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pper .		Present How and Whe	How and When	Admitted	Ordain	Ordained	
Number	Name				leacon	Elder	
1	Bishop Horace	Se	Admission, 1	868	1870	1874	
$\overline{2}$	Henry, H. B.	Se	Admission, 1		1877	1879	
$\bar{3}$	Armstrong, R. C	Se		876	1863	1867	
4	McCarver, C. S	· Se	Admission, 1		1878		
5	Nelms, W. L.	Se	Admission, 1			1880	
6	Little, M. K.	Se	Admission, 1	970	1879 1878	1881	
7	Daniel, C. W	Se				1881	
8	Rowland, C.	Se	Admission, 1		1881	1883	
9	Shutt, C. G.	E	Admission, 1		1881	1889	
10	Vaughan, W. H	Se	Admission, 1		1881	1883	
11	Gilleland, W. A	Se		1879	1000	1005	
	Di describ T T	Se	Admission, 1			1885	
12	Bloodworth, J. T	Se	Admission, 1				
13	Culbertson, A. T		1	1883		100	
14	Field, C. S	. Sy Se		1883		1887	
15	Oswalt, C. V	Se	Admission, 1			1889	
16	Sweet, E. M.			884	1877	1879	
17	Hightower, E.	E E	Admission, 1		1887	1891	
18	Irvin, C. W	Se	Admission, 1		1888	189	
19	Snoddy, B. A	Se Se	Admission, 1		1886	1892	
20	Harris, W. H.	Se -	Admission, 1		1890	1892	
21	Walker, J. E.	E	Transfer, 1	889	1877	1884	
22	McCullough, W. S. P	Se	Admission, 1				
2 3	Smith, M. M.	E	Admission, 1		1891	1894	
24	Wright, C. R	Ē		889	••••		
2 5	Hightower, I. E	Se	Admission, 1			1898	
26	Hotchkiss, M. S.			1890	1881	1882	
27	Armstrong, J. M	E	Transfer, 1	1891)	•		
2 8	Carraway, A. E	E	Transfer, 1	l89 1 ∫	1886	1888	
2 9	Hall, J. R. B	$\underline{\mathbf{Se}}$	Admission, 1	[891			
30	Lindsey, C. E	E	Admission, 1	1881			
31	Sawyer, S. B	Se	Admission, 1	1891			
32	Crawford, W. H	Se	Transfer, 1	l892	1883	188	
33	Lipscomb, A. P	Se	Transfer, 1	189 2			
34	Matthews, W. H	E	Admission, 1	1892	1892	189	
35	Morris, Jno. R.	E	Transfer, 1	1892			
36	Curry, W. N.	Se	Admission,	1893	1895	189	
37	Hendrickson, J. D.	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1	L893l	1895	189	
38	Sensabaugh, O. F.	\mathbf{E}		1893		188	
39	Statham, C. E	Se		1893	1887	188	
40	Stewart, J. H.	E .	Admission, 1		1893	189	
41	Wagner, B. R.	E	1	1893	1895	189	
42	Walker, R. A.	E		1893			
4 3	Andrews, W. B.	E		1894	1887	189	
44	Braswell, J. H	Se		1894	1888	189	
45	Shrader, H. P.	Se		1894		188	
46	Young, R. B.		Admission,			190	
47	Rucker, S. J.		Admission, 1			189	
48	Wynne, J. M.		Admission, 1			190	
49	Wilson, W. B.	l		1896			
60	Heizer, R. H.		Admission,			190	

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL—Continued

				Ordai	ned
Number	Name	Present Relation	How and When Admitted	Deacon	Elder
. 50	Wallson I U	E	Admission 1807	1 1000	1001
52 53	Walker, J. H.	Ë	Admission, 1897 Admission, 1898		1901 1903
54	Hearon, W. J.	. E	Transfer, 1898	1891 I	1893
55	Kincheloe, G. W	Se	Admission, 1898	1900	1902
56	Moss, W. W	Ĕ	Transfer, 1898		1893
57	Porter A D	Ē	Admission, 1898		1902
58	Porter, A. DGray, W. T	Ē	Admission, 1899		
59	McGuire, D. A	$\overline{\mathbf{E}}$	Admission, 1899	1898	1900
60	Clark, M. W.	E	Admission, 1900		1904
61	Creed. J. J.	${f E}$	Transfer, 1900	1901	1903
62	Creed, J. J. Ellis, T. W.	Sy	Admission, 1900	1894	1904
63	Griffith, Walter	Ě	Admission, 1900		191 2
64	Morton, C. N.	${f E}$	Admission, 1900	1899	1904
65	Nation, R. W	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1900	1902	1904
66	Williams, E. P	E	Admission, 1900	1900	19 02
67	Curry, J. B	${f E}$	Admission, 1901	1903	1905
68	Evans, B. A	Se	Admission, 1901		
69	Harris, I. F.	Se	Transfer, 1901	1887	189 0
70	McCarter, J. M.	Se	Transfer, 1901	1884	188 6
71	Morphis, M. M.	Se	Admission, 1901	1877	187 7
72	Turner, M. A.	\mathbf{E}	Transfer, 1901		
73	Gore, J. O	Se	Admission, 1902		
74	Neville, S. P	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1902	1900	1904
75	Patterson, E. R.	E	Admission, 1902		1904
76	Webb, L. A	E	Transfer, 1902	. ,	1894
77	Macune, C. W	Se	Admission, 1903	1905	1907
7 8.	Turney, A. E	E	Admission, 1903	1905	1907
79	Collie, D. L.	E	Transfer, 1904	1873	18 8 1
80	Howell, Z. L.	E	Admission, 1904	1906	1908
81	Jones, W. T.	E	Admission, 1904	1906	1908
82	McAfee, J. U	E	Admission, 1904	1904	1908
83	Pollard, J. G.	Se	Transfer, 1904		
84 85	Baldridge, J. H	E	Admission, 1905	1909	1911
86	Bryan, Gid J. Clark, H. B.	E E	Admission, 1905	1908	1910
87	Crawford, J. E.	E	Admission, 1905	1907	1909
88	Gardner, N. E.	Se	Admission, 1905	1000	1909
89	Gaskins, W. D.	E	Transfer, 1905	1892	1894
90	Holt, J. W.	Se	Transfer, 1905	1893	1897
91	Patison, J. W	Se		1887	1889
92	Peeples, N. J.	Se	Transfer, 1905	1901	1891 1908
93	Singleton, F. E.	E	Transfer, 1905		1906
94	Chenoweth, E. B.	Se	Transfer, 1906		
$9\overline{5}$	Crow, B. S.	Se	Admission, 1906	1908	1910
96	Huddleston, H. D	Ĕ	Transfer, 1906	1904	1909
97	Millis, V. J.	Se	Transfer, 1906	1304	1000
98	Neal, Jno. M	E	Transfer, 1906	1905	1908
99	Simpson, C. E	$\overline{\mathbf{E}}$	Transfer, 1906		1000
100	Keener, W. H.	Se	Admission, 1907	1909	1911
101	Luker, J. Frank	Ĕ	Admission, 1907		1911
102	Siceloff, J. A	${f E}$	Admission, 1907		1914
2		1	1		

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		Relation		Ords	ined
i.	Name	#	How and When Admitted	-	
Number		Present		Deacon	Elder
103	Vinsant, W.	\mathbf{Se}	Admission, 1907		1911
104	Webb, Atticus	\mathbf{E}	Transfer, 1907	1893	1897
105	Riley, P. E.	E	Admission, 1907	1909	1911
106	Adams, J. F.		Admission, 1908	1910	1913
107	Ashburn, S. A		Fransfer, 1908	1884	1886
108	Bowman, H. C		Admission, 1908	1910	1914
109	Head, J. W	Se	Fransfer, 1908	1888	1890
110	Kimbrow, B. E.	E	Admission, 1908	1910	1912
111	Langston, R. A	E	Admission, 1908	1911	1915
112	McGehee, F. L.	S <u>e</u>	Fransfer, 1908		
113	Monk, Alonzo, Jr	· E	Admission, 1908		1912
114	Wilkins, C. E		Admission, 1903	1910	1912
115	Rape, J. J.		Transfer, 1908	1896	1903
	Hawk, E. B.		Admission, 1909	1911	1913
	Kinslow, W. T	E	Admission, 1909	1911	1913
118	Kornegay, G. F.		Admission, 1909	1911	1913
119	Lackey, A. C.	Se	Admn. Pres. 1909		
	Neill, W. A.		Admission, 1909		1913
$\frac{121}{122}$	Noble, W. W.	Se	Fransfer, 1909		1912
123	Ray, F. A.	E	Admission, 1909		1914
$\frac{123}{124}$	Bowman, T. E.		Γransfer, 1910		1901
	Broxton, Preston		Admission, 1910	1912	1915
	Culver, F. P Doss, W. H		Transfer, 1911	1890	1892
	Isbell, J. F	~~	Transfer, 1910	1877	1879
	Landrum, H. B		Admission, 1910	1912	1914
129		E	Admission, 1910	1912	1914
	Morphis, W. JSmoot, J. D.		Transfer, 1910	1900	1907
131	Sory, R. O		Admission, 1910	1912	1915
132			Admission, 1910	1912	1914
	Wisdom, E. M		M. E. Ch.,1910		1912
134	Bond, J. M Capps, R. T	E	Admission, 1911		1915
135	Clark, J. F		Admission, 1911	1914	1916
	Diltz, C. B.	_	Transfer, 1911		1902
137	Felder, L. L.		Admission, 1911		1915
	Cilmore, S. P.	E	Admission, 1911		1915
	Morton, O. A	Sy	Admission, 1911		1921
140	Thompson, S. G.	E	Admission, 1911		1916
141	Waddill, F. O.	E	Transfer, 1911		1015
142	Bridges, E. W.		Admission, 1911		1915
143	Chunn, M. M.		Admission, 1912		1917
144	Clarke, W. A.	E	Admission, 1912		1916
145	Council, M. D.	E	Transfer, 1912	1019	1897 1916
146	Reese, R. L.		Transfer, 1912		19:0
147	Baird, J. V	Se	Transfer, 1913		******
148	Bell, C. F.	E E	Admission, 1913	1915	1917
149	Boulware, W. T.	E	Admission, 1913	1914	1917
150	Brockette, C. T.	E	Admission, 1913	1915	1917
151	Burton, T. H.		Admission, 1913	1915	1917
152	Ellis, T. D.	· E E	Admission, 1913	1915	1917
	Hightower, C. O	Ē	Admission, 1913	1915	1917
154	Kirkpatrick, Seba	$\tilde{\mathbf{E}}$	Transfer, 1913		1908

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		Relation	How and When Admitted	Ordai	Ordained	
Number	Name	Present		Deacon	Elder	
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	ir D. W	Q.	Admission, 1913	1914		
	Layne, P. W	Se E	Transfer, 1913		1914	
$\begin{array}{c} 156 \\ 157 \end{array}$	Meadow, F. LPatterson, J. Fred	Ē	Admission, 1913		1918	
158	Poteet, Horace	$\ddot{ ext{E}}$	Admission, 1913	1914	1917	
159	Shuler, J. W. W.:		Transfer, 1913		1896	
160	Story, T. G	Ē	Admission, 1913		1917	
161	Boone, M. L	$\overline{\mathbf{E}}$	Admission, 1914		1919	
162	Booth, C. H	\mathbf{E}	Transfer, 1914			
163	Connell, W. L	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1914	1917	1921	
164	Gates, P. H	E	Admission, 1914	1916	1918	
165	Hays, J. M.	E	Admission, 1914	1916 . 1914	1918	
166	Hooper, R. B		Admission, 1914 Admission, 1914	1917	1919	
167	Leach, L. P	E	Admission, 1915		1919	
168	Oliver, J. L Bergin, J. W		Transfer, 1915	1903	1907	
170 169	Story, M. L.	E E	Transfer, 1916	1	1899	
171	Chisholm, D. A.	E	Admission, 1916		1920	
172	Cole, W. H.	Ę	Admission, 1916	1916	1918	
173	Crosby, R. A.	Ē	Fransfer, 1916	1895	1899	
174	Scarlett, E. N.		Admission, 1916	1918	1920	
175	Smith, C. Q	$\bar{\mathbf{E}}$	Admission, 1916		1920	
176	Bowles, J. S	Se	Fransfer, 1917	(4040	1921	
177	Cantrell, P. E.	E	Admission, 1917 Admission, 1917	1	1921	
178	Ferguson, J. T	E	Admission, 1917 Admission, 1917		1921	
179	Harrell, W. E.	E	Admission, 1917	1919	1921	
180	Haynes, A. C.	E	Transfer, 1917	1905		
181	Mayne, J. W Neal, T. Edgar		Fransfer, 1917	1	1917	
182	Odom, O. O.	_	Admission, 1917	1919	1921	
184 185	hompson, H. B.		Admission, 1917	1919	1921	
186	Walkup, J. A	E	'dmission, 1917		1921	
187	Wright, G. R	. 175	Transfer, 1917		1900	
188	Nollner, R. E.	E	Admission, 1917		1000	
189	Boiles, Marsh	- TE'	Admission, 1918	1	1922	
190	Franklin, A. W	$-\mathbf{E}$	Admission, 1918	*	1922 1914	
191	Irvin, David	- E	Admission, 1918 Transfer, 1918		1915	
192	Ogle, T. S	$-\mathbf{E}$			1917	
193	Ramsey, J. D	- <u>E</u>	Transfer, 1918 Admission, 1918		1922	
194		E	Admission, 1918	1920	1922	
195		- E - E	Admission, 1918	1913	1918	
196 197		E	Transfer, 1918			
198		E	Admission, 1919	1921	1923	
199	Lightfoot, E. H	.l E	Admission, 1919		1918	
200	Willshire, F. L	E	Admission, 1919		1923	
201	Hall. A. W	E	Transfer, 1919			
• 202	Rentfro, J. N	\ E	Transfer, 1919			
203	Stout, H. E	∖ E	Transfer, 1919			
204		. E	Admission, 1920 Admission, 1920	1	1 7 7 7 7 1	
205	. L	E	Admission, 1920	1 4000	1 4004	
206	Lumaston, D. D	,	,	•	•	

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Number	Name	Present		Deacon	Elder
207	Sanders, J. T.	. E	Admission, 1920	1099	1924
20 8	Sharbutt, J. W	. Е	Admission, 1920.	1022	
209	Bell, J. A	E	Transfer, 1920.	1922	1924
210	Buttrill, C. M	E	Transfer, 1920.	1920	1923
211	LaPrade, R. J	E	Transfer, 1920.	1918	1922
212	Renfro, G. W	\mathbf{E}	Transfer, 1920	1918	L
213	Swindall, E. P.	\mathbf{E}		1910	1920
214	Helm, A. J.	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1920	1910	1912
215	Dailey, E. M	E	Admission, 1920	1000	1005
216	Briggs, R. E.	E	Admission, 1921		1925
217	Culwell, J. W	E	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
218	Ferguson, W. C.	E	Admission, 1921	1923 1914	1925
219	Gaston, H. W	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
220	Grimes, J. C	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1921	1000	1925
221	Page, Earl	E	Admission, 1921	1923 1923	1925
222	Ray, J. L	E	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
223	Roper, Ernest	E	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
224	Shuler, P. L.	E	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
225	Smith, W. F.	į E	Admission, 1921	1923	1925
226	Cook, J. S	E	Admission, 1921	1923	
227	Wade, C. E.	<u>16</u>	Admission, 1921		1925
228	Carraway, A. C.	12	Admission, 1921	1923	1925 1925
229	Cowan, J. W	1 12	Transfer, 1921		1896
230	Gilleland, W. B.	·~		1916	1922
231	Noe, F. M.	'Sy E	Transfer, 1921	1916	1923
232	Porter, D. K.			1902	1904
233	Schlueter, G. A.		Transfer. 1922	1 1922	1924
234	Kramer, B. W.	_	M. E. Ch. 1922	1897	1899
235	Morrison, V. P.		Admission, 1922	1924	1926
236	Knoy, J. D.		Admission, 1922	1924	1926
237	Nance, H. H.	-	Admission, 1922	1924	1926
238	Snugart, C. ()	=	Transfer, 1923	1906	1908
239	Boyd, R. H.	13	Transfer, 1923	1916	1918
240	Tyson, J. F.	~	Transfer, 1923		1892
241	Hays, M. C.	777	Transfer, 1923		
242	Heinsohn, Edmund	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
243	McBrayer, T. M.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
244	Turner, F. L.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
245	Watkins, H. P.	${f E}$	Bap. Ch., 1923	1917	1923
246 247	Price, R. H. Gordon, E. R.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
040	Gordon, E. R.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	i 1925	1927
248	McCauley, D. R.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
249	Utley, P. W.	${f E}$	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
250 251	Gafford, A. S.	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
252	Hook, T. Wesley	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1923	1925	1927
253	Chunn, J. L.	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1923	1924	1927
254	Walker, M. A. Hall, H. R.	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1924	1926	1928
255	Marnor A V		\dmission, 1924	1926	1928
256	Iones A C	E	Admission, 1924		1928
200	Doron S. J. D. TT	. <u>E</u>	Admission, 1924	1926	1928
257 H					
257 258	Marney, A. K	\mathbf{E}	Admission, 1924 Admission, 1924	1926	1928

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		\mathbf{E}	1			
259	Patterson, J. I	${f E}$	Admission,			1928
260	Pope, Kenneth	${f E}$				1000
261	Weathers, J. B	\mathbf{E}	Admission,			1920
262	Oglesby, J. C	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1924	1926	
263	Crawford, R. L	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1924	1925	1010
264	Richeson, W. W	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1924		1912
265	Shearer, G. W	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1924		1910
266	Smith, G. G.	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1924		1004
267	Beaird, W. R	${f E}$	Transfer,	1924		1924
268	Covington, T. A	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1924		1910
269	Boatman, L. D	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,			1924
270	Sanders, H. J.	\mathbf{E}	Cong. Meth			1905
271	Fort. J. W	${f E}$	Transfer,	1924		1899
272	Coleman, W. H	${f E}$	Transfer,	1925		1900
$\overline{273}$	Leggitt, J. W	${f E}$	Transfer,	1925		1919
274	Gardner, J. T	${f E}$	Admission,	1925		
275	Johnson, F. E	${f E}$	Admission,	1925	1926	!
276	Seymour, L. W	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1925	. 1927	
277	Sisserson, C. H	${f E}$	Admission,	1925	. 1927	
278	Standlee, A. G	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1925	. 1927	
279	Swearingen, E. W	${f E}$	Admission,	1925	. 1927	
280	Thrash, F, W	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1925	. 1926	
281	Williams, J. D. F	\mathbf{E}	Admission,	1925	. 1927	
282	Bishop, C. M	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1926	. 1889	189
283	Chappell, P. E	E	Transfer.	1926	.)	Ì
284	Goodloe, R. W	E	Transfer,	1926		
285	Wright, C. S.	E	Transfer,	1926	. 1894	1.89
286	Gwaltney, W. G.		Transfer,	1926	!	
287	Evans, L. L.	· E	fransfer.	1927	•	
288	Perry, J. M.	E	Cransfer,	1927	4-	
289	Scales, A. L.	\mathbf{E}	Transfer,	1927		190
290	Francis, Henry	E	Transfer,	1927		190
291	Evans, P. W.	E	Fransfer,	1927		192
292	Christopher, P. E.	E	Fransfer,	1927		192
293	Vanderpool, W. H	E	Fransfer,	1928		1
294	Harrell, V. W		Fransfer.	1928		
$\frac{294}{295}$	Wilson, J. T	Ē	Fransfer,	1928		
	Fisher, V. H.		Fransfer,	1928	!	1
296			Transfer,	1928		,
297	Fisher, W. EAnderson, W. E		Transfer,	1928		
298 299			Transfer,	1928		
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Chronological Roll of Undergraduates

No. Name	Class	When Admitted
1 Sanders, H. J	Fourth Year	1924
Z Cox, B, M.	Third Vear	1004
Jeope, Kenneth	Third Vear	1004
4 Garuner, J. T.	Hourth Vaar	1004
5 Johnson, F. E	Fourth Year Fourth Year	1924
6 Seymour, L. W	Fourth Year	1925
HOISSELSUII. C. FL.	FOURTH YASE	1005
o Smith, Hubert C	Third Year	1005
giotanuiee, A. G.	Hourth Vang	1000
IUSwearingen, E. W.	Fourth Year	1005
TILITADII. I'. W	. I FOURIA YEAR	1005
12 Williams, J. D. F	Fourth Year	1005
Tolomob. W. Fi.	Third Voor	4005
14 Barnes, D. L.	Second Year Second Year Second Year	1925
15 Ingram, F. H.	Second Von	1925
16 Call. R. W.	Second Voor	1926
17 Barnes, C. H	Second Year	1927
18 Taylor W C	Second Year	1927
19 Flynn, W A	Second Year	1927
20 Stephens Oran	Second Year	1927
21 Harrell Van Wesler	y First Year	1927
ZZICIMOWA ('IVI	Hingt Voon	
23 Whitefield I W	First Year	1927
24 Davennort I I	First Year	
25 Wooten C D	First Tear	1928
26 Halgoll A C	First Year	1928
27 Walker F D	First Year	1928
il Waiker, E. R	First Year	` 1928

Lay Delegates BROWNWOOD DISTRICT

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†A. C. Boulware, Cleburne
Frank Curl, Tolar

J. B. Ingle, Grandview
Mrs. J. J. Wickham, Cleburne
Mrs. W. J. Oxford, Stephenville
Alternates Seated—
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J. J. Moore, Joshua

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Mrs. Raymond Buckley, 801 College Street
W. Erskine Williams, Texas National Bank Bldg.
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Mrs. C. H. Booth, 2624 Rogers
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*Mrs. E. P. Williams, 1608 Blvd.
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†Mrs. A. N. Pipe, Iredell
Walter Amsler, McGregor

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Alternates— Mrs. R. W. Nation

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J. D. Seiders, Taylor J. D. Starnes, Taylor J. S. Fox, Granger.

Alternates Seated— Mrs. R. O. Sory, Taylor

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Hon. E. W. Hander, 517 N. 16th,
Waco
*Geo. Wiebusch, 1201 Austin,
Waco
Mrs. W. S. Mayes, 817 N. 15th,
Waco
Dr. W. F. Treat, Whitney
*Mrs. J. W. Spivey, Hardin Apts.,
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*T. N. Curton, China Springs W. B. Stanford, Lorena W. F. Barnett, Methodist Home L. D. Barnett, Hillsboro *A. J. Kincannon, Eddy *Mrs. P. E. Riley, 1901 Ethel A. C. P'Pool, Mt. Calm *R. Wendorf, West Alternates Seated— C. C. Hayes, City Hall, Waco J. F. Burton, Reisel

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*T. A. Barrington, Ennis

*G. R. Bell, Red Oak

*H. E. Chiles, Itasca

*Dave Curry, Waxahachie, Rt.

L. F. Barnhardt, Palmer

T. C. Jones, Waxahachie

Pat W. Sims, Italy

*DeWitt Rice, Midlothian H. N. Peters, Waxahachie

Alternates Seated— John Faucett H. P. Barkley Mrs. Oran Stephens Mrs. A. C. Haynes E. N. Hightower

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Name-	Address—	Appointment—
*Boaz, H. A.	Little Rock, Ark	Bishop
Adoms I F	Italy	Italy
Anderson W. E.	Eliasville	Eliasville
Androwed W/ R	Hort Worth	Sup. End. Dir.
Armstrong R C	Fort Worth	Superannuate
Achburn S A	Fort Worth	Handley
*Poind T V	Waco	Sec'y Y. M. C. A.
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Parmes, C. H. (II)	San Antonio	Inst. West. Inst.
Darlies, C. II. (II)	Waco	Clay Ave.
Dell A C	San Antonio	Evangelist
	Barry	
Dell, C. F	Newcastle	Newcastle
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bisnop, norace	Dallas	Prof. S. M. U.
†Bishop, C. M	Fort Worth	Superannuate
Bloodworth, J. T	Milford	Milford
Boatman, L. D	Contton	Carlton
Boiles, M	Carlton	•
Bond, J. M	Fort Worth	
Boone, M. L	Eddy	Presiding Elder
Booth, C. H	Fort Worth	Clifton
Boulware, W. T	Clitton	Superannuete
*Bowles. J. S	Grovecom	Daporamidate
Bowman, H. C.	Rice	"l ou
Rowman 'l' E	1 Ulnev	Olney
Boyd, R. H	Rogers	Rogers
Bridges, E. W	WacoFort Worth	St. Johns
Briggs, R. E	Fort Worth	Diamond Hill
Brockette, C. T	Penelope	Penelope
Broxton, Preston	Rockwood	Rockwood
Bryan, Gid. J	Gatesville	Gatesville
Buttrill, C. M	_ Grandview	Grandview
Burton, T. H	Winters	Winters
Byrd, W. N	Proctor	Proctor
Call. R. W. (II)	Valley Mills	Mosheim
Cantrell P. E	Hasiett	IIasiett
Conne P T	Cisco	Twelfth St.
Coroway A C	Chatfield	Chatfield
Caraway, A. E	Corsicana, Rt. 6	Noron Dide
Chappell, P. E	Fort Worth	Hempinii iits.
*Chenoweth, E. B	Trinidad, Col	Superannuate
Chisholm, D. A	Hubbard	Hubbard
Christophor Paul	Fort Worth	Assoc. Pastor1st Ch.
Chunn I I.	· Mt. Calm	Mt. Calm
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		Burleson-Crowley
Clark I F	Aquilla	Aquilla
Clark M W	AquillaVenus	Venus
Clarke W	Florence.	Florence
Clarke, W. A	Winchell	Winchell
Clark, D. A	Florence Winchell Brownwood	Evangelist
Cloud, W. J	— 2 0 % % 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	

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Coleman, W. H.	Recumunad	(D., a., Ji., 1711
Come, D. L	Fort Worth	Superannuate
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Cook, J. S.	Brownwood	First Chample
Council. M. D.	Belton	Rolton
Covington, T. A.	Kirvin	Winnin
Cowan, J. W.	Frost	Erect
Cox. B. M. (III)	Frost	Dunden and Harry
Crawford: J. E	Nashvilla Tenn	Aget Pand Larmony
Crawford R L	Tochuo	Asst. Doard Lay Act.
Crawford W H	Midlothian	Joshua
Crood I I	Midlothian Fort Worth	Superannuate
Crochy P A	Almonodo	Sylvania Hts.
Crossy, R. A	A cusilla	Alvarado
Charge C M (I)	Aquina	Superannuate
*Culbortoon A	Alvarado	_ Bartlett
Culbertson, A. T	Dallas	Superannuate
Culver, F. P.	Corsicana Millsap Ft. Worth,	First Church
Culwell, J. W	- Millsap	Millsap
Curry, J. B	Ft. Worth,	
. ·	1809 Clover L	Rural Ext. Sec'v
Curry, W. N	1809 Clover L Mansfield	. Superannuate
Dailey, E. M	()enaville	Oenavilla
*Daniel (: W .	Fort Worth D. 1	Cumamanant
Davenport, J. L. (I)	Springtown	Springtown
Davenport, R. H	DeLeon	DeLeon Cir.
Davis, Geo. W	Mexia	First Church
Diltz, C. B	Killeen	Killeen
*Doss, W. H	Springtown. DeLeon. Mexia. Killeen. Ballinger.	Superannuate
Dunson, W. N.	Palo Pinto	Palo Pinto
Edmiaston, B. B	Talpa	Talna.Crowe
Ellis, T. D	Palmer	Palmar
*Ellis, T. W.	Fort Worth	Suparnumanana
*Evans. B. A	Nahers Cal	Supernumerary
Evans L. L.	- Talpa - Palmer - Fort Worth - Nabors, Cal - Waco - Hico	Augtin Aug
Evans P W	Hico	Higo
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Forguson W C	Olegurne	Brazos Ave.
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Fisher V U	Dallas, 3704 Stratford.	Supernumerary
Fisher W. E.	Fort Worth	Polytechnic
Fisher, W. E.	Olney Dallas, 3704 Stratford Fort Worth Fort Worth Bluffdale	Boulevard
riyiin, W. A. (11)	Bluffdale	Bluffdale
FOIL, J. W	Cleburne Dublin, Rt.	Main St.
Francis, Henry	Dublin, Rt.	Bunyan
Franklin, A. W	Graham Cranfil Gap Evant	Graham Cir.
Ganord, A. S	Cranfil Gap	Cranfil Gap
Gardner, J. T. (IV)	Evant	Evant
daruner, IV. P	Comanche	Suberannuate
Gaskins, W. D	Moody	Moody Cir.
Gaston, H. W	Ireland	Ireland
Gates, P. H.	Midlothian	Midlothian
*Gilleland, W. A	Georgetown Fort Worth	Superannuate
Gilleland, W. B	Fort Worth	Glen Garden
Gilmore, S. P	Waco	Supernumerary
George, R. W	Daltas	Prof S M II
Gordon, E. R.	Thornton, Rt	Big Hill Ren Hum
*Gore, J. O.	Thornton, Rt	Superannuate
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ALI	ABBITCAL ROLL CO.	
Name-	Address—	Appointment—
Gray, W. T.	Waco	Field Supt. Meth. H.
*Griffith, W	Thrall	Superannuate
Grimes, J. C	Thrall Weatherford Chatfield	Weatherford Cir.
*Gwaltney, W. G	Chatfield	Dugiding Fldge
Hall, A. W	Corsicana	Towing Edger
Hall, H. R	Corsicana Loving	Superennuste
*Hall, J. R. B	Galveston Duffau	Duffen
Halsell, A. C. I)	Dunau	Howitt
Harrell, W. E	Hewitt Corsicana	Ral Dir Firet Ch
Harrell, V. W	Corsicana	Superannuate
*Harris, W. H	Fluvanna	First Church
Hawk, E. B	Fort Worth	Assoc P Polytechnic
Haynes, A. C.	Fort Worth	Lorena
Tays, M. C	Lorena	Holland
Hays, J. M.	Holland	Superannuate
*Head, J. W	Altus, Ark	West
Hearon, W. J.	Nolonvillo	Nolanville
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Helm, A. J.	Georgetown	Salado
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Henry, H. B	1041 Denver B	Superannuate
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Hightower, I. E	Carbon	Carbon
Holt, J. W	Carbon	Bethel
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Hooper, It. D.	Wasa Rt	Superannuate
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McBraver, T. W.	Wintore Rt	David D 1
†McCarter, J. M	CrockettQuanah	Supersprueto
*McCarver, C. S	Quanah	Superaminate
McCaulley, D. R.	Morgan Morgan Walnut Springs Weatherford Fort Worth	Morgan Konnord
McCullough, W. S. F	Walnut Springs	Walnut Springs
McGehee, F. L	Weatherford	Superannuate
McGuire, D. A	Fort Worth	Weatherford Street
Meadow, F. L.	Hillsboro	First Church
*Millis, V. J.	Hillsboro	Superannusta
Monk, Alonzo, Jr	DallasFort Worth	General Evangelist
Morphis, M. M.	Fort Worth	Superannuate
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Morrison, van P	Richland	Richland
Morton, C. N.	Strawn	Ct norran
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Moss, W. W	Whitney	Whitney
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Neal, T. Edgar	Temple	First Church
*Neill, W. A	Temple Dallas, 612 Sunset Wichita Falls Oglesby Eolian Wortham	Superannuate
*Nelms, W. L	Wichita Falls	Superannuate
Neville, S. P	. Oglesby	Oglesby
†Noble, W. W	Eolian	Superannuate
Noe, F. M.	Wortham Lake Junalaska, N. C	Wortham
*Nollner, R. E	Lake Junalaska, N. C	Supt. So. Assembly
Odom, O. O	Fort Worth	Highland Park
Ogle, T. S.	Fort Worth Forty	Troy-Pendleton
Oglesby, J. C	Ferris	Ferris
Oliver, J. L.	Prairie Hill Fort Worth Britton	Prairie Hill
*Oswalt, C. V	Fort Worth	Superannuate
Page, Earl	Britton	Britton
Patison, J. W.	Fort Worth,	·
_	1004 Evans Ave	Superannuate
Patterson, J. I. (IV).	Bynum	Bynum
Patterson, E. R.	Valley Mills	Vallow Mills
Patterson, J. Fred	Bruceville	Bruceville
Peeples, N. J.	Corsicana	Superannuato
Perry, J. M.	Stephenville	Stephenville
*Pollard, J. G	San Antonio,	,
	1920 W Achlor	Superannuate
*Pope, Kenneth	INew Haven, Conn.	Yale Univ Student
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*Reese R L	Abilene	Superannuate
Renfro G W	Crosscut	Crosscut
Pontfro I N	Cleburne	Presiding Elder
Richeron W W	Granger	Granger
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*Rowland C	Fort Worth	Superannuate
Puelson C I	Fort Worth DeLeon Granbury Tillsboro Palmer Waxahachie	DeLeon
Condona U I (IV)	Granbury	Granbury Cir.
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Sanders, J. 1	Palmer	Superannuate
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Sharbutt, J. W	Fort Worth	Footland
Shearer, G. W	Fort WorthEastland	Lastiand
Shipp, W. E. (III)	Jarrell	Jarren
*Shrader, H. P	Corsicana	Superannuate
Shugart, C. O	_ Cisco	Presiding Elder
Shuler, J. W. W.	Mart	Mart
Shuler, P. L.	Mart	Malone
Shutt. C. G.	Kerens	Kerens Cir.
Siceloff I A	Weatherford	First Church
*Simpson C E	Crawford	Crawford
Singleton F E	Cisco	First Church
Siggargon CH (IV)	Waxahachie	First Church Waxahachie Cir Hospital Commissioner
Smith C O	Fort Worth	Hospital Commissioner
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Smith, W. F	Blanket	Blanket
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Snoddy, B. A.	Taylor	Taylor
Sory, R. U	Dioneer	Pioneer
Standlee, A. G. (1V	Graham	Ranger
Stanford, P. T	Waxahachie	Colliers
Stephens, Oran (II)	Arlington	Superanniete
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Stewart, J. H	weatherford	Clan Page
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Story, T. G	Blooming Grove	Drog Towe Womens
Stout, H. E	Fort Worth	College
*Sweet, E. M	Fort Worth,	
	1515 Fairmount	Superannuate
Swearingen, E.W. (IV	Norton	Norton
Swindall, E. P	Graford	Graford
Taylor, W. C. (II).	Thrall	Thrall
Thompson, H. B	Moody	Moody
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*Vaughan, W. H.	Brookhaven Mice	Mulkey Memorial
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ward, W. W	Fort Worth	Arlington Heights
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Wright, G. R.		
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Barfield, G. L., Troy	L.P.	Forbes, B. M., Buena Vista	Ъ.₽.
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Lipps, W. W., Georgetown	L.F.	•	
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Martin, Earl B., Troy	р.р.	Brewer, M. J., Oran	11.1 ·
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Lane, J. R., Waco	<u>ь</u> . <u>ь</u> .	Lewis, R. N., Olney	L.P.
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McCown, W. H., Whitney	L.P.	West, H. E., Olney	
Boiles, B., Whitney	T.P.	Witherspoon W R Weatherford	

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William McKendree	1847	Virginia	1866	20	1867	E	Waco
I. N. Mullens	٠١		1866		1868		Waco. Springfield
Guy C. McWilliams					.870		Acton
J. L. Crabb Guy C. McWilliams Jerome B. Annis. Lewis B. Whipple Jesse M. Boyd Thomas J. Hudson Benjamin A. Kemp R. B. Wommack Wyly W. Thomas R. W. Flourncy John E. Akin Wm. L. Kestler W. M. F. Compton Drury Womack S. D. Akin J. R. White T. W. Hines J. T. Perry C. McGuire J. P. Sneed		***************************************	1866		1870		Waxahachie
Lewis B. Whipple			1866		1872		Marlin
Thomas J. Hudson					1873		Fort Sullivan
Benjamin A. Kemp			11866	ļ	1873 11875		Gatesville Waxahachie
Wyly W Thomas					1876		Wheelock
R. W. Flournoy					1877		Waco
John E. Akin		Memphis	1872		1878	S'y	Rice
W. M. F. Compton	1855	East Texas	1874	26	1879	E	Avant Prairie
Drury Womack	1830	Tennessee	1866		1879 188	S 1	Centreville Graham
S. D. Akin					1881		Calvert
T. W. Hines			ļ	ļ	1881		Weatherford
J. T. Perry					1881		Cameron
C. McGuire			1866	-	1881		Fort Sullivan
Thos. J. Blackburn	1879	N. W. Texas	1879	3	1881	D	Palo Pinto
John A. Clark	1877	N. W. Texas	1877	20	1882	E	Jack County San Saba County
Joseph Parker	1042	N. W. Texas	1011		1883	s d	Granbury
J. S. Lane	1837	Georgia	1870	48	1883	E	Georgetown
J. B. Allison	1856	Tennessee	1878	17	11881	E	Waco Waxahachie
W C Brodie	11877	Arkansas	1877	6	1884	Ē	Burnett
F. A. Mood	1850	S. Carolina	1872	34	1884	E	Georgetown Waxahachie
S. S. Yarbrough	1836	Georgia	11886 11886	149 11	11887	E	Georgetown
Riodon J. Perry	11865	Alabama	1868	14	1888	S'y	Gatesville
Samuel O. Gafford	1886	N. W. Texas	. 1886	3 2	11888	E	Seymour
J. P. Standfield	1090	Mississinni	1866	330	. 100% 1889	5,0	Whitesboro Franklin
Robert Crawford Robert M. Shelton	1884	North Texas	188	5 1 1	1889	E	Belton
Thomas G. Gilmore	1843	Alahama	. 1866	38	11889	S'y	Fairfield
J. T. Perry. C. McGuire. J. P. Sneed. Thos. J. Blackburn John A. Clark. Joseph Parker James Hiner. J. S. Lane. J. S. Lane. J. B. Allison. A. D. Gaskell W. C. Brodie. F. A. Mood. S. S. Yarbrough. John P. Holmes. Rigdon J. Perry. Samuel O. Gafford. J. P. Standfield Robert Crawford. Robert M. Shelton. Thomas G. Gilmore. J. F. Hines	1866	IN. W. Iexas	1790	142	11090	136	San Jacinto Co.
James Johnson	1849	Texas	. 1860	115	1891	S'c	Stephenville
Wm. Vaughan	11841	Alabama	11868	5 46 3 21)(1891 	S'C	l Hillsboro Hillsboro
J. Fred Cox	1860 1849	Arkansas	186	6 44	1 1892	s,	Stanford Chapel
M. D. Reynolds	1872	Kentucky	1884	1 1	1892	E	Nicho'sville, Ky.
W. W. Henderson	1872	Little Rock	.[1872 [188	2 2(1 () 1898 	SE	i Arkadeipnia, Ari iMarble Falls
D. H. Dickey	. 1874 . 1874	Holston	188	5 17	7 1893	Sign	l Temple
James Mackey	. 1853	Arkansas	. 187	6 40	0 1893	E	Waco
George W. Graves	. 1860	Texas	187	o 33 9 11	111899 11899	S S'	Georgetown Martha, Okla.
J. M. Jones	. 1841	Arkansas	. 186	6 4	1 189	S S	Parker County
Jere Reese	1881	N. W. Texas	188	1 10	0 189	S'S	d Cleburne
James Grant	. 1859	Arkansas	187	$\frac{5}{2}$	6 189	18	d Waco
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W. G. Conner C. C. Armstrong	1871	Missouri	188	9 1'	7 189	5 S'	diAlbany
James Johnson Wm. Vaughan J. Fred Cox Thomas Stanford M. D. Reynolds W. W. Henderson D. H. Dickey James Mackey George W. Graves J. T. Hosmer J. M. Jones Jere Reese James Grant W. G. Conner C. C. Armstrong J. S. McCarver J. W. Nalkup J. W. Sanson		Missouri	188 186	9 1 6 3	7 189	5 S'	d Albany d Paint Rock

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NAME.	Admitted on Trial	Conference	Entered This Conf.	Died	Relation at Death	Burial Place
S. B. Ellis E. R. Barcus	1878	N. W. Texas	1878/18	3 1896	E	Ennis
E. R. Barcus	11863	Little Rock	1874 22	2 1896		Stnford Chapel
					E	Lampasas
					10231	Hayes County Belton
Berry M. Stephens Oscar M. Addison	1845	l'ennessee	. 885 53	1898	E I	Weatherford
Oscar M. Addison	1846	East Texas	1866 40)i∵89⊱	S'd	Eulogy
John Carpenter	1855	Texas	1866 19	1898	E	Weatherford
William Price	1891	W. Texas	1891 8	1899	s'd	Weatherford
William Price	188	Little Rock	1869 45	11899		Burnette
John T. Rascoe. R. O. Eustace James Peeler John Powell P. W. Gravis. Frank T. Mitchell. J. A. Wallace W. B. Ford. G. W. Swofford. J. W. Adkisson	1888	Missouri	1895 12	211906	E	Snyder Canyon City
James Peeler	1841	Alabama	1868 24	11900	2.4	Cameron
John Powell	1836	Arkansas	1866 30	1900	S'd	Alvarado
P. W. Gravis	1859	Texas	1866 24	11902	S'd	Comar∙che
I A Wallage	1 001	Wissouri	1887 40	1901	S'd	Rusk
W. B. Ford	1885	N. W. Texas	1881 28	11902	벁	Temple
G. W. Swofford	1875	N. W. Texas	1875.14	1902	8.4	Glen Rose Paint Rock
J. W. Adkisson	1861	Missouri	1891 42	1903	E	Waxahachie
J. J. Harris	1875	N. Georgia	1883 24	1903	S'd	Meridian
J. W. Adkisson. J. J. Harris. T. J. Duncan. J. W. Gibbens.	1866	Tennessee	1896 38	3 1904	E	Nashville, Tenn. South Texas
J. W. Gibbens. N. A. Keen. J. H. Trimble. E. W. Simmans. W. W. Kiser. F. P. Ray. D. T. Holmes. T. W. Rogers	11977	West Texas	1901:	11904	S'd	South Texas
J. H. Trimble	1187x	N W Texas	1878 25	11904	Sal.	Hubbard Iradall
E. W. Simmans	1867	Mississippi	1874 26	1904	Sal	Iredell Wichita Falls
W. W. Kiser	1893	Louisville	1890 11	1904	E	Channing
F. P. Ray	1853	Texas	1866 17	1904	S'd	Waxahachie
T W Pogora	1853	Georgia	1890 40	1905	S'd	Hamilton
N. W. McLaughlin	1891	M W Toyer	1801114	11005	o up	Fort Worth Abbott
Charles Davis	1884	S. Georgia	1889 23	11905		Wa c o
D. T. Holmes. T. W. Rogers. N. W. McLaughlin. Charles Davis. S. E. Houk. Andrew Davis. S. S. Scott. J. P. Hulse. R. A. Hall. N. B. Bennett. E. A. Bailey. H. W. South.	1883	Holston	1903 22	1905	\mathbf{E}	Plainview
Andrew Davis	1845	Texas	1866 40	190	S'd	Waxahachie
S. S. Scott	1851	Memphis	1875 38	1906	S'd S	San Antonio
R A Hall	1000	Arkansas	1874 50	1906	S'd I	Rising Star
N. B. Bennett	1886	N. W. Texas	1886 15 1886 16	1906	S'd 1	Elida, N. M. Childress
E. A. Bailey	1862	Texas	1871:45	11907		Amarillo
E. A. Bailey. H. W. South. Daniel Morgan. G. D. Wilson. A. P. Smith. J. J. Davis. Ben H. Kennedy. E. T. Harrison. J. S. Tunnell. Marion Mills. I. N. Reeves. E. L. Armstrong. Sam P. Wright.	1849	Louisville	1867 42	1907	š'd i	Hardin Co., Ky.
Daniel Morgan	1870	Texas	1881 23	19Jt	S'd C	Georgetown
A D Smith	1875	East Texas	1886 32	1908	3'd I	Kenn∈dale
J. J. Davis	1871	N. W. Texas	1883 25	1905		Fort Worth
Ben H. Kennedy	1905	N. W. Texas	1905 4	1900		Stephenville Colorado City
E. T. Harrison	1891	N. W. Texas	1891 11	1909		aulkenbury
J. S. Tunnell	1878	N. W. Texas	1878 32	1910		Ranger, Texas
Marion Mills	1875	N. W. Texas	1875 24	1910	S'd C	Copperas Cove
E L. Armstrang	1822	Meth. Prot	1874 26	1910		Carbon, Texas
Sam P. Wright	1858	Tannassaa	101020	1910		Corsicana
Sam P. Wright R. V. Galloway	1876	N. W. Texas	1876[34]	1911	Japt Visir	California Valnut Springs
W. H. Moss	1856	Georgia	1887 46	1912	S'd I	Tubbard
Jerome Duncan	1889	Tennessee	1893 24	1913	E	Hillsboro
W F Lloyd	1868	S. Georgia	1872 34	1913	E I	Dallas
J. W. Downs	1802	East Toyes	1890 33	1913	S'd S	tephenville
Neal W. Turner	1905	N. W. Texas	1905 0	1914	E 10	Mineral Wells
i. Z. T. Morris	1869	Alabama	1891 44	1914	EP	olytechnic
S. C. Littlepage	1854	Missouri[1	1866 60	1915	S'd V	Vaco
R. V. Galloway W. H. Moss Jerome Duncan C. E. Brown W. F. Lloyd J. W. Downs Neal W. Turner i. Z. T. Morris S. C. Littlepage E. T. Bates	1869"	l'rinity	1881 32	1915	S'd I	Denton

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J. M. Bond	1870	E. Texas	1883	34	1915	S'd	Weatherford
I. G. Rogers	1875	Memphis	. 1882	35	1919	2.9	Crosson
J. J Calloway	1891	W. Texas	11906	24	1916	2,4	Polytechnic
J. A. Walkup	1871	White L	1880	18	1916	š'd	Ruth
J. W. Montgomery	1979	E Texas	1897	24	1916	S'd	Gatesville
S. W. Turner	1848	Arkansas	. 1875	46	1916	S'd	Corsicana
W F Graves	1867	St. Louis	. 1874	114	1917	Sid	Meridian
R W Wellhorn	1881	N. W. Texas	. 188	113	1917	Sa	Novice
Geo. F. Campbell	1887	Louisville	1903	197	1018	S.4	[Meridian
H. M. Glass	. 1865	Texas	1879	1 28	1918	370	;}
G. W. Owens	1878	N. W. Texas	191	6131	1918	E	Fort Worth
A. L. Andrews	. 1881	N. Alabama	189	0.28	1918	S'd	Polytechnic
M. H. Major	1000	N W Texas	190	2 8	1918	3'6	San Antonio
W U Howard	1883	Louisville	_]190	1 35	191	ĮΕ	Belton
Henry Stanford	1910	Cen. Texas	191	0 8	1918	E	Mt. vernon
O. B. Turner	. 19 0 9	N. W. Texas	190	9 3	11010		Thurber
J. B. Dodson	1892	St. Louis	188	1 29	1919	ปรั้	Bangs
G. W. Harris	1881	N. W. Texas	189	6 30	191	E	
S. C. Baird	1888	Con Texas	191	8	1919	$ \tilde{\mathbf{o}} $	r Beatie
E. W. Hancock	11919	Cen Texas	191	3 3	(1920) S'(dWinters
J. C. Maynew	190	N. W. Texas	190	1 19	1920	ŊΕ	Killeen
A. C. Smith	189	Alabama	190	5 23	11920	E	di La deconville
Jerome Haralson	187	White R	188	0 2	1102	18,	al ackson vinc
F. M. Winburne	187	Little Rock	187	9 3	192	ilš	d Polytechnic
D. C. Stark	[187]	N W Texas	188	1 2	192	ı s	d Ft. Worth
W. J. Lemons	188	N. W. Texas	188	6 2	5 192	2 S'	d[
Abo Long	188	1 N. W. Texas]188	1 1	3 192	2 3'	d G'en Cove
P. M. Riley	190	3 N. W. Texas	190	13 1	6 192	2 3	d Arlington
J. P. Mussett	186	4 N. W. Texas	186	11 2	5 192	5 3.	dFt Worth
C. A. Evans	188	3 Texas	180	14 3	6 192	2 F	Corsicana
J. A. Whitehurst	188	ON W. Texas	188	39 1	9 192	2 3	dKennedale
L. J. Maxwell	187	9 N. W. Texas	[18]	79 2	6 192	2 3'	dFt. Worth
James Campbell	187	3 V. W. Texas	18′	73 4	2 192	2[5]	d Weatherford
J. J. Canafax	187	5 N. W. Texas	187	(5)3	11192	۲۱S',	ui ult.aGrange
J. H. Wiseman]188	1 N. W Texas			192	4 0	F.
E. V. Cox	188	IN. W. Texas	1189	12 3	01192	5 S	dGrandview
R. J. Tooley	188	Z IN. W. TEXAS -	18	36	192	5 3	d Iredell
J. C. Carter	188	Arkansas	18	89 4	0 192	5 S'	d
F A Smith	1187	8 N. W. Texas	18'	78]4	3 192	6 S	'd Waxahachie
W V Jones	187	2 N. W. Texas	18'	72 3	4 192	5 8	'd irede'l
W. C. Hilburn	188	9 N. W. Texas	18	89 3	7 192	6	ElWood
R. F. Brown	190	4 N. W. Texas	19	04 2	Z[192	20 z	'd Waxahachie
D. C. Ellis	188	38 N. W. Texas	10	86	10	5713	Robt. Lee
W. K. Simpson	188	Towns	. 10 19	ցնիչ	8 199	7 1	E Corsicana
T. S. Armstrong	[18]	N W Texas	19	ŏĭľ	192	8 8	d Dawson
J. B. Berry	191	N. W. Texas.	18	82	192	8 7	E Fort Worth
J. P. Mussett C. A. Evans. J. A. Whitehurst. E. J. Maxwell J. W. Dickinson. James Campbell J. J. Canafax. J. H. Wiseman. E. V. Cox. R. J. Tooley J. C. Carter. K. S. Vanzant. E. A. Smith W. V. Jones. W. C. Hilburn. R. F. Brown. D. C. Ellis W. K. Simpson. T. S. Armstrong. J. B. Berry. Jno. M. Barcus. E. F. Boone. E. F. Boone.	186	8 Texas	18	87	199	28 S	E Fort Worth
B. F. Alsup S. J. Vaughan J. Hall Bowman		***************************************			1199	28 S	d Fort Worth
S. J. Vaughan	18	36 N. W. Texas	18	80	(19)	281	S'a Cisco
J. Hall Bowman	[190	6 N. W. Texas.	19	06	19	ان2	E Rising Star

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lo.	PLACE OF SESSION		DATE	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1	 Waxahachie	Sen	. 26. 1866	Bishon Marvin	F D D
2	Waxahachie	Nov	6. 1867	Bishop Marvin Bishop McTyeire Bishop Doggett Bishop Wightman	F. P. Ray
3	Springfield	No	11 1868	Bishop McTyelre Bishop Doggett Bishop Wightman Bishop Marvin Bishop Marvin Bishop Keener Bishop Kavanaugh	J. L. Crabb
4	Weatherford	No.	17 1966	Dishop Doggett	J. S. McCarver
5	Weatherford	- Nov	10, 1009	Disnop Wightman	F. P. Ray F. P. Ray
Ĝ	Corsicana	NION	10, 1070	Disnop Marvin	F. P. Ray
7	Doltan	1001	1, 1871	Bishop Marvin	J. S. McCarver
ė	Western	Oct	23, 1872	Bishop Keener	J. S. McCarver
0	Waco	" Mov	26, 1873	Bishop Kavanaugh	J. S. McCarver
10	Belton Waco Weatherford	Nov		Bishop McTyeire Bishop Pierce	F. P. Ray
10	Corsicana Calvert	Nov	. 10 1875	Bishop Pierce	F. P. Ray
11	Caivert	Nov	8, 1876	Bishop Doggett	F. P. Ray
12	Waco Belton Fort Worth Waco Wayshashio	Dec	5, 1877	Bishop Doggett Bishop Wightman Bishop Keener Bishop McTyeire	F. P. Ray
13	Belton	Oct.	30, 1878	Bishop Keener	G. W. Swofford
14	Fort Worth	Oct.	29, 1879	Bishop McTyeire	F. P. Ray
15	Waco	Nov	. 10, 1880	Bishop Pierce	F. P. Ray
16	Waxahachie	Nov	. 16, 1881	Bishop Kavanaugh	F. P. Ray
17	Waco Waxahachie Cleburne Georgetown Waco Corsicana Lampasas Fort Worth Weatherford Belton Abilene Corsicana	Nov	1, 1882 31, 1883 6, 1884	Bishop Parker	F D D
18	Georgetown	Oct	31, 1882	Bishop Parker	F. P. Ray F. P. Ray
19	Waco	Nov	6 1884	Bishop McTyeire	F. P. Rav
20	Corsicana	Nov	11 1995	Bishop McTyeire	F. P. Ray
21	Lampacas	Nov	24 1000	Dishop Mclyeire	F. P. Ray F. P. Ray
22	Fort Worth	Non	0 1000	Bishop Keener	F. P. Ray
22	Worthand	NOV.	9, 1007	Bishop Wilson Bishop Hendrix	F. P. Ray
24	Roltan	- NOV.	14, 1888	Bishop Hendrix	G. W. Swofford
25	Abiles	Nov.	6, 1889	Bishop Key	F D D
96	Autherre	- 1700A	13, 1890	Bishop Key	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
20	Corsicana	Nov.	25. 1891		J. M. Barcus
41	waco	Nov.	23, 1892	Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus
28	Fort Worth	. Nov.	15, 1893	Bishop Wilson Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus
29	Hillsboro	Nov.	22, 1894	Bishop Hargrove	J. M. Barcus
30	rort Worth Hillsboro Temple Waxahachie Weatherford Brownwood Cleburne Georgetown Corsicana	Nov.	14, 1895	Bishop Duncan Bishop Keener Bishop Granbery	J. M. Barcus
31	Waxahachie	Nov.	18, 1896	Bishop Keener	M Barous
82	Weatherford	Nov.	17, 1897	Bishop Granbery	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
33	Brownwood	Nov.	16. 1898	Rishon Galloway	J. M. Barcus
34	Cleburne	Nov.	15. 18 9 9	Rishon Hargrove	J. M. Barcus
35	Georgetown	Nov.	14, 1900	Rishon Candler	J. M. Barcus
36	Corsicana Temple	Nov.	13, 1901	Bishop Granbery Bishop Galloway Bishop Hargrove Bishop Candler Bishop Wilson Bishop Hendrix Bishop Hoss Bishop Hoss	
37/	Temple	Nov.	12 1902	Richan Wandain	J. M. Barcus
38]	Fort Worth	Nov.	11 1903	Richon Duncen	J. M. Barcus
391	Mineral Wells	Nov	16 1904 1	Dishop Duncan	J. M. Barcus
			15 1905 1	Dishop Hoss	J. M. Barcus
41	Brownwood	Nov			J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
42 4	Amarillo	Nov.	14, 1000	Rishop Hoss Bishop Candler Bishop Key	J. M. Barcus
43 1	Waco	Nov.	0, 1907	pisnop Candler	J. M. Barcus
44 0	Brownwood Amarillo Waco Stamford Waxhachie	NOV.	11, 1908 1	sisnop Key	J. M. Barcus
24 C	Variable 1	Nov.	10, 1909	Sishop Kev	J. M. Barcus J. M. Barcus
40 \ 40 T	waxanacnie	Nov.	16, 1910 F	Bishop Atkins	J. M. Barcus
			8. 1911 I	Bishop Atkins	J. R. Morris
17/C	Cleburne Cemple Hillsboro Corsicana	Nov.	13. 1912 F	Rishon Atkine	J. R. Morris
181	emple	Nov.	5. 1913 F	Rishon Atkins	J. R. Morris
19 I	fillsboro	Nov.	11. 1914) F	Bishon McCov	A. D. Porter
50 C	orsicana	Nov.	24, 1915 F	Sishop McCoy	A. D. Porter
51 V	Vaxahachie Georgetown Aineral Wells Vaco	Nov.	15. 1916 E	Sichon MaCon	
2 0	eorgetown	Nov	14 1917 1	histor McC	A. D. Porter
3 1	dineral Wells	Nov	20 1018 0	Sishon Aincourt	A. D. Porter
4 V	Vaco	Nov	19 1010 5	Sishop McCoy Sishop Ainsworth Sishop Ainsworth	A. D. Porter
5 F	ort Worth	Nov.	10, 1019 B	isnop Ainsworth	A. D. Porter
ماء	Seen World	INOV.	10, 1920 B	ishop Ainsworth	A. D. Porter
7010	ort Worth	Nov.	9. 1921 B	ishop Ainsworth ishop Dickey	A. D. Porter A. D. Porter
Olor	leatheriord	Nov.	15, 1922 B	ishop Dickey	A. D. Porter
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alR	rownwood	Nov.	12, 1924 B	ishop Dickey ishop Dickey ishop Dickey	A. D. Porter
UN	axanachie	Nov.	18, 1925 B	ishop Dickey	A. D. Porter
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2 F	ort Worth	Nov.	16 1927 B	ichon Moore	A. D. Porter
3 R	anger	Nov	14 1090 B	ichop Moore	A. D. Porter
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Daily Proceedings

FIRST DAY— WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening—The sixty-third session (being the nineteenth session since the division in 1910) of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Ranger, Texas, at 9 o'clock, November 14th,

The great old praise hymn "Oh For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" was sung followed by reciting the Aposties Creed and Rev. D. L. Collie led in prayer concluding with the Lord's Prayer.

The Scripture lesson was read by Bishop Moore selecting verses

from II Timothy, chapters 3 and 4.

In the timely comments made, the Bishop urged the preachers "to know the age in which he lives and to find his place in it; to possess a sense of his own power and limitations."

The Conference stood and sang heartily, "Guide Me Oh Thou

Great Jehovah".

Roll Call-The secretary of the former session called the roll of all members in full connection and on trial, including the supplies, followed by calling all lay delegates from each district. (See roll)

Election-On nomination A. D. Porter was elected secretary and on his nomination the following assistants, R. W. Nation, R. A. Crosby, on his nomination the following assistants, it. W. Radon, R. C. Ossby, A. C. Haynes, W. N. Dunson, Roy L. Crawford, F. O. Waddill was elected statistical secretary with C. O. Hightower as assistant with District secretaries viz: Brownwood—B. B. Edmiaston; Cisco—L. W. Seymour; Cleburne— Roy L. Crawford; Corsicana—J. T. Gardner; Fort Worth—C. M. Buttrill; Gatesville—Horace Poteet: Georgetown—R. O. Sory; Waco—W. R. Beaird; Waxahachie—R. H. Boyd; Weatherford—H. B. Landrum.

Welcome-Judge H. L. Flewellen of Ranger was introduced and gave pleasing words of welcome to the Conference in behalf of the city. Bishop Moore responding with appropriate words.

Motion-Judge G. W. Barcus moved that the secretary send greetings of fraternalism to the State Baptist Convention now in session at

Mineral Wells, which prevailed.

Alternates—Alternates on the lay list were seated from the several districts. (See list)

Hours of Meeting and Adjournment-On motion of G. W. Shearer, pastor host, the time of meeting and adjournment was made 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon and the bar of the Conference was fixed as the interior of the auditorium on first floor.

Communications-Various communications referred to the proper committees.

Introductions—The chair introduced the following: Silliman Evans and John P. Cox of the Ft. Worth Star Telegram and Record-Telegram, Frank Jones of the Ranger Times, Dr. E. V. Cole, Editor of the Texas Christian Advocate, Dr. C. C. Selecman of Southern Methodist University, Dr. J. W. Perry, Missionary Secretary, Rev. R. S. Tennon of the Methodist Benevolent Association, Rev. S. M. Yancy, Western Methodist Assembly, Revs. J. T. Wilson and L. W. Tarrison of the North Texas Conference, J. W. Bowman and Cal C. Wright of the Northwest Texas Conference R. L. Butler of the New Mexico Conference and J. O. Schieler of the Sunday School Board. Q. Schisler of the Sunday School Board.

Christian Education-Dr. Selecman addressed the Conference on Christian Education, representing the General Board and Southern Methodist University.

Motion-Dr. Horace Bishop made the following resolution: "Resolved that the secretary of the Conference be instructed to wire President-elect Hon. Herbert Hoover as follows: The Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South consisting of more than four hundred ministers and delegates, representing ninety thousand members, without respect to party affiliation are praying for the preservation of your valuable life, during your voyage and wish you success on your mission of peace and good will among the Latin Americans."

Motion-Rev. C. Q. Smith moved that the Hospital cause be the order of the day, Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Western Methodist Assembly-Rev. S. M. Yancy represented the Assembly located at Mt. Sequoyah.

Methodist Benevolent Association-Rev. R. S. Tennon spoke of the Benevolent Association of our church.

Anti-Saloon League-Rev. Atticus Webb addressed the Conference on the work of the Anti-Saloon League.

Standing Committees-Rev. J. H. Stewart read the report nominating the standing committees which was adopted. (See list)

Vacancies on Boards-E. H. Lightfoot for H. D. Tucker, transferred, on Sunday School Board; Commission on Budget A. L. Scales for Jno. M. Barcus, deceased; J. M. Perry for J. W. Fort, resigned; A. L. Elliott for W. J. Baker, ineligible; Board of Missions: J. W. Fort for Jno. R. Morris, resigned.

Transfers—The Bishop announced the following transfers in W. H. Vanderpool, elder from New Mexico Conference, W. E. Fisher, an elder, from West Texas Conference, W. E. Anderson, elder, from West Texas Conference, Edwin R. Walker, class of the first year from Tennessee Conference, Van W. Harrell, class of the second year, Little Rock Conference.

Announcements-Several announcements were made including the Public Worship which announced Dr. Paul B. Kern as speaker at 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Introductions-Dr. J. H. Groseclose and Dr. O. T. Cooper of the North Texas Conference, Rev. L. N. Lipscomb of Northwest Texas Con-

Adjournment-The Doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. W. Patison.

SECOND DAY-THURSDAY MORNING

Opening—The Conference convened at 8:30 o'clock Bishop Moore announced the hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord" the Conference joining in the song after which Rev. C. G. Shutt led in prayer. Bishop Moore read the morning lesson from portions of the third and fourth chapters of I Timothy, some of the many scintillating thoughts were viz: "The Church is not a temporary organization but comes out of the glorious past and represents collective forces and wisdom. The preacher is more than a mere individual, he is the express image of the church. He is a voice and not simply an echo. He is to emphasize the Christ mind in the church."

Standing the Conference sang, "The Church's one Foundation Is Jesus Christ The Lord."

Friday Devotional—Bishop Moore announced that Dr. Paul B. Kern would give the opening address on the following morning.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session was read and ap-

Board Vacancies—The following were named and elected to fill vacancies: Board of Finance, H. B. Clark for W. M. Rader, J. H. Walker for D. K. Porter; Christian Education, O. F. Sensabaugh for W. H. Coleman; J. S. Cook for C. O. Boatman; L. L. Evans for J. N. Rentfro; C. S. Wright for C. H. Booth; Epworth League—Mrs. R. L. Crawford for Mrs. Minnie Clark; Woody C. Smith for Mrs. M. C. Smith; Maurice Keathley for Dr. H. B. Love; Esten Sadler for C. F. Everett; Mrs. E. W. Bridges for R. E. Wendorf.

Joint Board of Publication-P. E. Riley in place of Dr. J. M. Barcus, deceased.

Roll Call—The roll of absentees was called and the further calling of the roll was suspended.

Alternates Seated—Alternates were seated as the roll will indicate. Question 1—"Who are Admitted on Trial" was called and the following were admitted by the unanimous vote of the Conference: Charles M. Crowe of the Ft. Worth District; Cleo D. Wooten, Gatesville District; James William Whitefield, Waxahachie District; J. Lester Davenport, Weatherford District. All came properly recommended and passed all examinations required.

Biographical Questionnaire—Dr. A. D. Porter presented a very helpful sheet on each preacher's history of the Conference which was received for completion by each member.

Conference Entertainment—H. N. Peters offered a resolution concerning Conference entertainment and after being amended was adopted as follows:

"RESOLVED that the following shall be entitled to participate in the distribution of the Conference Entertainment Fund of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, viz:

- (1) All members of the Annual Conference-Ministers and Laymen.
- (2) All members of the Boards and Committees of the Conference who are actually in attendance upon the Conference, and who are not delegates to the Conference.

(3) The Conference Teller and his Assistants,

PROVIDED, however, that no one shall be entitled to participate in the distribution of said Fund unless he shall be in actual attendance upon the Conference, and he shall be entitled to receive from said fund the sum of \$1.00 per day for the time of his actual attendance upon the Conference; and not to exceed \$5.00 for the Conference session.

PROVIDED, further, that no member of the Conference engaged in any kind of work for the church or otherwise, who may have his expenses provided for during the time of the Annual Conference, or who has an Expense Account available to him at said Annual Conference, shall be entitled to participate in the distribution of the Conference Entertainment Fund.

PROVIDED, further, that all preachers serving the Conference and appointed thereby shall be entitled to participate in the Entertainment Fund.

RESOLVED, further, that a copy of this Resolution shall be furnished to the Treasurer of the Entertainment Fund, and in making distribution of said Fund, he shall be governed by the provisions thereof."

Dr. Randolph Clark-Bishop Moore introduced Dr. Randolph Clark educator and preacher of the Disciples Church, who addressed the Conference in a short and pleasing manner.

Question 3—"Who remain on Trial" was called and the class of the first year answered as follows: Clifton Lee Hodges, character was pass-

ed and he remained in the class of the first year and announced by the chair as transferred.

The following characters were passed and advanced to the class of the second year: Dewitt Leslie Barnes, Frank Harris Ingram, Richard Walker Call, Cecil Hamilton Barnes, Wilson Cecil Taylor, Warren A. Flynn, Oran Stephens and Edwin R. Walker. Bryan H. Keathley was announced transferred.

Location—C. W. Ferguson was located at his own request.

Question 3—"Who remain on Trial" was resumed with calling the class of the second year, W. M. Justice, B. M. Cox and W. E. Shipp after the passage of character, were elected to the class of the third year.

Hubert C. Smith had his character passed and advanced to the

class of the third year being already a deacon.

The class of the third year was called, their characters passed and they were advanced to the class of the fourth year; which follows: Floyd Ernest Johnson, Lesley Wm. Seymour, Charles Hudson Sisserson, Arthur G. Standlee, Ernest Wesley Swearingen, Floyd Wm. Thrash, J. D. F. Williams, H. J. Sanders, Wm Kenneth Pope and James Thomas Gardner.

The class of the fourth year was called, each character passed and elected to elders orders: Melvin Ansil Walker, Homer Ross Hall, Andrew Kenneth Marney, Adrian Collingsworth Jones, Robert Howell Davenport, Wallace Nail Dunson, Joseph Isham Patterson, James Capine Oglesby, Roy L. Crawford and Cloe Abie Norcross, J. B. Weathers and T. B. Sowell had their characters passed being already

Question 14—"What Preachers have died during the year" was answered as follows: B. F. Alsup, T. S. Armstrong, Jno. M. Barcus, J. B. Berry, E. F. Boone, J. Hall Bowman and S. J. Vaughan.

The Conference stood at attention with heads bowed in silence followed by a tender prayer by Bishop Moore.

Superannuate Endowment-Dr. O. T. Cooper, presiding elder of the Dallas District, North Texas Conference addressed the Conference concerning the Superannuate Endowment Fund.
Dr. W. B. Andrews and Bishop Moore added fitting words to the

cause of Superannuate Endowment.

Local Deacons—"Who are elected local deacons?" was asked and the following were elected: Paul Maroney Gladney, Corsicana District; Edwin R. Walker, Gatesville District; Samuel Albert Baker, Weatherford District; Thomas Sowell Thompson, Cleburne District.

Question 21—Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of the following were called, their characters passed and referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for supernumerary relation: T. W. Ellis, C. S. Field, S. P. Gilmore and W. G. Gwaltney.

Gilmore and W. G. Gwaltney.

The following were called, their characters passed and referred to the committee for superannuate relations: H. P. Shrader. J. M. McCarter. C. V. Oswalt, E. M. Sweet, I. F. Harris, A. C. Lackey, J. E. Walker, B. A. Evans, C. W. Macune, H. B. Henry, M. M. Morphis, C. W. Daniel, W. H. Doss, J. G. Pollard, V. J. Millis, J. J. Rape, E. B. Chenoweth, F. L. McGehee, N. E. Gardner, B. A. Snoddy, W. H. Crawford, W. A. Gilleland, C. Rowland, R. L. Reese, Horace Bishop, W. L. Nelms, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H. Braswell, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, M. K. Little, W. B. Wilson, J. S. Bowles, J. W. Patison, S. B. Sawyer, J. T. Bloodworth, Mac M. Smith, G. W. Kincheloe, J. R.

B. Hall, R. C. Armstrong, R. B. Young, J. F. Tyson, P. W. Layne, M. S. Hotchkiss, A. T. Culbertson, W. A. Neill, J. W. Holt, W. H. Keener, J. M. Armstrong, Wallace Vinsant, D. L. Collie, W. N. Curry, J. D. Ramsey, Walter Griffith, Jno. R. Morris.

Presentation—Rev. D. L. Collie presented a gavel made from an oak which grew near the cabin where Abraham Lincoln was born, Bishop Moore receiving with fitting response and the Conference greatly applauded.

Superannuates—Judge Geo. W. Barcus suggested to the Conference the timely need of keeping up with all superannuates and added a request for the secretary of the Board of Finance for such.

Dr. J. W. Bergin moved that this be referred to the Board of Finance for such consideration, which was done.

Hours of Meeting—Dr. F. P. Culver offered a motion to change the hour of meeting from 8:30 to 9 a.m. and adjournment from 12 noon to 12:30, which motion prevailed.

Announcements—Various announcements were made including the hour of worship at 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. at which time Dr. Paul B. Kern was to speak, also Mrs. J. H. Stewart at 2:30.

The Doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by Alonzo Monk, Jr.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION

Opening—Promptly at 9 o'clock the Conference convened with Bishop Jno. M. Moore in the chair who announced the hymn, "Love Divine" which was sung and followed with singing "O Worship the King." Dr. R. C. Armstrong led in an earnest prayer. Dr. Paul B. Kern being introduced by Bishop Moore read for his Scripture lesson Luke 24:5; Acts 1:11 and Matt. 28:20, a very able address followed with such great statements as follows: "It is the hunger of the human heart to find Jesus. If we can bring God out of the speculative realm of thinking into the real of life we have experimental religion. Where shall we find Jesus? He is not found by looking into the past, even though the past be so valuable. Mature lives must have a mature God, a childish idea of God is not sufficient for adults and old age. We cannot find Christ by looking into the future although the future holds rich and indescribable glories for He is not an absentee God, but a very present help at all times. He is to be found in the present, the now. There are moral forces enough in the world to save the world, if Jesus is put into these forces. Jesus is here now, He is a present and an available Saviour sufficiently able to forgive sin, to strengthen for the tasks of life, to impart comfort and inspire hope."

The Conference now stood following this able message and sang "Saviour More Than Life to Me."

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

Introduction—Prof. G. L. Morelock of the Board of Lay Activities, Rev. H. M. Ratcliff, presiding elder of the Yoakum District, West Texas Conference and Rev. J. W. Black of the West Texas Conference, and Dr. Frank W. Brandon of the General Hospital Board were introduced to the Conference by the chair.

Question No. 1—"Who are admitted on Trial?" was resumed from the former session and Austin Carl Halsell being properly recommended and passing all examinations and committees required was unanimously admitted from the Cisco District. Delegates Noted—E. B. Dawson, lay delegate from the Corsicana District, was recognized as present.

Class of Fourth Year—The chairman of the Fourth Year Committee reported that T. B. Sowell had passed his course, being already an elder.

Question No. 21—"Are all the preachers blameless in their lives and official administration?" was resumed with the calling of the name of W. H. Coleman of the Brownwood District, whose character was passed and he made his report. The names of the preachers of the district were called one by one and their characters passed until the name of G. E. Cameron was called and it was stated that an investigating committee had been appointed who deemed a trial necessary, a committee was properly appointed and the case was tried on July 17th, 1928, and G. E. Cameron was found guilty as charged by his own confession and was expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The papers were handed the secretary and the presiding elder was instructed to secure the credentials to be filed in the archives of the Conference.

Presence Noted—The presence of W. B. Morton was noted who had been detained because of the death of his little daughter.

Telegram—The following telegram was read: "Mineral Wells, Texas, November 15th, 1928. Dr. A. D. Porter, Secretary of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, The Texas Baptist General Convention reciprocates your cordial greetings. Signed B. D. South, Secretary."

Question No. 21 Resumed—Rev. C. O. Shugart's name was called, his character passed and he reported for the Cisco District, and one by one the preachers of the Cisco District were called and their character passed.

Rev. J. N. Rentfro's name was called his character passed and he reported for the Cleburne District, each of the preachers names were called and their character passed.

Rev. A. W. Hall's name was called, his character passed and after his report all the preachers' names of his District were called and their character passed.

Dr. Cullom H. Booth's name was called, his character passed and he reported for the Fort Worth District, each of his preachers' names were called and their characters passed.

Hospital Board—W. Erskine Williams read the report of the Hospital Board and moved the adoption.

We, your Hospital Board report as follows:

The record of our hospital is inspiring. It has been long from 1919 to 1928 and the hospital not yet opened. And yet it required three years of work of preparation before we could ask for a dollar and not until 1922 was the first dollar paid. We have received in cash the sum of \$539,885.07. There has been collected this year \$61,613.52.

The General Board reports that we now have eleven Hospitals worth over \$8,000,000.00, which minister every year to more than twenty-five thousand people.

The building at Fort Worth which is the greatest Hospital building in the South, is now finished to six floors, and if the money was available for furnishings could be opened at once.

The Board of Trustees have determined upon another campaign in the city of Fort Worth to raise \$125,000.00 new money for the purpose of equipping the building and for an effort to collect the balance due on the pledges made by the citizens of that city.

This enterprise has been a cooperative one between the citizens

of Fort Worth and our Annual Conference. It is necessary that new money be secured from the Conference to keep the pledge with Fort Worth and that we may conserve the large investment already made.

We therefore quote the following resolution:

"The Board of Trustees of the Hospital and the Conference Board, with the Presiding Elders, in joint session recommend:

"That the Annual Conference raise, as an emergency fund, Twenty Thousand Dollars new money per year for four years, to match Fort Worth in raising a like sum that the Hospital may be opened at once.

"We recommend that this sum be apportioned to the Districts on the basis of percentages by which the Conference collections are apportioned and that this cause be presented to the congregation on the first and second Sundays of December of this year."

We call attention of all Pastors to the necessity of enrollment in the Golden Cross, and urge that Easter be made a great day for Hospital

Education and for completing the enrollment.

And we further recommend the plan to ask Individuals, Churches, Sunday Schools, Sunday School Classes and Epworth Leagues to furnish rooms in the Hospital and to do this at once. \$250.00 will furnish a room which will always be memorial to whosoever shall give this sum.

We recommend the assessment of \$10,000.00 for the payment of the expenses of the Commissioner and Trustees.

We nominate for members of the Board of Trustees the following persons: T. B. Yarbrough, W. E. Austin, P. E. Riley, J. H. Stewart, H. N. Peters, F. P. Culver and P. L. Downs.

The books of the Hospital office have been audited by certified ac-

countants who find the same correct.

At your last session you appointed a committee to take up with the Northwest Texas Conference the question of cooperating with this Conference in its Hospital enterprise. The Presiding Elders of the Northwest Texas Conference have visited the Hospital building, expressing much satisfaction therewith and indicating that they believed that their Conference could be interested. The Northwest Texas Conference has not yet met and we recommnd the continuance of this committee.

We request the Bishop to reappoint Rev. C. Q. Smith as Hospital Commissioner.

Respectfully submitted, T. WESLEY HOOK, Secretary.

Dr. Frank W. Brandon spoke very briefly to the report. M. A. Turner spoke against the adoption of the report in full. C. H. Booth, H. B. Henry, C. Q. Smith spoke to the report.

Rev. D. L. Collie moved the previous question which was withdrawn at the request of J. W. Fort. J. W. Fort and J. W. Bergin spoke to the report. M. A. Turner moved that the vote be put and voted by orders, the motion did not prevail, E. B. Hawk favored the report as did a layman from the audience in each speaking.

Delegate Seated—T. W. Hines took his place as delegate from Cleburne District. J. J. Moore was seated as alternate for Dr. Bradford from the Cleburne District.

Hospital Report Resumed-The question was now called for and the report was adopted.

Hospital Emergency-Bishop Moore stated to the Conference that the Hospital situation was not only an emergency but a crisis.

Afternoon Session-By order of the chair the Conference would meet upon adjournment at 2 p. m.

Special Committee—The special committee consisting of A. D. Porter, C. O. Shugart and H. F. Mayes made a report concerning the protection

and preservation of the Conference records and archives which would require a special appropriation of \$300.00 which was unanimously accepted by the Conference.

Committee Vacancy-Paul Christopher was named to take the place of J. D. Ramsey on the Admission on Trial Committee. O. O. Odom on Board of Education for J. Hall Bowman, deceased. J. M. Bond for J. H. Walker on the Committee of Admissions. T. Edgar Neal for T. B. Sowell on the Hospital Board. C. E. Wilkins for W. H. Coleman, Committee of Third Year.

Announcements-Various and sundry announcements were made, embracing the worship hours of 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m., at which hours Dr. C. M. Bishop and Prof. G. L. Morelock would be the speakers.

Adjournment-Bishop Moore pronounced the benediction.

Opening—The Conference convened at 2 p. m., with Bishop Moore in the chair. "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" was sung, the audience standing, and Rev. W. S. P. McCullough led in prayer.

Minutes—Reading of the minutes previous session were postponed.

Admission Into Full Connection—At the call of the Secretary, Wm. McKinley Justice, Bruce Meadow Cox, Wm. E. Shipp and Hubert C. Smith stood before the altar and after appropriate remarks by the Bishop, and the Disciplinary questions propounded and satisfactory answers given, the class was admitted into full connection by unanimous vote of the Conference.

Question No. 21—Resuming Question No. 21, the name of W. H. Matthews was called, his character passed, and he reported for the Gates-ville District, the names of all the preachers were called, their charac-

Special Mention—When the name of C. E. Simpson was called Dr. Matthews reported he was unable to attend the Conference due to bodily afflictions. When the name of M. W. Clark was called the presiding elder reported that rumors had been made and a committee had been appointed to investigate the rumors but found the situation mere rumors and no trial was necessary.

Personal Privilege-Brother Clark stated that he wished certain affidavits which had been made by his accusers clearing his case and he was assured such would be done, at least in copy.

The name of D. K. Porter was called, whose character was passed, and he reported for the Georgetown District, following the names of all

his preachers were called and their characters passed.

Dr. P. E. Riley's name was called, his character passed and he reported for the Waco District, the names of all the Waco District preachers were called and their characters passed.

Introduction—Dr. T. D. Ellis of the General Church Extension Board was introduced.

Announcements-Various announcements were made, the Doxoloyg was sung, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. W. H. Crawford.

FOURTH DAY-SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

Opening—The Conference was called to order and the hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" was sung as the congregation stood following Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh led in prayer. The morning lesson was read by Bishop Moore from John 21 and some of his comments were as follows: "Jesus turned the love of Simon into a channel of service, a true love is a serving love, Jesus did not leave his disciples in gloom, he cleared out all that was in the way Jesus was concerned about them,

he wants a clear mind and an experience that was worth while, in these things taught our Lord was trying to create a Christian community properly related to Him and to the world; to make valid His life and teaching; He sought to grow a great brotherhood. Life is the great principle in His Kingdom. Life must be fed, sustained. Jesus said to the man who professed he loved Him, "feed and shepherd my flock."

The great hymn, "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us" was then sung.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous day, both morning and afternoon, were read and approved.

Question No. 21—Question No. 21 was resumed with the calling of the name of Dr. J. W. Bergin who, after having his character passed, reported for the Waxahachie District and one by one the preachers of his District were called and their characters passed.

The name of J. H. Stewart of the Weatherford District was called, his character passed and he reported for his District followed the passing of the characters of his preachers, the completion of question 21

had been made.

Place of Meeting—"Where shall the next Conference be held" was asked and David Irvin nominated Hillsboro. Dr. F. P. Culver placed Corsicana in nomination. J. W. Fort and C. R. Wright seconded the nomination of Hillsboro. F. L. Meadow spoke favoring Hillsboro. F. P.

Culver withdrew his nomination and the decision to go to Hillsboro was made unanimous by the Conference.

Church Extension—Dr. T. D. Ellis, Secretary of the Board of Church Extension, addressed the Conference.

Constitutional Question—The Constitutional question regarding clerical and lay representation to the General Conference, in the event of transfer of the clerical or moving out of the Conference by the laity was explained by Bishop Moore and presented to the Conference for action. J. W. W. Shuler, E. Hightower and H. B. Henry spoke opposing the proposed amendment. J. W. Fort expressed himself favoring the amendment. The vote was taken; 227 votes being cast as follows:

41 for the amendment and 186 against it.

Delegate Seated—Sam Bird was seated in the Weatherford District delegation.

Orders and Membership—The continuation of the questions of orders and Conference membership were completed when Question 10 was answered as follows:

Chester Alexander Wilkerson from the Brownwood District recommendation was received from the Nazarene Church.

A. T. Plunkett, an elder from the Methodist Protestant Church, was recommended by the Fort Worth District and received.

Delegate Noted—Mrs. W. H. Coleman from the Brownwood District took her place in the Brownwood District's delegates.

Statistical Questions—Questions 24 to 42 inclusive were asked one by one and answers given by the statistical secretary as the condensed minutes will show.

Education Commission—The report of the Board of Educational Commission of Texas was presented to the Conference and Bishop Moore gave explanations of the Commission. F. P. Culver spoke also of the Commission and the report was accepted and referred to the Board of Education.

Westmoorland College-E. R. Stanford of Westmoorland College was introduced and spoke of the institution of which he is president.

Board of Missions—Report No. 1 of the Board of Missions was read by J. E. Crawford and Dr. J. W. Perry, Home Mission Secretary, spoke

briefly and the report was adopted as follows:

"We heartly endorse the plan of the General Board of Missions for holding a great International Missionary Conference at Memphis, Tenn., January 1-3, 1929. We recommend that as many of our preachers and laymen as possible attend this Conference. We nominate Dr. F. P. Culver as Conference director to promote attendance upon the Conference."

F. P. CULVER, Chairman. ROY A. LANGSTON, Secretary.

Christian Literature—The report of the Board of Christian Literature was read by J. M. Wynne. Under consideration of the report Dr. E. V. Cole, editor of the Texas Christian Advocate, addressed the Conference.

The report was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Dear Brethren: The report of Lamar and Whitmore, of our Publishing House, contains some interesting things. The total sales for the year ending February 29, 1928, amount to \$1,908,588.36, showing a net profit of \$130,586.45, an increase of \$12,194.75 in profits, over the preceding year. Our own house at Dallas sold \$498,835.87. We note that \$75,000.00 have been set aside for the Conference Claimants. Your Publishing House was never in better financial condition. They report that the Christian Advocate and the Methodist Quarterly Review have about the same circulation as last year.

We desire to call attention to the Department of Tracts at the Publishing House, Nashville, where free tracts on the doctrine, history, and policy of our Church may be had. Also tracts on evangelism and Christian stewardship, may be obtained free. These tracts are well written and of such brevity that the average person will read them, who will not read voluminous books. They may not add greatly to the knowledge of preachers, but they will save to Methodism many who will other wise drift from us. How can our people "both know and love the doctrines of our Church" when our preachers so rarely teach them from the pulpits or furnish them with the literature prepared to meet this demand? Is it a wonder that our people are blown about by "every wind of doctrine?"

Sunday School Literature

We have had no communication from the General Sunday School Board, however, the literature speaks for itself. There is no more marked progress in any activity of the Church than is found in the whole scope of our Sunday School policies—the literature for the Sunday School and that for Leadership Training.

The Texas Christian Advocate

The Editor of the Advocate, Dr. Cole, reports the best year, financially, in many years for the Advocate. There has been no material increase in its circulation, but there has been a much needed cleaning up of the subscription list. We regret that after the urgent calls of last year that there has been no great increase in subscriptions. It is little less than suicidal, denominationally, for our people to fail to include our religious press in their reading. Methodists have always been a reading people from John Wesley down, and we can ill afford to leave off this important matter in this day of frothy, poisonous literature.

The Diamond Jubilee

This next conference year is the seventy fifth birthday of the Advocate, and it is very fitting that we should celebrate this event by putting it in the homes of as many people as possible. The failure to materially increase its circulation has been attributed to lack of preparation before taking subscriptions. The claims of this periodical should be brought before our congregations at several services preceding the day set for the special effort to secure subscriptions. Our laymen who take and prize the Advocate can greatly help us by commending it to the people in short talks at these services.

To give definiteness to this work, we recommend that the first Sunday in January shall be the beginning of "The Diamond Jubilee Week", during which time we shall give this matter special attention. It is well for our preachers to remember that our success in this campaign will greatly enhance our work in carrying out the great programs of our Church. Our people must be cultivated before we have a right to expect

a great harvest in the Master's cause.

We desire to commend most heartily those in charge of the editorial departments of our Church Press for their bold- out-spoken, courageous policies during the recent campaign in which the moral and spiritual ideals for which we have fought so long were challenged by the most brazen, cunning advocates that the liquor interests ever had the effrontery to bring before the American public. We rejoice that the foundations have stood and that our press was not swayed by political history or questions of expediency.

E. HIGHTOWER, Chairman. J. M. WYNNE, Secretary.

Committee on Memoirs—Dr. Bishop nominated S. A. Ashburn as a Member of the Committee of Memoirs in place of E. F. Boone, deceased, and he was elected.

Southwestern University—Rev. King Vivion, president of Southwestern University, addressed the Conference on the work of this great historic institution.

Leave of Absence—A. C. Haynes was granted a leave of absence due to a death in his charge.

Board of Lay Activities—J. R. Edwards read the report of the Board of Lay Activities and it was adopted:

LAY ACTIVITIES

Dear Brethren:

We are gratified at the progress in lay activities throughout the Church the past year, as indicated especially in an increased payment of \$400,000 on the Benevolences, an enlarging interest in Christian Stewardship, and a growing spirit of brotherhood among the men of the Church. Inspired by this progress, we feel that our own Conference should enter the new year with the determination to go forward.

The Benevolences

We recognize the primary and fundamental importance of our base line work represented in the benevolences, and recommend that as soon as possible an educational campaign on these sacred claims be conducted in every local Church to be followed by an every member canvass to secure a contribution from every person that our churches make remittances to the Conference Treasurer monthly or at least quarterly; and that we set as our goal the payment of one half our assessments by the District Conference and the remainder in full by the Annual Conference.

Christian Stewardship

We desire to call attention to the fact that 1929 is to be a year of special emphasis upon Christian Stewardship, and that the College of

Bishops and every general agency in our Church are heartily backing the plan for such emphasis We recommend that a Stewardship Institute be held in each District and an intensive cultivation program be put on in each local Church in accordance with the Church-wide plans, especially that a strong Stewardship committee be organized and worked throughout the year in each church, and that it be backed by some good strong messages by the Pastor.

Laymen's Conference

We concur in the recommendation of the General Board that a Layman's Conference be held at Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Ark., August 10-14, 1929, and we accept our quota of 100 delegates.

The Brotherhood

Opportunity for fellowship, personal evangelism and various types of Christian activity for men is afforded in the Wesley Brotherhood. This is the one disciplinary organization of our Church for the promotion of men's work for men. We wish to call your attention to the fact that there are many Brotherhoods organized but not affiliated, and request that each Pastor use his influence to have his brotherhood secure a charter. The cost is nominal.

The Methodist Layman

The Methodist Layman, the official organ of the Boards of Lay Activities, deals with the practical issues and problems that confront our local Churches and relate to the every day lives of our people. It is also the Stewardship and Brotherhood Magazine of our Church The price of this monthly periodical is one dollar per year, or seventy-five cents for clubs of five or more. We recommend that the Lay Leader of each Church or an agent appointed by him make an earnest effort to circulate the Methodist Layman in his Church.

Laymen's Day

We concur in the recommendation of the General Board that the third Sunday in May be designated as "Laymen's Day" and that on this day a suitable program be carried out as far as possible in every church to acquaint our people with the purpose and work of lay activities, and we respectfully request the cooperation of our Presiding Elders and Pastors to this end

We nominate for Conference Lay Leader Mr. W. J. Baker.

Question 43 was ask and answered by W. J. Baker.

Commission on Benevolence—E. P. Williams read the report of the Commission on Benevolences. F. P. Culver spoke to the report and it was adopted as follows:

BENEVOLENCES

We your Commission on Benevolences report as follows:
During the past Conference year more than 100,000 pieces of literature on Missions and Stewardship have been distributed. The cost of this literature was met by appropriations made by the various Conference Boards. It is planned to continue this distribution of literature, such as shall be suitable for the Stewardship Campaign. If our people perish for lack of knowledge it will be their own fault. The fullest cooperation of all Pastors and charge lay leaders is desired that this literature shall be put into every Methodist home.

The following recommendations are made by your Commission:

1. That special emphasis be given to the benevolences at the first District Meeting in each Presiding Elder's District, and to this end that the Presiding Elder appoint a Pastor in advance to open the discussion.

2. That we strongly urge and strive to obtain the payment of one-half the assessments for the benevolences by the District Conference.

3. That we commend the movement inaugurated by the General Advisory Council on Benevolences to re-study the method of distributing the assessments with a view to securing the most equitable plan possible, and that we request the bishop to appoint a commission of three to make such study for the Central Texas Conference.

4. That we heartily endorse the observance of 1929 as Stewardship Year and cooperate to the fullest extent of our ability to make the Stewardship cultivation program effective in our Districts, charges,

Respectfully submitted,

and Churches.

F. P. CULVER, Chairman. E. P. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Sunday School—The Sunday school board read the report by its secretary, D. A. Chisholm and T. E. Bowman spoke to the report which was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

Déar Brethren:

We submit the following report of our year's work:

Because of the team work of our workers in the field and the cooperation of our Presiding Elders, Pastors, District officers and laymen, this year has been one of progress.

Our Financial Condition

The Board borrowed \$1,500.00. Because many of our Churches failed to remit a Sunday School Day offering, we have been handicapped. Without a larger appropriation than we have been getting, we can not do some important work the Board is now ready to do.

The Conference Program

A most excellent program of Religious Education has been carried forward in our Conference this year. The Board desires to continue this program through the coming year.

Evangelism

With a strong conviction that those who are brought to, and trained for Christ, in our Sunday Schools, become the best workers in the Kingdom of Christ, and remembering that more than 72 per cent of all who come to Christ come through our Sunday Schools, we insist that, as Pastors and Sunday School workers, we should emphasize evangelism in our Sunday Schools even more than we have ever emphasized it in our summer revival. The program of our General Sunday School Board on Evangelism is worthy of close study.

Elementary Work

We report progress in this work during the year, which was due to the work of our Elementary Superintendent, Mrs. C. W. Kent. More teachers have taken credit in Elementary development has been done.

We urge the study of our lesson materials; greater cooperation between parents and teachers; that every Elementary teacher take one of the new Materials and Methods courses; that the Closely Graded Literature be used where practicable and that the Uniform Group Lessons be used in smaller schools and that the Sunday Schools supply their Elementary workers with the Elementary Teacher.

Adolescent Work

We now have 235 Wesley Classes in our Adolescent group which signifies the efficient work of our Adolescent Superintendent, Mrs. A. W. Hall.

Adult Department

Fifty-four new Adult Wesley Bible Classes have been organized. Progress has been made in this department but the time is now here when greater emphasis should be placed upon the Adult work. We urge all our workers to keep in mind that the program of Evangelism in our Sunday Schools is not only for the children, but also for the Adults.

Home and Parent-Teacher Work

The good coming from this work justifies the belief that there are possibilities for much good in this department, hence, we urge our Pastors and other workers to give careful consideration to it.

Programs of Work

Much good has come from placing Programs of Work in each Sunday School. These give Sunday Schools the goals to attain. Every Sunday School that has accepted a Program of Work and has had it scored, has made progress. Hence, we urge all Pastors and Sunday School workers to get these Programs of Work.

Literature

We have had as one of our goals during the past year "Our Own Literature Used in Every Sunday School." We learn that our Conference is practically 100 per cont. ence is practically 100 per cent on the use of our own literature. The new Closely Graded Church School Courses are now introduced, resulting in favorable comments.

Special Days

1. A large number of our Sunday Schools remitted the first fifth Sunday offering for District work.

2. The importance of Decision Day was emphasized and the day

was largely observed.

The special evangelistic campaign as outlined by the General Board

was followed by a number of schools.

3. Sunday Schol Day was observed by 267 schools. The report of our treasurer shows that \$1,586.21 was remitted. 4. About 60 per cent of our Sunday Schols are observing Mis-

5. Promotion Day was observed by a large number of schools. sionary Day.

A number of schools observed Rally Day. 6. Many of our schools observed Training Day.

Some Results of the Year's Labors

We can not express all the results of the year's labors in figures,

but we mention these following results:

There have been 37 standard schools, 102 junior schools and training classes, 5,903 credits issued, 16 Cokesbury schools, 25 one teacher Cokesbury schools and local classes, 373 Cokesbury credits, one Cokesbury diploma, 280 incomplete diplomas, 91 blue seals, 41 gold seals, 2 Bible diplomas. The total number of training credits for the year is 6,273. Our fourth Sunday offerings are taking care of our Dual Extension work.

Recommendations

We wish to make the following recommendations.

I. Organization.

That the Conference staff be composed of the following officers: (a) Conference Superintendent, (b) Extension Secretary, (c) Elementary Superintendent and (d) Adolescent Superintendent.

2. That there be held a Conference Sunday School Council Meeting,

soon after the meeting of the General Sunday School Council, for laying

definite plans for the year, and that, in connection with the Conference Council, meetings of the District Superintendents and District Secreta-

ries be held for planning a uniform program.

3. That each District have the following organization: (a) District Superintendent, (b) Extension Secretary, (c) Leadership Training Superintendent, (d) Elementary Superintendent, (e) Adolescent Superintendent and (f) Adult Superintendent. These officers to be selected by the Conference staff and the Presiding Elder.

II. Wesley Bible Classes

That we set a goal of 200 new Wesley Bible Classes.

2. That our Pastors, superintendents and teachers organize these classes.

3. That an effort be made to get all Wesley Classes to make annual report to the Department at Nashville.

III. Special Days

1. That National Prohibition Day be observed on the second Sun-

day in January.
2. That the first fifth Sunday offering in the year be sent to the District Superintendent. If preferred, a District may adopt some other plan of financing its work.

3. That Decision Day be observed in our Sunday Schools on Palm

Sunday, or at any appropriate time.

- 4. (a) That Sunday School Day be observed on the third Sunday in April, or as near thereto as practicable. (b) That the total amount of the offering equal at least ten cents per member. (c) That the Conference Sunday School Board furnish free of charge suitable Sunday School Day programs.
- 5. That Promotion Day be observed on the last Sunday in September and that the week following be observed as Childhood and Youth Week, culminating in Rally Day the first Sunday in October.

6. That our Pastors be urged to observe Training Day, as contemplated by the Program of Work.

7. That Missionary Day be observed on the fourth Sunday.

IV. Memebrship Campaign

That a membership campaign be conducted in every school.

That we adopt as a goal a 10 per cent increase in the mem-2.

bership.

The Board requests Bishop Moore to appoint Rev. G. A. Schlueter as Conference Superintendent of Sunday School Work and Rev. J. B. Curry as Dual Extension Secretary of Sunday School Work and Superintendent of Missionary Education.

The Board elected Mrs. R. O. Sory, Conference Elementary Superintendent, and Mrs. A. W. Hall, Conference Adolescent Superintendent.

We express to the members of the Conference our appreciation of their interest in the Sunday School program, and we ask for continued cooperation in our work for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,
T. E. BOWMAN, Chairman. D. A. CHISHOLM, Secretary.

Afternoon Session-The session of the Conference was ordered for 2 p. m.

Members of Education Commission-F. P. Culver moved that nomination of the members of the Education Commission be referred to the Board of Education which was ordered.

Announcements-Various announcements were made and in these Dr. J. W. Perry was announced to speak at 7:30 p. m.

Adjournment—The Doxology was sung and the Benediction was pronounced by Rev. King Vivion.

FOURTH DAY-SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Opening—At the call of the Bishop of the Conference assembled at 2 p. m. after singing, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord". The Conference was led in prayer by Rev. C. E. Lindsey.

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

W. H. Matthews—Rev. J. H. Stewart reported that Dr. W. H. Matthews, who was sick, was improving, according to the report of attending physicians.

Transferred—J. T. Wilson, an elder from the North Texas Conference, was announced as transferred in.

Alternate Seated—Miss Fannie Noah was seated in place of R. F. Beard from the Weatherford District.

Benevolent Assessments—Bishop Moore appointed as the Committee on Benevolent Assessment to study the distribution of assessments, E. P. Williams, W. W. Ward, M. M. Chunn.

Epworth League—S. L. Culwell read the report of the Epworth League Board which was adopted as follows:

EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD

Dear Brethren:

We your Epworth League Board submit the following report:

The year just closing has been a most successful one in League work. We are glad to report at this time 220 Senior Epworth Leagues, 78 Epworth Hi Leagues and 116 Epworth Junior Societies or a total of 414 chapters within the bounds of the Central Texas Conference

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During the year 15 Standard Epworth League Institutes have been held. A total of more than 1200 credits have been awarded including those received at Mt. Sequoyah Assembly. The Central Texas Conference leads the entire Church in the number having completed the training work of the Epworth League and received the entire 26 credits.

Summer Assembly

We wish to speak especially of the Summer Assembly held at T. W. C. in July. This Assembly has become a vital and necessary part of the League program of this Conference. From every standpoint it is one of the greatest League Assemblys in the South. At this Assembly alone 617 credits were awarded this year.

Financial Report

The financial report of the League shows some improvement over preceding years. The Conference Epworth League adopted the unized budget program and raised during their League year from July, 1927, to July, 1928, for Misions, \$3,067, Conference work \$1,800, the Assembly receipts were \$2,957, Mt. Sequoyah Epworth League building \$494.00, for Anniversary Day \$503. A total of \$11,505.00 was raised by the League for all purposes. The most disappointing part of this financial report is that of the Anniversary Day offering. We regret to report that only 98 of the Pastors of this Conference complied with the requirement of the Discipline and observed League Anniversary Day with an offering.

Executive Secretary

We again call attention to the very fine work being done in this Conference by the Rev. J. D. F. Williams, our Executive Secretary. We are proud of the fact that the efficiency of our Field Secretary is such

that he is in demand throughout the Church for Assemblies and Institutes as an Epworth League Expert. We ask that the Bishop re-appoint him as assistant to the General Secretary of the Epworth League Board.

League Calendar

We wish to call special attention to the following calendar or program for the coming year. This year the emphasis in the devotional meetings is to be placed upon social service. A most inspiring and comprehensive series of devotional topics have been worked out with Luke 4th Chapter, 16 to 22 verses, as the scriptural basis. Other items of special interest to be observed by all Leagues in co-operation with the Pastors are:

The Corporate Communion service observed by all League chapters,

north and south on December 2nd.

The young peoples revival held in October and corresponding with "win-my-chum-week" of the Methodist Episcopal League.

Participation in the special period of missionary cultivation in

January and February.

The observance of the Harry Hughes memorial service on Sunday

preceding the summer Assembly.

And finally we most earnestly urge all pastors and workers who are interested in the training and development of the young life of the Church join with us in an effort to bring about a better observance of Epworth League Anniversary Day as required by the discipline and which is so vital to the very life of our organized League work in this Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

T. EDGAR NEAL, President. S. L. CULWELL, Secretary.

Temperance and Social Service-P. L. Shuler read the report of Temperance and Social Service which was adopted viz:

REPORT OF BOARD OF TEMPERANCE AND SOCIAL SERVICE

To the Bishop and members of the Central Texas Conference in session at Ranger, November 17, 1928.

Dear Brethren: We your board of Temperance and Social Service beg leave to submit the following report:

We have received a gratifying report from the C. C. Young Memorial Home for old ladies. The home at present is caring for twenty inmates, its capacity due to a special arrangement with our hospital, by which, the land on which the home is located will be paid for.

With ample facilities for caring for sixty inmates, soon available, we are looking to a decided increase in the service rendered by this in-

stitution of our church.

The cost of maintaining the home during the past year was \$6,659.00, an average of 79 cents per day per person. Of this sum our Conference paid \$357,00. Although five of the inmates of the home came from our own Conference, only twenty-five charges in the Conference contributed to the support of the home last year. We urge that some suitable day in the month of June be observed as memorial to this home, and that a free will offering be taken for its support; and further urge that our pastors and people give their support to this cause.

We are glad to report that the San Antonio Mission Home and Training School is now contemplating an enlarged program to the end, that even greater service may be rendered in the future than is found in its past record. We recommend the appropriation of \$2,500.00 for the coming year for this institution.

3.

The Board reaffirms its conviction that in a Christian community, the relation between the white and colored races should be characterized by justice and good will. We wish to approve any movement favorable to the betterment of the colored race.

4.

We recognize the benefits of the moving picture when properly handled. We also commend every effort on the part of the moving picture industry towards proper reforms.

However, in the hands of an unscrupulous combination of capital, the moving picture is a menace to the morals of our youth. Much of our crime wave is traceable to this source. What enters the mind through the eye or ear, makes the same impression on the moral nature.

Youths have seen on the canvass immoral and criminal acts committed, until they have concluded they can do the same things. We urge our people to guard against the promiscuous and constant patronage of the movies by children and young people.

5.

We wish to voice our disapproval of those amusements that are unedifying. We believe that the church owes a duty to our day, not simply in condemning the wordly in its pleasures and social life, but in substitution for the objectionable pleasures and social activities that are wholesome.

6.

The friends of the outlawed liquor traffic have been calling for a referendum on our prohibition laws. In the recent National election they had this referendum. We urge both pastors and lay members to see that this mandate from the electorate is put squarely up to the officers, and a demand be made that they honestly and vigorously enforce these laws.

Prohibition is the child of the church. The politician may regard it as a political question. The social worker may regard it a social question. The Economist may regard it an economic question, but to the church it is a moral question.

We desire to most heartily commend the ministry and membership not only of our own church, but of all the Protestant Evangelical Denominations of our State and Nation, and all others, who rallied to the call of principle in the recent conflict. To them is due the victory, in them rests the security of the 18th Amendment to our constitution.

In this connection we desire to voice a vigorous protest at the unfair treatment of the moral forces of this State and Nation by a large part of our daily press, in the recent moral battle. The result of that conflict proves conclusively that the moral forces are in the ascendency in this State and Nation, and therefore, are entitled to proper recognition.

In the campaign just concluded the Anti-Saloon League and the Women's Christian Temperance Union rendered signal service.

We recommend to the Bishop and Cabinet the apointment of Rev. Atticus Webb as superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas.

We believe now that our best contribution to the absolute overthrow of the liquor traffic in America, is to be found in the preaching and teaching of temperance.

Respectfully submitted,

M. A. TURNER, President. P. L. SHULER, Secretary.

San Antonio Rescue Home—M. A. Turner presented the request of the West Texas Conference to make sale and re-locate certain property of the San Antonio Resuce Home which was granted.

Presence Noted-Judge E. R. Bryan from the Weatherford District was noted as present.

Conference Treasurer—The Conference Treasurer's report was filed

for record as follows:

Treasurer reports amount collected for General Work, For Conference Work, \$496,623.33. Total \$162,854.12. "Your Treasurer Which is 82.33% of the total assessments against 80.2.... collected last year."

Respectfully submitted, GEO. E. JÉSTER, Conf. Treas.

Orphanage-The Orphanage Board report was read by J. Fred Patterson and it was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF ORPHANAGE BOARD

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

We submit the following report: We have had before us the Auditor's Annual report recently submitted to the General Board of Managers, which report shows that the management maintains its usual high standard of efficiency and of commendable economy. But it also discloses the fact that the receipts for

the year have been less than those of last year by nearly \$6,000.00 From the \$108.689.91 received this year substantial payments have been made on the debt that was incurred more than two years ago in building and repairing, and the balance has been used for current expenses.

There are now about 375 children in the Home, about the same as at this time last year, and as many as there is room for. Many are being turned away for the lack of room. One hundred and twenty were turned away in fifteen days in the month of August of this year.

The health of the children has been fine, only one death occurring during the year, which is the sixteenth during the entire history of the

Orphanage.

The children are all in school, ranging from the kindergarten to the city high school, from which fifteen graduated this year. More than half of the graduates of this year are now in higher institutions of learning, some of whom are taking business courses. With but few exceptions the children from the Home make good when they go out to take their places in the different vocations of life. Not one of them, so far as is known to the management, has ever become a criminal, or in any way reflected discredit upon the Home.

The General Board of Managers, after careful consideration of the needs of the institution, request that the churches give \$150,000 for their Christmas offering this year, being the same as requested last year. We recommend that this amount be set as the minimum goal of the five patronising conferences, and we pledge our best efforts to raise

our part of the same. We recommend that the third and fourth Sundays in December be observed as Orphanage Sundays and that on one or both of these Sundays in all the stations, and the two following Sundays also on circuits if needed, be used for the purpose of raising our Orphanage colections, and that all our members and the friends of our church be given an opportunity of making an offering to this worthy cause.

We recommend the reappointment of Rev. W. T. Gray as field

We recommend the Secretary of the Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. COWAN, Chairman. J. FRED PATTERSON, Secretary.

Committee on Conference Relations-The Committee on Conference Relations read the report which was adopted as follows:

CONFERENCE RELATION

We recommend the following for the supernumerary relation: T. W. Ellis, C. S. Field, S. P. Gilmore, W. G. Gwaltney.

For Superannuate relation: H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, J. M. For Superannuate relation: H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, J. M. McCarter, J. V. Millis, C. V. Oswalt, J. J. Rape, E. M. Sweet, E. B. Chenworth, 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, G. W. Kincheloe, J. B. R. Hall, R. C. Armstrong, J. F. Tyson, R. L. Reese, C. W. Daniel, Horace Bishop, W. H. Doss, W. L. Nelms, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H. Braswell, W. H. Vaughn, A. P. Lipscomb, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, M. K. Little, W. B. Wilson, J. S. Bowles, J. W. Patison, S. R. Sawyer, J. T. Bloodworth, M. M. Smith, P. W. Layne, M. S. Hotchkiss, A. T. Culbertson, W. A. Neill, J. W. Holt, Carbon; W. H. Keener, Ennis; J. M. Armstrong, Salado; W. Vinsant, Waco; R. B. Young, Coleman; W. N. Curry, Mansfield; D. L. Collie, Fort Worth; J. R. Morris, W. Griffith, J. D. Ramsey. GEO. F. KORNEGAY, President HORACE POTEET, Secretary.

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We recommend the names of B. S. Crow and W. W. Noble for superannuate relation.

> W. A. CLARK, President, Pro-tem. HORACE POTEET, Secretary.

Board of Finance-C. N. Morton read the report of the Board of Finance which was adopted and reads:

BOARD OF FINANCE

Dear Brethren:

Your Board of Finance submits the following report:

We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$225.00, the Board of Education \$235.00, the Board of Church Extension \$140.00, and the Sunday School Board \$120.00 for the printing of the Conference

We ask that the assessment for this Board for the ensuing year be fixed at \$32,000.00.

We have received from all sources during the past year sums as follows:

From	the	Publishing House	3 000 00 00 000 8
r rom	tne	General Board of Finance	9 440 95
From	the	Conference Treasurer approximately	247.35

A number of our Claimants are in a position to waive their claims in favor of more needy claimants which explains why no amounts are

written after their names in the printed journal.

After a careful consideration of all the facts available in each individual case the Board has appropriated the following amounts to the claimants for the ensuing year.

J. M. Armstrong, 43 \$400	A. T. Culbertson, 25	
it. O. Almstrong, 94	W N Curry 25	200
morace Dishop, 31	W H Doge 44	440
3. 1. Diouworth, 57	C W Deniel 40	400
3. D. Dowies, 37	B A Evene 15	
3. 11. Draswell, 35	N H: Gardner 90	900
E. C. Chenoweth, 21	W A Gilliland 97	400
D. L. Come, 56	J () Gore 16	0.40
W. H. Crawford, 35 440	J. R. B. Hall, 11	260

I. F. Harris, 24	80	Mrs. C. E. Brown, 34	
W. H. Harris, 32 10	00	Mrs. R. F. Brown, 22	300
I W. Head. 33	20	Mrs. J. J. Calloway, 24	240
H. B. Henry, 34 35	20	Mrs. J. J. Canafax, 18	300
J. W. Holt, 41	40	Mrs. G. F. Campbell, 13	60
M S Hotchkiss, 48 4	40	Mrs. J. Fred Cox, 28	120
W. H. Keener, 19	60	Mrs. E. V. Cox, 27	60
G. W. Kincheloe, 27 4	20	Mrs. J. J. Davis, 15	240
J. W. Lavne, 13 1	40	Mrs. J. W. Dickenson, 12	100
A. C. Lackey, 8 2	00	Mrs. J. B. Dodson	200
A P. Linscomb, 18 1	40	Mrs. J. W. Downs, 20	
M. K. Little, 43	80	Mrs. J. Duncan, 22	240
C. W. Macune, 15 2	60	Mrs C E Gallagher, 10	220
J. M. McCarter, 31 3	860	Mrs. R. V. Galloway, 32	240
J. M. McCarter, 31	200	Mrs. R. V. Galloway, 32 Mrs. G. W. Graves, 27	
F. L. McGehee, 21	500	Mrs. J. Haralson, 29	240
V J. Millis. 29	220	Mrs. W. H. Howard, 32	300
M. M. Morphis, 18	320	Mrs. E. T. Harrison, 7	200
W. A. Neill, 17	300	Mrs. C. D. Jordan, 15	240
W I. Nelms 43	360	Mrs. B. H. Kennedy, 4	240
C. V. Oswaldt, 34	140	Mrs. W. J. Lemmons, 25 Mrs. W. F. Lloyd, 34	300
I W Patison, 30 4	160	Mrs. W. F. Lloyd, 34	240
N. J. Peeples, 20	380	Mrs. M. H. Major, 26	300
J. D. Ramsey	340	Mrs. E. J. Maxwell, 19	300
J. R. Morris	400	Mrs. N. M. McLaughlin, 5	
Walter Griffith		Mrs. J. C. Mayhew, 3	
J. G. Pollard, 20	400	Mrs. J. E. Montgomery, 4	180
J. J. Rape, 18	160	Mrs. W. H. Moss, 4	60
R. L. Reese, 19	400	Mrs. J. R. Nelson, 36	
C. Rowland, 16	180	Mrs. F. P. Ray, 17	
S. B. Sawyer, 32	400	Mrs. P. M. Riley, 16	200
M. M. Smith, 35	440	Mrs. L. G. Rogers, 28	. 240
H. P. Shrader, 29	440	Mrs. W. Simpson	
C. E. Statham, 35	440	Mrs. A. C. Smith, 11	200
B. A. Snoddy, 18	420	Mrs. A. P. Smith, 20	140
E M Sweet 19	400	Mrs. E. A. Smith, 43	100
E. M. Sweet, 19	440	Mrs. D. C. Stark, 32	. 120
W. H. Vaughan, 44		Mrs. J. H. Trimble, 22 Mrs. J. S. Tunnell, 29	
W. Vinsant, 20	440	Mrs. J. S. Tunnell, 29	. 180
J. E. Walker, 37	440	Mrs. N. W. Turner, 9	-
W. B. Wilson, 36	360	Mrs. N. W. Turner, 9 Mrs. O. B. Turner, 9	. 240
R. B. Young, 31	440	Mrs. K. S. Vanzandt, 35	. 240
		Mrs. S. J. Vaughan, 32	300
WIDOWS		Mrs. J. A. Walkup, 33	. 120
Mrs. J. W. Adkisson, 10	240	Mrs. J. A. Whitehurst, 36	. 400
Mrs. B. F. Alsup, 33	240	Mrs. G. D. Wilson, 32	. 240
Mrs. T. S. Armstrong, 35	200	Mrs. J. H. Wiseman, 26	. 240
Mrs. S. C. Baird, 30	500	ORPHANS	
Mrs. J. M. Barcus, 42	300	Holt Andrews, age 19	. 120
Mrs. N. B. Bennett, 16	100	Miss Mattie Gaskell, age 82	
Mrs. J. B. Berry, 25 Mrs. J. M. Bond, 24	300	Mary McSwain, age 17	. 120
Mrs. J. H. Bowman, 22	200	Frank Harris, age 17	. 120
MITS. J. II. DOWINAII, 22	400		
		J. W. W. SHULER, Chairma	n.
,		C. N. MORTON, SecTreas.	

District Conference Records—The report on District Conference records was read by A. C. Carraway as follows and was adopted:

COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS

We, your committee, submit the following report:

Nine of the districts submitted their record books for examination. The Brownwood District's records were not submitted. The records examined by the committee were all typewritten, well kept, and in good condition. We wish to call attention to the fact that several of the districts have secured new District Conference Record Books during the past year, these being of the loose leaf type. The Corsicana District deserves special mention both for the type of record book secured and the manner of recording.

O. H. DONAHUE, Chairman. A. C. CARRAWAY, Secretary.

Sabbath Observance—W. J. Hearon read the report on Sabbath Observance which was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE Dear Brethren:

Your committee submits the following report:

One of the most alarming situations of this confused and restless age is the growing disregard for the Sabbath with its attendant evils, and in this, there is peril to all our sacred institutions of church, home and country.

To be sure, some of this disregard has grown out of the changing economic conditions and the social and economic demands of our day, and therefore, we must approach some questions that arise sanely and justly. Always, we must approach the subject from the standpoint that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath.

Therefore, we have the Sabbath because it meets the physical, mental, social and spiritual needs of humanity. Sabbath observance is vitally related to church attendance, is vitally related to religion and worship in the home. Vitally related to the physical and religious life of the individual, affording opportunity for rest, meditation and worship.

While it is difficult to secure enactment of altogether suitable laws, also true it is difficult to get our inadequate laws enforced, because officers excuse themselves on the ground that public opinoin will not endorse strict enforcement of Sabbath laws. But surely there is no debate among us, as to our duty to secure adequate law for the preservation of our American Sabbath and our duty to secure the enforcement of all laws.

May we be reminded that the mere reading and adopting a report on Sabbath Observance is futile and useless unless there is conviction on the part of the ministry and membership that there is real peril in the loose observance of the Sabbath that seems to prevail everywhere, a menace to the higher needs of humanity.

And may we ask our Presiding Elders in planning their district programs to give the question of Sabbath Observance prominent place. Also that our League and Sunday School Conferences and institutes give due emphasis to Sabbath Observance.

Respectfully submitted.

W. J. HEARON, Secretary.

Conference Auditor—F. L. Turner read his report on Conference Auditing which was received and filed as follows:

REPORT OF CONFERENCE AUDITOR

Dear Brethren:

I submit the report of your Conference Auditor.

The accounts of the Central Texas Conference have been submitted to me by its treasurer, Mr. Geo. E. Jester, for auditing. I have checked

same carefully, and have found them to be correct, accurate and prop-

erly balanced.

I have also checked the accounts of Judge W. A. Tarver, Treasurer, Central Texas Conference Entertainment Fund; Mr. J. C. Kuhlmann, Treasurer, Central Texas Conference Epworth League Board; and Mr. John C. Taylor, Treasurer, Mission Fund, Conference Sunday School Parad and have found them to have been faithfully and accurately kent Board, and have found them to have been faithfully and accurately kept. Respectfully submitted,

FRANK L. TURNER, Auditor, Central Texas Conference.

Mount Sequoyah-The Advisory Committee's report on Mt. Sequoyah was read by E. W. Bridges, Some discussion made and it was adopted as follows:

REPORT OF THE MT. SEQUOYAH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

This committee is composed of representatives of our Conference Boards: F. E. Singleton, of the Board of Missions; E. W. Bridges, of the Sunday School Board: W. H. Cole, of the Board of Education! J. A. Siceloff, of the Epworth League Board; Geo. W. Barcus, of the Layman's Board; Atticus Webb, of the Temperance Board.

The committee met and organized by electing F. E. Singleton,

Chairman and E. W. Bridges, Secretary.

After hearing the report of the Board of Trustees of Mt. Sequoyah, we found that the past season was the best in the history of the Aszembly. Our Assembly has grown to such proportions that it is touching the entire Methodism of five of our great States west of the Mississippi River: Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas and Missouri, and has grown from a beginning of nothing up to an institution with an estimated value of \$200,000.00. Hundreds of our leaders attend the assembly each year for training and return to our church better prepared to render a larger service. Thus far, our Conference has never been called upon to render an assessment, nor has it been called upon to give any financial help. We now feel it the duty of our Conference to lend a helping hand to this, our worthy institution. We, therefore, recommend that the second Sunday in January be designated as Mt. Sequoyah Day and that at the morning service each pastor present the opportunities and needs of this assembly to his people and ask that they make a free will offering, this amount to be sent to S. M. Yancy, superintendent

of Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Ark.
We also request that the following be reelected as trustees of our Western Methodist Assembly for the coming year: R. G. Boger, W. W.

Ward, W. H. Coleman.

We request that the Mt. Sequoyah Advisory Committee be made a permanent committee to look after the interest of this Conference regarding our Western Methodist Assembly.

FRANK E. SINGLETON, Chairman. E. W. BRIDGES, Secretary.

Board of Education—J. S. Cook read the Board of Education report and E. B. Hawk and O. F. Sensabaugh spoke to the report and it was adopted:

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Dear Brethren:

Your Board of Education desires to submit a report as follows: Representatives of our Educational Institutions and Commissions have appeared before us, and made their reports and requests. The reports have been listened to with interest, and we find many reasons for rejoicing.

Educational Institutions

The Southern Methodist University, Texas Woman's College, Weatherford Junior College, and the Wesley Bible Chair, each furnished us with a written report, which gave us a full and clear account of their activities, their present outlook, and their plans for the future. Southern Methodist University, Southwestern University and Weatherford Junior College each furnished an audit, prepared by a certified public accountant. The great problem of your Board is to furnish these institutions with adequate funds. In this connection, we beg to state that we regret that no definite steps were taken at this session to place before the Conference the needs of these various institutions. We restricted the statement mode last year that we believe as how desired the restrictions. affirm the statement made last year that we believe an hour during the session should be devoted to the cause of education.

Recommendations for Appointment

We	r	ecommend	the	following	appointments:
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President Texas Woman's College	Dom II D G
Professor in Texarkana Junior College	Charles D
Student in Yale University Student in Southern Methodist University.	Dr. C. M. Bishop
Conference Secretary of Education.	C. A. Norcross
Students in Southern Methodist University	Dr. U. F. Sensabaugh
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Nomination of Trustees and Others

Southwestern University-Dr. E. Hightower, Dr. C. R. Wright, F. F. Downs.

Texas Woman's College—Marvin D. Evans, W. J. Bailey, William Massey, Judge I. H. Burney, Max Bergman.

Members Education Commission of Texas-Dr. F. P. Culver, C. F.

Weatherford Junior College—E. Hightower, D. D., A. D. Portor, D. D., A. W. Hall, J. H. Stewart, H. F. Leach, H. B. Furr, W. W. Mc-

Crary, E A. Camp, I. M. Gardner, George Fant, G. A. Holland, E. P. Western Methodist Assembly—R. G. Boger, W. W. Ward, W. H. Coleman, D. D.

Commissioners Wesley Foundation—C. H. Booth, D. D., C. S. Wright, D. D.

Board of Managers, Texas Pastors' School, S. M. U.—C. R. Wright, D., A. D. Porter, D. D.

Board of Managers, Texas Pastors' School, S. U.-L. L. Evans, G. A. Schlueter.

Delegates to Educational Association-L. L. Evans, W. A. Tarver. Representative to Conference on Religion and Education, Junalaska-R. W. Tinsley.

Board Representative in the Conference for Conference on Religion and Education-H. L. Munger.

Twenty-five dollars was appropriatel for the expenses of the Con-

Twenty dollars was appropriated to assist in paying for bond of

Conference Treasurer.

At the request of Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh, Commissioner of School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, the following resolutions were passed: That we heartily endorse the program outlined by the Board of Trustees of Southern Methodist University for the enlargement of the School of Theology. School of Theology. Furthermore, that pending the securing of the

endowed scholarships, we approve the policy of asking each Presiding Elder's district to furnish at least \$200.00 per annum for the support of

The Board decided to amend the regulation requiring an auditor's report from our institutions by adding "this report must be in the hands of our auditor, Rev. J. S. Cook, thirty days before the meeting of the Annual Conference."

ASSESSMENTS

We recommend the following assessments:	\$8.774.00
Southern Methodist University	8,774.00
Southwestern University	8,774.00
Texas Woman's College	6.500.00
Weatherford Junior College	300.00
Pastors' School, S. M. C.	300.00
Pastors' School, S. M. U Pastors' School, S. U Wesley Bible Chair.	1,210.00
Wesley Bible Chair	750.00
Printing and other Expenses	
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Meridian Junior College was sold in January, 1927 to satisfy the Sons of Herman, who had loaned money to the institution. The last Commencement Exercises were held May 20, 1927. There were 135 students in attendance during its last year of activity, 22 of these being seniors. The records of all literary credits and financial records are held by the County Tax Colector in his office in the Courthouse of Bosque County, Meridian, Texas.

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Weatherford College	8,210.00
Texas Woman's College	-7.190.00
Southern Methodist University (Pastor's School)	2450.00
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Southwestern University, (Pastors' School)	245.00
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A. and M. College Wesley Debt Fund	
Wesley Bible Chair	
H. B. Furr, Expenses to Educational Conv	79.74
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SUPPLEMENT REPORT FOR LAST YEAR

Board of Finance—C. N. Morton read an additional report of the Board of Finance which reads:

"We recommend that the Board of Missions be assessed \$102.00, Board of Church Extension \$52.00, Board of Education \$93.00 and the Sunday School Board \$48.00 for the preservation of the archives of the Conference as ordered by the Conference, conforming to the proposition submitted by the secretary."

J. W. W. SHULER, Chairman, C. N. MORTON, Secretary.

Church Extension—J. J. Creed read the report of Church Extension and it was adopted as follows:

REPORT BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

Dear Brethren:

We are happy to say to you that the reports show a healthy interest in the improvement of church property. Not so many new buildings are being enterprised as formerly perhaps but quite a great deal is being done in the matter of debt paying. This is well and it might not be amiss to sound a note of warning against imperiling our property with embarrassing debts.

Our Loan Fund is now \$23,736.03 of which amount, \$17,027.34 is outstanding. In almost every instance, the interest on these loans is paid up to date due to the efficient and persistent methods of the General Board. The Loan Fund is not being increased appreciably because the brethren ask for donations rather than loans. We recommend that wherever it will at all suffice the requests be for loans.

Much greater care should be exercised in the preparation of the application blanks. In many instances it is impossible to arrive at the intelligent idea of the merits of the case because the facts asked for are not written into the application. We are persuaded that this results from carelessness more than anything else but it is fatal to the successful service of your board.

After studying your askings carefully for three days, we have made the following grants:

Donations to Churche	es	Loans to Parsonages
Boulevard\$	500.00	
Clay Avenue	500.00	Coolidge Circuit 350.00
Emhouse	200.00	350.00
Everman		
Glenwood	200.00	Total Loans\$ 350.00
Cadlar	500.00	Ф.000.00
Godley	350.00	
Millsap	200.00	
New Hope	100.00	Indiana I Trea
Oswalt Chapel	250.00	Incidental Disbursements
Purvia	250.00	
Roane		Overdraft\$ 28.50
		Tollow's Dand
Donations to Parsonag	res	Teller's Bond 11.25
Coolidge Circuit	100.00	Delegate's Expense 100.00
College Weights	100.00	Lav Literature
College Heights	300.00	Lay Literature
Cranfills Gap	200.00	Printing Minutes 140.00
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		Balance in Loan Fund\$8,658.69
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	Ţ.	P. WILLIAMS, President.
	υ.	J. CREED, Secretary
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American Bible Society—J. D. Smoot read the report of the American Bible Society which was adopted:

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Dear Fathers and Fellow Workers:

We report for the American Bible Society another year of substantial progress in the three-fold service of the translation, publication and distribution of the Scriptures without note or comment and without

Officials of the Bible Society are jubilant over the fact that in 1927 the number of volumes distributed was 10,034.797 for the world, 5.755.251 of that number was distributed in the United States. Since the organization of the Society, 112 years ago 194,063,757 volumes have been distributed. When it is remembered that this vast showing of the Word of God, is done in co-operation with the Home and Foreign Mission Boards of the Protestant Churches of America, the worth of the American Bible Society in the evangelization of the world seems im-

In Latin America, in the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands, in the Far East, as well as in the Near East, doors are more and more opening to the entrance of God's Word. Some have feared that the New China now emerging from civil strife would revolt against the Christian religion, but not so. China is calling for our Bibles faster than we can

The most striking event of the year in the home land has been the supply of Mississippi flood sufferers with Scriptures. A major portion of this noteworthy service fell to the lot of the Southwestern Agency, of which your conference is a part. In the flood area of Arkansas and Louisiana we distributed to flood sufferers 2,500 Bibles, 7,141 Testaments, and 28,026 gospels. These books were outright donations, for they went to people who had not only lost their Bibles, but nearly everything they possessed. This work was highly appreciated by state and county officials, as well as by the pastors and members of the churches involved. A significant fact in connection with this event is that numerous Roman Catholics who had never before read the Bible gladly received and appreciated the Book.

We beg that pastors preach a sermon each year upon the Bible, calling attention to the work of the American Bible Society. There is a general feeling throughout the church that there is need for a genuine revival of religion. It will come through a prayerful searching of the

Fraternally yours, Holy Scriptures.

W. N. BYRD, President.
J. D. SMOOT, Secretary.

Trustees of Superannuate Homes-G. W. Shearer submitted the report of the trustees of Superannuate Homes which was adopted and

reads:

The Board of Trustees of Superannuate Homes met in regular session November 15. Rev. W. B. Andrews, Superintendent of the Homes, submitted a good report. Through the untiring efforts of our very efficient agent \$3,155.70 has been collected from various sources during the year. Two thousand dollars of this money was placed to the credit of the agent for salary and expenses, and the balance used in the upkeep of the homes. There is a small balance of \$181.04 in the treasury.

The Home in Hico has been sold during the year and the proceeds are being used to repair the buildings held by your Board for the use

of the worn-out preachers and their dependents.

We recommend that Dr. W. B. Andrews be appointed to serve in the capacity of agent for another year.

Respectfully submitted,

L. A. WEBB, President. GEO. W. SHEARER, Secretary.

Spiritual State of th Church-Mrs. W. L. Tibbs read the report of the Spiritual State of the Church as follows:

SPIRITUAL STATE OF THE CHURCH

Dear Brethren:

We submit the following report:

The state of the church cannot be accurately described under one characterization. Nor does the description of one class apply to all the membership of the church. There are many things which are grounds for thanksgiving. Buildings and material equipment surpass all other years.

Progress in Sunday School Training is gratifying. The Epworth League has made progress. The Woman's Missionary Society has had a great Jubilee year. Financial support of the church and its work has been encouraging. The increase in membership is a cause for great

thanksgiving.

On the other hand there are things which should give the church deep concern. Many love wordly pleasures more than they love the church. They seek pleasure until they have little devotion for the church. The percentage of church attendance is far too small. While many study God's Word earnestly, there seems too many more read the Bible very little. We believe the study of God's Word ought to be on the increase; through the Bible Study Classes of the Woman's Missionary Society, Epworth Leagues, Sunday School Training Classes and the Ministry of the Pulpit. Many of our people make little effort to remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.

These things and others are symptoms of a condition. The basic wrong is the failure to put God first in the heart and life. Much of the ineffectiveness of preaching is due to the fact: we under estimate

the power of sin, we underestimate the power of the Cross.

This Thanksgiving season should be a call to Thanksgiving and Prayer and a return to a ministry of unending and unceasing passion for souls. We call upon all the agencies of the church to aim toward the consummation of their programs in the light of the possibility of a glorious era of Spiritual Prosperity.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. S. COOK, Chairman. MRS. W. L. TIBBS, Secretary.

Board of Missions-R. A. Langston read report No. 2 of the Board of Missions which was adopted as follows:

BOARD OF MISSIONS REPORT NO. 2

We, your Board of Missions, submit this as our Report No. 2: Your Board comes to this Conference with a mingled sense of gratitude and disappointments. Of gratitude for the fine co-operation that has been shown by the Presiding Elders, Pastors and laymen in the work done.

Your Board had the pleasure of having before it Dr. J. W. Perry of the General Board, who brings us a word concerning the general missionary situation of the Church. Dr. Perry informs us that while the General Board is hopeful and it is believed that the continuation of our constructive program of Missionary Education is to bear untold offerings to the Church, the Missionary Special will perhaps fall \$100, 000.00 short of last year.

In our own Conference the year started off with a tide of missionary enthusiasm. The District Missionary Institutes, which marked the opening of the January-February cultivation period, were well attended. Orders for books and literature to be used in the campaign far exceeded that of last year. We have no way of knowing how faithfully this literature was used. Neither do we know how faithfully the Churches put on the every-member canvass, but this we do know, that the results financially from our Conference are disappointing to us and fall some \$6,777.00 below the figures of last year. Fifty-eight charges out of two hundred and twenty-eight in the Conference reported nothing. Most charges reported less than a year ago. Only a

comparative few reported more.

May we remind our brethren that the Missionary Cultural Campaign for January-February is not the action of your Conference Board of Missions, but is the legislation of General Conference of our Church. It is the law of the church and we should give it the utmost of our prayer and attention, equally with any other great interest that the General Conference imposes upon us. Your Board asks for nothing more than every man track the program laid down and leave the responsibility finally to not the board of our poorly. Your Church ages sibility finally to rest upon the hearts of our people. Your Church asks for nothing less.

The treasurer of your Board, Judge Erskine Williams, reports a total of \$16,791.99 to the Mission Special. The offering from the Dis-

tricts is as follows:

Brownwood District	964.80
Cisco District	828.30
Cleburne District	975.12
Corsicana District	1,555.70
Fort Worth District	6,529.97
Gatesville District	693.78
Georgetown District	1.659.78
Waxahachie District	960.82
Waxanachie District	1 188 50
Weatherford District	1,200.00
Waco District	1,020.00

The success of the Missionary Special is fundamentally necessary to our missionary projects, both at home and abroad. It urges upon our Presiding Elders, Pastors and laymen two things:

 Vigorous attention to the District Missionary Institutes.
 That the Cultural Campaign be faithfully put on and the every-member canvass faithfully made in every Charge and Church.

Women's Work

We note with gratitude the continual expansion of the work of our Godly women. Their report shows:

229 Adult organizations with a membership of 6,210. 24 Young peoples' organizations with a membership of 848.

75 Epworth Junior organizations with a membership of 2,037.

26 Baby divisions with a membership of 328.

Financially, they report \$33,796.76 remitted to the Conference

Treasurer. Miss Georgia McElreath has been sent out this year as a missionary nurse to China. Miss Attie Jowell went from this Conference as a contract worker in Mexico. Misses Frances Gaby and Elizabeth Forest are student Missionaries in training at Scarritt College. Miss Grace Swinburne, a student missionary in training in the Women's Medical College at Philadelphia. This touches only in high places the great work that our good women are doing.

Evangelists

Believing that evangelism has a vital place in the Church of Christ, and that certain men are definitely called and spirit-anointed for this special soul-saving work, we recommend the following brethren, whose gifts and graces commend them to us as being qualified for this high calling:

General Evangelists: Alonzo Monk, Jr., and John M. Neal.
Conference Evangelists: F. A. Ray, A. C. Bell and J. T. Sanders.
District Evangelist: W. J. Cloud, Brownwood District. Local Preacher Evangelist: J. W. Taylor of Fort Worth.

District Missionary Institutes.

After Conference with the Presiding Elders, your Board would suggest the following schedule of dates for the District Missionary Institutes:

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Cooperatory District	January	18
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Waxahachie District	Januarv	8
Weatherford District	Tonnous	15
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Conference Missionary Secretary
We recommend the reappointment of Rev. Roy A. Langston as Conference Missionary Secretary.

Full Collections Urged

Not for many years has your Board asked or received one additional dollar on the Missionary assessment of our Conference. This is not because it has not sadly needed additional funds with which to come to the rescue of our hard-pressed brethren, but because it refused to add one straw's weight to the burden under which our Conference was already groaning.

ready groaning.

Yet it is apparent that we cannot appropriate money that we do not have. And that its revenue is dependent entirely upon what the 228 charges in our Conference do on the Conference collection, and on the Missionary Special. We believe that you are entitled to know that we have \$1,500.00 less money in our hands to apportion this year than we had last. There are many men who need help whom we cannot beln and others whom we cannot help and others whom we cannot beln and others who are the conference of the c

we had last. There are many men who need help whom we cannot help and others whom we cannot give what they really need.

There is only one solution, only one thing that we recommend, namely, that every Church in this Conference, led by a wide-awake Pastor, bestir itself to raise the Conference collections in full and a liberal offering to the Missionary Special. By so doing we help ourselves and our needy brethren. By so doing we shall put a few extra thousand dollars at the disposal of the Board to more adequately care for needy Missionary territory in our midst. May we remember as we go away from this great Conference that what your Board gives out is fixed and determined by what it gets in. May we remember that the Kingdom of God waits upon money as well as upon men. That dollars help to tell the story of Christ's love in the homeland and in the nations. At the feet of Him who gave us the world as our great task may we find strength and courage for the larger things that we hope to do in the new Conference year.

Appropriations
Your Board has made the following apportionments to our Missionary Charges:

Brownwood District	
Indian Creek	100.00
Norton	100.00
Novice	100.00
Proctor	300.00
Rockwood	100.00
Winchell	100.00
Wingate	100.00
Robert Lee	300.00
May	100.00
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Total	300.00

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Cisco District		
De Leon Circuit\$	200.00	
De Leon Circuit	200.00	
Caddo	200.00	
Cisco, Twelfth Street	200.00	
Eolian	150.00	
Scranton	300.00	
Bullock	150.00	
Carbon	250.00	
Pioneer		
Total\$	1,650.00	
Cleburne District		
Granbury Circuit	250.00	
Alvarado Circuit	300.00	
Blum and Rio Vista	150.00	
Covington and Oceola	200.00	
Covington and Oceoia	150.00	
Huckabay	150.00	
Huckabay Morgan and Kopperl	300.00	
	200.00	
Grandview Circuit	200.00	
Bluffdale	400.00	
St. Mark		
Total	2,300.00	
Corsicana District		
Eureka	100.00	
Eureka	100.00	
Barry Kerens Circuit	200.00	
Cooledge Circuit	200.00	
	150.00	
Mexia, McKinney Street	400.00	
Purdon	100.00	
North Side, Corsicana	200.00	
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Total	\$1,450.00	
Fort Worth District		
Glen Garden	\$ 300.00	
Diamand Hill	550.00	
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Forest Hill and Smithfield	250.00	
Weatherford Street	500.00	
Erroman nd Kannadale	300.00	
Brooklyn Heights and Benbrook	100.00	
Total		
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Gatesville District		
Walnut Springs	\$ 250.00	
Crawford	300.00	
Clifton	∠00.00	
Oglesby	150.00	
Ireland	200.00	

Meridian

Moody Circuit

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Gatesville Circuit

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Carlton	200.00
Cranfill Gap	200.00
Total	\$3,000.00
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Jarrell	\$ 100.00
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MIGWAY and Cedar Creek	000 00
Salado and Bell Plains	. 200.00
Florence	150.00
Nolanville	200.00
Thrall and Lawrence Chapel	
Oenaville	. 100.00
Round Rock and Weir	. 200.00
Holland	100.00
Holland	
Rogers	
Total	1 1050 00
	1,1990.00
West Waco District	
West	
China-Speegleville	100.00
Aquilla	150.00
Penelope and Elm Mott.	150.00
Waco Circuit	300.00
Prairie Hill-Kirk	150.00
Total	\$1,000,00
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Waxahachie District	m 40000
Bardwell	\$ 400.00
Britton	
Royce	100.00
Boyce	100.00
Collicin Chapel	100.00
Total	900.00
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Gordon and Santo	
Loving	
Loving	150.00
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Olney Circuit Palo Pinto	150.00
	150.00
Whitt	200.00
Strawn	200.00
Weatherford Circuit Thurber and Mingus	200.00
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Total	300.00
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The Brethren are asked to please send in promptly all money to the

Missionary Special to Judge W. Erskine Williams, Fort Worth, Texas, care Texas National Bank Building.

F. P. CULVER, Chairman. ROY A. LANGSTON, Secretary.

Supplement Report

In addition to the report already made we desire to recommend Rev. W. B. Morton for Conference Evangelist.

Commission on Budget—W. W. Ward read the report of the Commission on Budget as follows:

REPORT OF COMMISSION ON BUDGET

To the Bishop and Members of the Central Texas Conference in Session at Ranger, November 17, 1928:

Dear Brethren:

The following assessments have been approved by the Budget Comnission for the ensuing year:

mission for the ensuing year.	,	Scale.
\$	5,000	.0418945
Church Excension	86,100	.3024727
EOUCALION	2.500	.0209477
Entertainment—Comerence		.0272318
Enworth League	3,250	.2681199
Finance, Conference Board	32,000	.0837881
Hospital Board	10,000	
Low Activities	750	.0062840
Missions—Conference	22,000	.1843338
San Antonio M. & T. School	2,250	.0188447
Sunday School Board	4.000	.0335148
Superannuate Conference Homes	1,500	.0125680
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The assessments for the ensuing year have been increased \$2,000. This increase is caused by the askings of the Conference Board of Finance, \$1,800 of which is to be used to place a man in the field next year to give his entire time to the Superannuate Endowment Fund.

A new item of \$1,500 is added to care for insurance and upkeep of Superannuate Homes of our Conference, making unnecessary the need of a special agent for this year. To provide for this fund without an increase in assessments for its provision the Commission has taken \$500 from the Board of Education, \$250 from Lay Activities and \$750 from the San Antonio M. & T. School. It is understood that the above arrangements involving the changes and the increase is for one year only.

W. B. Andrews resigned from the Commission on Budget and Gid J. Bryan was chosen chairman.

The Commission makes this request, that hereafter all representatives of Conference Boards come before the Commission with their askings on Thursday nights immediately after the evening service. This will enable the Commission to make its report without scales to the Conference on Friday mornings, thereby aiding the Secretary in scaling assessments.

District—	Scale	Conf. Work	Gen. Work	Total
Brownwood	0829386 0789555 1049062 1679396 0715946 0841663 1251294 0976665	\$ 12,220 9,898 9,422 12,520 20,052 8,544 10,044 14,933 11,655	\$ 8,236 6,671 6,351 8,438 13,508 5,758 6,770 10,064 7,856	\$ 20,456 16,569 15,773 20,958 33,560 14,302 16,814 24,997 19,511
Weatherford Totals		$\frac{10,062}{\$119,350}$	$\frac{6,781}{\$80,433}$	$\frac{16,843}{\$199,783}$
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Respectfully submitted,

GID J. BRYAN, Chairman. W. W. WARD, Secretary.

Scale for General Work

Missions Negro Work	0,5550
Negro Work Church Extension Education	.02817
Education	.08592
Education Theological Schools	.06056
Bishops' Fund American Bible Society	.08967
American Bible Society General Conference Expense	.10563
General Conference Evroppe	.02347
Temperance and Social Service. Federal Council Lay Activities	.01127
Tor Astati	.00470
Hospitals	09947
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- E. B. Hawk protested at the report reducing \$500.00 from the Board of Education.
- J. W. W. Shuler, G. W. Shearer and D. L. Collie spoke favoring the report.
- W. B. Andrews, E. B. Hawk and Gid J. Bryan each rose to points of personal privileges and the report was the above accepted and adopted.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—FOURTH DAY

 $W.\ C.\ T.\ U.—Mrs.\ J.\ T.\ Bloodworth addressed the Conference on W. C.\ T.\ U.\ work.$

Memorial Session—On motion of Dr. Bishop the memorial session was set at 2:30 p. m. Sunday.

Closing Session—The chair ordered that the closing session be held at $7\ \mathrm{p.}$ m. Sunday which was accepted.

Conference Postmaster—A collection amounting to \$40.00 was taken for the Conference Postmaster, B. S. Crow, and the amount given him and receipt received.

The secretary read the following telegram:

Stanford University, California

Mr. A. D. Porter, Central Texas Conference of Methodist Church, Ranger, Texas. Dear Mr. Porter:

I am grateful for your message. I would be glad if you would accept for yourself and convey to your associates my appreciation for the friendship and good wishes which it conveys to me. Faithfully yours, Signed: Herbert Hoover.

Announcements—Sundry announcements were made relative to Sunday services and the evening service.

Minutes-The Minutes were read and approved.

President at Memorial Session—Bishop Moore announced that Dr. Bishop would preside at the Memorial Session.

Adjaurnment—The Doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by Bishop Moore.

FIFTH DAY—SUNDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

The memorial session of the Central Texas Conference met promptly at 2:30 o'clock with Dr. Horace Bishop in the chair. The hymn "The Rock That Is Higher Than I," was sung and Dr. A. D. Porter read the lesson from I Thes. 4.

Dr. Bishop read the report of the Committee on Memoirs and referred it to the secretary for publication.

Dear Brethren:

Your Committee on Memoirs have met under the strain of unusual losses, and some of them under peculiarly trying conditions. We call especial attention to the departure of the one man who for a long time has been Chairman of this Committee, and who has carefully kept account of all those whom death has divided from us, and has seen fit to it that suitable memoirs were prepared and that no courtesy or appropriate record be neglected. We always found him well informed concerning the lives and labors of the faithful men and women who had passed away during the Conference year. Therefore, we mentioned him first among those who have died in The Faith since our last Conference, Rev. F. F. Boone.

During the session of 1927, W. K. Simpson passed away, too late for a memoir to be prepared. Early in the Conference year, the wires sent out the cold hard telegram that our Princely man and useful Preacher T. S. Armstrong had met a tragic death, its cause a mystery unto this day. A little later Sam C. Vaughan, long a member of our Conference, and still a member of our Conference Brotherhood, met a tragic death. In quick succession came the tidings that our Superannuates J. B. Berry and S. J. Vaughan had followed Boone and Simpson into their Heavenly Home. Then came a shock when we learned that our great leader John M. Barcus had been called home and that another strong personality J. Hall Bowman was no more among us. Not the least deserving among them was B. F. Alsup whose zeal and faithfulness were known to us all.

In view of these losses, and also of the passing of several faithful wives of preachers, we respectfully ask that Sunday, November 18th, at 3 o'clock p. m., be designated as the hour for a special session of the Conference for a Memorial Service in honor of our departed Heroes.

Respectfully submitted, HORACE BISHOP, Chairman. Dr. Bishop resigned the chair to Rev. M. K. Little who called for the reading of the memoirs which was done in the following order: W. K. Simpson by R. B. Young, T. S. Armstrong by Dr. A. D. Porter, J. B. Berry by Gid J. Bryan, Dr. Jno. M. Barcus, by Edmund Heinsohn, E. F. Boone, by Dr. E. B. Hawk, B. F. Alsup by M. K. Little, oral, S. J. Vaughn by P. T. Stanford, J. Hall Bowman by M. K. Little, Mrs. W. L. Nelms by Dr. H. Bishop, Mrs. J. J. Creed by D. A. McGuire, Mrs. C. S. Wright by Dr. C. R. Wright, Mrs. C. S. Fields by Dr. H. Bishop, Mrs. W. A. Neill by R. A. Langston, Mrs. W. C. Hilburn by Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh, Mrs. J. M. McCarter by S. A. Ashburn, Mrs. C. W. Macune by E. P. Williams.

Mrs. Daniel Morgan's memoir was assured preparation and to be

submitted to the Journal.

Motion was made and the report was adopted and the benediciton was pronounced by S. A. Ashburn.

FIFTH DAY— FINAL SESSION

The Conference came to its final session on Sundoay evening at 7 o'clock with appropriate devotional services conducted with a sermon by Dr. T. D. Ellis of the Board of Church Extension.

Ordination—Bishop Moore took the chair and called Dr. P. E. Riley and Dr. W. H. Coleman to assist in the reading of the Scriptures for the ordination of elders and Dr. H. Bishop and Dr. R. C. Armstrong to assist in the laying on of hands. The secretary presented the following: Melvin A. Walker, Homer R. Rall, Andrew K. Marney, Adrian C. Jones, Robert H. Davenport, Wallace N. Dunson, Joseph I. Patterson, Jackson C. Oglesby, Roy L. Crawford, Cleo A. Norcross and for recognition by assuming the obligations without the imposition of hands, Chester E. Wilkerson and A. T. Plunkett. After the Disciplinary questions were propounded and satisfactory answers given they were ordained elders.

Resolution—A resolution of thanks from the superannuates to Ranger was read By. Dr. H. Bishop:

Dear Brethren:

We, the Superannuate Preachers of this Conference desire to express our appreciation of the kind treatment of the Committee on Entertainment, who have provided for us such comfortable homes, and that within a radius of two blocks of the Church where we have secured breakfast and rooms free of all expense to us.

We also wish to express our grateful appreciation of the conduct of "The faithful women, not a few," from the Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist and Disciples of Christ Churches who have served us free of all

cost two meals a day during the time of our stay in Ranger.

We will carry with us when we leave affectionate remembrances of these kindly courtesies and assure the Pastors, the Committee on Entertainment and the women from the four Churches mentioned, of gratitude and prayers for their prosperity, individually, and as representatives of the several churches.

Location—C. O. Shugart moved the location of C. H. Puckett at his own request which was done.

Superannuation—Dr. P. E. Riley moved the name of Ben S. Crow to the Committee on Conference Relation for superannuation. C. O. Shugart moved the name of W. W. Noble to the proper committee for superannuation.

Recognition—Rev. J. N. Rentfro moved that the name of Rev. Ora Minor, instructor in S. M. U. be enrolled in our Conference membership at the request of Dr. Minor, who was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the motion prevailed.

Board of Missions—A brief meeting of the Board of Missions was called:

Committee on Conference Relation—A meeting was called by the Committee on Conference Relations.

Address-Bishop Moore addressed the Conference.

Reports—The Board of Missions gave a report which is found in the report No. 2. The Committee on Conference Relations read a report which is found in the regular report.

Minutes—The minutes were accepted.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS

Whereas, the entertainment that has been provided by the citizenship of Ranger for this Conference has been unexcelled and the pleasant memories of the hospitality we have encountered in the homes of Ranger will linger with us many days, and

Whereas, the brethren representing the several newspapers reporting the proceedings of this Conference have rendered valuable service, and

Whereas, the business interests of Ranger have shown us innumerable courtesties, and

Whereas, Bro. Geo. W. Shearer, Pastor Host, and his good people have left nothing undone that would in any manner contribute to our pleasure and comfort and to the successful conduct of the sessions of the Conference;

Therefore, be it resolved that this Conference by rising vote of thanks, give expression to its deep and sincere appreciation of Brother Geo. W. Shearer, his splendid people, the reporters and their respective newspapers, the citizenship of Ranger as a whole, and of all who have in any way contributed to our comfort and pleasure and to the successful conduct of the sessions of the Conference.

J. W. BERGIN E. P. WILLIAMS T. EDGAR NEAL JOHN A. SICELOFF EDMUND HEINSOHN.

This is to certify that on November 18th, 1928, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Ranger, Texas, I ordained to the office of deacon in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, William McKinley Justice, Bruce Meador Cox, William Emerson Shipp, Edwin Ruthven Walker and Samuel Albert Baker; and that on the same day and in the same place I ordained to the office of elder, Melvin Ansil Walker, Andrew Kenneth Marney, Adrain Collingsworth Jones, Homer Ross Hall, Robert Howell Davenport, Wallace Nail Dunson, Joseph Isham Patterson, Jackson Capine Oglesby, Roy Leslie Crawford and Cleo Abia Norcross.

JOHN M. MOORE, Bishop in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Question 45—"Where are the preachers stationed this year?" was answered by the reading of appointments by Bishop Jno. M. Moore, the Doxology was sung and the Benediction was pronounced and the Conference adjourned sine die.

APPOINTMENTS

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT

W. H. Coleman, Presiding Elder (2)

Ballinger
BangsPaul W. Utley (1)
BlanketJ. D. Smoot (1)
Bronte
Brownwood, 1st ChJ. S. Cook (1)
Brownwood, CentralJ. W. Mayne 2)
ColemanE. H. Lightfoot (1)
Coleman CirW. J. Morphis (1)
ComancheR. J. Laprade (2)
Comanche CirJ. B. Weathers (1)
Drasco-PumphreyT. M. McBrayer (1)
Gustine-Lamkin
Indian CreekA. C. Jones (1)
May
Novice
Proctor
Robert Lee
RockwoodPreston Broxton (4)
Santa AnnaB. R. Wagner (2)
Talpa-CrewsB. B. Edmiaston (4)
WinchellL. A. Clark (2)
WingateD. L. Barnes (II) (2)
WintersT. H. Burton (1)
District EvangelistW. J. Cloud (1)

CISCO DISTRICT

C. O. Shugart, Presiding Elder (3)

Breckenridge E. Hightower (2)	
BullockJ. D. Knoy (2)	
Bunyan	
CaddoR. A. Walker (1)	
CarbonZ. L. Howell (1)	
Cisco, First Ch; F. E. Singleton (1)	
Cisco, 12th StR. T. Capps (1)	
CrosscutG. W. Renfro (1)	
DeLeonS. J. Rucker (1)	
DeLeon CircuitR. H. Davenport (1)	
Desdemona H. B. Landrum (1)	
DublinW. H. Cole (1)	
EastlandG. W. Shearer (1)	
Eolian	.)
Gorman Seha Kirkpatrick (2)	
Pioneer	
Ranger	
Rising Star	
ScrantonG. R. Wright (1)	
Conference Evangelist	
Dual Ext. Sec'y. S. SJ. B. Curry (3)	

CLEBURNE DISTRICT

Jno. N. Rentfro, Presiding Elder (2)

Alvardo	R. A. Crosby (2)
Alvardo Circuit	A. J. Helms (2)
Blum-Rio Vista	R. H. Price (1)
Bluffdale	
Burleson-Crowley	H. B. Clark (2)
Cleburne, Anglin St	J. M. Wnyne (2)
Cleburne, Brazos Ave.	J. T. Ferguson (1)
Cleburne, Main	
Cleburne St. Marks	J. F. Isbell (1)
Covington-Oceola	Hayden Edwards, Supply (1)
Godley Tolar Glen Rose	Ernest Roper (4)
Glen Rose	
Granbury	I. E. Hightower (1)
Granbury Circuit	H. J. Sanders IV-(2)
Grandview	
Grandview Circuit	L. S. Redwine, Supply (1)
Huckabay	F. H. Ingram II (1)
Joshua	Roy L. Crawford (2)
Morgan-Kopperl	D. R. McCaullev (1)
Stephenville	J. M. Perry (2)
Venus	M. W. Clark (1)
Prof. Sch Th S. M. U.	Ora W. Minor (1)
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CORSICANA DISTRICT

A. W. Hall, Presiding Elder (3)

Barry
ChatfieldA. C. Carraway (2)
CooledgeH. P. Watkins (2)
Cooledge CircuitB. E. Kimbrow (4)
Corsicana, First Church F. P. Culver (3)
Corsicana, 1st Ch., Rel. Ed. Dir. V. W. Harrell (1)
Corsicana, 11th AveGeo. F. Kornegay (1)
Corsicana, North SideA. E. Carraway (2)
Dawson F. O. Waddill (1)
EmhouseW. L. Connel (1)
EurekaI. R. Darwood, Supply (2)
FrostJ. W. Cowan (1)
Groesbeck
KerensJ. U. McAfee (1)
Kerens Circuit
Kirvin-StreetmanT. A Covington (1)
Mertens-Irene
Mexia- First Church
Mexia, McKinney St
Purdon-HarmonyBruce M. Cox (1) III
Rice
ThorntonJ. L. Ray (1)
Wortham
RichlandVan P. Morrison (2)

FORT WORTH DISTRICT

C. H. Booth, Presiding Elder (2)

. C. H. Dooth, 1	residing Ender (2)
Arlington	R. A. Langston (2)
Euless Everman-Kennedale	A. T. Plunkett (1)
Everman-Kennedale	A. K. Marney (1)
Ft. Worth Arlington Hts	W. W. Ward (2)
Boulevard Brooklyn Hts.	W. E. Fisher (1)
Brooklyn Hts.	F. W. Thrash IV (3)
Central	C. S. Wright (3)
College Hts	Floyd Johnson IV (4)
Diamond Hill	R. E. Briggs (1)
Englewood	I A Walkun (1)
First Church	E B Hawk (4)
First Ch., Assoc, Pastor	Paul Christopher (2)
Forest-Hill-Smithfield	Hubert C. Smith (1) III
: (Hen Garden	W B Gilloland (1)
Glenwood	I. W. Sharbutt (2)
Hemphill Hts.	P E Channell (3)
Highland Park	O O O dom (2)
Meadowbrook	J. H. Baldridge (1)
Meadowbrook Missouri Ave.	E. P. Williams (1)
Mulkey Memorial	W. H. Vanderpool (1)
PolytechnicPolytechnic Assoc. Pastor	Wirgil H. Fisher (1)
Polytechnic Assoc. Pastor	A. C. Pavnes
Sylvania Hts.	J. J. Creed (2)
Trinity	J. M. Bond (4)
Weatherford St.	D. A. McGuire (5)
Grapevine	I. Pat Leach (5)
Handley Haslet Circuit	S. A. Ashburn (2)
Managial	P. E. Cantrell (1)
Mansfield	J. T. Wilson (1)
Dir. Sup. End. & Agt. Sup. Home .	W. B. Andrews (2)
Asso. Sec'y. Board Lay Act	J. E. Crawford (4)
Hospital Commissioner	C. Q. Smith (3)
Supt. Southern Assembly President Texas Woman's College.	K. E. Nollner (2)
Supt. Anti-Saloon League	H. E. Stout (12)
Conference Social Education	C D Weight (0)
Conference Sec'y. Education Asst. Gen'l. Sec'y. Epworth League	C. R. Wright (2)
Conference Evangelist	E A Dog (1)
Director Junaluska Conference	T D Howle
Supt. Good Will Industry	P. W. Kromor (1)
Instructor Wesleyan Institute	Cacil Rarnes (1) II
Conference Missionary Secretary	R A Langeton
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GATESVILI	LE DISTRICT

W. H. Matthews, Presiding Elder (3)

Carlton	M. Boiles (4)
Clifton	
Crawford	
Cranfil Gap-Lanham	A. S. Gafford (3)
Duffau	A. C. Halsell (1) I
Evant	J. T. Gardner (1) IV
Gatesville	Gid J. Bryan (2)
Gatesville Circuit	Geo. F. Siler, Supply
Hamilton	F. L. Turner (1)
Hamilton Circuit	B. F. Revnolds, Supply (1)
Hico	Paul W. Evans (1)
Iredell-Fairy	
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$GATESVILLE\ DISTRICT-Continued$

Ireland-Jonesboro	H. W. Gaston (2)
Meridian	
McGregor	E. R. Walker I (1)
	H. B. Thompson (2)
Moody Circuit	
Mosheim	R. W. Call (1) II
Oglesby	
Turnersville	Horace Poteet (3)
Valley Mills	E. R. Patterson (1)
	W. S. P. McCullough (1)
Conference Evangelist	A. C. Bell (6)
Conference Evangelist	J. T. Sanders (1)

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT

D. K. Porter, Presiding Elder (2)

Bartlett	Chas. M. Crowe I (1)
Belton	
Copperas Cove	J. W. Leggett (2)
Florence	W. A. Clark (3)
Georgetown	Edmund Heinsohn (2)
Granger	W. W. Richeson (1)
Holland	J. M. Hayes (1)
Hutto-Jonh	
Jarrell	W. E. Shipp (2) III
Killeen	
Midway-Cedar Park	
Nolanville	
Oenaville	E. M. Dailey (2)
Rogers	R. H. Boyd (1)
Round Rock	R. K. Heacock, Supply (1)
Salado Bell Plains	J. D. Fendrickson (2)
Taylor	R. O. Sorv (2)
Temple First Church	T. Edgar Neal (3)
Temple, 7th St.	E. M. Wisdom (4)
Thrall-Lawrence	Cecil Tawlor (1) II
Trov-Pendleton	
Professor S. M. U.	C. M. Bishop

WACO DISTRICT

P. E. Riley, Presiding Elder (3)

Abbott-Vaughn	E. N. Scarlett (2)
Aquilla Circuit	J. F. Clark (1)
Big Hill-Ben Hur	
Bruceville	J. Fred Patterson (1)
China Springs-Speegleville	W. T. Kinslow (2)
Eddy	M. L. Boone (2)
Hewitt-Bosqueville	W. E. Harrell (2)
Hubbard	D. A. Chisholm (3)
Lorena-Spring Valley	M. C. Hays (2)
Malone	P. L. Shuler (2)
Mart	
Mount Calm	J. L. Chunn (3)
Penelope Circuit	C. T. Brocketee (1)
Prairie Hill-Kirk	J. L. Oliver (1)
Waco, Austin Ave	
Waco, Dir. Rel. Ed., Austin Ave.	L. W. Seymour (1) IV
Waco, Clay Ave.	

$WACO \cdot DISTRICT \\--Continued$

Waco, First Church	L. L. Felder (2)
Waco, Herring Ave	J. F. Luker (2)
Waco, St. John's	E. W. Bridges (2)
Waco, Wesley	
Waco Circuit	J. W. Whitefield I (1)
West-Leroy	
Whitney	W. W. Moss (1)
Field Agt. Methodist Home	W. T. Grav (14)
Secretary Y. M. C. A.	

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT

J. W. Bergin, Presiding Elder (4)

Bardwell	W. F. Smith (3)
Bethel	T. Wesley Hook (2)
Boyce	R. F. LeGrande, Supply (1),
Britton	Earl Page (1)
Bynum	J. I. Patterson (1)
Colliers	Oran Stephens II (1)
Ennis	L. A. Webb (3)
Ferris	J. C. Ogleshy (1)
Forreston	Melvin A. Walker (1)
Hillsboro, First Church	F. L. Meadow (2)
Hillsboro, Line Street	David Irvin (4)
[taly ·	J. F. Adams (1)
Itasca	Marcus M. Chunn (1)
ItascaMaypearl	Marcus M. Chunn (1)
Maypearl Midlothian	P. H. Gates (1)
Itasca	Marcus M. Chunn (1)P. ¹⁴ . Gates (1)L. D. Boatman (1)
Itasca	Marcus M. Chunn (1)P. ¹⁴ . Gates (1)L. D. Boatman (1)T. D. Ellis (3)
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Maypearl Midlothian Milford Palmer Red Oak Waxahachie, First Church	Marcus M. Chunn (1)P. H. Gates (1)L. D. Boatman (1)T. D. Ellis (3)F. L. Willshire (3)A. L. Scales (2)
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WEATHERFORD DISTRICT

J. H. Stewart, Presiding Elder (4)

Aledo	S. A. Baker, Supply (1)
Azle	C. D. Wooten I (1)
Eliasville	W. E. Anderson (1)
Gordon-Santo	C. E. Wade (2)
Graford	E. P. Swindall (1)
Graham	Sam G. Thompson (1)
Graham Circuit	A. W. Franklin (3)
Loving	H. R. Hall (1)
Millsap	J. W. Culwell (1)
Mineral Wells	A. D. Porter (2)
New Castle	J. A. Bell (2)
Olney	T. E. Bowman (1)
Olney Circuit	W. C. Ferguson (1)
Palo Pinto	Wallace N. Dunson (2)
Springtown	J Lester Davennort I (2)
Strawn	C. N. Morton (3)
Thurber Mingus	W. T. Veach (1)
Weatherford, First Church	J. A. Siceoff (1)

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT—Continued

Weatherford, Couts Memorial	H. D. Huddleston (2)
Weatherford Circuit	J. C. Grimes (1)
Whitt	O. D. Wallace, Supply (1)
Conference Sunday School Supt	cG. A. Schlueter (3)
General Evangelist	Alonzo Monk Jr (4)

TRANSFERS IN

W. H. Vanderpool from New Mexico Conference; Edwin R. Walker from Tennessee Conference; Van W. Harrell from Little Rock Conference; J. T. Wilson from North Texas Conference; Virgil H. Fisher from Northwest Texas Conference; W. E. Fisher from West Texas Conference; W. E. Anderson from West Texas Conference; Geo. W. Davis from Northwest Texas Conference.

TRANSFERS OUT

B. H. Keathley to Louisville Conference; Homer T. Fort to St. Louis Conference; H. D. Tucker to New Mexico Conference; T. B. Sowell to New Mexico Conference; W. M. Justice to New Mexico Conference; W. M. Rader to West Texas Conference; G. G. Mitchell to West Texas Conference; S. L. Culwell to Northwest Texas Conference; Clifton L. Hodges to Northwest Texas Conference; C. A. Norcross to Northwest Texas Conference; P. E. Lancaster to West Texas Conference; H. L. Munger to Northwest Texas Conference; W. B. Morton to Northwest Texas Conference.

MINUTES

OF THE SIXTY-SECOND (WHICH IS THE 19TH SINCE DIVISION) SESSION OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH, HELD AT RANGER, TEXAS, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 14, 1928, ENDING NOVEMBER 18TH, 1928; BISHOP JOHN M. MOORE, PRESIDENT; A. D. PORTER, SECRETARY, POST OFFICE OF SECRETARY, MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS.

I. PROBATIONERS

- Who are admitted on trial? Charles Monroe Crowe, James William Whitefield, Jonas Lester Davenport, Cleo D. Wooten, Austin Carl Halsell.
- Who else is in the class of the first year? No one. Who remain on trial? Frank Harris Ingram, DeWitt Leslie Barnes, Richard Walker Call, Cecil Hamilton Barnes, Warren A. Flynn, Oran Stephens, Edwin Ruthven Walker.
 - 4. Who else is in the class of the second year? No one.
 - 5. Who are discontinued? No one.

II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP

- Who are admitted into full connection? William McKinley Justice, William Emerson Shipp, Hubert C. Smith (deacon), Bruce Meador Cox.
 - 7. Who else is in the class of the tird year? No one. Who are readmitted? No one.
- Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Virgil H. Fisher, Northwest Texas Conference; W. H. Vanderpool, Elder from New Mexico Conference; J. T. Wilson, elder, North Texas Conference; W. E. Fisher, elder, from West Texas Conference; W. E. Anderson, elder, from West Texas Conference; Edwin R. Walker, class of first year, from Tennessee Conference; Van Wesley Harrell, class of second year, from Little Peak Conference; Van Wesley Harrell, class of second year, from Little Rock Conference; Geo. W. Davis Northwest Texas Confer-
- 10. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Chester Alexander Wilkerson, elder, from the Church of the Nazarene; A. T. Plunkett, elder, from Methodist Protestant; Ora W. Minor, an elder, from the M. E. Church.
- 11. Who are located this year? C. W. Ferguson, at his own request; C. H. Puckett, at his own request.
 - 12. Who have withdrawn or been expelled? Withdrawn. No one.
 - Expelled G. E. Cameron.
- 13. Who are transferred to other Conferences? B. H. Keathley, Homer T. Fort, H. D. Tucker, T. B. Sowell, W. M. Justice, W. M. Rader, G. G. Mitchell, S. L. Cullwell, Clifton Lee Hodges, C. A. Norcross; P. E. Lancaster, H. L. Munger, W. B. Morton, (For Conferences see appointments).
- 14. What preachers have died during the year? B. F. Alsup, E. F Boone, John M. Barcus, T. S. Armstrong, S. J. Vaughan, J. B. Berry, J. Hall Bowman.

III. ORDERS

- 15. Who are the deacons of one year? James Thomas Gardner, H. J. Sanders (in orders), Floyd Ernest Johnson, William Kenneth Pope, Leslie William Seymour, Charles Hutcheson Sisserson, Arthur Glenford Standlee, Ernest Wesley Swearingen, Floyd William Thrash, James Daniel Finney Williams.

 - 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, William McKinley Justice, Bruce Meador Cox, William Emerson Shipp.

Local preachers, Paul Maroney Gladney, Samuel Albert Baker, Ed-

win Ruthven Walker.

18. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons? Traveling preachers, William McKinley Justice, Bruce Meador Cox, William Emerson Shipp.

Local preachers, Samuel Albert Baker, Edwin Ruthven Walker. 19. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected eleders? Traveling preachers, Melvin Ansil Walker, Jackson Capine Oglesby, Homer Ross Hall, Roy Leslie Crawford, Andrew Kenneth Marney, Cleo Abia Norcross, Adrian Collingsworth Jones, Robert Yowell Davenport, Wallace Nail Dunson, Joseph Isham Patterson.

Local preachers, no one.

20. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders? Traveling preachers, Melvin Ansil Walker, Jackson Cabine Oglesby Homer Ross Hall, Roy Leslie Crawford, Andrew Kenneth Maroney, Cleo Abia Norcross, Adrian Collingsworth Jones, Robert Howell-Davenport, Wallace Nail Dunson, Joseph Isham Patterson.

Local preachers, Thos. Sowell Thompson.

IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS

21. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration. The names of all the preachers were called and their characters passed except C. E. Cameron, who was expelled from the

ministry and membership of the Church.

22. Who are supernumerary? T. W. Ellis, C. S. Field, S. P. Gilmore, W. G. Gwaltney.

23. Who are supernumated? H. P. Shrader, J. G. Pollard, J. M. 23. Who are superannuated: H. P. Shrader, J. G. Poliard, J. M. McCarter, V. J. Millis, C. V. Oswalt, J. J. Rape, E. M. Sweet, 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, J. W. Holt, W. L. Nelms, J. W. Head, W. H. Harris, J. O. Gore, C. E. Statham, J. H. Braswell, W. H. Vaughan, A. P. Lipscomb, N. J. Peeples, C. S. McCarver, M. K. Little, W. R. Wilson, J. S. Rowles, J. W. Patison, S. R. Sawyer, J. T. Bloodworth B. Wilson, J. S. Bowles, J. W. Patison, S. B. Sawyer, J. T. Bloodworth, M. M. Smith, G. W. Kincheloe, J. R. B. Hall, R. C. Armstrong, R. B. Young, J. F. Tyson, P. W. Layne, M. S. Hotchkiss, A. T. Culbertson, W. L. W. Layne, M. S. Hotchkiss, A. T. Culbertson, W. L. A. Neill, Wallace Vinsant, J. M. Armstrong, W. H. Keener, D. L. Collie, J. D. Ramsey, Walter Griffith, W. N. Curry, J. R. Morris, Ben. S. Crow, W. W. Noble.

V. STATISTICS

24. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges, and of societies in this Conference? Districts, 10; pastoral charges, 227; societies, 521.

25. How many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers and of members? Licensed, 20; local preachers, 192; members, 89,800.

26. How many adults and how many infants have been baptized during the year? Adults, 2,737.... infants, 694.

27. What is the number of Epworth Leagues and of Epworth League members? Epworth Leagues, 338; Epworth League members,

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, 441; officers and teachers, 6,243; scholars enrolled, 68,990.

29. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies, and what is the number of members of the same? Societies, 251; members 7,370. 30. What is the number of Wesley Brotherhoods, and of Wesley Brotherhood members? Brotherhoods, 23; members, 973.

31. What is the number of members enrolled in the Fellowship of

Stewardship? 307.

32. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 3; teachers, 73; students, 1,851; value of property, \$1,802,295; endowment, \$558,263.00; indebtedness, \$496,968.00.

33. What are the orphanage statistics? Orphanages, 1; officers

30. What are the orphanages statistics: Orphanages, 1; officers and teachers, 22; children in orphanages, 378; money expended, \$125, 783.00; value of property, \$853,053.00; indebtedness, \$41,000.00.

34. What are the hospital statistics? Hospitals, 1; officers, 21; beds, 0; patients, 0; money expended, \$949,894.00; value of property, \$1,401,775.00; endowment, \$0; indebtedness, \$511,000.00.

VI. FINANCES

35. What has been contributed for the following causes? Foreign Missions, \$43,937; Home and Conference Missions, \$18,971.00; Church Extension, \$9,839.00; Education, \$39,197.00; American Bible Society, \$1,557.00; General Conference expense, \$1,236.00; by the Woman's Missionary Society, \$136,217.00; from the Golden Cross Enrollment,

36. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry? Bishops, \$7,008.00; presiding elders, \$51,224.00; preachers in charge, \$416,077.00; Conference claimants, \$24,835.00; Superannuate Endowment

Fund, \$21,165.00.

37. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year? \$1,562,976.00.

VII. CHURCH PROPERTY

What is the number of of houses of worship, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Houses of worship,487; value, \$5,949,593.00; indebtedness, \$788,527.00;.

39. What is the number of parsonages, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? District parsonages, 9; value, \$62,500.00; indebtedness, \$260.00. Parsonages belonging to pastoral charges, 235; value, \$825,372.00; indebtedness, \$52,430.00.

40. What amount of insurance is carried on Church property, and what amount has been paid out, in premiums? Insurance carried. \$3,179,925.00; premiums paid, \$23,359.00.

41. 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, 8; parsonages damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$39,409.00; collected, \$23,778.00.

42. What is the number of superannuate homes, and what is their

value? Homes, 15; value, \$40,500.00.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS

43. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader? W. J. Baker.
44. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Hillsboro, Texas.

45. Where are the preachers stationed this year.

45. See appoint-

APPENDIX.

Conference Rules.

- 1. The District Steward, the Charge Lay Leader and the Recording Steward of each charge, the District Lay Leader, the District Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society, and the District Trustees are ex-officio members of the District Conference. Besides these, each church is entitled to one delegate for every one hundred members, or two-thirds fraction thereof, to be elected by the Church Conference, provided that every church shall have at least one delegate.
- 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 Statistical 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 Statistical Secretary as the official assessment against the several charges of the Conference.
- 4. The Conference shall elect a Statistical Secretary and an assistant Statistical Secretary who shall serve till the close of the Conference following. The Conference shall also elect two assistant Statistical Secretaries for each of the several districts. The two District Assistant Statistical Secretaries for each district shall be nominated as follows: The Statistical Secretary shall nominate one man and upon his election he shall nominate the second man. It shall be the duty of the District Assistant Statistical Secretaries to collect the statistical reports from the preachers in charge within the several districts and see that such reports are properly edited, properly entered upon the sheets provided for that purpose and to turn the finished sheets over to the Statistical Secretary in the evening of the second day of the Conference session.
- 5. The Chairman of Committee on Admissions shall make written report to be filed with the Secretary of the Conference, concerning each one admitted 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 furnished the editor of the Central Texas Conference Journal.
- 10. Each preacher in charge shall, on the first morning of the Conference session, hand his complete statistical report to one of the Assistant Statistical Secretaries for the district in which his charge is situated.
- 11. All requests by boards, commissions, or individuals for dates for special campaigns to secure money shall be submitted to the Commission on Budget, whose duty it shall be to work out a schedule for said campaigns so that as far as possible, overlapping may be prevented. The Commission shall submit its report to the Conference for approval.

Memoirs

REV. THOMAS S. ARMSTRONG

Shocking and terrible was the news bourne over the telephone and telegraph wires and carried by daily papers, of the sudden and untimely death of Rev. T. S. Armstrong. The awful message came to some of us at midnight's holy hour, smiting us to the heart and causing us to stagger backward into the darkness to spend the remainder of that

dreadful night on tear-wet pillows and in anguish of soul.

Rev. Thomas S. Armstrong was born at Woods, just eight miles from Carthage, the county seat of Panola County, Texas, on October 27, 1861. His boyhood days were spent in a good, oldfashioned, thoroughgoing home where there were comforts, but no foolish extravagances, a home wherein all the children were taught to work and were allowed to play. It was thus his privilege to grow up with brothers and sisters that loved one another and enjoyed a fine and unpretentious happiness. His father, Mr. J. B. Armstrong, was a hightoned Christian citizen, of the sort that is properly called "the salt of the earth." His mother now one hundred and two years of age, still survives, truly "a mother in Israel.'

He received his education in the common schools and in the Alexander Institute at Killgore, Texas. Dr. Isaac Alexander, the founder and president, said of him that he was one of the most original thinkers that ever went through that historic institution of learning. The friendship which sprang up between this young man and that noted educator ripened with the years. They often visited in each other's home, enjoying a warm, close and very rare fellowship until the day President Alexander went home to his eternal reward. Brother Armstrong never ceased to be a student, profiting by the Theological Institutes and Pastors' Schools and by the reading of valuable books.

Nature did a great deal for him. He was truly a handsome man. Being above medium height, with an elastic step, possessing a massive head that was well poised on broad shoulders, a high forehead, and his face was one of unusual frankness and strength. He was of striking appearance, that type that would cause one on seeing him for the first time to impulsively inquire "Who is that gentleman?"

In the year 1892 he was happily married to Miss Sudie Armstrong, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the Rev. E. L. Armstrong of sacred memory, who in his day was one of the outstanding preachers on Texas Methodism. The bride and groom were of the same name

but no blood relationship.

She was ever ambitious for him and was always devoted to his best interests and to the lofty calling of her gifted husband. For thirty-five years "Tom and Sudie" walked side by side, hand clasped in hand and life wrapped in life. No man ever was blesed with a more devoted wife and no wife ever honored by a more courtly lover. Lovers once and lovers always.

To this happy couple were born two lovely children, Wynifred (now Mrs. Gilpin McCullough of Dallas, Texas) and James, now also married

and living in Dallas.

These four, the father, mother, daughter and son, composed a blessed family, a home of unselfish love and abiding devotion. It imparted an inspiration and a thrill of joy to behold the affection of that home. It was a place where kindness and hospitality awaited the comin gfriends.

He was in that home just what a husband and father should be, kind, gentle, gracious, knightly and unselfish. He lived for his family, and was richly rewarded by the reciprocal love and confidence his dear ones bestowed upon him. No children ever had a more worthy father, no wife a more noble companion.

Brother Armstrong used to say that he could not remember when he first began to love God, that he must have been born with the love of Jesus Christ in his heart. But at the age of twelve years he entered into a definite and decisive Christian experience which never faded or grew dim.

He became an exhorter on March 28th, 1881, and after a clear and unmistakable call, on October 29th of the same year he was granted license to preach, at the age of nineteen years. He joined the old East Texas Conference in the fall of 1881, at Marshall, Texas, and received a nominal appointment that he might attend school. On December 13th, 1885, at Beaumont, Texas, he was ordained deacon by Bishop H. N. McTveire, and on December 2nd, 1888, he was ordained elder by Bishop W. W. Duncan at Crockett, Texas. Some time between 1881 and 1885 he was stricken with a severe attack of typhoid fever which kept him in bed for many weeks, until the charge to which he had been assigned had to be supplied by another, so when he was physically able he taught school the rest of the year. He served the San Augustine station and Nacogdoches station. In the year 1889 he was transferred to the West Texas Conference and stationed at Yoakum That year he led in the building of two Church houses, one at Yoakum and one at Hallettsville. In November of 1890 Bishop Key transferred him to the old Northwest Texas Conference, and when the division took place in 1910 he remained with the Central Texas Cnference.

In 1890 he was stationed at Alvarado, in 1891 at Oak Cliff, the Conference line then reaching to the Trinity River; in 1892 he was appointed to Albany, in 1893 Mulky Memorial, Fort Worth, in 1894 at Arlington, in 1895-96 at Ennis, from 1897 to 1899 at Italy, in 1900 Itasca, 1901 at Colorado City, 1902-03 at Mexia, 1904 to 1906 Morrow Street, Waco; 1907 Weatherford First Church. In 1908 he was appointed by Bishop Key to the Presiding Eldership of the Waxahachie District, where he served the quadrennium. In 1912 he was sent to the Georgetown District for four years of service. In 1916-18 again at Ennis. In 1919 at Mart, in 1920-23 he spent four delightful years at Coleman, First Church. In 1924 he was appointed to Groesbeck, and was reappointed each year until he was returned for the fourth time in 1927. He and his wife were highly appreciated and greatly loved by the people of this, his last pastoral charge.

Brother Armstrong possessed truly great attributes as a preacher of the Gospel. His princely bearing, his deep, rich mellow voice, his clear thinking, his grace and dignity, his unquestioned sincerity, his strong and unpretentious faith, these and other characteristics gave him a great influence with his hearers. At times he was fearful in his denunciation of sin, but at the same time he was able to impress the sinners that he loved them and desired their salvation.

As a pastor he was tenderhearted and faithful. He was never "unemployed, never triflingly employed." When his people were in sorrow or suffering his genial presence gave encouragement, his faith stimulated hope and his devotion imparted cheer. Children would run to be gathered into his strong and tender arms; young people loved him, men trusted him as a man among men; he respected womanhood, just as true, Southern, Christian gentlemen should; he adored childhood, he revered old age, he worshipped Almighty God.

He kept his hand on every department of Church activity and guided the affairs of his pastorate wisely and well. He was considered a good Sunday School Pastor, Epworth League Pastor, and Pastor of the Woman's Missionary Society. He had a vital interest in the ongoing of the Kingdom as represented by the great denomination to which he

He served as a Presiding Elder for eight consecutive years. And in this high office he was ever desirous to do the very best for the Churches and the Pastors. He went to bed with a heavy heart if either people or preacher should be disappointed. As a Presiding Elder he was not a "driver" but a "leader." It was his desire and effort to carry out the program of his Church, not to "mend the rules but to keep

Religion was to him not a mere theory, but a life to be lived. Not only did he enjoy his religion but he employed it. He delighted to tell it to others because he attempted to live it in his heart. His preaching was instructive, edifying and conquering. Many times his delivery was truly eloquent as his gifted tongue gave expression to the lofty thoughts

of his fertile brain and the emotions of his triumphant soul.

As a human being he loved to live. There was a fine vein of humor running through his nature. He would laugh like a happy school boy. How he did enjoy a good joke. But it must be a clean one, no other kind ever passed his wholesome lips. He possessed a rich fund of choice stories, and could easily become the center of a group when it came to entertaining. He loved his friends and delighted in their company and was dearly loved and appreciated by them in return.

He was for a number of years the First Vice-President of the Texas State Epworth League, and had much to do with the success of the institution known as "Epworth-By-The-Sea." He was sympathetic with the young people and was enthusiastic in their behalf, being to them a

wise councilor and an ever faithful friend.

In 1914 he was a delegate from the Central Texas Conference to

the General Conference which met in Oklahoma City.

He served on the Joint Board of Publication for several years, always having the best interests of the Texas Christian Advocate at heart. He was a ready writer. There was in his nature the stirring of

the poet whenever he cared to employ such a gift.

He was chosen about two years ago by a group of business men of Groesbeck to attend a great gathering in one of the large Northern cities where he delivered an address on Church Advertising which attracted wide attention and was printed in some of the great dailies and was also printed in pamphlet form, and was spoken of in very high

His light was unexpectedly sniffed out on the night of December 4th, 1927. On Tuesday, December 6th, brief services were held in Groesbeck, after which he was taken to Corsicana where his funeral was conducted in the First Methodist Church, in the presence of a great congregation of sorrowing friends, a score of preachers were present. Rev. A. W. Hall, the Presiding Elder, had charge; Dr. F. P. Culver read the Scripture; Dr. John M. Barcus led in prayer and the principal address was delivered by the writer of this Memoir. His mortality was laid to rest in Corsicana's beautiful "God's Acre."

His last day on earth was Sunday, and it was indeed a day of triumph. He preached to a large and appreciative audience and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, following the sermon. Again in the evening he stood in his pulpit to the delight and edifying of his people.

But in less than two hours after his evening ministrations his vigorous body ceased to live and his noble soul sent home to heaven

and to God.

His death came with almost an unbearable suddenness to his devoted wife and dutiful children and was a fearful shock to his host of friends.

Never against his honored name was there ever the faintest semblance of stain. For forty-seven years he was a Methodist preacher, proclaiming the unsearchable riches of the Kingdom of life and light, a herald of the Everlasting Gospel of God's dear Son. He was mighty in prayer. And what would we not give to hear him again leading the

congregation in devotion!

But now his golden voice is hushed and his manly heart has ceased to beat. It will be all his wife can do to live without him, and his children and dear little grand children will ever call his name blessed, his brother Emmett and sister Carrie will remember him every day, and his mother, his aged mother — well, she will see him soon. And we his brethren in the ministry, shall miss his genial face and shall long in vain for his loved fellowship. Our Annual Conference will never be the same again now that brother Armstrong is gone.

Dear Friend, Hail! and Good-bye! Time passes swiftly on. We

confidently except to meet you again o'er in the land where the Spirits of men are made perfect. Beloved Friend, Hail! And Farewell!

A. D. PORTER.

REV. W. K. SIMPSON

Rev. W. K. Simpson was born in Middleton, Tennessee, August 8, 1857, and passed into the great beyond November 18, 1927, at Carrizo Springs, Texas, where he had gone with his wife, for the purpose of recuperating his heath. He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church South, in his early life. We have no record of his license to preach, or of his coming to Texas. He was admitted into the old Northwest Texas Conference November 24, 1886, and for eighteen years he served with acceptability, various charges in the Conference, DeLeon being his first and Robert Lee his last charge. At the end of his pastorate at Robert Lee, he took the Supernumerary relation, and made his home in that town. After a number of years he was placed on the "honor roll," which relation he sustained until his death.

Brother Simpson was a good preacher, and loved to preach the evangelical doctrine of Methodism. As a result of his ministry many sons and daughters were born into the Kingdom of God, and many saints rejoiced and shouted victory over the crumbling walls of sin and idolatry. As a Pastor he was jealous of the purity of the Church, and sought by persuasion and discipline, to get his people to observe the ordinances and rules of the Church. He sympathized with the weak and unfortunate of his flock, giving comfort to hundreds of troubled souls, enabling them again to rejoice in the glorious light of the Son of God.

As a Superannuate, he was held in the highest esteem by the people of Robert Lee, among whom he spent his life aftr his active ministry ceased. He married the young people, and gave them advice and encouragement, which probably prevented many a wreck on the high sea of matrimonial life. He buried the dead, and his good prayers and words of comfort brought solace to many a bereaved and broken heart. His devotion to the Church was strong, which made him a great factor in the growth and maintenance of the Church. His relation to the Pastor was loyal and brotherly. His wise counsel concerning the intricate problems of the Paster prevented many a failure on the part of the preacher. He believed in the program of the Church, and rejoiced in all her successes and sorrowed over her failures

Brother Simpson was a sick man all of his retired life, yet in spite of this handicap his ability to make money was only a little less than marvelous. He was a man of fine business acumen, which was demonstrated by the fact that he began business in Robert Lee with a small capital and increased his business year by year until he was counted among the leading mercantile men of the West. Besides his mercantile establishment, he had acquired several sections of Coke County lands, upon which are grazing herds of white faced cattle In his business

dealings he was kind and courteous, and during those strenuous years of drouth which were so common in the west, he showed his magnanimous spirit by carrying over many a man who could not meet his obli-

gations on acount of crop failures.

Brother Simpson was twice married, and to the first union there were born three children, two boys and one girl. After the death of his first wife he was married to Miss Cora Ballinger, at Millsap, Texas. To All this union there were born three children, one boy and two girls. these children are honored citizens of the community in which they live; and they, with his companion, remain to mourn their great loss. Brother Simpson's love for his family was beautiful. There was no sacrifice he would not make for their comfort and happiness. It was delightful to note his devotion to his wife and children in the privacy of the home as well as in public.

After the pure spirit of our friend and loved one had winged its flight into realms of glory, we laid his tired body to rest in the Robert Lee Cemetery, November 22, 1927, to await the resurrection morning. May the loved ones "Weep not as those who have no hope." The funeral service was conducted by Rev. A. D. Porter, Presiding Elder of the Brownwood District, assisted by R. B. Young of Coleman and J. A. Corder, Pastor of the Baptist Church at Robert Lee, Texas. Though he is gone from us, yet he lives on, here, to bless the lives which he touched.

R. B. YOUNG.

REV. J. B. BERRY

J. B. Berry, son of Alec and Nancy Berry, was born on a farm near Dawson, Texas, December 30, 1867. His mother died when he was ten days old and his grandmother had the responsibility of his early training. This she did in a splendid way. She brought him up in the fear and in the love of the Lord. He spoke often of the family altar in her home and of the devotion of his grandmother and his indebtedness to her.

Under such careful training and with the inspiration of her Godly life, he was brought early in life to accept Christ as his Saviour and to join the M. E. Church, South. He was reaerd on the farm, and attended the public school, graduating from the Dawson High School. Choosing for himself a business career, he attended a business college in Nashville, Tenn. This business education was very valuable to him throughout his life.

J. B. Berry was happily married to Miss Alice Wilkes in Dawson, on October 5, 1893. To this union were born three sons and two daughters, all of these with Sister Berry still survive him. Charles, Joe Lera, Edna (now Mrs. W. O. Jones), and Sister Berry all live in Fort Worth. The other son, Leslie, resides at Bryan, Texas. Brother Berry early in life entered the railroad service and continued in it for some years, serving at one time as station agent at Athens, Texas. He quit this service to enter the mercantile business at Hubbard, he heard the call to preach. Though financial success in the business world was very bright, he was not disobedient to the heavenly call, but gave himself to the work of a minister of Jesus Christ. He was licensed to preach

Feeling the need of additional education, he entered Southwestern University and graduated with honors from that institution in 1901. His business education and experience, together with his college training, gave him splendid preparation for the itenerant ministry. He joined the old Northwest Texas Conference in 1901. When the Conference divided in 1910, he became a member of the new Central Texas Conference. Brother Berry was at once recognized as a well equipped preacher and his first appointment was Eleventh Avenue, Corsicana, where he served for three years. In 1918, Bishop Ainsworth appointed

Brother Berry Presiding Elder of the Gatesville District. He rendered fine service on the district for four years. His health failed while on this district and he was compelled to retire for rest and the restoration of his health. At the next session of the Conference he reported that he was ready for work. He was appointed to the important and difficult task of Commissioner of Education. He rendered the Church invaluable service in this appointment for three years. Working beyond his strength, his health failed again and he was compelled to retire at the session of the Conference. He made a hard, persistent fight for the recovery of his health, but in spite of the best medical skill and his indomitable will, he fought a losing battle. In January, 1928, his heart began to fail, and on April 3, 1928, surrounded by his devoted wife and children, he went from his home in Fort Worth to his heavenly home.

Funeral services were conducted on April 5 in the Central Methodist Church, Fort Worth, by Dr. C. H. Booth, and Dr. W. H. Matthews, assisted by Rev. Caspar S. Wright, Rev. E. P. Williams. His body was laid to rest in the Dawson Cemetery, in the community where he was born and reared, where he was married, and where rest also his loved ones who have gone before. The funeral and burial services were attended by those who had known him and loved him since his childhood days. The pastor at Dawson, Rev. T. G. Story, ocnducted the funeral services at Dawson. Jesus teaches us that we can judge men only as we judge a tree, by the fruit they bear, the work they do, the lives they live. Judged by these standards, Brother Berry ranks high as a good and useful man. He was a good preacher, he knew Christ and His power to save, and loved to tell others about Him. He was a student of God's Word, he studied his congregation also and carefully prepared his sermons to meet their needs. He delivered his messages with earnestness and power. He was a thoughtful and painstaking pastor; he was interested in all the people that were committed to his care.

His ministry and work were constructive. He built a Church at Corsicana, paid a church debt at Granger, paid a parsonage debt at Moody, built the splendid church at Bartlett, also built the present parsonage at Arlington, and made good, full reports at Conference.

Brother Berry was a man of large vision. He could see and appreciate the whole program of the Church, and no man among us was more diligent in carrying out the entire program than was he. He was a good executive, as shown by his splendid work as Pastor, Presiding Elder and Commissioner of Education. Appointed Educational Commissioner at a critical period in the educational movement, he proved himself a good campaigner, an efficient collector, and as everywhere a hard worker and a good business man.

Knowing Brother Berry as I did, I am sure that the Master welcomed him to his eternal home with: "Well done, good and faithful servant." How wonderfully appropriate is the inscription on the memorial erected by his devoted wife and loving children, at his grave in Dawson:

"His toils are past, His work is done, He fought the fight, The victory won."

W. H. MATTHEWS.

REV. B. F. ALSUP

Rev. Benjamin Franklin Alsup was born in Polk County, Missouri, July 3, 1861, and died on July 6, 1928, at his home in Fort Worth, Texas. He was twice married and was the father of five children, all of whom survive him. He was converted at the age of eleven and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was licensed to preach in 1889 when

he was twenty-eight years of age, and joined the Southest Missouri Conference in 1892. He was ordained deacon in 1895 and ordained elder by Bishop Fitzgerald in 1897. Removing from Missouri to Texas, he was located for a few years, but was re-admitted into the traveling connection located for a few years, but was re-admitted into the traveling connection in 1906, joining the old Northwest Texas Conference. At the time of the conference division, he remained in the Central Texas. Beginning with his re-admission he served the following charges: Millsap, two years; Weatherford circuit, two years; Venus, one year; Comanche, two years; Kennedale, four years; Valera, two years; Thornton, two years; Couts Memorial (Weatherford), two years; Valley Mills, one year; Glen Rose, two years, and Maypearl, one half year. At the last named place he broke down and it was known that his work was practically over. He removed with his wife to one of the superannuate homes in Fort Worth. removed with his wife to one of the superannuate homes in Fort Worth, where he dwelt until he was called to his Heavenly home.

Sister Alsup was Miss Virginia Bond, daughter of a Methodist preacher of Missouri, their children are: Mrs. W. B. Hines of Springfield, Mo., Miss Alice Alsup, who is a missionary in Soochow, China; Mrs. D. C. Stark, Mrs. L. M. Hall and John F. Alsup, all of Fort Worth,

Texas.

Brother Alsup suffered long and patiently, never complaining. He placed himself in the hands of God to await His will and pleasure. He was a preacher of the old type, some of his favorite themes were repentance, faith, justification, regeneration and the witness of the Spirit. He believed that the gospel of Jesus Christ was the power of God unto Salvation to every one that believed. He was a man of pronounced opinions and had the courage of his convictions. He knew what he believed and was ready to defend these principles at any time or place.

Brother Alsup was a great pastor. He interpreted strictly and literally his ordination vows to "Visit from house to house." No man was ever more diligent in his effort to reach the people, to assure them of his interest and sympathy and to impress them with his readiness to serve them at all times and under all conditions, at times supplying their needs out of his own resources. He was cautious, discreet, careful and very reserved in his remarks about brethren of the ministry and the

people whom he served.

It was the privilege of this writer to be his presiding elder for four years and in his home frequently. His home life with his family was ideal. Every appointment was accepted as under God and every parish the best, big or little, easy or hard all service ranked the same with him and every charge loomed large, with responsibility he trembled to bear. A rare man measured by every dimension; stalwart of frame, muscles of iron and nerves of steel, eye like an eagle, a lofty dome with kingly poise, adamantine of will, courageous of soul and unafraid, yet beneath that adamantine of will, courageous of soul and unarraid, yet beleath that stern exterior dwelt a knightly soul and beat a heart as tender as a woman's. Honesty, sincerity and integrity blazed their white light through every atom of his being. He was powerful in prayer, and knew how to talk to God in public and in private.

He was my friend, I loved him. I shall miss him. We walked and talked and preached together. I shall see him again. He has left a

legacy to his family more precious than rubies and more enduring than

gold.

Peace be to his sleeping dust.

M. K. LITTLE.

REV. JNO. M. BARCUS. D. D.

Dr. Jno. M. Barcus who departed this life in a Fort Worth hospital at 7:50 a.m. on Tuesday, June 12, at the age of 67, was an outstanding figure in Texas Methodism. He came of a great Methodist stock. Perhaps no one family has made so great a contribution to Texas Methodism as that which issued from the union of Edward Rosemond

and Mary Francis Barcus. From this splendid family has gone forth a great company of distinguished ministers and foreign missionaries and college presidents and a host of loyal, capable leaders among the laity. Dr. Jno. Barcus gave nearly a half century to the work of the ministry. As an eighteen year old boy in the year 1880 he was licensed to preach at the old Bruceville Camp Meeting in McLennan County. The Presiding Elder was Rev. Thos. Stanford, whose family has also contributed largely to Methodism in Texas. The Stanford and Barcus family ilies have always been closely interlinked both by ties of friendship and by marriage. Brother Barcus preached his first sermon at the afternoon service on the same day that he was licensed.

He joined the Northwest Texas Conference at Cleburne in 1882. By a strange coincidence he ended his ministry there while serving the

second year of his second pastorate at Main Street Church.

His appointments were as follows: 1882-3 Junior Preacher Mt. Calm Ct.; 1883-5 Temple and Taylor (Half Station); 1885-7 Graham; 1887-9 Alvarado; 1889-91 Mulkey Memorial (He was the first Pastor); 1891-4 Vernon Station; 1894-5 Vernon District; 1895-9 First Church, Temple; 1899-02 Main Street, Cleburne; 1902-6 Corsicana District; 1906-10 Georgetown Station; 1910-11 First Church, Weatherford (4 months); 1911 Jacksonville Station (8 months); 1911-12 President of Alexander oCllegiate Institute, now Lon Morris College; 1912-14 Waxahachie; 1914-18 Hillsboro District; 1918-20 Central Church, Fort Worth; 1920-21 Secretary of the Christian Education movement in the Central Texas Conference; 1921-4 Georgetown District; 1924-6 Corsicana District; 1926-28 Main Street, Cleburne.

During his ministry Dr. Barcus built the first Methodist Churches built at Temple and Taylor, remodeled a Church at Vernon and built the present Churches at Mulkey Memorial and Main St., Cleburne. For many years he has been one of the most influential and trusted leaders in his Conference. Twenty-one times he was elected secretary of the Conference, serving from 1890 through 1910. For many years he has represented his Conference on the Joint Board of Publication of the Texas Christian Advocate. At the time of his death he was secretary of the Conference Brotherhood. He represented his Conference in six general Conferences, serving first in 1898. He was a member of the General Epworth League Board 1898-1910. He was a member of the Committee on Appeals 1910-1922.

Dr. Barcus was, in the full meaning of the phrase, "a good minister of Jesus Christ." He was a faithful Pastor, a wise administrator and a strong preacher. He was a good man. He believed and lived the Gospel that he preached. No matter how his brethren might differ with him in matters of policy no man ever questioned the sincerity and integrity of Jno. M. Barcus. For fifty years as a good soldier of Christ he bore an untarnished shield. There has never been a blot on his escutcheon. When we think of Jno. Barcus he reminds us of the sturdy oak. He calls to mind Tennyson's tribute to the Duke of Wellington.

> "O iron nerve to true occasion true, O fallen at length, that tower of strength, That stood four square to every wind that blew."

And yet those who knew him best knew also the gentleness and tenderness intermingled with his sturdy strength and that he was a modest man almost to the point of timidity.

Dr. Barcus was true and great in all the holier, closer relations of life, as a son, as a brother, as a husband and as a father. His home life was beautiful and one of his finest contributions to the world is the splendid family he leaves to carry on his work. He was married in 1885 at Belton to Miss Mary McCrary. Seven splendid children survive

him, three sons, Shelton, James and John, and four adughters, Allie,

Margaret, Frances and Helen. One daughter, Louise, died in infancy.
We can never think of the life of Dr. Barcus without thinking of his relation to Southwestern University. He was one of the Southwestern's greatest sons. The old school never had a more loyal sup-porter nor a more doughty champion than he has been through all the years. He was the first M. A. graduate of Southwestern, receiving this degree in 1882. In 1905 the University conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. Every one of his seven children have been educated at Southwestern. For 32 years he has been a trustee of this institution and in all that time he never missed a meeting of the Board save the one held during his last illness. At the time of his death he was Dean of the Pastors' School of Southwestern.

Dr. Barcus was a great singer of Christian hymns. His brethren will always think of him as "the sweet singer" of the Central Texas Conference. We shall always remember him as he used to sing in our

memorial services.

"Weep not for a brother deceased, Our loss is his infinite gain.'

Can we ever forget the shining radiance of his face as he used to lead the Conference in singing the great old hymns our Methodist fathers

Just a few Sundays before his death, on last Mother's Day, he held a very unique service in his church at Cleburne. In place of a sermon he had arranged a number of talks and he himself was to make the closing talk. When his time came he said "I am not going to talk. I am going to give you my message in a song." And then he sang as only Jno. Barcus could sing it.

> "I saw a way worn traveler, In tattered garments clad, And struggling up the mountain It seemed that he was sad; His back was laden heavy, His strength was almost gone, Yet he shouted as he journeyed, Deliverance will come." "Then palms of victory, crowns of glory, Palms of victory I shall wear."

We can never think of our dear brother as a wayworn traveler clad in the tattered garments of an enfeebled old age. He was taken away in the midst of an effective ministry and in the fullness of his great powers. "His eye was not dim, neither was his natural strength abated."

He was buried from the First Methodist Church of Fort Worth. The service was conducted by the Pastor, Dr. E. B. Hawk, assisted by the following ministers: J. W. Fort, C. S. Wright, E. P. Williams, Horace Bishop and the writer. Bishop Jno. M. Moore was present and, as a chief Pastor of the Church, expressed his high esteem of Dr. Barcus as a man and a minister. The great auditorium was filled. Multitudes of former parishioners were present and a great company of ministers, not only from his own Conference but from all parts of Texas. His stewards bore his body tenderly and lovingly to its resting place in Greenwood Cemetery. Some day very soon we shall see him again. And when we see him he will not be a weary, wayworn traveler but he will be bearing palms of victory and wearing an imperishable crown of glory.

CULLOM H. BOOTH. crown of glory.

ELIJAH FLOYD BOONE

Elijah Floyd Boone, the subject of this sketch, was born in Bedford County, Tennessee, September 5, 1845. He was the third member in the order of birth of a household of eleven children born to Howard and Elizabeth Floyd Boone. His parents moved to Arkansas in 1850. Here the boyhood years were spent in the wholesome atmosphere of the farm home. When a youth of barely sixteen years of age he responded to the call of his country by enlisting in the army of the Confederacy where for four years he shared the hardships and the experiences incident to the struggle between the states. It was while he was wearing the uniform of a soldier that he entered into an experience of grace which went far toward determining the course of his after years. To use his own language, he was "powerfully converted" August 8, 1864. This event was as significant and definite with him as was the Damascus awakening to Saul of Tarsus. It was never to him the fullness of the divine revelation, but a most gracious and assuring beginning of it, and to it he often referred with godly pride and becoming humility.

After receiving his discharge from the army in Marshall, Texas, Cherokee County. He spent a short time in teaching school. On March 26, 1865, he united with the Methodist Church at Lowe's Chapel on May 15, 1866, he took as the companion of his life Miss Mattie Jane Wherry who for forty-two years was a constant inspiration to him, sharing as she did in a most sympathetic and understanding way the work of the ministry. To them were born four sons and six daughters, all of whom

Brother Boone was licensed to preach at Alto, Texas, in 1867, and was admitted the following year into the East Texas Conference under Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Marvin, November 6, 1870, and elder two years later by Bishop Keener. In 1887 he was transfered to the Northwest Texas Conference where he was one of the effective ministers until the division of the conference in 1909 when he automaticaly came into the Central Texas.

The list of appointments which he always graciously received from the church were as follows: Rusk Circuit 1 year; Larissa Circuit 1 year; Athens Circuit 3 years; Larissa 1 year; Palistine station 4 years; Marshall station 2 years; Rusk circuit 4 years; Jacksonvile circuit 3 years; Hilsboro station 1 year; Brucevile circuit 3 years; Weatherford station 1 year; Gatesville district 4 years; Missouri Avenue station; Fort Worth, 1 year; Ennis station 1 year; Dublin station 4 years; Weatherford district 4 years; Bartlett station 3 years; Whitney 1 year; Mount Calm 1 year. At the session of the conference held at Polytechnic in 1911 he asked for the superannuate relation and no man of our Methodism ever graced this rank of worthy heroes of the cross with a better spirit than Rev. E. F. Boone.

It is easy to chronicle the events of a human life, but it is exceedingly difficult to worthily evaluate the work and ministry of a true man of God. Especialy is it true in the itinerant system of Methodism that one gives larger oportunity for evidencing the spirit of consecration and sows and another reaps. But perhaps there is no church whose policy gives more abandon to the work of the kingdom than does ours. To Brother Boone, Methodism was an agent of the Lord in directing his work. He loved her doctrine, he gloried in her history and traditions, he magnified in his personal living her lofty standards of practical holiness, he was the heart of loyalty to her methods of proceedure and rejoiced in her as the highest and best expression of Apostolic Christianity.

He was a man of the Word. He knew the great fundamental teachings of the Bible and made them the themes for his pulpit ministrations. Prayer was more than petition with him; it was communion, fellowship, and often the exultant realization of the divine presence. Few men of the

church have committed to memory more of the great hymns or delighted in singing them more than did Brother Boone. He discovered in Christ the secret of triumphant living which he most wonderfuly exemplified both in the days of his strength, and in the hours of suffering. He never lost the radiance of life. He could have penned it with all sincerity, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord," for his absence from even a mid-week service of First Church, Fort Worth, was ever the occasion of an inquiry. He was an unusual inspiration to every Pastor who served him in the days of his superannuation, not only by his appreciative presence in the pew, but by his alertness of mind and his confidence in the transcendent worth and ultimate victory of the things of the Kingdom.

He loved and was loved. The ministry of his children in the linger weeks of his life was surpassingly beautiful. His sick room was a flower garden through the expressions of those to whom he had ministered many, many years before, as well as of those who had known him in his declining days. But few saints of the Lord are privileged to die so well. Heaven was no great surprise to him for his conversation

had long since been there.

In his going, July 16, 1928, he left a rich ministry to the world and the Church in deeds, in word and in life, and

As Parsifal of old a knight became, And gave his powers to a holy quest — All baser part consumed as by a flame -So he was fain, at Love's divine behest, To yield both heart and spirit to the claim By life made visible and manifest. EUGENE B. HAWK.

REV. S. J. VAUGHAN

Rev. S. J. Vaughan was born in Pickens County, Alabama, July 25, 1859, and "fell on sleep" at Cisco, Texas, July 31, 1928. His father, "Uncle" Billy Vaughn, was an itinerant Methodist preacher for fifty years and was one of the pioneers of Texas, and thus S. J. had upon his young life the beneficent influences of the Church. It is not surprising that he was converted at the tender age of 9. His own father received him into the Church. At the age of 18 he matriculated as a student at Granbury College, intending at the completion of his college course, to study medicine. But the Lord had other work for him to do. That first year in college, while conducting a prayer meeting for young men, the Lord wonderfully blessed him and that little company of college boys. Following this came immediately a renewal of his call to preach. Te tells it in his diary: "The impression to preach grew on me, but I warded it off, saying nothing to anyone about it. Finally I decided to settle the matter, and so, fasted all day and spent the time in a grove at prayer. It was there I decided to give my life to the ministry, and shortly afterward confided the matter to my Presiding Elder, Rev. J. P. Mussett." In 1879 he was licensed to preach and his license was signed by J. P. Mussett, Presiding Elder. In 1880 he was admitted on trial into the old Northwest Texas Conference. He superannuated in 1920. These dates indicate that he was an active itinerant 40 years. However, he stated to the writer last fall that there was an intermission of about three years during which he was in the local ranks. Shortly after his superannuation there was built for him and his wife a superannuate home at Cisco, and in this they lived until God called him to his heavenly home. On December 22, 1880, Brother Vaughan was married to Miss Laura

Alice Spruill. This was the happy consummation of a mutual love dating back to their college days. So splendidly did she direct the

affairs of their parsonage home that she greatly enhanced the life and labors of her itinerant husband. Ten children came to bless their

home, and nine of these, with the wife, mourn his going.

He served the following charges as Pastor or Presiding Elder: Granbury, Whitt, Jacksboro, Breckenridge, Moody, Granbury, Hutto and Round Rock, Cisco, Colcrado, Mineral Wells, Merkel, Gatesville District, Dublin District and Cisco District. The last year of his active work he was special representative for Southwestern University. At the close of this year he asked for the superannuate relation and it was granted to him. He had been a superannuate almost eight years.

S. J. Vaughan was a good man. Love for God and loyalty to the Kingdom of Jesus Christ characterized his life. He was willing to endure hardness as a good soldier of Jesus Christ, and did, throughout his entire ministry. Brother Vaughan knew and loved the doctrines of the Methodist Church. It gave him great pleasure to preach the distinctive doctrines of Methodism, and yet, so brotherly was he, that those who did not accept those doctrines, were not offended. His greatest joy was in calling sinners to repentance. He believed in the power of the Holy Ghost and depended upon that power to convict and convert the sinner. The result was that he held some great revivals and thousands were converted through his ministry. Many in that day will rejoice because he lived and wrought in the Kingdom of Christ.

For some months previous to his death he was secretary of the public schools of Cisco, and was daily at his desk in his office, doing most efficiently the work committed to his hands. On July 27th he had worked at his desk as usual, and in the evening returned to his little home and was sitting reading when he was taken violently ill. A physician was summoned, and other physicians came into consultation. But his work was done. He lingered till the following Tuesday, in full possession of his mental faculties, then, suddenly, he went to be forever W. B. ANDREWS,

with the Lord.

REV. J. HALL BOWMAN

J. Hall Bowman, beloved as a Pastor, and faithful as a member of the Central Texas Conference, following a short illness, laid down his armor, and entered into rest, from his parsonage home in Rising Star,

Texas, in the early morning of August 4, 1928.

If one's usefulness in life is given bent and direction by one's one's ancestry, then the subject of this sketch was in a noble succession. Of his great-grandfather, the Rev. Matthew Bowman, it is said: "He was a very pious, active, and useful preacher"; and of his grandfather, the Rev. James Bowman, for whom a memorial window was placed in the Washington City Church, the record is that "he preached acceptably and usefully for many years". Each of these preached in the preached acceptably for many years." ably and usefully for many years." Each of these men, in his own time and way, helped to lay the foundations of Methodism in Mississippi, Tennessee, and Louisiana. Thornton Hardy Bowman ,his father, was no less useful as a layman than were his father and grandfather. in the ranks of the local ministry. During T. H. Bowman's long and active career he was an official in the Church , serving as Steward, Sunday School Superintendent, and in other capacities. His mother, Mary Hall Bowman, was a woman of grace and culture, receiving her education in the State Female College, at Greenwood, a few miles out of Memphis, Tennessee.

J. Hall Bowman was born to Thornton Hardy and Mary Hall Bowman, in Ouchita Parish, Louisiana, August 19, 1871. The following year the Bowmans came to Texas, and made their home in Belton. Two years later they removed to Austin, where for the next eighteen years T. H. Bowman was in public office, serving as Pro-Rate Secretary and as Secretary of State. He was prominent in Church and State circles, and was much sought after on public occasions, because

of his marked ability as a speaker.

Hall Bowman was converted in childhood, and at the age of nine he united with our First Church in Austin. He was educated in private schools in that city, and at Southwestern University. Following his college course he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1895, at Big Spring, Texas, by Judge Wm. Kennedy, of the Third Judicial District. For the next ten years Hall Bowman practiced his profession in Belton, Temple, and Mineral Wels, Texas, and during that period he served as City Attorney of Belton, and for four years was a member of the State Executive Committee.

On July 7, 1899, at Lorena, Texas, he was happily united in mar-

riage to Miss Lily Hodges, the daughter of a brilliant Presbyterian minister. To this union was born one daughter, Miss Rosemary, who with her mother, survives him, and with her mourns the loss of a devoted father and husband. Brother Bowman had a deep and an abiding love for his family that was exhibited in many tokens of tender and solicitous regard. His own stainted mother left the deep impress of her love upon him; and he held ever as a precious memory the recollection of his step-mother who came into his ilfe when he

was but eight years of age.

Notwithstanding the bright prospects which were before him in the legal profession, the call of God to special service did not go unheeded. In the spring of 1906 he was licensed to preach by the Weatherford District Conference, and that fall he was admitted on trial in the old Northwest Texas Conference in its session at Brownwood. By nature and by grace Brother Bowman was well fitted for pastoral work, and in this loved task he was successful to a marked degree. He served the following appointments: Farmer's Circuit, two years; Breckenridge, two years; Olney, one year; Graham, four years; Moody, one year; Hamilton, two years; Meridian, two years, one as Pastor, and the second year as Pastor and College President. The first year he was in Meridian he taught Bible in the College, and was appointed Y. M. C. A. Secretary by the Government. In June of 1919 he was elected President of Meridian College, and he continuof 1919 he was elected President of Meridian Conege, and he continued in this important position until November, 1923, when, at his own request, he was given a pastoral charge. He served Santa Anna three years; Herring Avenue, Waco, one year; and he was in the first year of a very successful pastorate at Rising Star when his release came.

Hall Bowman was a good preacher. Preached in the final analytic produced. Under his ministry produced.

sis must be judged by the results produced. Under his ministry people were converted, the Church edified, and the Kingdom advanced. He loved his task with a passion that grew with the years. To his more intimate friends he bared the secret longings of his soul that his might be a more efficient and fruitful ministry. This lofty desre, however, was known to all by reason of his faithful and loyal life. The song that he loved most of all, best of all expressed his ruling

ruling passion.

"I love to tell the story, Of unseen things above, Of Jesus and His glory, Of Jesus and His love. I love to tell the story, Because I know 'tis true; It satisfies my longings, As nothing else can do."

He was a faithful Pastor. He loved the membership of his Churches, and was loved by them in return. He made strong and lasting friendships; he was himself a true and loyal friend. was nothing showy or uncertain about his methods of work, and nothing transient in his plans. He moved quietly along the avenues of life, but his influence abides on earth, and his record is secure on high. Modesty became him like a beautiful garment. He was retiring, unselfish, and without ambition, save as this might more easily enable him to serve his Lord.

With robust health and more vigorous strength - one may not say that he would have done a better work - but it is altogether likely that he would have been called to a more extensive service and to heavier tasks.

It is difficult to estimate the most important phase of a man's life and ministry. Perhaps it is fair to say that the most outstanding and far reaching service that Hall Bowman rendered was in the field of Christian Education. In the class room, and in the office of President of the Meridian College, he found opportunity to come in contact with youth in a helpful way. In the years to come, in the lives of his students and co-laborers, it will be found true that "being dead, he yet speaketh.

The tall, spare form of J. Hall Bowman will be missed on our Annual Conference floors and in our various meetings and assemblies. He never shirked a duty or avoided a task, and did well whatever he was appointed to do. Others came to depend on him, and his judgment was sound on matters pertaining to the interests of the Church. This quiet, modest, unassuming, Southern gentleman, who for more than a score of years has gone in and out amongst us, will be more sadly missed the more that his associates and co-laborers realize that he is

now no longer with us as in the days of yore. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lily Bowman, and his daughter, Miss Rosemary Bowman, who reside at Rising Star, and by his sisters, Mrs. Joe Borden, of Desdemona; Mrs. Tom Harper, of Austin, and Mrs. Wm. R. Davis, of Florence; and by his brothers, T. H. and J. T. Bowman, of Austin.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist Church at Rising Star, August 5, by his former Presiding Elder, Rev. P. E. Riley, assisted by Mr. H. B. Furr, of Breckenridge. Following the service at the Church, his body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Rising Star. "Servant of God, well done! Thy glorious warfare's past;

The battle's fought, the race is won, and thou art crowned at last."

P. E. RILEY.

MRS. W. L. NELMS

Among the prominent preachers and leaders of the Northwest Texas Conference from 1867 to 1890 was W. R. D. Stockton. He filled successfully Circuits, Stations and Districts of great importance. His faithful wife was with him and constantly made the Preachers Home a delightful place.

They had two charming daughters, Lena and Mamie. Mamie married Rev. H. B. Henry. She has long since been with the Angels. Lena married one of our conspicuous leaders, Rev. W. L. Nelms, now a Superannuate.

They were married December 17th, 1879, in Cleburne, Texas, where he was stationed at that time. He was a promising, popular and eminently successful Preacher and Pastor. She entered the Parsonage Home as one to the manner born, and with grace and dignity assumed the responsibility of home-maker and Parsonage manager. She became the mother of children whom she raised and trained to become honorable citizens as well as useful members of the Church. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stephen S. Mc-Kinney. Her whole life was spent in a Parsonage.

She was a model minister's wife, devoted, intelligent, and efficient mother. Not given to any form of extravagance, her word was taken as literal and exact truth and her sincerity thorough. Her home was an open house, whether in a District or Station Parsonage to her friends and to the representatives of the Church. She knew how to welcome her guests and put them at ease. She was a devout Christian. Her children had the training that succeeds in making them useful citizens and respected members of her Church.

Her husband could trust her safely and to the utmost limit. She loved the hymns of the Church. She appreciated the poetry of "Lead Kindly Light" and "Crossing the Bar," but she worshipped best when singing "How firm a foundation" and "Jesus Lover of my soul". Neither critics nor scientists ever modified her faith or diminished her appreciation of the old family Bible that lay on the stand, an ornament to the Pastor's home of her childhood. She continued to adorn the Gospel in such Parsonages as they occupied.

Loved by the women of the Church and highly esteemed by others

who had no such affiliation, trusted to the last limit by her husband and reverenced by her large family, a model woman who after long and painful illness she has joined with her Father and Mother and

Sister Mamie among the Immortals.

Her long afflicted husband, seeking health in vain, appeals to our sympathies and calls for our prayers.

MRS. NOLA ANN CREED

Mrs. Nola Ann Creed, wife of Rev. J. J. Creed, Pastor of Sylvania Methodist Church of Fort Worth fell on sleep at the All Saints Hospital at Fort Worth at 5:30 a. m. July 14, 1928, to awake in that city that hath foundations whose builder and maker is God. Mrs. Creed was born in Montague, Texas, on July 1, 1876. She was left without a mother when she was only twelve years of age, but under the guiding hand of a devoted father and step-mother together with brothers and sisters her early training was ideal for the development of that beautiful Christian character that she manifested in all of her contacts with her friends.

Mrs. Creed was educated in the public schools of Montague and Polytechnic College. It was in Polytechnic where I first met this fine Christian young woman. We knew her there as Miss Nola. I had the honor of introducing her to the young preacher, Rev. J. J. Creed, whom she later married. She took an active part in all of the college activities, and was a leader in all religious work, both in the college and local Church. The entire student body had the profoundest respect for her and the influence of this dear woman still abides with those who knew her in her college days.

She and the Rev. J. J. Creed, at that time a popular young Pastor of the Boulevard Methodist Church of Fort Worth, were married in Duncan, Oklahoma, on July 10, 1901. No nobler hearts and lives were Duncan, Oklahoma, on July 10, 1901. No nobler hearts and lives were ever united in the holy bonds of matrimony than John Creed and Nola Ann Brown. Their wedded life was one long day of happiness and mutual love and trust. To this union eight children were born: Mrs. R. C. Knight (Mary), Ruth, John, James, Steven, David and Helen Grave Creed. They all are living. A finer family of boys and girls you seldom find. She is survived by her husband and the eight children, also two brothers, Dr. B. S. Brown of George West, Texas, Professor Brigger Brown of Stanford University and two sisters. Mrs. Professor Buford Brown of Stanford University, and two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Jackson of Duncan, Oklahoma, and Mrs. H. F. Grimes of Columbia, Missouri.

Mrs. Creed was converted when a mere child and joined the Methodist Church where she lived and labored until her untimely death. God was real to her. He was her divine Father. To Him she gave her love and service. Her life was given to her friends, children, husband and Church and as a reward for her sacrificial service she has entered in the Father's House to await the coming of her friends and loved ones. My own life has been enriched by having known this dear Christian woman. May our Good Father keep those that are left behind.

MRS. CASPAR S. WRIGHT

Those of us who had long known Mrs. Caspar S. Wright share deeply in the sorrow which came to her husband and other loved ones

when she died in the early morning of July 28, 1928.

She was the kind of woman who answers perfectly to a description in the younger Lord Tennyson's Life of his father: "A good woman is a wondrous creature, cleaving to the right and to the good under all change; lovely in youthful comeliness, lovely in all her life lovely in comeliness of heart." And there are literally thousands in the various congregations which she with her husband had served who felt that there had passed away a gentle, well-poised, gracious influence from their lives when she went from earth to heaven.

She was born and reared in Spalding County, Georgia, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Scott; named Alice Elizabeth. She was married to Caspar S. Wright on November 9, 1892; and, one may say, they entered the ministry together when only about two weeks later, on November 27, he joined the North Georgia Conference—he that of the authorized service of the Church, she the ministry of encouragement and inspiration to him and of friendly helpfulness to all those over whom he had pastoral care. So, these two shared from

the beginning all the experiences of the Methodist itinerancy.

For eleven years they remained in Georgia; and then for twenty-five they served in the Western cities of Fort Smith, Ark., St. Louis, Mo., and El Paso, Galveston, Houston, Austin, San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. In all these places Mrs. Wright was an important factor in the congregational life of the charges of which her husband was either Pastor or Presiding Elder. She had a lively interest in people. She knew them as individuals, and had a canny way of keeping in formed about them personally. A leading member of his official board in Austin said to Dr. Wright, "When I want to know about any of our church members I just call up Sister Wright." It was the sort of friendly concern—not gossipy or curious—which somebody ought to have in everybody in a Christian congregation. Of course she was loved in every one of their Churches. It was a striking testimonial of affectionate honor of her that, after her death, a young Matrons Misaffectionate honor of her that, after her death, a young Matrons Missionary Society was organized in Central Church, and named the Alice E. Wright Missionary Society.

Mrs. Wright had been a sufferer for years, during which her physical endurance was tried to the utmost. The final two weeks were terribly severe, and it was impossible for her to rally. When the end came there was relief even to the breaking hearts of her dear ones. They could sing in the midst of their sorrow:

Lo, the prisoner is released, Lightened of her earthly load; Where the weary are at rest, She is gathered into God.

Notwithstanding her illness the last year cf her life was probably in some respects the happiest. Her son, Walker—her only child always the idol of her heart, had completed his medical course and a year's internship in an Atlanta hosnital, and had come with his young bride—who ideally fulfilled Mrs. Wright's longing for a daughter to Fort Worth to begin the practice of his profession. The two young people added their own joy to the parsonage home, and took under their youthful protection the sweet mother in her failing health. So

there was at eventide a soft shining of the light auspicious of the light of love in heaven. And now the memory of her in the hearts of husband and children invites them with new solicitation to the home

The funeral of Sister Wright was held from Central Church, Fort Worth, of which her husband is Pastor. Dr. C. H. Booth, Presiding Elder, was in charge of the services, and Dr. James Kilgore, of Southern Methodist University, preached the sermon—selecting very aptly for his text, certain passages from the 31st chapter of Proverbs, descriptive of the ideal woman.

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The members of the congregation of Central Church were deeply moved by their pastor's bereavement, as well as by their own sense of loss. They were affectionately attentive to him and his family during

the time of Mrs. Wright's sickness and after her death.

We, his brethren in the ministry, enter lovingly with all these bereaved ones into the sorrow which their loss has brought, and into the joy of the hope of eternal life which is kindled anew in the heart of our dear brother since God has called his dear life's partner to the other side.

C. M. BISHOP.

MRS. CHARLES STANTON FIELD

Josephine Grace (Goode) Field was born in Alabama May 17, 1860.. When she was a little child her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Goode, moved to Texas and settled in Bell County. She was one of a family of five daughters and two sons. They were members of the Baptist Communion.

In 1873 they were living on a farm on Hackberry Creek and near a Methodist Church, which they attended regularly.

On October 28, 1885, she was married to Rev. C. S. Field, an intelligent and promising young preacher on the Belton Circuit. She soon became a useful, happy and energetic help-mate to her husband in his work. For twenty-five years her home was in parsonages on circuits and stations.

After that Brother Field was appointed Sunday School Secretary and she was placed in charge of Elementary and Junior Sunday School work for the Northwest Texas Conference. She went with her husband to many cities and towns in Texas and made friends wherever she went.

In all her work she was an evangelist of love to God and man.

But her health began to fail and three years ago she had to rest. She was never able again to serve. Her mission was to endure. A little more than a year ago she was paralyzed and became practically helpless. Her husband took her to Atlanta, where she had a daughter and where she could be in Emory Hospital. She discovered that her case was hopeless and insisted on returning to her home in Dallas, where her older daughter lived. On the way home she died near Birmingham, Ala. They turned and came home by way of Memphis, Tenn., and thence to Highland Park, Dallas. She was buried from the home there.

During her last illness she talked of nothing but love, God's love, Christian love, family love, until at last at 3:20 o'clock October 2, 1928, she passed into the Home where all is love.

On a bright Sunday morning in an old Southern city of Atlanta, Ga., Sister Field was passing. Alone with her Brother Field knelt by her bedside and holding her hand read to her the Twenty-third Psalm. When he came to the verse "Yea, tho I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil," too faint to speak she pressed his hand, opened her eyes and with a radiant smile gave her emphatic assent. Death had no fears nor terrors for her and she said during her last illness, "I know I shall pass to a better life and join that happy, blessed

and immortal company, and have fellowship with loved ones gone before and you who will soon follow me."

She leaves a husband and two devoted children, Clara Sharp, who lives in Highland Park, Dallas, and Josie Sanders, who lives in Atlanta. One of her sisters has preceded her, the other three and her two brothers and sisters rally to his needs and hover about him, while sympathizing friends are breathing prayers that he may meet her again.

MRS. W. C. HILBURN

Martha Francis Overall was born in Dyer, Gibson County, Tennessee, May 8, 1886. Her parents, Edmond and Martha Overall, were devout Christians and loyal Methodists, as were her grandparents. All through her life she recalled with pleasure the visits of Methodist preachers to her home. Their consecrated lives and holy conversation made a profound and lasting impression on her receptive mind. It is therefore not surprising that in early life she gave her heart to God and joined the Church of her parents. No doubt that these early impressions laid the foundation for her willingness to accept so cheerfully the toil and sacrifice incident to a Methodist parsonage of those early days. When only two years old her mother died, leaving her in the home of her grandparents. A few years later she went to live with an aunt with whom she remained until on November 8, 1888, she was united in marriage with Rev. W. C. Hilburn. One week after this union they moved to Texas. During the first year of their residence in Texas her husband taught school and farmed. In the fall of 1889 Brother Hilburn was received into the traveling connection by the Northwest Texas Conference and for thirty-seven years these choice lives were given without stinting Kingdom service. Together they moved forward in the work assigned them with great faith and an assured confidence because they believed wherever sent it was of the Lord.

Their parsonage homes were blessed of God by giving to them eight children, Clara, Herburt Spencer, Anna Lillian. Marvin Benson, Ruth Francis, Thelma Lina, Mildred Tye and Charles Wesley. All the children are alive and in their own lives bear testimony to noble characters and Christian culture given them by their parents.

Truly this good woman filled the Scriptural ideal of a true wife and mother. Her price was above rubies and the heart of her husband safely trusted in her. She did him good and not evil all the days of her life. Strength and honor were her clothing and through the lives of her children and the devoted love of friends she still lives and rejoices. Her tongue was the law of kindness and she looked well to her household so that her children rise up and call her blessed.

It was the privilege of the writer to be entertained in this consecrated home quite often during the years of 1896-7-89 and 1900 and occasionally during later years. The door was always wide open to friends and visitors. The old-fashioned Methodist hospitality overflowed to every one who came that way. Jesus was not a silent guest in that home. Through the lives of these noble and true "friends" of His, Christ was ever speaking, hence the bauty and joy of the home fellowship.

Several times the appointments given these worthy itinerants were hard to be understood. Salary small so that the most rigid economy was necessary to make ends meet, but in all this "they sinned not" by word or act of complaint. With an unfaltering confidence in the Divine leadings they pressed forward toward the mark of their high calling, fidelity and lovalty to the great cause they had espoused. The pastor is in "the eye of the people" and they speak words of encouragement and the warm grip of the hand speeds him on his way. Not always the case with the precious woman of the parsonage home. Oftentimes the worries and burdens of the home require more wisdom and patience endurance

than duties of the pulpit and pew. Oftentimes the wife and mother toils and weeps alone with only the eye of the All-Father to see and understand.

The noble true wife and mother is content that the "children have food" and that "her husband is known in the gates when he sitteth among the elders of the land." I have sometimes thought as much or more credit for the success of our great church is due to the "home immortals" than to any one else. Sister Hilburn was a tower of strength to her great husband. She was profoundly interested in every detail of his work. It was an abiding subject of her prayer and its success was the "daily bread of her joy." She was a kind and helpful neighbor. No distress or sickness of the community failed to touch her sympathetic heart and call forth a helping hand.

After a brief illness on February 8 an angel drew aside the curtain and she quietly passed to join her husband in the palace of the King.

In the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends the funeral services were held in the Polytechnic Methodist Church by her pastor, Rev. J. W. Fort, assisted by the writer.

She is not dead, for there is no death. What seems so is but the portal to fields of glory.

O. F. SENSABAUGH.

MRS. DORA McCARTER

On the evening of March 28, 1928, there passed from this earth one who was exceedingly dear to us.

From her home in the city of Waco, Texas, Mrs. Dora McCarter passed to her reward. She was buried beside her dear little son John Galloway, at Bosqueville, near Waco. Two light strokes of paralysis about two years ago rendered her almost helpless and a great sufferer until her going away. It is difficult to write dispassionately of one to whom we owe so much; and yet, perhaps, we are better prepared than

any one else to say a few things that ought to be said.

Her maiden name was Dora Cain. She was born in Louisiana on March 3, 1869, of devout parents on her mother's side; her father was not religious until late in life. Her parents moved to Texas with her when she was a mere child. They settled in Coryell County, where her devoted mother sleeps. She was but 13 yars of age when she lost her mother. Thrown at this tender age upon a cold and almost friendless world, she had a hard battle; but with that superb courage and indomitable will which always characterized her, she threw herself into her duties and made good. Best of all, she was powerfully converted in her early days and was a devoted Christian ever after. Her bright and kind disposition made her a favorite and a leader in all circles where she went, always active in Christian duties even up to being steward for Rev. R. S. Heizer on Beehouse Circuit and she was the best one he had. All her young life was spent in Coryell County and largely in Gatesville, where she still has many friends. She was always a friend to the aged, the poor, the sick and needy. Her life was one of service. Perhaps her greatest mistake was in marrying the sad and lonely one who today sits in the shadows and who, for the past thirty years, has called her his wife. On the 2nd of December, 1898, we were happily joined together by that prince in Israel, Dr. John Adams. No one ever had a better helper in the work of the ministry than she: Cheerfully going to the hardest fields and working with all her might for the cause so dear to both of us. She was in her special element in revival meetings in which she was the most successful personal worker we have ever known. Converted herself in a great and real revival, she had ro patience with the nambypamby sort. A meeting in which people did not get up and work she had little confidence in. She never had to be invited. It made little

difference with her whether others worked or not; whether the sermon struck fire or struck ice. She would be up and at them. Her sermon was always ready. She ofttimes turned seeming defeat into glorious victory. She literally led her hundreds to the altar and to God. Her fine personality, strong faith, ready wit, strong common sense, high courage, with love for the work, all combined to make her the marvelous soul-winner that she was. Those who will rise up 'in that day' to call her.

blessed are a great host.

Four children were born to us. Our dear Lord took our bright little boys when they were small. James Marvin died at Quitman, 11 months old. John Galloway was accidentally killed at Bosqueville when he was 9 years old. Mother has gone to them. Ione is married to Mr. J. W. Denney, and lives near Waco. Edna Rhea lives in Rebeccah Sparks Home and is in school. To the grief-stricken daughters we would only say let us live close to the Lord whom she loved and served so faithfully. Our separation will not be long. May it be an unbroken family in "that land where sad partings never come."

J. M. McCARTER.

MRS. SARAH M. S. MACUNE

Mrs. Macune was born November 1, 1851, in Wayne County, Ken-

tucky, and died February 23, 1928, at Fort Worth, Texas, being at the time of her death 76 years, 3 months and 23 days old.

Her parents, John W. and Mary Vickery, moved to Guadalupe County, Texas, in 1853, and moved to Salado in Bell County just before the war broke out in 1860. She attended school at Salado College and

graduated in 1871 in its days of great prosperity.

She was married to Charles W. Macune at Burnet, Texas, September 1, 1875. Six children were born to this union. The oldest daughter and the oldest son, Charles, are deceased, but her husband and four of Sabine, Texas, who has six living children and four grandchildren; the next is Dr. J. W. Macune of Ballinger, Texas, who has two children; the next is Rev. Dennis Macune of Smithville, who has four children, and next Miss Catherine Macune, who remains at home with her father.

Mrs. Macune, with her husband and all the family connection, celebrated her golden wedding anniversary September 1, 1925, two and a half years before her death. She suffered a stroke of paralysis January 9, 1927, and never entirely recovered from it.

She had from childhood always been a devoted Christian. She knew for some time before her death that the end was approaching, and told her daughter that she was ready and willing to go. She suffered much, but without complaint, and the end came peacefully and quietly in the presence of her family and pastor.

When her husband entered the ministry in 1901 she willingly applied herself to all the duties and hardships of a circuit rider's wife, living happily and contentedly on a meager salary. Her influence and prayers were a great help to him, and she was always loved by the people they

were serving.

Mrs. Macune was a member of the Boulevard Methodist Church and took great interest in the work of the Church. She was held in high esteem by all those who knew her.

The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. P. Williams, assisted by Revs. W. B. Andrews, R. C. Armstrong and J. J. Creed.

Mrs. Macune was a noble woman. She was faithful to her husband, devoted to her children and loyal to God. She has entered into her reward. May the blessings of the Great Heavenly Father constantly attend the bereaved husband and children.

E. P. WILLIAMS.

MRS. LOULA ADA BELLE MORGAN

On the 30th of Oct., 1928, in the city of Temple, Texas, there occurred an event which brought sadness to a very large circle of friends in Georgetown and almost overwhelming grief to the children and other relatives of one of the most highly respected and deeply loved members of the Methodist Church in this city and, indeed, in this section of the state. A woman of sterling Christian character, of strong Christian faith, of striking unselfishiness, of tender sympathies, of unfailing persistence in well-doing, of fine good sense, full of faith, hope, and love, the great enduring qualities of human character, is it any wonder that she commanded the confidence and admiration and love of those who knew her, that in a remarkable degree she won for herself gratitude and tender affection, and that now she has gone from our midst there are many who sorely miss her in our church and community life and yet can not think of her except as having enduring life and as carrying on in a better state of existence the same kind of worthy and beautiful life that she so well learned to live here before our eyes? Surely it is impossible that death should hold her and bring to an end such Christ-like energies of life. She found the great divine values of human existence and chose that good part and it shall not be taken away from her. As God liveth, it is given to those like her to become partakers of the divine life. She made it easier for us to believe in the wisdom and goodness and redeeming power of God; she gave us more confidence in the human nature that we all share! she made it more difficult to question the genuineness and supreme value of religious experience; she was one of the unanswerable arguments for the Christian faith and life, a truly good woman, whose life was an open book easily read and understood even by those who did not share her experience. In some ways we are poorer because of her going and there seems to be a great gap in the ranks of those who in our midst fight for the highest of life, but she left a good heritage behind her and her work abides.

Mrs. Ada Belle Morgan, daughter of Norman Marmaduke Weatherby, a Methodist minister, and of Isabella Catherine Weatherby, was born in Durant, Miss., June 18, 1867. At the age of two years she was brought to Calvert, Texas. Here the family lived until she was eleven years old, after which they moved to Mills County and the Old Williams Ranch. Here at the age of seventeen years she was married to Rev. Daniel Morgan, a young minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. To this union were born eleven children, nine of whom are now living.

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In 1907, Mrs. Morgan and her husband moved from the home in Lometa, Texas, to Georgetown, where the children were put in Southwestern University. In 1908, the father and husband was called from his work to his heavenly reward and Mrs. Morgan was left with a family of nine children, for whom she gave her whole life and efforts, putting them all through Southwestern.

Mrs. Morgan was a consistent church worker in Georgetown Methodist Church for twenty-one years and for the preceding years in the other places in which she lived. She was an officer in the Missionary Society of her church, a member of the Georgetown Eastern Star Chapter, charter member of the D. A. R. in Georgetown, a member of the U. D. C. Georgetown Chapter, member of the Woman's Club and of the W. C. T. U. and a teacher in the Methodist Sunday School. She was ever an active worker in all worthy activities of women, a loyal wife and mother always putting her children first in everything. For the last two years of her life she was mother to the young men in Mood Hall, loved by students and parents throughout the state because of her wise and tender ministrations, especially to the sick among her boys.

On Sept. 10th, she was rushed to Temple for an emergency operation and lived six weeks before she passed on. Hers may be well described as a happy death. After singing one line of "Amazing Grace," she said that the vision she had hoped for was before her, beautiful

visions, as she looked toward heaven. Then she closed her eyes and died in peace and happiness. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

During her sickness she never complained, never objected to any-

thing, but ever complimented the nurses and doctors.

Nine children are left: Miss Clyde Mills, Sanderson, Texas; Miss Lucy Belle Morgan, Martha Washington Callege, Abingdon, Va.; Mrs. Ruth Ferguson, Georgetown, Texas; Mrs. G. L. Kelly, Plainview, Texas; Mrs. Eugene Dolan Cherokee, Texas; Mrs. Hix Lawler, Jacksonville, Texas; Mrs. J. W. Ingram, Bay City, Texas; Mrs. Charles Pierce, Bay City, Texas;; and Paul Morgan, Commerce, Texas. There are thirteen grandchildren. There are also two brothers and three sisters surviving here: Mrs. Lev. Stringer, Modford, Organ, Mrs. Lev. Stringer, Mrs. Lev. Lev. Stringer, Mrs. Lev. Stringer, Mrs. Lev. Stringer, Mrs. Le her: Mrs. John Skinner, Medford, Oregon; Mrs. J. S. York, Snyder, Texas; Mrs. Sue Prestidge, Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. R. A. Weatherby, Sweetwater, Texas; and Mr. B. N. Weatherby, Big Lake, Texas.

The interment was made in Georgetown Thursday, November 1st. The services being conducted by Rev. H. L. Gray, a friend of eighteen years standing, assisted by Rev. Edmund Heinsohn, the pastor of the

Methodist Church in Georgetown.

Think of

"Stepping on shore and finding it—Heaven; Of taking hold of a hand, and finding it—God's hand;

Of breathing a new air and finding it—Golestial air; Of feeling invigorated and finding it—Immortality; Of passing from storm and tempest to an unknown calm;

Of waking up and finding it—Home.'

H. L. GRAY,

Georgetown, Texas.

MRS. W. A. NEILL

Mrs. Eula Price (Mitchell) Neill was born in Ellis County, Texas, June 7, 1884. She fell asleep in Christ September, 1928. Sister Neill came of sturdy religious parentage, her father and mother being lifelong members of the Methodist Church. Her early educational advantages were meager, yet the powers of her native ability were marked. The talent she had was faithfully used to the glory of God. She was converted in childhood, but at the age of twenty-one she rededicated herself to Christ, and from that day until the time of her decease her devotion to God and the Church was of a highly sustained and beautiful

She was married on September 10, 1905 to W. A. Neill, who later became a preacher and member of this conference. Their married life was one of real happiness and companionship. Five children were born to them-three boys and two girls, and to them Sister Neill was a true Christian mother. She also became the mother to two other daughters of Bro. Neill from a former marriage. And her devotion to those two motherless girls was not exceeded even by her beautiful devotion to her very own. And they in turn loved her with a tenderness that is only given to a real mother.

Her Christian life was one of rare beauty, and her influence more than any other one thing caused her dear husband to yield to a call to preach that he had been fighting for ten years. Sister Neill chose for herself and her husband a rugged path of self-sacrifice and toil, but a path that was made glorious in service. Her's was to be the wife of an humble Circuit preacher, going through poverty and hardships in order to sow the Word of life among the sinning and the dying, choosing to suffer affliction with the people of God, rather than to enjoy the life of ease and worldly pleasure, esteeming the reproach of Christ greater

treasure than the wealth of this world, for she looked for a city that hath foundation whose Builder and Maker is God. The kindness and love of this good woman won the people of the congregations where they were sent. Her gentleness and womanly wisdom helped to smooth out many a difficulty in the lives of the members, and helped to guide the Church into calm seas of love and fellowship. She was especially active in the Woman's Missionary Society where her face and voice will be missed at the District and Conference meetings.

After eighteen years of untiring service and usefulness, they moved to Dallas where her health steadily declined, but her interest in the Kingdom never abated. Her last days were full of bodily pain, but the repose of her sweet spirit was beautiful. The light affliction which she suffered for the moment, worked for her a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory, while she looked not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are unseen. For the things which are seen

are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

On these eve of Sept. 16th, she called her children and her husband to the bedside, kissed them a fond goodbye, told her pastor, Dr. S. M. Black, that she was ready to go, and in a little while her beautiful spirit winged its way to the regions celestial, there to join her own precious haby that had gone on before. In that other land where sickness does not come, and where sorrow never enters, she stands among the bloodwashed throng, who day and night cry: "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and glory and blessing . . . for thou hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people and nation . . . and hast made us unto our God kings and priests."

To our comrade in the ministry, dear Bro. Neill, we commend the good grace of a loving Heavenly Father, and offer the sympathy of all

his brother ministers.

ROY A. LANGSTON.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE BROTHERHOOD.

Constitution

- Article 1. This society shall be called the Central Texas Conference Brotherhood.
- Article 2. The officers of this society shall be a President, a Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, and Assistant Secretary, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected, and who, together with four trustees, shall constitute a Board of Managers for the investment and application of all funds that may come into their hands, fill vacancies, and manage the business of the Brotherhood in the intervals of the Conference sessions.
- , Article 3. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by one person, and three of the trustees shall be appointed by the Board of Managers at the annual session, as an Auditing Committee, to audit the accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer, and they shall have access to their books for that purpose.
- Article 4. The annual meeting of the Brotherhood shall be held during the session of the Annual Conference, at such time and place as the President may designate, for the election of officers, the reception of members, and to transact such business as may come before it.
- Article 5. Beneficiary membership in the Brotherhood shall be restricted to Traveling Preachers of the Central Texas Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and no Beneficiary Certificate shall be issued until the applicant shall have been elected by a majority vote of the Brotherhood, and shall have paid a membership entrance fee of fifty cents; provided, that the transfer of a preacher to another Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, shall not operate as a forfeiture of his Beneficiary Membership. Any person may become a Non-Beneficiary Member of the Brotherhood without the payment of any entrance fee.
- Article 6. On the death of any Beneficiary Member, the surviving Beneficiary Members shall be assessed two dollars each, and the Non-Beneficiary Members one dollar each, as a mortuary benefit fee which shall be paid into the treasury within thirty days from the date of notice. After deduction of the expense of collecting and disbursing the mortuary benefit, the remainder shall be paid to the person, or persons, designated in the decedent's certificate of membership. In case the deceasd does not direct how his mortuary benefit shall be applied, it shall be paid to his widow; but if there be no widow, then it shall be divided equally among his children; but if there be no children, then so much as may be necessary to pay his funeral expenses and legal debts, shall be paid, and the remainder shall be disposed of as the Board of Managers may direct.
- Article 7. A beneficiary Member who shall fail to pay any assessment within thirty days from date of notice shall forfeit his membership, but he may be restored at any regular meeting by the payment of all arrearages. However, any Beneficiary member of the Brotherhood who has forfeited his membership by non-payment of mortuary fees, may after three years, or longer, be re-instated as a new member by vote of the Brotherhood, and on payment of the customary entrance fee of fifty cents. Provided, that this shall not debar the renewal of the mem-

bership of any member who pays all arrearages of mortuary fees, as provided in this Constitution which grants this privilege at any time.

Article 8. (Section 1) There shall be a Brotherhood Auxiliary which shall be composed of the wives of Beneficiary Members.

(Section 2) Any Beneficiary Member of the Brotherhood shall have the privilege of enrolling his wife as a member of the Brotherhood Auxiliary by paying the entrance fee of twenty-five cents. Upon the death of a member of the Auxiliary, each member of the same shall pay a mortuary fee of one dollar into the treasury, and this total sum shall be disposed of in all respects according to the provisions of Article 6, except that wherever the widow of deceased is mentioned in that Article. the husband of deceased shall be meant in the provision of this Article.

Article 9. The Constitution shall not be changed except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting at an annual meeting.

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No. of Pupils Who Have Joined the Church	<u></u> i	318 492	174		40 8 10 12	
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	On Christian Education Pledges		326	
	Gelden Cross Fund	9 2 3 9 9	315	259
	Conference Missions—Specials	522	225	225
	Home Missions—Specials	141 105 7	281	281
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	General Work—Paid	90 1000 1000 175 175 175 176 185 180 180 190 190 190 190 190 190 190 190 190 19	5362 5933	571
	General Work—Assessed	247 193 193 193 263 263 274 193 1160 277 200 210 210 210 210 210 210 210 210 210	7029	53
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þ	Presiding Elder—Assesse	225 225 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255	4550 4506	44
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STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3.—Financial Recapitulation

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment Brownwood District

Brownwood	District		
CHARGE	Total Amount the Charge Agress to Raise in Five Years	Total Amount Paid to Date	Balance to Be Paid
Ballinger	\$ 2,280.00 \$	1,376.88 \$	903.12
Bangs	1.925.00	391.50	1,533.50
Blanket	1.400.00	22.00	1,378.00
Bronte	1,450.00	195.50	1,254.50
Brownwood - Central	2,850.00	300.00	2,550.00
Brownwood, First Church	3,762.00	1,111.91	2,650.09
Coleman, First Church	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Coleman Circuit		310.70	1,039.30
	2,500.00	1,407.00	2,093.00
Comanche Circuit	1,511.00	126.50[1,384.50
Drasco - Pumphrey	883.00	445.07	437.93
Gustine - Lamkin	1,500.00	343.05	156.95
May		432.00	593.00
Norton	1,350.00	248.00	1,102.00
Novice		310.65	764.35
Proctor	1,050.00	131.86	918.14
Robert Lee	1,200.00	135.00	1,065.00
Rockwood - Gouldbusk	1,475.00 $1,315.00$	365.50	1,109.50
Santa Anna	2.280.00	279.94	1,035.06
Talpa - Crews	1,300.00	$1,146.00 \mid 122.50 \mid$	1,134.00
Winchell	700.00	122.50 162.50	$1,177.50 \\ 537.50$
Wingate	890.00	45.00	845.00
Winters	2,280.00	563.20	1.716.80
73 1 1	\$ 40.351.00 \$	12,972.26 \$	27,378.74

,Cisco District

Breckenridge \$	4.140.00 \$	4,140.00	
Bulloch	600.00	51.00	549.00
Bunyan	1,500.00	22.54	1.477.46
Caddo	1,380.00	442.72	937.28
Carbon	1,430.00	275.55	1,154,45
Cisco - First	4,140.00	86.50	4.053.50
Cisco - 12th St.	1.100.00	59.50	1,040.50
Cross Cut	1,380.00	294.00	1.086.00
De Leon	2,300.00	331.00	1,969.00
De Jeon Circuit	900.00	25.00	875.00
Desdemona	1.920.00	277.60	1.642.40
Dublin	2,415.00	108.00	2.307.00
Eastland	4.600.00	1,163.00	3,437.00
Eolian	1,040.00	195.85	844.15
Gorman	1,725.00	1.149.85	575.15
Pioneer - Sipe Springs	1.629.00	43.00	1,586.00
Ranger	4.485.00	721.25	3,763.75
Rising Star	1,850.00	345.00	1,505.00
Scranton	1,488.00	33.00	1,455.00
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STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment Cleburne District

Cleburne District							
NAME OF CHARGE		Total Amount the Charge Agrees to Raise in Five Years		Total Amount Paid to Date		Balance to Be Paid	
Alvarado	\$	1,714.00	\$	1,343.70		370.30	
Alvarado Circuit	ĺ	800.00		172.50		627.50	
Bluffdale		972.00		8.50		963.50	
Blum and Rio Vista		903.00		32.50		870.50	
Burleson]	1,445.00		244.67		1,200.33	
Cleburne - Anglin St		2,400.00	١.	1,174.00		1,226.00	
Cleburne - Brazos Ave.	1	1,625.00		236.50		1,388.50	
Cleburne - Main St.		4,570.00	ĺ	2,661.66		1,908.34	
Cleburne - St. Marks]	54.50		0.040.50	
Covington		2,194.00		189.50		2,040.50	
Glen Rose		2,257.00		163.00		2,094.00	
Godley		710.00	l l	27.00		683.00	
Granbury		2,087.00		297.50	!	1,789.50	
Granbury Circuit		1,119.00		206.68		912.32 $1,627.00$	
Grandview	-	2,057.00		430.00 199.25		793.25	
Grandview Circuit		992.50		20.00	1	665.00	
Huckabay		685.00		328.73	!	996.77	
Joshua - Bono	-	1,325.50		37.16		1,762.84	
Morgan and Kopperl	-	1,800.00		541.30	. 1	2,201.70	
Stephenville	-1	2,743.00		96.00	. !	954.00	
Tolar & Tipan	-	1,050.00		269.35		1,444.65	
Venus		1,714.00			<u> </u>	26,488.50	
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Blooming Grove	-	1,340.0		119.00		1,221.00	
Chatfield	-	2,650.00				2.650.00	
Cooledge	-	1,475.0		116.62	2	1,358.38	
Cooledge Circuit		2,016.0		220.94		1,795.06	
Corsicana - Eleventh Ave Corsicana - First Church		5.000.0		4,000.00	01	1.000.00	
Corsicana, North Side	i	300.0		150.7		149.25	
Dawson	. 1	1,954.0	01	67.00	0	1,887.00	
Emhouse	ì	1,400.0		20.00	01	1,380.00	
Eureka		475.0	0	44.5	6	430.44	
Frost	.]	2,566.0	0	158.0		2.408.00	
Goresbeck		3,300.0	01	502.8		2,797.20	
Kerens	1	1,780.0	0	558.5		1.221.50	
Kerens Circuit		725.0	0	163.0		562.00	
Kirven		1,100.0		20.0		1.080.00	
Mortana		1,970.0				1,970.00	
Mexia - First Church	.]	5,500.0		2,550.0		2,950.00	
Mexia - McKinney St		610.0		122.0		488.00 997.25	
Purdon and Harmony]	1,030.0		32.7		. 1,800.00	
Rice]	2,000.0		220.0		878.00	
Richland	!	940.0		62.0		1.496.00	
Thornton		1,534.0		38.0 30.0		1,950.00	
Wortham		1,980.0	101				
Totals		44,545.0	00 \$	10,264.9	Z \$	34,280.08	

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment Fort Worth District

Fort Worth	District	ate Endow	ment
NAME OF CHARGE	Total Amount the Charge Agrees to Raise in Five Years	Total Amount Paid to Date	Balance to Be Paid
Arlington	\$ 4.080.00	\$ 355.00	
Euless	1,000,00	232.87	967.13
Everman Kennedale	800.00	187.18	612.82
Ft. Worth—Arlington Hts. Boulevard		500.00	
Boulevard	2,808.00	436.46	2,371.54
College Heights Diamond Hill	1 000 00	105.00	
Englewood		200.00	1,120.00
First Church	330.00	46.00	284.00
Forest Hill	6,663.00	7,425.00	
Glen Garden	330 00	28.00	830.00
Glenwood	2 102 00	15.00	315.00
Hemphill Hts.	2 659 001	65.50 589.75	2,126.50
Highland Park	2 2 40 00	232.80	2,053.25 2,007.20
Missouri Ave.	2 770 00	225.50	2,544.50
Mulkey Mem.	3,500,00	925.00	2,575.00
Polytechnic	4 044 00	1,359.73	2,684.27
Sagamore	2,650.00	475.00	2,165.00
Sycamore		1,344.00	
Sylvania Hts. Trinity	1,966.00	341.00	1,625.00
Trinity Weatherford St.	2,240.00	351.00	1,889.00
Grapevine	1,730.00	50.00	1,680.00
Grapevine Handley	0.100.00	100.00	
Haslett	2,192.00	382.00	1,810.00
Mansfield	1,200.00 1,680.00	252.00	948.00
Brooklyn Heights	1,000.00	1.00	1,679.00
Totals	\$ 56 270 001	20.00	27.010.01
Gatesville I	District	20,200.191	57,012.21
Carlton	\$ 1,250.00 \$	235.02	1,014.98
Clifton	1,860.00	458.50	1,401.50
Crawford	1,600.00	31.00	1,569.00
Duffau	844.00	8.00	836.00
Fairy	1,000.00	48.50	951.50
Gatesville Control Control	3,360.00	405.25	2.954.75
Gatesville Circuit Hamilton	1.000.00	46.111	953,89
Hamilton Circuit	2,270.00	31.00	2.239.00
Hico	975.00	74.50	900.50
Iredell	1,760.00	176.78	1,583.22
Ireland	995.00	10.00	985.00
Jonesboro	1,000.00	142.00	858.00
McGregor	2,600.00	79.401 80.571	1.035.60 2.519.43
Meridian	1.830.00	91.25	1.738.75
Moody	2.290.00	117.00	2.173,00
Moody Circuit	750.00	10.00	740,00
Mosheim	1.200.00	39.00	1.161,00
Oglesby	1,500.00	72.00	1.428.00
Pearl	645.00	80.00	565.00
Turnersville	1.350.00	139,50	1.210.50
Valley Mills	1,600.00	653.25	946.75
Springs	950.00	30.001	920.00
Totals	33,744.00	3,058.63 \$	30,685.37

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment

· Georgetown	Di	istrict				
CHARGE		Total Amount the Charge Agrees to Raise in Five Years	Total Amount Paid to Date	Balance to Be Paid		
Bartlett	1.8	2,780.00	200.00 \$	2,580.00		
Belton		2,865.00	309.50	2,555.50		
Copperas Cove		1,120.00	180.00	940.00		
Florence	i	924.00	14.00	910.00		
Georgetown		3,490.00	3,490.00[
Granger, First Church		2,225.00	1,097.50	1,127.95		
Holland		800.00	813.00[
Hutto - Jonah		687.00	20.00	667.00		
Jarreil		1,100.00	312.65	787.35		
Killeen		2,220.00	514.00	1,706.00		
Midway		850.00	269.08	580.92		
Nolanville		817.00	99.00	718.00		
Oenaville		900.00	112.00	788.00		
Kogers		2,200.00	106.75	2,093.25		
Round Rock and Weir		573.00	10.00	563.00		
Salado		900.00	189.00	711.00		
Taylor		397.00	640.05	3,329.95		
Temple, First Church		4,675.00	3,502.80	1,172.20		
Seventh St.		2,198.00	32.75	2,165.25 200.00		
Thrall and Lawrence	.		50.00			
Troy and Pendleton		170.00	58.00	1,642.00		
Totals	1\$	37,194.00	\$ 11,969.63 \$	25,237.37		
Waco District						
Abbott and Vaughan	\$	1,700.00				
Aquilla				950.00		
Big Hill and Ben Hur		1,688.00		1,402.34		
Birome · Erath				500.00		
Bosqueville		1,694.00	92.00	1,602.00		
Bruceville		1,850.00		1,713.50		
China Springs		1,544.00	34.00 374.00	1,510.00 638.00		
Eddy		1,012.00	61.50	1.625.50		
Hewitt and Spring Valley		1,687.00 $2,812.00$	695.13	2,116.87		
Hubbard		1,687.50	7.7 . 1	1,278.00		
Lorena		1,700.00	45.00	1,655.00		
Malone Mart		3,375.00	77711	3,335.00		
		1,375.00	196.00	1,179.00		
Mount Calm Penelope		1,775.00	727711	1,548.68		
Prairie Hill and Kirk		1,900.00	343.15	1,556.85		
Waco - Austin Ave.		6,750.00	-	1,619.76		
Clay Ave.		1,800.00	347.00	1,453.00		
First Church		4,218.00	1,557.90	2,660.10		
Herring Ave.		2,250.00	126.00	2,124.00		
St. John's		3,712.00	345.27	3,366.73		
Wesley		2,025.00		1,919.00		
West]	1,350.00		1,113.09		
				1 070 00		
Whitney		2,325.00	352.00 \$ 11,281.58	$\frac{1,973.00}{$40,397.92}$		

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment Waxahachie District

Waxahachie	District .		
CHARGES	Total Amount the Charge Agrees to Raise in Five Years	Balance to Be Paid	Total Amount Paid to Date
Bardwell	\$ 1.205.00	\$ 172.00	
Bethel	1.473.00		1,373.00
Boyce		271.00	304.00
Britton	1,266.00	147.35	1,118.65
Bynum - Brandon	1,700.00	226.50	1,473.50
Colliers - Falls	475.00	72.25	402.75
Ellis	908.75	17.00	891.75
Ennis		1,766.80	2,283.20
Ferris	1,687.00	513.50	1,173.50
Forreston - Nash	1,525.00	60.00	1,465,00
Hillsboro - First Church	4,500.00	900.00	3,600.00
Line St.		91.00	1,859.00
Italy	2,125.00	250.55	1,874.45
Itasea	2,360.00	577.25	1,782.75
Maypearl	1,516.25	153.75	1,362.50
Midlothian	2,812.00	1.808.50	1,003.50
Milford	1,785.00	62.00	1,723.00
Palmer - Bristol	2,050.00	136.00	1,914.00
Red Oak	1,460.00	940.50	519.50
Waxahachie	4,500.00	2,550.00	1,950.00
Waxahachie Circuit	1,800.00	168.35	1,631.65
Totals	\$ 41,823.00	11,084.30 \$	30,738.70
Weatherford	District		
Aledo	\$ 1,230.00 \$	84.00 \$	1,146.00
Azle	1,315.00	493.50	821.50
Eliasville	1,660.00	1,328.00	332.00
Gordon - Santo	1,450.00	241.00	1,209.00
Graford	1,792.00	159.58	1,632.42
Graham	4,025.00	3,751.35	ر273.6
Graham Circuit	1,540.00	245.00	1,295.00
Loving	1,300.00	637.10	662.90
Millsap	1,205.00	141.75	1,063.25
Mineral Wells	4,500.00	1,091.42	3,408.58
Newcastle	1,850.00	602.00	1,248.00
Olney	2,675.00	870.50	1,804.50
Olney Circuit	1,225.00	134.00	1,091.00
Palo Pinto	1,225.00	131.69	1,093.31
Springtown	1,365.00	380.70	984.30
Strawn	2,400.00	237.53	2,162.47
Thurber · Mingus	975.00	76.50	898.50
Weatherford - Couts Mem.		184.65	
First Church	3,425.00	427.19	2,997.81
Weatherford Circuit	1,160.00	240.50	919.50
Whitt	710.00	209.00	501.00
Totals	37,027.00 \$	11,666.96 \$	25,544.69

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STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 4—Superannuate Endowment Recapitulation

NAME OF DISTRICT	Total Amount the Charge Agrees to Raise in Five Years	Total Amount Paid to Date	Balance to Be Paid
Brownwood	\$ 40,351.00		
Cisco	40,022.00		
Cleburne	35,163.00		
Corsicana	44,545.00		
Ft. Worth	56,279.00		
Gatesville	33,744.00	$0 \mid 3,058.63$	
Georgetown	37,194.00	0 11,969.63	
Waco	51,679.00	0 11,281.58	40,397.92
Waxahachie	41,823.00	0 11,084.30	30,738.70
Weatherford	37,027.00	0 11,666.96	25,544.69

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