, W. H. Coleman, to New Mexico; Z. R. Fee, to East Oklahoma; C. A. Bickley, E. E. White, W. B. Vaughn, J. W. Shepherd, S. R. Grace (second year), to Northwest Texas.
14. What preachers have died during the year? James H. Wiseman and Ethalmore V. Cox.

## III. ORDERS

15. Who are the deacons of one year? S. A. Billingsley, R. E. Briggs, H. W. Gaston, Floyd Hollingsworth, A. G. Hulme, Earl Page, J. L. Ray, Ernest Roper, P. L. Shuler, W. F. Smith, H. D. Tucker, C. E. Wade, R. L. Butler, E. M. Dailey, A. J. Helms, J. W. Culwell, W. C. Fer-
guson, J. C. Grimes, R. E. Nollner, T. J. Justice (Elder), G. G. Smith.
16. Who else is in the class of the fourth year? No one.
17. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected deacons? Traveling preachers, Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance, William Calvin Davis. Local preachers, Oly Ocy Worthington.
18. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons? Traveling preachers, Arthur Jackson Jones, Van Poe Morrison, John Daniel Knoy, Horace Hay, Hushel Harry Nance, William Calvin Davis. Local preachers, Oly Ocy Worthington.
19. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders? Traveling preachers, Wm. Nicodemus Byrd, Wm. Jeremiah Cloud, Bernard Bates Edmiaston, Homer Thos. Fort, John Thos. Sanders, Geo. Andrew Schlueter, James Wm. Sharbutt, Jos. Wilson Bickley, Lewis DeWitt Boatman, Walter Robin Beaird. Local preachers, C. S. Reese.
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## IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS

21. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.
22. Who are supernumerary? T. W. Ellis, J. D. Smoot, B. E. Kimbrow, C. S. Field, J. R. B. Hall, J. Fred Patterson, A. T. Culbertson, L. G. White.
23. Who are superannuated? H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, D. C. Ellis, W. V. Jones, J. M. McCarter, V. J. Millis, C. V. Oswalt, J. J. Rape, E. M. Sweet, W. K. Simpson, E. F. Boone, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, I. F. Harris, F. L. McGehee, A. C. Lackey, N. E. Gardner, J. E. Walker, B. A. Snoddy, B. A. Evans, W. H. Crawford, C. W. Macune, W. A. Gilleland, H. B. Henry, C. Rowland, M. M. Morphis, R. L. Reese, C. W. Daniel, Horace Bishop, W. H. Doss, S. J. Vaughan, W. L. Nelms, K. S. Vanzant, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H. Braswell, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, E. A. Smith, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, R. J. Tooley, M. K. Little, W. B. Wilson, J. S. Bowles, J. W. Patison, S. B. Sawyer, J. T. Bloodworth, M. L. Story, M. M. Smith.

## V. STATISTICS

24. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges and of societies in this Conference? Districts, 10; pastoral charges, 228; societies, 553.
25. How many have been licensed to preach and what is the number of local preachers and members? Licensed, 33; local preachers, 224; members, 89,174.
26. How many adults and how many infants have been baptized during the year? Adults, 3,575 ; infants, 960 .
27. What is the number of Epworth Leagues and of Epworth League members? Epworth Leagues, 277; Epworth League members, 8,478.
28. What is the number of Sunday Schools, of Sunday school officers and teachers, and of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the year? Sunday schools, 471; officers and teachers, 6,012; scholars enrolled, 73,503.
29. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies, and what is the number of members of the same? Societies, 218; members, 7,491 .
30. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 5; teachers, 206 ; students, 3,249 ; value of property, $\$ 3,728,852$; endowment, $\$ 1,817$,628; indebtedness, $\$ 386,716$.
31. What are the orphanage statistics? Orphanages, 1 ; officers and teachers, 14 ; children in orphanages, 339 ; money expended, $\$ 125,000$; value of property, $\$ 440,000$; indebtedness, $\$ 22,000$.
32. What are the hospital statistics? Hospitals, 1; money expended, $\$ 192,815$; value of property, $\$ 152,500$.

## VI. FINANCES

33. What has been contributed for the following causes? Foreign Missions, $\$ 20,388$; Home and Conference Missions, $\$ 19.272$; Church Extension, $\$ 10,858$; Education, $\$ 56,464$; American Bible Society, $\$ 1.722$; General Conference expense, $\$ 1,856$; by the Woman's Missionary Society, $\$ 123,251$.
34. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry? Bishops, $\$ 5,939$; presiding elders, $\$ 49,684$; preachers in charge, $\$ 393,394$; Conference claimants, $\$ 24,527$; Superannuate Endowment Fund, $\$ 39,987$.
35. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year? $\$ 1,653,504$.
VII. CHURCH PROPERTY
36. What is the number of houses of worship, their value and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Houses of worship, 496; value, $\$ 4,=99,-$ 559 ; indebtedness, $\$ 390,403$.
37. What is the number of parsonages, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? District parsonages, 11; value, $\$ 80,000$; indebtedness, $\$ 1,700$; parsonages belonging to pastoral charges, 232 ; value, $\$ 733,700$; indebtedness, $\$ 28,167$.
38. What amount of insurance is carried on church property, and what amount has been paid out in premiums? Insurance carried, \$2,356,592; premiums paid, $\$ 58,936$.
39. How many churches and parsonages have been damaged or destroyed during the year, what is the amount of damage, and what has been collected thereon? Churches damaged, 5 ; parsonages damaged, 2 ; amount of domage, $\$ 7,676$; collected, $\$ 5,675$.
40. What is the number of superannuate homes, and what is their value? Homes, 17; value, $\$ 47,000$.
VIII. MISCELLANEOUS
41. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader? W. Erskine Williams.
42. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Waxahachie, Texas.
43. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

## APPENDIX.

## Conference Rules.

1. The District Steward and the Recording Steward of each charge and the District Trustees 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 Conference shall elect a Statistical Secretary for the ensuing year, who shall name the several district editors, after consultation with the Presiding Elders, said District Editors to be Assistant Statistical Secretaries, whose duty it shall be to collect the statistical reports from the preachers in charge within the several districts and see that they are properly edited and turned over to the Statistical Secretary, 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 Conferenc, concerning each one admitted to 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. The Conference Commission on Budget shall not be authorized to offer to the Annual Conference any new or special assessments to be levied upon the churches, unless such new or 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.
8. The Conference Commission on Budget in its report shall give the contrasts between the several assessments for the present year and the proposed assessments for the ensuing year so that the Conference can act on the report with clear knowledge. It shall be the duty of the Commission to furnish the "Table of Assessments" for the ensuing year, arriving at the scale for the districts by finding what per cent the total church membership in the individual district is of the grand total church membership in the Conference, and by finding what per cent the total salaries in the district are of the grand total of salaries paid in the Conference, and then dividing the sum of these two decimals by 2 .
9. All papers, resolutions, obituaries and reports, except the statistical reports, coming before the Conference, must be typewritten in triplicate before reaching the Secretary's desk, the original copy to be retained by the Secretary in the archives, one duplicate to be furnished the editor of the Texas Christian Advocate, and one duplicate to be furnisher the editor of the Central Texas Conference Journal.

## Changes in Charge Lines.

Brownwood District-Hayrick is changed from Wingate to Bronte, Shep to Wingate Charge, and Mercury from Winchell Charge back to West Texas Conference.

Cleburne District-Bethany goes to Alvarado Station, Waples to Granbury Station, and Morgan Mills and Smith Springs to Bluffdale.

Gatesville District-Sardis goes from Ireland Charge to Jonesboro; Evergreen from Jonesboro to Ireland. Meridian Circuit is dissolved and Help goes to Iredell Charge, Midway to Roswell, and Dyersville to Morgan in the Cleburne District.

Waxahachie District-Boyce, Wilson Grove and Rocket together form one charge with the parsonage at Boyce. Collier's Chapel, Falls, Reagor Springs and Waxahachie Cotton Mills form one charge. Peoria Circuit is dissolved, Bell Springs going to Bynum Charge and Peoria to Line Street.

## Memoirs.

## REV. ETHELMORE V. COX

The life of a good man like Ethelmore V. Cox is never in vain, it enriches the life of a nation. The grave does not rob us of it, it is an inheritance in which we all share. Though he is no more with us in the flesh yet his life abides and speaks with a voice that will ring through the years. Why then should we sorrow for the body since we have that which is more precious?

He was a child of the parsonage, the son of noble and honored parents. His father, Rev. J. Fred Cox, was one of the great leaders of Texas Methodism, and his mother one of the queenliest women that ever graced a parsonage home. No boy ever had kinder or more worthy parents or more congenial home in which to grow. There was poured into his life the love and ministry of great hearts.

Bro. Cox was born in Williamson County near Round Rock, Texas, February 23, 1867, and passed to his reward from his home in Polytechnic, Texas, August 28, 1924. He had not been well for several months, but no one thought that his condition was serious until a few weeks before his death. He suffered, but his faith was undimmed and his death victorious. When only eleven years of age he was received into the membership of the Methodist Church. Even in youth life was to him not all play, it had its visions of duty and service. To his parents he was devoted and dutiful and to his playmates kind and courteous. While his boyhood was happy it was not thoughtless for in that season was laid the foundation of devotion to duty which grew in after years to a passion.

He had access to the best schools of his day. These opportunities he faithfully used. He was a diligent student. No goad was needed to drive him to his task. He was ambitious to know and to wield the power that comes with knowledge. He attended Marvin College for awhile, after which he entered Southwestern University, from which he graduated with distinction in 1889 with the A. B. degree. His college career was a happy one in which he made many friends and won some of the highest honors of the University. Before and after graduation he taught school. He won the distinction of being a good school master, for he had the ability to inspire young life to its best.

He resisted the call to the ministry for a time, feeling that it was a task too holy for him. When his father was stricken with his fatal illness he threw everything aside and went to his sick bed to minister to him, and it was there in the sick room after the triumphant death of his father that he yielded to the call to preach. After his decision was made he did not hesitate, but sought license at once. So on October 17th. 1891, he was granted license by the Mulkey Memorial Quarterly Conference, and soon thereafter preached his firct sermon in Polytechnic Church. In November, 1891, he joined the old Northwest Texas Conference and was sent to Gordon and Strawn.

His appointments thereafter were as follows: Mansfield, 1892-93; Albany, 1893-94; Polytechnic Mission, 1894-95; Polytechnic and Little Fossel. 1895-96; Polytechnic Station. 1896-97; Arlington. 1897-99; Joshua, 1899-1900; Breckenridge, 1900-03; Graham, 1903-07; Weatherford College, 1907-08; Granbury, 1908-10; Ballinger, 1910-12; Temple, 1912-15; Killeen, 1915-16; Waco, 1916-17; and from then on till his death. with the exception of two years when he was Conference Evangelist, he was Commissioner of Texas Woman's College.

He was married to Miss Mattie Wilson in Mansfield, November 19th, 1893. She lived only a short time after their marriage. On June 3rd, 1897, he and Miss Clara W. Rogers were married in Polyetchnic. For twenty-seven years they lived happily together. She was indeed a true wife and helpful companion. To this union were born four children; E.

Rogers, Mary Edda, J. Fred, and Frederick Edward, all of whom survive him except Frederick Edward.

The home life of Bro. Cox was beautiful. His wife trusted in him and his children were devoted to him. Their welfare lay close to his heart. He gave himself to them without stint. No sacrifice was too great to make for them. He and his wife were always lovers, their devotion was deep and beautiful. To his children he was not stern but firm. He held their love because he loved them and won their obedience because he proved to them by his life his worthiness to command.

Brother Cox was a man of conviction. He had opinions and stood for them. He was not easily diverted.

He thought things through and planted himself upon his conclusions.
He was systematic. There was order and method in all that he did. His life was not confused, but planned. He was a tireless worker, he did not quit until the task was done. He literally fulfilled his ministerial vow, "Never to be unemployed." He was a just man. He oppressed no one. He was charitable in his judgment, patient and indulgent with his brethren. He did not speak evil but good of men. He did not demand, but gave, did not exact, but served. To him life was not to be used to get, but to give.

Bro. Cox was a man of God. He knew God and God knew him. His delight was to do God's will. When his life was placed on the altar there it remained down to the last hour. God could count on him. His religion was not second-hand, but a definite experience in his heart. The great truths of religion were not merely historic, he proved them in his own soul. He was an humble Christian. His faith in God was child-like, he took God at His word. In the years long-gone he gave his heart to God and started on "unto perfection" in which he journeys still.

As a preacher, Brother Cox was strong, persuasive, spiritual. He was a diligent student of the Word. He was keenly sensitive to the responsibility of his task. Being a true minister of Jesus Christ was to him the biggest thing in the world. The passion of his soul was to be a faithful ambassador. He was bold in the denunciation of sin, but tender with the sinner. He did not hesitate to declare the truth even though it hurt. He depended upon the help of the Holy Spirit rather than upon the arts and tricks of the sensationalist.

His preaching was evangelistic, the salvation of the soul was his supreme concern. He drove straight to the heart and pleaded for a decision for Christ. He has held many great meetings, some of them historic, out of which came a multitude redeemed. There was a vast company on high, who had felt the passion and thrill of his spirit, waiting to welcome him "into everlasting habitations." There are stars innumerable to his crown. He was also a doctrinal preacher. He knew the doctrine of his church. He loved to preach it, and did with power and effectiveness. He proclaimed it not so much to controvert the doctrine of other churches as to inform the members of his own church. He held doctrinal revivals in which he not only had conversions to Methodist belief, but to Christ as well. He wrote and had published several tracts on the doctrines of Methodism, one of which the Publishing House bought and has given wide circulation.

As commissioner of Texas Woman's College, Brother Cox did some of the best work of his life. He made it possible for a number of poor girls to go to college. In a quiet way he sought funds from his friends to be applied to the education of worthy girls. He raised a loan fund to assist them, which will perpetuate the memory of his passion to serve and his sympathy with the struggling youth of his church. He brought one girl and her trunk in his car from another state to college that she might be saved the expense of travel. His ears were always open to pleadings of these needy and ambitious ones. We can say of him that the controlling principle of his life was not to be ministered unto, but to minister and to give himself to others.
F. P. CULVER.

## JAMES H. WISEMAN

James H. Wiseman was born in Mocksville, North Carolina, April 29, 1856. The family were strong Baptists, one brother being now a prominent minister of that church. Two brothers and a sister survive him. He came to Texas, stopping in Dallas County, in 1876. The following year in Hood County he was soundly converted and at once joined the church under the ministry of Rev. O. M. Addison of sainted memory. He was licensed to preach in 1880 and in the fall of the following year at Waxahachie he was received on trial into the old Northwest Texas Conference. He served the following charges: Junior preacher under Rev. G. W. Swofford, Hillsboro Circuit, 1882; Village Creek Circuit, 1883-84; Anson, 1885-88; Colorado, 1889-90; Cisco, 1891; Sweetwater, 1892. During this year his health failed and he was supernumerary the following year. He served the Lorena Circuit 1894-97; Morrow Street, Waco, 1898-99; Vernon District, 1900-02; Dublin, 1903-04; Moody, 1905-07; Blooming Grove, 1908-11. The last year at Blooming Grove he served also as President of Blooming Grove College, a secondary school we had at that time.

For years the school had been having a fierce struggle for existence, changing administration every year or two. Bro. Wiseman got under the school with all that he had and made a heroic effort to save it to the church, possibly making some mistakes, but all with pure motives. But the inevitable crash came and he was caught in the jam. He had already used part of his own money, and later he sacrificed every dollar that he had and sought to reimburse the Mission Board whose credit he had used to save the school.

For a season he retired from the church and its ministry and faced the world without a dollar, but with conscious integrity. He began again at the bottom in worldly matters, as a church member and as a minister, living for eight years at Georgetown and Austin. In the fall of 1919 he was appointed as a supply to the LaGrange Station, West Texas Conference, where he served with great acceptability for four and a half years, enjoying the love and high esteem of his people. The Central Texas Conference, from which he had gone in 1911, was pleased to restore his credentials and readmit him into its ranks at the session of the Conference at Weatherford in 1922, giving him the supernumerary relation while he served as supply at LaGrange. Thus his last days were spent in the full fellowship and full confidence of his brethren. His health waned and prudence would have dictated his retiring, but the church at LaGrange insisted upon his reappointment from year to year. Nor would he consent to stop. He preferred to labor to the last and spend fewer days upon earth rather than to live longer and be idle. He died as he had wished-in the harness. After a brief illness the end came suddenly on Sunday afternoon, May 25 . He was laid to rest in the LaGrange cemetery the following day.

He was married to Miss Mary Sealey Nov. 30, 1885, with whom he walked in perfect agreement to the end. Six children blessed this union, three of whom survive with their mother-Prof. Ben W. Wiseman, Weatherford, Texas; Sam S. Wiseman, Council Bluff, Iowa, and Mrs. Grace Covey, Austin, Texas, who live to honor the noble father and mother.

I became intimately acquainted with Bro. Wiseman while he was on the Lorena Circuit as my father's pastor. No man was ever more popular or successful on that work. There were from fifty to sixty additions on profession of faith each of the four years; all claims were met in full and every interest of the church prospered. His memory is still precious throughout that section as many can testify. And those four years typed more or less his entire ministry-a good preacher, splendid pastor, efficient leader, highly esteemed by all. Quoting from another who knew him intimately throughout his ministerial life: "He was pre-emi-
nently a pastor-tender in his feelings, easily approached by young and old, wise in council and always faithful, happy-hearted, cheerful and optimistic. He found the easy passage to the human heart. Saints and sinners believed in him and always recognized in him a man of God."

He was tried as few ever are, but those closest to him knew the unselfishness and purity of his heart. More and more his work and faithfulness to the church compelled the confidence of his brethren. The devotion of his people at LaGrange was an eloquent tribute to him. They loved him in his life, sorrowed in his death, covered casket and altar rail with flowers at his funeral, wept freely and lovingly over his remains as young and old looked finally into the face of their beloved friend and pastor. The storms of life had all broken, the clouds had rolled away and the sun shone clear at its setting. James H. Wiseman died secure in the love and esteem of the brethren of his Conference as well as with the strangers among whom he labored during the last years of his earthly life.

Peace and blessedness to him and to the noble family he leaves. S. J. RUCKER.

MRS. D. C. ELLIS
Mary Caroline Ellis, nee Ward, was born in Ellis County, Texas, not far from Waxahachie, January 13th, 1864 . While she was yet a child her father procured a tract of land on Houston Creek on which he established a home. Upon a part of this land the town of Italy now stands. Here she grew into womanhood. She was educated in the public school and in Houston Institute, which was a chartered institution and owned by Rev. L. C. Collier, a Cumberland minister, and Prof. B. R. Packard. It chanced that she was the first and only graduate of this school, as it soon passed into the hands of the county and became a part of the public school system. She was fortunate in having a Christian home where the atmosphere of the divine entered into the texture of her moral being, resulting in her bright and happy passage from the dominion of darkness and death into the marvelous light of salvation and life eternal. This wonderful transition occurred when she was about twelve years of age, under the ministry of the writer. The text used on the occasion was Rev. 22:17. No lingering doubts ever disturbed her tranquil soul, for her faith was ever abiding, sustaining her amidst life's perils, toils, sufferings and sorrows as well as in the midst of its joys, triumphs and sunshine.

She was united in marriage to Rev. D. C. Ellis August 3rd, 1884. She was the mother of three sons, F. P., Stephen M. and John A. The last named was electrocuted July 27, 1923, while at work for Fort Worth Power and Light Company. Unfortunately for her while in girlhood she had a relapse from measles terminating in a chronic trouble from which she never recovered, and as time advanced other vital organs became involved, so that her life was one of affliction. For twenty years she did not pass a well day and at times her suffering was intense. During all these years she was never heard to murmur or complain, but sought to minimize her sufferings rather than magnify them. She was always optimistic and cheerful and bore her sufferings with the patience and fidelity of a true heroine of the cross. Doubtless she was an exception among sufferers. She was a devout Christian, fully consecrated to God. In November, 1888, her husband joined this Conference, then known as the Northwest Texas Conference. She at once entered into the itinerant spirit with her husband, and met her increased responsibilities with resignation and devotion. When it became necessary to retire from the activities of the itineracy it was to her an hour of great regret. Unhesitatingly she fulfilled her obligations to God, the church and her family. She was a devoted wife, an affectionate and faithful
mother, the queen of the home, the great magnetic influence that drew the family together. She has bequeathed to her posterity a legacy more valuable than the riches of earth, for she has contributed to the moral wealth of the world that which shall endure throughout time and eternity. She anticipated the future state with complacency and delight, for she knew she was in readiness for the exchange of abodes. Despite her sufferings she desired to live so that she might contribute to the happiness of her loved ones. She dreaded death because of the inetnse pain it might bring. But when the goal was reached, about the last words she expressed were, "If this is death, I didn't know it would be so easy." On January 31st, 1924, her wearied and afflicted body reposed in death and was interred in the narrow confines of the vault while the real self -the soul-went to join her loved ones who have gone before on the blissful shores of a glorious immortality, where she awaits the coming of her loved ones left behind.
R. C. ARMSTRONG.

## MRS. I. Z. T. MORRIS

## My Tribute to a Friend

Mrs. Morris went so quietly about the work that she had chosen for her own, that only those who knew her best or who worked beside her, day by day, could realize the magnitude of the responsibility she bore. Almost thirty years have gone by since Bro. Morris took up the work of finding homes for homeless children of the state and she worked by his side with a love for and an interest as deep as his. For several years before the work was well organized and on a financial basis that would permit them to pay for outside help, Mrs. Morris with some assistance from her eldest daughter would act as cook, nurse, seamstress, housekeeper and also made a most efficient secretary for her husband, sometimes having in her home nearly a dozen children besides her own.

Knowing that she was reared in a home of plenty where no hardships or economics were needful, I marvel that she could learn to do so many things and do them all so well.

As she grew older and more frail her home duties were lightened, but there must have been many times when her frail body was weary of its load of care, but such was her interest in her loved "employ" that her spirit never tired. Her indomitable courage and determination to keep up until the organization was able to do without her aid, upheld her until ten days before the end, and even when no longer able to go to her place of labor, her interest did not lessen, but was with her as long as consciousness remained.

Cultivated in mind and heart, refined by nature and by continued acts of unselfishness, it is not strange that the life of Mrs. Morris has so blessed and enriched the world, for she was a true Samaritan who looked on anyone in distress as being her neighbor.

She had faith and courage when difficulties that would seem insurmountable arose. She had a sweet serenity under adversity and patience under sorrow. She had unusual energy and a modesty over anything she had accomplished that marked her as a most superior woman.

She was not known as a public speaker, rarely lifting her voice before an audience. Yet in her case actions speak louder than mere words. She wrote little of her work, yet her good deeds will be gratefully remembered many years hence, for in almost very village in the state a child has been made happy by having a home, and a home is happier for having a child placed there by Mrs. Morris.

No picture did she paint, yet on the walls of memory hangs a picture we shall see as long as that wall stands. A picture done with the oil of human kindness and tinted with the blood of her undying pity and compassion for the cast-off waifs, who but for her, might have perished. She
could not sing according to the critic's mind, yet her voice has left an echo that will ring in many ears-an echo of some tender lullaby or oldfashioned hymn, hummed to the countless babies that she rocked and soothed to sleep, above a heart that beat in deepest sympathy for their desolate condition. I like to think that when she "crossed the bar" at Heaven's gateway she was greeted by the outstretched hands of all the little children to whom she had so sweetly ministered, but who in spite of all her skillful hands could do, had passed before her into rest.

And I can almost fancy that I hear a voice saying, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have also done it unto me."

For eighteen years Mrs. Morris was my near neighbor. I went to her when in trouble or in doubt as to the right course to pursue. She gave me true sympathy and wise counsel. But 'tis to the friend of little children that I pay this passing tribute, for to them she gave a wondrous love and life.

SALLIE LOVE PEELE.

## MRS. I. Z. T. MORRIS

Mrs. I. Z. T. Morris, nee Isabelle Walters, was born April 15, 1857, in Milwaukee, Wis., of English parentage. The family moved to Houston, Texas, in 1870 and united with the Methodist Church. She was converted early in life. She married the young pastor of the Washington Street Methodist Church, Rev. I. Z. T. Morris, June 21, 1867. Hers had been a home of culture and refinement, still she adjusted herself beautifully to the hardships of the early parsonage life. In later life when Bro. Morris turned to the saving of little children's lives, Sister Morris assumed the home side of this work. About 3,000 children have been placed during the 29 years of their labors. Sister Morris triumphantiy passed to her rich reward March 13, joining her husband who proceeded her just a few years. Three sons and four daughters survive their parents, together with thousands of orphans who, along with their own children found a large place in their hearts and home. Many will rise at the last day to call these noble workers of the kingdom "blessed." Sister Morris was buried from the Polytechnic Methodist Church. Her former pastors, Brother E. B. Hawk and P. E. Riley, and her former presiding elder, Bro. W. H. Matthews, assisted the pastor.
F. E. SINGLETON.

MRS. FANNY ELLIS
Mrs. Fanny Ellis, daughter of John W. and Cornelia Evans, was born at Brooksville, Mississippi, in 1848. Her parents moved to Ellis Ccunty, Texas, in 1865. Her father was among the first settlers of the town of Ennis. It was here that the subject of this memoir was educated and grew into womanhood. At an early age she was converted and joined the M. E. Church, South, and made a faithful member during her long life. She was raised in a Christian home with its sacred environments. Having the example and teaching of devout Christian parents, she imbibed those ennobling virtues that go into refined womanhood. This made it easy for her to meet the several relations in life ${ }_{1}$ as daughter, sister, wife and friend with becoming fidelity. To knew her was to admire and respect her. In 1878 the writer was assigned to the Ennis charge, and there became the pastor of the Evans family. Miss Fanny was a loyal and devoted member of the church. She was constant in attendance at Sunday school and all church services and promptly met all of her obligations. Her educational advantages were such as the country afforded at that time. She was married to the Rev. S. B. Ellis at the home of her father at Ennis in 1884, the writer officiating. There were no children born to this union. They were perfectly congenial and indeed their twain was one flesh. She made an ideal pastor's wife, kind and affectionate, sharing the privations and hardships of circuit life
with resignation and joyfulness.. She was a superb housewife, marked for her taste and neatness. In her home the itinerant found congenial friends, a happy greeting and sweet repose. On the 13 th day of June, 1924, her spirit left its earthly abode for "an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens," to which her parents, husband and other loved ones and friends have gone. She left behind three brothers, one sister, other relatives and many friends.. But we all know where to find her.
R. C. ARMSTRONG.

## MRS. JAMES CAMPBELL

Amantha Elizabeth Starley, daughter of Doctor Silas Fletcher and Mrs. Margaret Forbes Starley, was born in Springfield, Limestone County, Texas, September 9th, 1855. Her parents moved to Fairfield when she was a little child. In 1873 the family moved to Corsicana, where the doctor practiced inedicine for a number of years.

They were all Methodists. She joined the church when she was quite young and became a consistent and useful Christian. In her girlhood she was not only beautiful, but her kind and lovely disposition and manners made her very popular with the social set. In October, 1879, she was married to Rev. James Campbell, the pastor of the Methodist Church in Corsicana. Their bridal tour was a trip to Annual Conference which met that year in Fort Worth. Without reservation she gave herself to the itinerant life as she had given herself already to her husband. She became the mother of eight children, three of whom died in infancy. Five are still living: Mrs. R. M. Farrar of Houston, Miss Mary Campbell and Mrs. John J. Haythe of Lynchburg, Va.; James S. Campbell of Weatherford, Texas, and Robert Campbell of Fort Worth.

Having embraced the faith when a child, she was as loyal to her early vows as she was to those she afterwards assumed at the marriage altar. She encountered all the difficulties of her itinerant life with model cheerfulness adorning the doctrine of the gospel.

In her home, while the doctor was editor of the Christian Advocate, and when she was in a parsonage, her quiet orderly supervision gave her house a delightful atmosphere of peace as well as piety. Doctor Campbell, the great preacher and wise leader, passed away on the morning of the meeting of his Conference in Weatherford in 1922.

She joined him, this time not "for better or worse," as when she gave him all she was and had to help him fight life's battles, but better and for best in a perpetual union where there is no more death, neither sorrow nor crying. For He that sitteth on the throne has said, " Be hold I make all things new, and they shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more, and God shall wipe away all tears from our eyes."

HORACE BISHOP.

## JOHN R. NELSON

For thirty-six years the name of John R. Nclson appeared regularly in our Journals. During that long period there was no one who labored more assiduously and effectively than he did. The mark of his hand is on every movement for the promotion of Methodism in Central and Northwest Texas Conferences. For a brief period he was a member of the Texas Conference, and for three years before he went to his reward, he was Presiding Elder of the Memphis District, Memphis Conference, but his interest in the Central Conference never abated; his heart was with us and only a short time before his death he assured me that he intended to return and to die among us.

It is fitting that a memorial to Brother Nelson should find a place in our Conference records. It is the wish of his devoted family that this should be so, and, in accordance with their request, as well as my
own inclinations, I offer this paper to become a part of the proceedings of the Central Texas Conference.

The following synopsis of his life and labors has been furnished me by his daughter, Mrs. Hughes, who is now living in Highland Park, Dallas.

John R. Nelson, son of Pleasant M. and Annetta Nelson, was born near Scottsboro, Alabama, August 13, 1858; converted and joined the church when eleven years of age; began preaching when eighteen years of age, and received his license to preach about the same time; student in Vanderbilt University three years; on account of failing health transferred to Texas and joined the Northwest Texas Conference in session at Georgetown in 1883; was ordained Elder by Bishop Linus Parker November 4th of that year; married at Graham, Texas, April 25, 1888, to Mrs. Ina Graham Hilliard. First appointment was Graham Station, one year; Hillsboro Station, one year; Burnett, two years; Brownwood, three; Corsicana, two; Georgetown, four; Corsicana District, two; Waco, Fifth Street and Austin Avenue, six years; Commissioner of Education, two years; Home Mission Secretary of the church, four years; Corsicana District, three years; Fort Worth District, four years; Superintendent of War Work, one year; Midlothian, one year; Weatherford, one year; transferred to Texas Conference, stationed at Grace Church, Houston, five months when he answered the S. O. S. call of Bishop Atkins, transferred to the Memphis Conference and made Presiding Elder of the Memphis District May 15, 1921. Answered the call of the Bishop of Souls, April 22, 1924.
"Know ye not that a great man and a Prince of Israel has this day fallen?" He came to Texas at the meeting of the West Texas Conference in 1883. At that time our Bishops were discouraging the disposition of so many young men to come west. Bishop Parker advised Brether Nelson to return to the Alabama Conference and frankly told him that he could not give him an appointment. W. A. Shaw, one of the publishers of the Texas Christian Advocate, became acquainted with him and urged him to visit the Northwest Texas Conference. W. R. D. Stockton and J. T. L. Annis, two Presiding Elders, interceded with the Bishop and he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and stationed at Graham, where he soon became very popular as a preacher, revivalist and tireless worker. At the end of the Conference year he was stationed at Hillsboro. His success there was even greater than in Graham. Strong petitions for his return to Hillsboro were sent to the Bishop, but he was moved to Burnett. While there he held great meetings in his own charge, in Liberty Hill, in Lampasas and Georgetown. By this time he had a reputation as an evangelist that caused his friends to fear that he would leave the Conference and devote all his time to evangelistic work. The Modern Evangelistic Movement was taking out of the Conference a number of our strong and effective young men. If Nelson ever entertained such a notion it was soon abandoned and he was sent to Brownwood Station.

There he was introduced into a new line of work which determined the course of his after life. When a student at Vanderbilt University he had proven himself to be a young man of rare tenacity of purpose. He found phenomena which are rare in the history of Methodism. He was minister to a traveling congregation. The Methodists had no house of worship. The preacher was allowed a Sunday in each of three churches and he had one day in either the church or school house. Of course he had no Sunday school and no mid-week meetings of any description. U. S. A. Presbyterians, Disciples of Christ and Baptists were prosperous while the Cumberland Presbyterians were a dominating force is the city.

The only property the Methodists owned was a lot and a small threeroom house called a parsonage. When he would talk about building a church he would be met with nothing but discouragement. In the mean-
time other churches were being filled with hyphenated members. Methodists coming to Brownwood were received with marvelous cordiality by other denominations and found no rest among their own people. It was proposed to rent out the parsonage to help pay his meager salary.

While he was stationed in Graham he had become acquainted with, and very devoted to, an excellent young woman, Mrs. Rosina Graham Hilliard. When he saw his situation in Brownwood he wisely concluded that he needed a kind of help that he did not have. He went to Graham and with characteristic determination insisted on an immediate marriage. I must be pardoned for inserting these statements, for they reveal the man Nelson as nothing else could. Like a true woman, to be wanted and needed was consonant with her every idea of a woman's work. So they were married and moved into the little home.

This gave him a rallying place for his official board and his young people and the two went to work to build a house of worship for Methodists.

Seemingly insuperable obstacles appeared to make the venture utterly impracticable. The building was begun without money. Brother Nelson solicited donations great and small from everyone who might sympathize with his undertaking. The efforts of Methodists to build were a subject of ridicule.

By paying cash and never failing to pay his workmen on Saturday night, he pressed on until they were ready to lay the corner stone. He had it prepared and the Deputy Grand Master of the Masons came and laid the stone in due and ancient form. The speech of the day was a vindication of Methodism's rightful place among the evangelical forces of the country. A great demonstration at which many people of Brown County were present called forth much comment and the western hospitality of the people entertained the large crowd.

When the audience was dismissed there was not a dollar, no, not a nickel, in the treasury. There is one name that Methodists should always mention with gratitude in this connection, the name of Brooks Smith. He was a banker and mayor of the city. He was an Episcopalian by taste and by affiliation. But that afternoon as the preacher was looking for sympathy and encouragement the mayor of the city expressed his pleasure at the success of the occasion and gave him three hundred dollars for the new enterprise. From that time there was not an idle moment until the building was completed. The church was finished and Methodism had a home and high standing in the city. This history is recorded here because it reveals so well the character of the great man we have lost. That work informed the church in Texas that we had not only a successful preacher, but a wise builder among us. From then until his death he was in the forefront of the progress of our church.

He was a successful preacher in charge of several churches, notably Corsicana, Georgetown and Waco. In all of these, and later in Weatherford, he was abundant in labors and successful in promoting the Master's cause. He had such driving power that sometimes we had to catch our breath as we tried to keep up with him. Sometimes he seemed to be exacting in his demands for our co-operation in the work. If we had no plans he would furnish them; if we had plans he would help us work them. As a presiding elder he was unremitting in his labors, and expected those in his jurisdiction to follow his example. When the church wanted a medical college adjunct to Southwestern University, who but John Nelson should raise the money and superintend the building? Looking over the field, he dipped into the future and with a breadth of vision not vouchsafed to many at that time, he saw Southern Methodist University coming and threw his influence in favor of locating the medical college in Dallas. He was one of the first to speak to Dr. Hyer about the location, and as far as I know, the first to suggest to that great
layman who has gone from us, Robert S. Munger, that he lead the church in establishing a university.

When he was stationed at Fifth Street, Waco, he saw the need for another great church and collaborating with his friend, M. S. Hotchkiss, planned the great building and congregation on Austin Avenue and guided the building to completion.

When the Board of Missions of Northwest Texas Conference determined to make an educational venture in mid-year meetings and missionary institutes, he was behind the movement and assisted in placing the Conference in a position of leadership in missionary matters. When the board at Nashville thought it wise to have a superintendent of a home department he was chosen to organize it and did so with his usual ability. When his work there was finished he returned to his first love and Bishop Atkins made him Presiding Elder of the Fort Worth District. To the manor born, he did that work with his accustomed zeal and energy.

When Southern Methodist University was projected the new movement had no more loyal friend. He loved Southwestern and insisted that that institution should be fostered and maintained in high grade. But he had long wished for a good school in Dallas. He was the intimate friend of the man whose handsome donation of twenty-five thousand dollars gave great impetus to the movement. He never boasted of his part in any work. When the work was accomplished John R. Nelson was too busy planning for the future to exploit his work in the past.

When he represented his annual conference in the committee on boundaries in the General Conference his wisdom was manifest in the result. He became well known throughout the church as a wise diplomatist.

When a presiding elder in Memphis passed away Bishop Atkins wired Nelson asking him to transfer to that conference and take charge of the district. With the loyalty that had distinguished his whole life, he changed the scene of his three decades of active and efficient service and entered a new field. His work in Memphis was phenomenal. In co-operation with a noble band of preachers, Methodist headquarters were established and constant fellowship maintained with his companions in the work. He was to a great extent the leader in many new enterprises as well as the completion of old ones.

He fell at his post, having courageously, energetically and wisely met the difficulties and troubles incident to such a strenuous life. The three distinguishing traits of his character were decision, energy and tenacity. He never gave up. Consistently with these qualities his work never ceased until it was said "This mortal shall put on immortality."

As a friend these traits were in evidence. His friendship was without reservations. Nothing hurt him worse than to lose confidence in one whom he had trusted. He loved his country and maintained the rights and privileges of citizens with the same determination. He loved Methodism. I asked him a short time ago whether he was fundamentalist or modern. IIe replied: "I am a Methodist. I never promote factions in the church."

This sketch would not be complete if I should fail to mention his years of labor for our Conference Brotherhood, which is always ready and able to pay seven or eight hundred dollars mortuary insurance to the family of a deceased preacher. He inspired, organized and for years was the president of that fraternal company.

His hospitality was limited only by his ability. He could always find time for his friends. To speak of his love for his family would be touching too tender a chord. That lovely and harmonious group honor his memory as a most precious heritage, better than fame or fortune. The tokens of his tender love for them and theirs for him is on every side. The oldest daughter Rose, Mrs. William Hughes, is a widow with
three most charming children. Annette is married to Dr. George L. Straub, an excellent gentleman and Christian, in Virginia, and has one bright and charming child. My visit to their home last February was a benediction. If I had only known what was immediately in front of him and me I would have stayed with him a week longer.

Thank God for the resurrection, not a doctrine, but a glorious, well established fact which is the foundation of all our hopes, that the saying that is written may be brought to pass, "Death is swallowed up in victory."

LONNIE BUFORD SAWYER
Lonnie Buford Sawyer was the son of Rev. S. B. Sawyer, a superannuate member of this Conference. He himself was once a member of this body, retiring to the local ranks at his own request. His mind was as bright as a sunbeam and his spirit unpretentious to the highest degree. He was as guileless as a girl and as unsophisticated as a child. He was as pure a man in conduct and conversation as I have ever known. Several months ago as he lay on his dying bed, his mother said to him: "Son, close your eyes and go to sleep and wake up in Heaven." His answer was: "Mother, I will," and he closed his eyes and soon his noble soul went to join the angels.
A. D. PORTER.
(Editor's Note-By some oversight the following memoir was not read at Conference, but I have been instructed to publish same.)

## MRS. FRANCES C. PRICE

Frances Carolin Fly, daughter of Rev. Joshua and Sallie Fly, was born in Murry County, Tenn., Feb. 12th, 1834, and died at Weatherford, Texas, October 25th, 1924, being nearly ninety-one years of age. On Dec. 3rd, 1850, she was married to Rev. Wm. Price, then a member of the Memphis Conference. They had eight children of whom four sons and one daughter survive. They are J. B. Price and sister, Mrs. A. C. Sanders, both of Weatherford; Watson Price of Dallas, William and D. Price of Florida.
"Ḿlother Price" has spent her declining years in bodily weakness and much suffering but in vigorous health of soul and spirit. She read her Bible through every year and knew much of it from memory, as well as many of the grand old hymns of the church. Just before his death her husband wrote a sketch of her life in which he paid this tribute to her: "She has been a helpmeet indeed. Her strict economy enabled me to spend the greater, and best part of my life in the pastorate. Her faith and zeal in the itinerant work often encouraged me in the midst of deprivations and trials. She has been more or less afflicted, but was always cheerful and patient. Judging from observation during our married life, her will has been wholly absorbed in the will of God." Such a tribute by the one who knew. her best is an eulogy that needs no added word from me. May others emulate the example of this sainted mother!

For forty-nine years she labored side by side with her preacher husband in the humble parsonage home holding up the Christian ideal in the atmosphere of sacred love and unswerving devotion. Through these years she magnified the church of Christ and the Christ of the church, both in conversation and in conduct. Then for twenty-five years of widowhood, she walked with her ever-present Christ and Lord, leaning more and more upon His strong arm as her steps became more feeble. Her life was beautiful, her death peaceful. Her labors were long and fruitful, and we are sure her crown is a crown of glory unspeakable.

During her last days-days of patient suffering-she had every attention that could have been shown by a loving son and daughter, other relatives and friends, but again and again she expressed the wish that she might "go home and be at rest." And now her wish is realized; but the world is richer for her beautiful life and earnest labors.
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| Belton | 490 |  | 22 | 44 | 43 | 513 |  |  |  |  | 40000 | 5506 | 1 | 4000 |  | 2000 | 5038 |  |  | 16000 | 94 |  |  |  | 2 | 55 | 600 | 5732 |
| Copperas Cove | 153 | 1 | 13 | 7 | 17 | 156 | 4 | 3 | 1 |  | 7500 |  | 1 | 2500 |  |  | 150 |  |  |  | 55 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 130 | 335 |
| Florence | 224 |  | 19 | 36 | 131 | 150 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 16000 |  | 1 | 1500 |  |  | 5450 |  |  |  | 75 | ... |  |  | 1 | 25 | 805 | 6330 |
| Georgetown Station... | 707 | 10 | 18 | 91 | 77 | 739 | 18 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 65000 | 2600 | 1 | 6000 |  | 6000 | 360 |  |  | 24350 |  |  |  |  | , | 150 | 910 | 1270 |
| Georgetown Circuit... | 258 |  | 1 | 5 | 61 | 235 |  |  | 3 |  | 7000 |  |  |  |  | 150\| |  |  |  | 3000 | 68 | .- |  |  |  |  |  | 221 |
| Granger | 425 | 1 | 38 | 9 | 40 | 432 | 19 | , | 1 |  | 7500 |  | 1 | 3500 |  | 1500 | 447 | 9000 |  |  | 79 |  |  |  | 1 | 40 | 557 | 1083 |
| Holland | 216 |  | 37 | 15 | 10 | 258 | 27 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6000 |  | 1 | 1800 |  |  | 582 |  |  | 5750 | 87 |  |  |  | 1 | 18 | 501 | 1170 |
| Hutto \& Round Rock | 210 |  | 9 | 4 | 20 | 203 | 9 |  | 2 |  | 6500 |  | 1 | 3500 |  |  | 300 |  |  | 3100 | 55 |  |  |  |  | 14 | 390 | 742 |
| Jarrell | 287 |  | 28 | 18. | 44 | 289 | 25 | 3 |  | 3 | 4000 |  |  |  |  | 400 | $1700 \mid$ |  |  | 2500 | 28 |  |  |  | 1 | 24 | 133 | 1861 |
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| Midway | 238 |  | 36 | 45 | 12 | 307 | 21 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 9000 |  | 1 | 1600 |  | 350 | 400 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 20 | 202 | 602 |
| Nolanville | 343 | 3 | 16 | 20 | 38 | 344 | 13 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 6700 |  | 1 | 1000 |  |  | 500 |  |  | 1650 | 10 |  |  |  | 2 | 25. | 70 | 580 |
| Oenaville | 138 | 1 | 5 | 3 |  | 146 | 5 |  | 3 |  | 5000 |  |  | 2000 |  | $200 \mid$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 15 | 100 | 100 |
| Rogers | 309 |  | 14 | 11 | 15 | 319 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 40000 | 10500 | 1 | 5000 |  | 500 | 1500 |  |  | 10000 | 108 |  |  |  | 1 | 20 | 1188 | 2796 |
| Salado |  | 1 | 46 | 31 | 21 | 361 | 46 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 12000 |  | 1 | 3000 |  | 1500 | 461 |  |  | 10500 | 115 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 576 |
| Temple, 1st Church | 1180 | 1 | 39. | 104 | 60 | 1263 | 23 | 1 | 1 |  | 147500 | 4000 | $1{ }^{-1}$ | 7500 |  |  | 1778 |  |  | 96000 | 465 |  |  |  | 1 | 125 | $1500 \mid$ | 3743 |
| Temple, 7th Street. | 497 | 2 | 16 | 18 | 138 | 393 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6000 | 100 | 1 | 6000 |  |  | 1171 |  |  | 7800 | 70 |  |  |  | , | 35. | 1529 | 2770 |
| Taylor | 653 |  | 26 | 54 | 51 | 682 | 12 | , | 1 |  | 20000 |  | 1 | 5500 |  | 2500 | 1920 |  | $\cdots$ | 25500 | 135 |  |  |  | 1 | 85 | 1428 | 3483 |
| Thrall-Lawrence Chap. | 165 |  | 9 | 13 | 7 | 180 | 8 | ${ }^{6}$ | 2 | 2 | $3000$ |  | 1 | 1200 | 600 |  | 280 |  |  | 1200 | 14 |  |  |  | 1 | 30 | 280 | 474 372 |
| Troy \& Pendleton......... | 297 |  | 9 | 12 | 8 | 311 | 9 | 2 | 2 | -21 |  |  | 1 | 2500 |  |  | 360 | 5000 |  |  | 12 | .... |  |  |  |  |  | 372 |
| Total | 7500 | 21 | 449\| | 559\| | 812 | 8039 | 314 | 67 | 41 | \| 41 | | 620000 | 22706 | 19 | 66600 | 1000 | 15100 | 22528 | 14000 |  | 242850 | 1964 |  |  |  | 20 | 747 | 11155 | 35748 |
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| Cisco | 23 | 498 | 15 | 470 | 17 |  | 434 | 451 | 46 | 516 | 259 | 80 | 5577 | 6435 | 3669 | 120 | 302 | 87 | 21 | 206 | 555 | 8839 | 9599 |  |  |  | 10110 |
| Cleburne | 12 | 285 | 20 | 590 | 169 |  | 643] | 864 | 44 | 512 | 229 | 38 | 3915 | 48381 | 2880 |  | 222 | 77 | 26 | 140 | 537 | 4513 | 10330 |  |  |  | 12152 |
| Corsicana | 47 | 492 | 26 | 644 | 45 | 9 | 8931 | 948 | 51 | 588 | 467 | 191 | 5953 | 7419 | 4283 | 29 | 303 | 113 | 28 | 181 | 975 | 9147 | 10313 |  |  |  | 11260 |
| Fort Worth | 53 | 364 |  | 1638 | 705 | 68 | 2099 | 2862 | 32 | 920 | 1180 | 415 | 9565 | 11951 | 6024 | - 291 | 580 | 558 | 142 | 210 | 3161 | 20362 | 21082 | 4 | 235 | 310 | 26764 |
| Gatesville |  | 326 |  | 497 | 57 |  | 623 | 685 | 58 | 499 | 360 | 123 | 4819 | 5858 | 3003 | 20 | 277 | 49 | 28 | 110 | 441 | 3956 | 4863 |  |  |  | 5446 |
| Georgetown | 26 | 3174 |  | 1081 | 321 |  | $\begin{array}{r}14074 \\ 944 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1755 | 38 | 571 | 577 | 332 | 5367 | ${ }^{6835}$ | 3367 | 750 | ${ }^{307}$ | 134 | 59 | ${ }_{278}^{150}$ | 1075 | 8683 | 8343 11992 | 4 | 326 | 875 | 10203 |
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STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4-Superannuate Endowment
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| Bangs | \$ 1925 |  | 1925 | \$ 255.50 | 25 |  |
| Ballinger | 2280 |  | 2280 | 382.35 | 382.35 | 1897.65 |
| Blanket | 1400 |  | 1400 |  |  | 1400.00 |
| Bronte | 1300 |  | 1300 |  |  | 1300.00 |
| Brownwood, Central | 2850 |  | 2850 |  |  | 2850.00 |
| Brownwood, First. | 3762 |  | 3762 |  |  | 3762.00 |
| Coleman, First | 2850 | \$15.0 | 3000 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 2400.00 |
| Coleman Circuit | 800 |  | 800 | 104.50 | 104.50 | 695.50 |
| Comanche | 2280 | 220 | 2500 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 2000.00 |
| Comanche Circuit | 1511 |  | 1511 | 13.00 | 13.00 | 1498.00 |
| Drasco | 883 |  | 883 | 160.00 | 160.00 | 723.00 |
| Fort Chadbourne | 765 |  | 765 |  |  | 765.00 |
| Gustine | 1200 |  | 1200 | 142.05 | 142.05 | 1057.95 |
| Indian Creek | 1025 |  | 1025 | 205.00 | 205.00 | 820.00 |
| May | 1350 |  | 1350 |  |  | 1350.00 |
| Norton | 1350 |  | 1350 |  |  | 1350.00 |
| Novice | 1150 |  | 1150 |  |  | 1150.00 |
| Proctor | 1500 |  | 1500 | 225.00 | 225.00 | 1275.00 |
| Robert Lee | 1475 |  | 1475 | 196.29 | 196.29 | 1278.71 |
| Rockwood \& Gouldbusk. | 1140 |  | 1140 | 119.24 | 119.24 | 1020.76 |
| Santa Anna | 2280 |  | 2280 | 456.00 | 456.00 | 1824.00 |
| Talpa | 1750 |  | 1750 |  |  | 1750.00 |
| Winchell | 1050 |  | 1050 | 53.70 | 53.70 | 996.30 |
| Winters | 2280 |  | 2280 |  |  | 2280.00 |
| Total | 40156 | 370] | 40526 | 3412.63\| | 3412.63\| | 37113.07 |
| Cisco District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Breckenridge | 4140 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4140 \\ & 1500 \end{aligned}$ | 828.00 | 828.00 | 3312.00 |
| Bunyan | 1500 |  |  |  | 130.00 | 1500.00 125000 |
| Caddo |  |  | 1380 | 130.00 |  | 1250.00 |
| Carbon | 1380 |  | 1380 | 92.50 | 92.50 | 1287.50 |
| Cisco, First Church | 4140 |  | 4140 | 76.5035 | 76.50 | 4063.50 |
| Cisco, Twelfth Street | $\begin{aligned} & 1150 \\ & 1380 \end{aligned} .$ |  | 1150 |  | 35.00 | 1118.001380.00 |
| Crosscut |  |  | 1380 | 35.00 |  |  |
| DeLeon | $\begin{array}{r} 2300 . \\ 900 . \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 2300 \\ 900 \end{array}$ | 200.00 | 200.00 | $\begin{array}{r} 2100.00 \\ 900.00 \end{array}$ |
| DeLeon Circuit |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Desdemona | 1920 |  | 1920 | 49.45 | 49.45 | 1870.55 |
| Dublin | $\begin{aligned} & 2415 \\ & 4600 \end{aligned}$ |  | 2415 | 76.00 | 76.00 | 2339.00 |
| Eastland |  |  | 4600 | 550.00 | 550.00 | 4050.00 |
| Eolian | 6901750 |  | 690 | 95.40 | 95.40 | 594.60 |
| Gorman Station |  |  | 1750 | 220.00 | 220.00 | 1530.00 |
| Pioneer | 4485 |  | 970 | 16.50 | $16.50{ }^{\text {] }}$ | 953.50 |
| Ranger |  |  | 4485 | 155.00 | 155.00 | $\begin{aligned} & 4330.00 \\ & 1850.00 \end{aligned}$ |
| Rising Star | 1850 |  | 1850 |  |  |  |
| Scranton |  |  |  |  |  | 1265.00 |
| Sipe Springs | 1154. |  | 1154950 | 3.00 | --....... | $\begin{array}{r} 1154.00 \\ 947.00 \end{array}$ |
| Wayland | 950 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 40319 | .-...... | 40319 | 2527.35 | 2527.35 | 37791.65 |

STATISTICAL TABLE NO．4－Superannuate Endowment
Cleburne District

| CHARGE |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alvarado | 1714 |  | 1714 | 694.20 | 684.20 | 1019.80 |
| Barnesville and Cahill． | 800 |  | 800 | 60.00 | 60.00 | ． 740.00 |
| Bluffdale | 857 |  | 857 | 7.50 | 7.50 | 849.50 |
| Blum and Rio Vista． | 1028 |  | 1028 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 978.00 |
| Cleburne，Anglin St． | 2400 |  | 2400 | 480.00 | 480.00 | 1920.00 |
| Cleburne，Brazos Ave． | 1500 |  | 1500 | 100.00 | 100．00 | 1400.00 |
| Cleburne，Main St．．．． | 4570 |  | 4570 | 824.64 | 824.64 | 3745.36 |
| Covington | 1428 |  | 1428 | 36.00 | 36.00 | 1392.00 |
| Glen Rose | 2057 |  | 2057 |  |  | 2057.00 |
| Glen Rose Mission． | 575 |  | 575 | 54.75 | 54.75 | 520.25 |
| Godley ． | 1514 |  | 1514 |  |  | 1514.00 |
| Granbury | 1485 |  | 1485 | 70.50 | 70.50 | 1414.50 |
| Granbury Circuit | 1142 |  | 1142 |  |  | 1142.00 |
| Grandview | 2057 |  | 2057 |  |  | 2057.00 |
| Grandview Circuit | 900 |  | 900 | 64.50 | 64.50 | 835.50 |
| Huckabay | 800 |  | 800 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 795.00 |
| Joshua ．－．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1143 |  | 1143 | 241.32 | 241.32 | 901.68 |
| Morgan and Kopp Stephenville | 1700 |  | 1700 | 17.50 | 17.50 | 1682.50 |
| Stephenville Tolar and Lipan | 2743 |  | 2743 | 192.70 | 192.70 | 2550.30 |
| Tolar and Lipan Venus | 1050 |  | 1050 | 40.00 | 40.00 | 1010.00 |
| Venus ．．．． | 1714 |  | 1714 | 227.50 | 227．50 | 1486.50 |
| Total | 33177 |  | 33177 | 3166．11｜ | 3166．11｜ | 30010.89 |
| Corsicana District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barry |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 900 \\ 2000 \end{array}$ |  |  | 900.00 |
| Blooming Grove | 2000 |  |  | 331.50 | 331.50 |  |
| Chatfield | 1340 |  | 1340 | 55.00 | 55.00 | 1285.00 |
| Cooledge | 2650 |  | 2650 |  |  | 2650.00 |
| Corsicana Circuit | 1050 |  | 1050 | 52.00 |  |  |
| Corsicana，First | 4550 | 450 | 5000 | 910.00 | 910.00 | $\begin{array}{r} 9998.00 \\ 4990.00 \end{array}$ |
| Corsicana，Eleventh | 2016 |  | $2016{ }^{108.00}$ |  | 108.00 | $\begin{aligned} & 1908.00 \\ & 1700.00 \end{aligned}$ |
| Dawson Emhouse | 1700 |  | 17001100 |  | －．．．． |  |
| Emhouse | 1100 |  |  |  | 1700.00 1100.00 |  |
| Emmett | 1120 |  | 1120 |  |  |  | 1120.00 |
| Frost | 1700 |  | 1700 | 125.50 | $\begin{aligned} & 125.50 \\ & 320.00 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Groesbeck－．．．．．．． | 3300 |  | 3300 | 320．00 |  | 1574.50 2980.00 |  |
| Irene and Mertens | 1970 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1970 \\ & 1780 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 1970.001439.00 |  |
| Kerens ．－．．．．．．．． | 1780 |  |  | 341.0075.00 | 341.00 |  |  |
| Kerens Circuit | 1025 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1025 \\ & 1100 \end{aligned}$ |  | 75.00 | 950.001100.00 |  |
| Kirvin ．．．．．i．．．． | 1100 |  |  |  | \％．00 |  |  |
| Mexia Station | 5500 |  | 5500 | 1650.0023.68 | 1650.00 | $\begin{aligned} & 3850.00 \\ & 1011.32 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Mexia Circuit | 850 | 185 | 1035 |  | 23.68 |  |  |
| Munger | 1050 |  | 1050 ．．．．．．．． |  |  | 1050.00 |  |
| Purdon and Harmony．． | 1030 |  | 1030 |  |  | 1030.00 |  |
| Rice Station | 2000 |  | 2000940 | $\begin{array}{r} 100.00 \\ 60.00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100.00 \\ 60.00 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| Richland | 940 |  |  |  |  | 1900.00 880.00 1534.001980.00 |  |
| Thornton | 1534 |  | 1534 |  | ．．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |
| Wortham | 1980 |  | 1980 | ．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  |
| Total | 44185 | 635 | 44820 | 4151．68｜ | 4151．68 | 40668.32 |  |

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4-Superannuate Endowment

| $\begin{array}{ccc}\because & & \\ \because & & \ddots \\ \text { CHARGE } & & \ddots\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arlington | 4080 |  | 4080 |  |  | 4080.00 |
| Arlington Heights | 500 |  | 500 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 400.00 |
| Burleson | 1120 |  | 1120 | 56.00 | 56.00 | 1064.00 |
| Englewood \& GIen Garden | 660 |  | 660 | 54.00 | 54.00 | 606.00 |
| Euless | 1200 |  | 1200 | 100.27 | 100.27 | 1099.73 |
| Forest Hill \& Kennedale | 1658 |  | 1658 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 1638.00 |
| Fort Worth- |  |  | 2808 |  |  |  |
| - Boulevard | 4992 | 8 | 2808 |  |  | 2808.00 |
| Diamond Hill | 1320 |  | 1320 | 200.00 | 200.00 | 1120.00 |
| First Church | 6663 |  | 6663 | 2100.00 | 2100.00 | 4563.00 |
| Glenwood | 2192 |  | 2192 | 30.00 | 30.00 | 2162.00 |
| Highland Park | 2240 |  | 2240 | 71.00 | 71.00 | 2169.00 |
| Missouri Avenue | 2770 |  | 2770 | 149.50 | 149.50 | 2620.50 |
| Mulkey Memorial | 3324 | 176 | 3500 |  |  | 3500.00 |
| Polytechnic | 4044 . |  | 4044 | 507.00 | 507.00 | 3537.00 |
| Riverside | 1966 |  | 1966 |  |  | 1966.00 |
| Sagamore | 2640 |  | 2640 |  |  | 2640.00 |
| Stanford Mem. | 2240 |  | 2240 |  |  | 2240.00 |
| Sycamore | 1344 |  | 1344 | 273.75 | 273.75 | 1070.25 |
| Weatherford | 1730 |  | 1730 |  |  | 1730.00 |
| Grapevine | 1410 |  |  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 1310.00 |
| Handley | 2192 |  | 2192 |  |  | 21.92 .00 |
| Haslett Circuit | 1200 |  | 1200 | 160.00 | 160.00 | 1040.00 |
| Hemphill Heights | 2652 |  | 2652 |  |  | 2652.00 |
| Mansfield ............ | 1680 |  | 1680 |  |  | 1680.00 |
| Total | 58625 | 184 | 57399 | 3921.52 | 3921.52 | 53577.48 |
| - Gatesville District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Carlton | 1250 |  | 1250 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 1150.00 |
| Clifton | 1710 |  | 1710 | 273.25 | 273.25 | 1436.75 |
| Crawford | 1600 |  | 1600 |  |  | 1600.00 |
| Duffau | 914 |  | 914 |  |  | 914.00 |
| Fairy | 1100 |  | 1100 | 28.50 | 28.50 | 1071.50 |
| Gatesville | 3360 |  | 3360 | 184.35 | 184.35 | 3175.65 |
| Gatesville Circuit | 990 | 10 | 1000 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 980.00 |
| Hamilton Station | 2270 |  | 2270 |  |  | 2270.00 |
| Hamilton Circuit | 875 |  | 875 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 870.00 |
| Hico | 1760 |  | 1760 | 60.00 | 60.00 | 1700.00 |
| Iredell | 825 |  | 825 |  |  | 825.00 |
| Ireland | 1125 |  | 1125 | 92.00 | 92.00 | 1033.00 |
| Jonesboro | 990 |  | 990 |  |  | 990.00 |
| McGregor | 2600 |  | 2600 |  |  | 2600.00 |
| Meridian Station | 1730 |  | 1730 | 61.25 | 61.25 | 1668.75 |
| Meridian Circuit | 430 |  | 430 |  |  | 430.00 |
| Moody | 2290 |  | 2290 |  |  | 2290.00 |
| Moody Circuit | 800 |  | 750 | 102.00 | 102.00 | 648.00 |
| Mosheim | 725 |  | 725 |  |  | 725.00 |
| Oglesby | 1490 | 10 | 1500 | 40.00 | 40.00 | 1460.00 |
| Pearl | 645 |  | 645 | 69.00 | 69.00 | 576.00 |
| Roswell Circuit | 300 |  | 300 | 28.00 | 28.00 | 272.00 |
| Turnersville | 1350 |  | 1350 | 56.50 | 56.50 | 1293.50 |
| Valley Mills .... | 1960 | 40 | 2000 |  |  | 2000.00 |
| Walnut Springs ................ | 900 |  | 900\| |  | ............ | 900.00 |
| Total | $\begin{array}{r} 33989 \mid \\ 118 \end{array}$ |  | 33999 | 1119.85 | 1119.85 | 32879.15 |

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4-Superannuate Endowment

| Georgetown District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CHARGE . |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bartlett | 2780 |  | 2780 | 125.00 | 125.00 | 2655.00 |
| Belton ........... | 2855 |  | 2865 | 114.50 | 114.50 | 2750.50 |
| Copperas Cove | 1120 |  | 1120 | 180.00 | 180.00 | 940.00 |
| Florence .-................ | 1224 |  | 1224 | 14.00 | 14.00 | 1210.00 |
| Georgetown Station | 3490 |  | 3490 | 698.00 | 698.00 | 2792.00 |
| Granger, First | 2225 |  | 2225 | 463.50 | 463.50 | 1761.50 |
| Holland ........................ | 700 | 210 | 910 | 301.00 | 301.00 | 1609.00 |
| Hutto and Round Rock | 1260 |  | 1260 |  |  | 1260.00 |
| Jarrell | 1100 |  | 1100 | 203.65 | 203.65 | 896.35 |
| Killeen | 2220 |  | 2220 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 1972.50 |
| Midway | 850 |  | 850 | 106.81 | 106.81 | 743.19 |
| Nolanville | 817 |  | 817\| | 66.00 | 66.00 | 751.00 |
| Oenaville |  |  |  |  | 66.00 | 751.00 |
| Rogers | 2200 |  | 2200 | 62.25 | 62.25 | 2137.75 |
| Salado .................... | 1200 |  | 1200 | 147.00 | 147.00 | 1053.00 |
| Temple, Seventh St. | 2198 |  | 2198 |  |  | 2198.00 |
| Taylor ........... | 3970 |  | 3970 | 400.00 | 400.00 | 3570.00 |
| Temple, First | 4675 |  | 4675 | 1023.75 | 1023.75 | 3651.25 |
| Thrall ..................... |  |  |  |  |  | 1700.00 |
| Troy and Pendleton........... | 1700 |  | 1700 |  |  | 1700.00 |
| Total .. | 36594 | 210 | 36804\| | 4152.96 | 4152.96 | 32651.04 |



| Waxahachie District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Charge |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bardwell | 1205 |  | 1205 | 112.00 | 112.00 | 1093.00 |
| Bethel | 1473 . |  | 1473 |  |  | 1473.00 |
| Boyce | 950 |  | 950 | 150.25 | 150.25 | 799.75 |
| Britton | 1266 |  | 1266 |  |  | 1266.00 |
| Bynum and Brandon. | 1500 |  | 1500 | 92.50 | 92.50 | 1407.50 |
| Ennis | 4050 |  | 4050 | 649.90 | 649.90 | 3400.10 |
| Ferris | 1687 |  | 1687 | 157.30 | 157.30 | 1529.70 |
| Forreston and Nash | 1525 |  | 1525 |  |  | 1525.00 |
| Hillsboro, First | 4500 |  | 4500 | 900.00 | 900.00 | 3600.00 |
| Hillsboro, Line St. | 1275 |  | 1275 | 51.00 | 51.00 | 1224.00 |
| Italy | 2125 |  | 2125 | 106.05 | 106.05 | 2018.95 |
| Itasca Station | 2360 |  | 2360 | 262.00 | 262.00 | 2098.00 |
| Itasca Circuit | 966 |  | 966 | 133.25 | 133.25 | 832.75 |
| Maypearl and Auburn.. | 2025 |  | 2025 | 170.75 | 170.75 | 1854.25 |
| Midlothian | 2812 |  | 2812 | 562.50 | 562.50 | 2249.50 |
| Milford | 1585 |  | 1585 |  |  | 1585.00 |
| Palmer and Bristol | 2050 |  | 2050 |  |  | 2050.00 |
| Peoria | 875 |  | 875 | 42.00 | 42.00 | 833.00 |
| Red Oak | 1460 |  | 1460 | 308.00 | 308.00 | 1152.00 |
| Waxahachie | 4500 |  | 4500 | 900.00 | 900.00 | 3600.00 |
| Waxahachie Circuit | 1800 |  | 1800 | 158.00 | 158.00 | 1642.00 |
| Wilson Grove and Rockett\| | 600 |  | 600 |  |  | 600.00 |
| Total | 42589 |  | 42589 \| | 4755.50\| | 4755.50 | 37833.50 |
| Weatherford District |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Aledo | 1230 |  | 1230 | 62.30 | 62.30 | 1167.70 |
| Azle | 1130 |  | 1130 | 200.00 | 200.00 | 930.00 |
| Eliasville | 1660 |  | 1660 | 150.00 | 150.00 | 1510.00 |
| Gordon | 950 |  | 950 | 10.00 | 10.00 | 940.00 |
| Graford | 1792 |  | 1792 | 134.00 | 134.00 | 1658.00 |
| Graham Station | 4025 |  | 4025 | 825.00 | 825.55 | 3199.45 |
| Graham Circuit | 1600 |  | 1600 | 205.00 | 205.00 | 1395.00 |
| Loving | 1240 |  | 1240 | 266.00 | 266.45 | 973.55 |
| Millsap | 1340 |  | 1340 | 52.75 | 52.75 | 1287.25 |
| Mineral Wells | 4500 |  | 4500 | 240.00 | 240.00 | 4260.00 |
| Newcastle | 2225 |  | 2225 | 445.00 | 445.00 | 1780.00 |
| Olney Station | 2675 |  | 2675 |  |  | 2675.00 |
| Olney Circuit | 850 |  | 850 |  |  | 850.00 |
| Palo Pinto | 1225 |  | 1225 | 110.69 | 110.69 | 1114.31 |
| Santo | 650 |  | 650 |  |  | 650.00 |
| Springtown | 1250 |  | 1250 | 145.50 | 145.50 | 1104.50 |
| Strawn | 2400 |  | 2400 |  |  | 2400.00 |
| Thurber | 825 |  | 825 | 15.00 | 15.00 | 810.00 |
| WeatherfordCout's Memorial | 1830 |  |  | 5.50 | 5.50 |  |
| First Church | 3425 |  | 3425 | 139.00 | 139.00 | 3286.00 |
| Weatherford Circuit | 1160 |  | 1160 | 138.50 | 138.50 | 1021.50 |
| Whitt | 875 |  | 875 | 141.50 | 141.50 | 733.50 |
| Total | 38857 | I- - - | \| 37027| | 3286.74 | 3286.74 | 33745.76 |

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