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MINUTES

—OF THE—

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH SESSION

(SINCE REORGANIZATION THE FIFTY-EIGHTH)

—OF THE—

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

—OF THE—

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December 10-14, 1924.

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**THE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST SESSION WILL AS-
SEMBLE AT GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA**

The Conference Chronological Calendar For 1924-1925.

NAME	Entered	Admitted	Years of Service	NAME	Entered	Admitted	Years of Service
Adam, E. W.	1887	1889		38 Greene, J. F.	1906	1908	19
Armstrong, J. C.	1906	1910		19 Greene, N. W.	1897	1899	18
Asbury, H. C.	1890	1892		35 Gibbes, J. C.	1903	1908	22
Anthony, F. W.		1921		4 Gary, J. A.	1900	1902	25
Blassengame, Ollis	1917	1919		8 Generette, E. D.	1912	1919	13
Brown, Daniel	1896	1897		29 Glenn, J. A.	1900	1903	25
Brown, J. W.	1873	1876		52 Gregg, L. G.	1896	1898	29
Brown, Benj.	1874	1886		51 Gantt, G. W.	1884	1888	41
Brown, C. R.	1884	1886		41 Gray, G. W.	1870	1879	55
Brown, N. J.	1911	1914		14 Graham, J. R.	1907	1909	18
Brown, A. D.	1897	1899		28 Gilliard, A. P.	1911	1913	14
Brown, C. B.	1912	1916		13 Grant, F. H.	1919	1921	16
Brown, S. M.	1912	1919		13 Gray, J. W.	1919	1921	16
Bowen, N. T., Sr.	1877	1879		48 Gupple, W. J.	1919	1921	16
Bowen, N. T., Jr.	1906	1908		19 Goins, J. E.	1919	1919	6
Bowers, W. B.	1895	1899		30 Graron, Samuel	1922	1924	2
Bradford, B. F.	1911	1913		14 Gordon, Edward	1922	1924	2
Bowen, J. W. Jr.	1917	1919		8 Gregg, R. W.	1921	1923	3
Budden, John W.		1922		3 Bell, Anthony, J.	1923	1923	2
Brown, Giles	1923	1923		1 Hiddleston, P. C.	1921	1921	4
Bruce, E. P.	1919	1923		6 Hanna, W. M.	1887	1886	38
Cox, John M.	1923	1923		1 Harris, A. D.	1875	1879	50
Clark, C. C.	1908	1910		17 Harroll, J. A.	1897	1899	28
Charley, E. S.	1917	1919		16 Hayward, P. P.	1921	1923	50
Cottingham, R. A.	1879	1881		46 Harrington, R. F.	1904	1906	21
Cottingham, A. S.	1889	1891		36 Hayes, A. H.	1908	1910	17
Cooper, G. W.	1892	1894		33 Hickson, R. L.	1886	1888	39
Cooper, B. S.	1903	1905		22 Howard, A. R.	1908	1910	17
Cooper, S. J.	1903	1905		22 Jackson, B. S.	1892	1894	33
Cooper, H. H.	1908	1910		17 Jackson, B. C.	1902	1904	23
Covington, G. W.	1896	1896		29 Johnson, J. H.	1887	1889	38
Cunningham, R.H.	1910	1912		15 Jackson, Samuel	1922	1924	2
Curry, E. J.	1886	1890		35 Jacobs, C. C.	1884	1886	41
Curry, J. A.	1907	1909		18 Jenkins, J. E. C.	1906	1908	19
Curry, D. S.	1914	1916		11 James, Cyrus	1918	1921	7
Connelly, F. A.	1919	1921		6 Jenkins, A. P.	1919	1921	6
Connelly, J. A.		1921		4 Jones, Henry B.	1921	1923	3
Curry, T. J.		1923		2 Kennedy, A. G.	1886	1888	39
Dangerfield, C. H.	1892	1894		33 Kirk, H. J.	1912	1016	13
Deas, W. G.	1876	1880		48 Knox, Alex.	1917	1919	8
Dean, E. W.	1919	1921		6 Lawrence, Rufus G.	1919	1923	6
David, W. M.	1894	1897		31 Lowery, L. E.	1873	1875	51
Dunton, L. M.	1874	1876		50 Lowrency, C. B.	1894	1897	31
Eaddy, W. M. R.	1896	1899		29 Logan, C. L.	1894	1897	32
Eaddy, M. B.	1914	1916		11 Latson, J. T.	1891	1894	24
Fisher, Theo. H.	1917	1919		8 Lawton, F. L.	1919	1921	6
Fridie, W. N.	1916	1918		9 Matthews, H. H.	1886	1891	39
Franklin, N. E.	1919	1921		6 Marcus, F.	1916	1918	9
Fuller, A. W.	1897	1902		28 Martin, J. C.	1891	1893	34
Funches, S. A.	1908	1910		17 Martin, J. T.	1907	1909	19
Freeman, R. F.	1903	1909		22 Mason, M. B.	1899	1909	26

NAME	Admitted	Entered	Years of Service	NAME	Entered	Admitted	Years of Service
McMillon, G. S.	1897	1900		27 Stewart, T. D.	1922	1924	2
Moss, S. M.	1921	1923		3 Smith, A. R.	1896	1898	29
McLarey, G. S.	1922	1924		2 Smith, W. J.	1900	1903	25
Miller, G. F.	1891	1896		34 Smth, W. M.	1909	1911	16
Minus, D. M.	1896	1873		56 Salters, D.	1897	1899	28
Miller, S. M.	1913	1915		12 Sanders, D. J.	1894	1897	31
Miller, J. S.		1919		6 Sims, Thos.	1870	1881	55
Mouzon, M. M.	1889	1891		36 Sparks, S. S.	1895	1897	30
Murry, J. A.	1900	1904		25 Stewart, M. O.	1905	1907	20
Murphy, D. P.	1906	1908		19 Stewart, H. L.		1915	10
Moultrie, J. W.	1891	1893		34 Summers, W. C.	1906	1908	19
Myers, Isaac	1901	1903		24 Summers, J. A.	1910	1912	13
McLeod, E. C.		1921		4 Stokes, J. G.	1911	1914	16
McLaughlin, P. E.	1909	1911		16 Stokes, J. M.	1915	1917	10
McCullum, S. M.	1908	1910		17 Thomas, D. E.	1907	1909	18
Mack, Abram	1914	1916		11 Thomas, L. A.	1909	1911	16
McTeer, D. R.	1915	1917		10 Thomas, John W.	1918	1920	7
Manning, I. V.		1921		4 Thompson, W. S.	1892	1894	33
Mingo, P. E.		1921		4 Townsend, A. G.	1878	1880	47
McGill, A. L.	1919	1921		6 Taylor, J. B.	1892	1894	33
Newman, Meloncy	1912	1914		13 Taylor, J. W.	1914	1916	11
Norman, W. H.		1921		4 Tillman, G. B.	1909	1911	16
McLean, D. H.	1919	1923		6 Tyler, J. S.	1894	1896	31
Page, J. F.	1889	1891		36 Thomas, G. A.	1919	1923	6
Pendergrass, T. J.	1913	1916		12 Tobin, Eliot, F.	1922	1924	2
Pogue, A. J.	1915	1917		10 Vance, F. W.	1887	1889	38
Porter, M. J.	1915	1917		10 Washington, E. M.	1910	1912	15
Quick, Frank	1907	1909		18 Watson, E. E.	1909	1924	16
Reddick, Paul	1917	1919		8 White, W. G.	1884	1884	41
Robinson, T. G.	1892	1894		33 White, J. W.	1915	1917	10
Robinson, J. P.	1887	1891		38 Whitaker, J. D.	1894	1896	31
Robertson, C. C.	1885			40 Williams, S. D.	1894	1896	31
Rogers, G. W.	1900	1902		25 Williams, T. W.	1909	1911	16
Richardson, I. H.	1909	1911		17 Williams, H. W.	1909	1911	16
Robinson, T. R.	1919	1912		6 Willams, L. W.	1896	1899	29
Royal, J. B.		1921		4 Wilson, J. H.	1910	1912	15
Richards, James	1910	1912		15 Wilson, J. T.	1914	1916	11
Robinson, T. J. B.	1907	1909		17 Wiley, I. C.	1914	1916	11
Stratton, E. W.	1904	1906		21 Wright, A. M.	1900	1902	25
Smith, N. S.	1904	1906		21 Wright, E. C.	1916	1918	9
Smith, W. F.	1901	1903		24 Williams, R. R.	1912	1916	12
Pearson, S.	1912	1916					

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Post Graduate Studies—J. B. Taylor, G. W. Cooper, H. H. Hayes, R. L. Hickson.

State of the Church and Country—G. W. Cooper, W. M. Hanna, Isaac Myers, E. C. Wright, T. J. Pendergrass, E. M. Washington, J. A. Murray, N. T. Bowen, Sr., L. W. Williams.

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Young Peoples Work—S. E. Watson, E. F. Tobin, M. J. Porter, T. J. Robinson, A. Knox, A. P. Jenkins, D. J. Sanders, J. B. Royce.

Conference Relations—

1924—H. W. Williams, R. R. Williams, Jas. Richards.

1925—M. C. Newman, T. R. Robinson, A. M. Wright.

1927—F. W. Anthony, Paul Reddish, J. A. Simmons.

Sabbath and Temperance—

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The South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in Bennettsville, S. C., from December 10th to 15th, 1924, Bishop Joseph Berry, Presiding; Secretary, John C. Gibbes, 59 Nassau St. Charleston, S. C.; Statistician, S. M. Miller, Chester, S. C.; Registrar, J. E. C. Jenkins, Lamar, S. C.

1. (a) Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline? yes (b) What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are Bonded, and in what Amounts, According to the Requirement of the Discipline?
2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences? None.
3. Who have been Readmitted? None.
4. Who have been Received on Credentials and from what Churches? Grayson, Samuel, Baptist, Mahony, Lawrence, U. M. E.
5. Who have been Received on Trial? Bethea, Rufus, Brown, E. Bellinger, C. Bryant, Stephens, Durrant, Henry C. Davis, Herbert L. Ferguson, Clarence T. Green, Monnie L. James, Charles, Pearson, Joshua F. Tillman, Andrew J. (b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule. Brown, Giles C.
6. Who have been Continued on Trial None (b) In Studies of Second Year: Butler, James, W. A.; H. Robert L. Mack, Christopher J. Numan, Augustus A.; Rouse, J.; B. Tillman; David F. Williams, Wesley; J. Herbert, Woods; L. Williams, John W. (c) In Studies of Third Year. None. (d) In Studies of Fourth Year. None.
7. Who have been Discontinued? Smith, John H.
8. Who have been admitted into Full Membership? (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year: Jordon, Edward J.; Grayson, Samuel; Jackson, Samuel; McClarey; George S.; Stewart, Thoams D.; Tobin, Elliot F. (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously. None. (c) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere. None. (d) Ordained Deacon, having been previously elected by Annual Conference. None.
9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year? Jordon, Edward J.; Grayson, Samuel; Jackson, Samuel; McLeary, George S.; Stewart, Thomas

- D.; Tobin, Elliott F. (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously. Hiddleton, Paul C.
10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year? Cox, James; C. Gregg; Wilber, R.; Jones, Henry; Lawrence, Rufus; G. Moss; Samuel S. Norman, William H.
 11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study? (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year. Budden, John W.; Bruce, Edward; P. Curry; Thomas J. Hall; Anthony, J.; McLean, Daniel; H. Wright; Aionzo W.; Stewart, Thomas D. (b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously. Mahony, Lawrence. (c) Elected and Ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule. None. (d) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere. None. (e) Ordained Elder, having been previously Elected by _____ Conference. None. (f) Ordained Elder elsewhere under our Election. None.
 12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons? (a) As Local Preachers: Chandler, Heyward W.; Charles, Lewis; Dougherty, Max C.; Jordon, Edward; Green, John; Seegars, Augustus; Tillman, David F.; Thomas, Jefferson W.; Varine, William M.; William, James. (b) Under Missionary Rule. None. (c) Under the Seminary Rule: Betha, Rufus E. Ferguson, Clarence F.; Green, Monnie C.; King, Robert B.; Person, Joshua. (d) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere. None.
 13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders? (a) As Local Deacons: Hines, Arnold T. (b) Under Missionary Rule, None (c) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere. None.
 14. Who have been left without Appointment to Attend One of our Schools? Stephen Bryant, Aaron Dewalt, Edgar C. McLeod, Herbert L. Davis, Joshua Pearson, Rufus E. Betha, Monnie L. Green, Robert B. King, E. W. Dean, Evelin Hurley, Giles C. Brown, Augustus S. Neman, Wilbur R. Gregg.
 15. Was the Character of each Preacher examined? Yes.
 16. Who have been Transferred and to what Conferences? Smith, W. J.; North Carolina.
 17. Who have Died? G. W. Covington, T. G. Robinson.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

18. Who have been Located at their own Request?
None.
19. Who have been Located? None.
20. Who have Withdrawn? (a) From the Ministry: None (b) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church: J. A. Connelly (c) By Surrender of the Ministerial Office. None.
21. Who have been Deprived of the Ministerial Office?
None.
22. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints? Max J. Humphrey.
23. Who have been Expelled? None.
24. What other personal Notation should be made?
None.
25. Who are Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation? Cottingham, A. S. 1 yr.
26. Who are the Retired Ministers? Armstrong, J. C.; Brown Benjamin, Cades, S. C.; Brown, J. W. Camden, S. C.; A. D. Brown, Orangeburg, S. C.; Deas, W. G., Greer, S. C.; Fuller, A. W., Greer, S. C.; Gray, G. W., Marrietta, S. C.; Harris, A. D., Cheraw, S. C.; Kennedy, A. G., Columbia, S. C.; Johnson, V. S., Columbia, S. C.; Latson, J. T., Jacksonboro, S. C.; Logan, L. C.; Covington, Ga.; Lowery, I. E., Columbia, S. C.; Lowery, C. B.; Camden, S. C. Matthews, H. H., Bamberg, S. C.; Miller G. F.; Kingstree, S. C.; Robinson, C. C. Dillon, S. C. Sims, Thomas, Sumter, S. C.; Stratton, E. W., Columbia, S. C.; White, W. G.; Ehrhardt, S. C.; Wilson, J. T.; Kingstree, S. C.
27. Who have been granted Leave of Absence? None.
28. Who are the Triers of Appeals? N. T. Bowen, Jr.; G. W. Cooper, C. R. Brown, J. E. C. Jenkins, James A. Summers, Reserves, S. M. McCollum, B. C. Jackson.
29. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension? See Printed Report.
30. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions? See Report.
31. What is the Statistical Report? See the Statiscian's Report.
32. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report? See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

33. (a) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference Treasurer? See Report. (b) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? See Report.
34. What are the Claims on the Conference Funds? For Annuity distribution, 1617 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$15.00 per year, 2455.00 For Necessitous distribution, \$1000.00. Total, \$ 25255.
35. (a) What has been Received on these Claims? From The Book Concern, \$2,249.00 From Annual Conference Investments, \$29.92 From the Chartered Fund, \$35.00 From Pastoral Charges \$1,494.00 From Board of Pensions and Relief, \$12.00 From Other Sources, \$——— Total, \$ 5068.92 (b) How has it been Applied? To Conferences Causes.
36. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants? 3 per cent.
37. What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Pensions and Relief for Connectional Relief? See Report.
38. Is there a Conference Sustentation Fund Society, and what is its Report? See Report.
39. Where are the Preachers Stationed? See List of Appointments.
40. Where shall the Next Conference be held? Greenville, S. C.

APPOINTMENTS

Bennettsville District

C. C. Jacobs, District Superintendent, 37 Council St.,
Sumter, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Alcot	T. J. Curry	Elder	Bishopville, rfd 5	2
Bennettsville	J. D. Whittaker	Elder	Bennettsville	1
Bethel & Ebenezer	S. E. Watson	Elder	Cheraw	3
Blenheim & Spears	D. E. Thomas	Elder	Cheraw	8
Chesterfield	A. R. Smith	Elder	Chesterfield	1
Clio and Dunbar	A. Mack	Elder	Clio	4
Darlington	G. W. Cooper	Elder	Darlington	8
Darlington Ct.	Ed. Gordon	Deacon	Timmons ville	3
Dillon	S. A. Funches	Elder	Dillon	3
Hamer	B. S. Cooper	Elder	Little Rock	2
Hartsville	J. P. Robinson	Elder	Hartsville	1
Hartsville Ct.	S. S. Sparks	Elder	Darlington	2
Level Green-Wesley	D. S. Curry	Elder	Bennettsville	4
Little Rock	E. M. Washington	Elder	Little Rock	2
Lydia & Kingville	G. W. Rodgers	Elder	Lydia	2
North Marlboro	J. R. Graham	Elder	Bennettsville	3
St. John-Providence	Frank Quick	Elder	Darlington	3
Syracuse & Wesley	H. C. Asbury	Elder	Timmons ville	3
Tatum and McColl	J. M. Stokes	Elder	Florence	1

Beaufort District

...L. G. Gregg, District Superintendent, 12 Goff Avenue, Orangeburg, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Aiken	E. M. Hurley	Deacon	Aiken	1
Allendale	J. A. Curry	Elder	Allendale	1
Appleton	N. E. Frankklin	Elder	Appleton	3
Bamberg	B. C. Jackson	Elder	Bamberg	3
Bamberg, Ct.	I. Meyers	Elder	Bamberg	3
Beaufort & Bethel	S. V. Fowler	Elder	Beaufort	1
Blackville	P. Reddish	Elder	Bamberg	6
Brunson & Varnville	G. S. McMillan	Elder	Adam Run	2
Cottageville	J. E. Goins	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Erhardt	G. A. Thomas	Deacon	Orangeburg	2
Greenpond	J. W. Gray	Elder	Walterboro	1
Lodge	H. W. Williams	Elder	Saint George	2
Millet & Prospect	B. C. Brown	On Trial	Moselle	1
Olar & Ulmer	Samuel Grayson	Deacon	Yemassee, Rfd	1
Olar	W. C. Summers	Elder	Saint George	1
Ruffin	C. B. Brown	Elder	Ruffin	1
Seigling	E. J. Curry	Elder	Olar	2
Springtown	S. D. Williams	Elder	Saint George	6
St. George	O. Blassingame,	Elder	Saint George	2
Weeks	M. L. Green,	On Trial	Ruffin	1
Yem. & Hardeeville	W. H. Norman	Deacon	Yemassee	3
Young's Island	E. D. Genrett	Elder	Bamberg	1

E. W. Dean, left without appointment to attend school. Member of Aiken Quarterly Conference.

Charleston District

A. R. Howard, District Superintendent, Box 847, Sumter, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastors	Rank	Post Office	Time
Andrews & Blakley	W. M. McClarey	Sup.	Salters R. F. D.	2
Brook Green	P. P. Heyward	Deacon	Murrell's Inlet	3
Char. Centenary	J. F. Page	Elder	132 Wentworth St.	1
Char. Old Bethel	M. M. Mouzon	Elder	67 Bogard St.	1
Charleston Wesley	J. C. Gibbes	Elder	59 Nassau St.	1
Char. St. Jude and St. James	E. F. Tobin	Deacon	15 Cedar St.	1
Char. Was'on & East Miss.	T. J. Pendergrass	Elder	29 Reid St.	1
Cooper River	J. W. Buddin	Elder	Andrews S. C.	1
Dorchester	J. B. Rouse	Deacon	Dorchester	1
Georgetown	L. C. Mahoney	Elder	Georgetown	1
Greeleyville	James Richards	Elder	Greeleyville	3
Holly Hill	W. J. Gupple	Elder	Harleyville	1
John's Island	A. M. Wright	Elder	Bamberg	1
Lanes	Solomon Pearson	Elder	Salters Depot	1
Lincolville & Ladson	Henry Jones	Deacon	Claffin Univ,	1
Maryville	Daniel Brown	Elder	Salters Depot	1
McClellanville	P. White	Sup.	McClellanville	1
Mt. Holly	J. H. Wilson	Elder	Summerville	1
Pinopoles	F. L. Lawton	Elder	Moncks Corner	1
Ridgeville	J. G. Stokes	Elder	Ridgeville R. F. D.	1
St. Stephens	F. H. Grant	Elder	St. Stephen	1
St. Stephens Ct.	C. J. Mack	Deacon	St. Stephen	1
St. Thomas	H. L. Stewart	Elder	Huger, S. C.	1
Summerville	P. E. Mingo	Elder	Summerville	1
Summerville Ct.	A. F. Hines	Sup.	Jedburg, S. C.	1

Florence District

R. F. Harrington, District Superintendent, Florence, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name fo Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Asbury & Bethel	D. Sallers	Elder	Kingsree	4
Cades	M. C. Newman	Elder	Kingstree	7
Florence	W. H. Hanna	Elder	Florence	1
Hemingway & Nesmith	C. R. Brown	Elder	Florence	9
Kingstree	S. M. McCollum	Elder	Kingstree	3
Kingstree Ct.	J. A. Glenn	Elder	Kingstree	2
Lake City	H. H. Cooper	Elder	Lake City	4
Latta	T. J. Robinson	Elder	Latta	2
Marion	C. C. Clark	Elder	Marion	1
Mars Bluff	R. A. Cottingham	Elder	Mars Bluff	1
Mullins	J. A. Harrall	Elder	Florence	1
Salem & Wesley	H. J. Kirk	Elder	Florence	5
Sellers & Flagdale	A. J. Tillman	On Trial	Dillon	2
Springville	I. H. Richardson	Elder	Marion	1
St. John	W. M. R. Eady	Elder	Lake City	2
St. Luke	D. J. Hartwell	Sup.	Timmons ville a 3	3
St. Mary	N. J. Brown	Elder	Lake City	2
St. Paul	D. H. McLean	Deacon	Kingstree	1
Timmons ville	F. Marcus	Elder	Timmons ville	2
John Wesley	T. E. Taylor	Sup.	Marion	2
Pamplico	Wm. E. Thompson	Sup.	Florence	1

Spartanburg District

L. W. Williams, District Superintendent, Spartanburg, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Bethune	E. D. Harrison	Supply	Bethune	1
Blacksburg	J. M. Cox	On Trial	Blacksburg	2
Chester	S. M. Miller	Elder	Chester	3
Chesnee	Rufus E. Bethea	On Trial	Chesnee	1
Clover	P. E. McLaughlin	Elder	Clover	1
Cowpens	J. C. Martin	Elder	Cowpens	1
Gaffney	C. C. Reynolds	Elder	Gaffney	3
Greer	I. B. Royal	Elder	Greer	3
Jefferson	J. A. Murry	Elder	Jefferson	1
Landrum	E. S. Charley	Elder	Landrum	1
Longtown	C. J. James	Supply	Longtown	2
McBee	A. L. Davis	On Trial	Mcbee	1
Pacolet	E. P. Bruce	Elder	Pacolet	5
Pageland	D. P. Murphy	Elder	Pageland	3
Riedville	R. H. Harrison	On Trial	Riedville	2
Rock Hill	Samuel Jackson	On trial	Rock Hill	1
St. James	T. H. Fisher	Elder	York R. 1.	1
Spartnburg Station	J. F. Green	Elder	Spartanburg	1
Spartanburg Ct.	J. J. G. Garrett	Supply	Spartanburg	2
Spartanburg Mission	E. W. Adams	Elder	Spartanburg	4
St. Mark	R. R. Williams	Elder	Taylor	5
Wellford	Cyrus James	Elder	Welloford	5
Wilkinsville	Samuel Goude lock	Supply	Gaffney R. 5	1
York Ct.	A. P. Jenkins	Elder	York	1

Giles C. Brown left without an appointment to attend school.

Greenville District

W. S. Thompson, District Superintendent,
P. O. 220 Cleveland Ave., Anderson, S. C.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Anderson	B. S. Jackson	Elder	Anderson	1
Belton	W. M. Smith	Elder	Belton	6
Bradley & McCormick	D. F. Tillman	Deacon	Abbeville	2
Easley	E. C. Wright	Elder	Easley	3
Greenville:				
John Wesley	J. W. Taylor	Elder	Greenville	3
St. Andrews	Alexander Knox	Elder	Greenville	2
Mission	D. M. Minus	Elder	Greenville	3
Greenwood	F. A. Connelly	Deacon	Greenwood	1
Liondesville Grove	A. Reese	Sup.	Greenville	1
Mt. Zion & Pelham	J. W. A. Butler	Deacon	Greenville	1
Newberry	C. L. Lindsay	Sup.	Chappells	7
Ninety Six	Geo. S. McLay	Elder	Ninety Six	1
North Greenville	S. M. Brown	Elder	Greenville	5
Pendleton	A. J. Hall	Elder	Pendleton	2
Pickens	I. V. Manning	Elder	Pickens	5
Rock Mill	T. R. Robinson	Elder	Anderson rfd	4
Seneca	A. H. Hayes	Elder	Seneca	3
S. Greenville	W. N. Fridie	Deacon	Greenville	1
Walhalla	C. F. Ferguson	Deacon	Walhalla	1
West Anderson	S. F. Mass	Deacon	Anderson rfd	3
Williamston	J. A. Gary	Elder	Williamston	1

Orangeburg District

J. B. Taylor, District Superintendent,

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Branchville	R. H. Cunningham	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Seader Grove & St. James	M. B. Mason	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Columbia Sta.	N. S. Smith		Columbia	1
Columbia Mis.	C. H. Dandgerfied	Elder	Orangeburg	2
Denmark	G. W. Gant	Elder		1
Edisto Fork	A. J. Pogue	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Jamison	J. A. Summers	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Macedonia	L. A. Thomas	Elder	Orangeburg	5
Midway	R. G. Lawrence	Elder	Orangeburg	1
North	J. S. Miller	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Orangeburg Sta.	R. F. Freeman	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Orangeburg Ct.	S. J. Cooper	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Pineville & Bowman	A. P. Gilliard	Elder	Orangeburg	3
Reevesville	M. O. Stewart	Elder	Reevesville	1
Rowesville	D. J. Sanders	Elder	Orangeburg	1
Springfield	A. W. Wright		Orangeburg	2
Swansea	D. R. McTear	Elder		1
Orangeburg Sta.	J. W. E. Bowen, Jr.	Elder	Orangeburg	1

J. S. Johnson, Principal of State Reformatory, Columbia, S. C.

I. E. Dewalt, left without appointment to attend school.

Dr. L. M. Dunton, President Emeritus of Clafin University, and Conference Evangelist and Evangelist to Young People.

Sumter District

A. G. Townsend, District Superintendent,
529 W. Oakland Ave.

Name of Charge	Name of Pastor	Rank	Postoffice	Time
Antioch	W. F. Smith	Elder	Oswego, R.F.D.1	4
Blaney	J. Wesley Williams	Deacon	Lugoff	3
Borden	John W. Williams	Deacon	Sumter, rfd	2
Camden	R. F. Bradford	Elder	Camden	6
Camden Ct.	G. B. Tillman	Elder	Camden	4
Lamar	J. E. C. Jenkins	Elder	Lamar	1
Lamar Ct.	A. L. McGill	Elder	Lamar	2
Lynchburg	I. C. Wiley	Elder	Lynchburg	6
Mayesville	J. T. Martin	Elder	Mayesville	1
Macedonia	M. B. Eaddy	Deacon	Camden	2
Mechanicsville	L. S. Selmore		Oswego, R.F.D.1	1
Mt. Zion	M. J. Porter	Elder	Sumter	4
New Haven	F. W. Vance	Elder		1
Oswego	F. W. Anthony	Elder	Sumter	4
Rock Spring	J. W. White		Oak St., Col'a	1
St. James	N. T. Bowen, Sr.	Elder	Sumter	2
St. Paul	W. B. Bowen	Elder	Camden, rfd 4	3
St. Mathews	P. C. E. Hidleston	Deacon	Camden	3
Shiloh	N. W. Greene	Elder	Florence	3
Sumter	R. L. Hickson	Elder	Sumter	4
Wateree	W. M. David	Elder	Lugoff	2
Zion Hill	H. B. Nelson	Deacon	Lynchburg	2

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

Bennettsville, S. C. December 10th through 14th 1924.

The One Hundred Twentieth (120) Session, since reorganization the Fifty eight (58) Session of the South Carolina Annual Session in the magnificent St. Michael Methodist Episcopal Church Bennettsville, S. C. Wednesday December 10th through the 14th 1924 at 9:00 A.M. the dignified and scholarly Bishop Joseph Berry, D. D. LL. D. resident prelate of the Philadelphia area, presided.

Promptly at 9:00 A. M. the Conference was open by the Rev. C. C. Jacobs the Bennettsville District Superintendent. The glorious hymn 560 "And are we yet alive" was triumphantly sung. The morning's supplication was offered by Rev. A. R. Howard the Charleston District Superintendent. The eight District Superintendents. Rev. A. R. Howard C. C. Jacobs J. C. Martin, B. C. Jackson, W. S. Thompson, J. F. Page, A. G. Townsend, and L. G. Gregg were asked to enter the chancel and assist in the administration of the Lord's Supper.

The Bishop invited all of the retired ministers as a special honor to the brethren to come first to the front for the holy sacrament. The service was beautiful and spiritual and 388 Communicants participated.

The Secretary of the previous Conference was requested by the Bishop to call the roll. One hundred and seventy nine answered.

Question 16 was asked: Who have died? The reply was two. Brothers G. W. Covington, and T. G. Robinson. While these names were mentioned the Bishop asked the Conference to stand as a worthy tribute to these translated members.

The Rev. G. W. Cooper moved which was seconded by the Rev. J. A. Glenn that the Rev. J. C. Gibbes be nominated and elected Secretary. It was done. He was allowed to chose his assistants as follows: D. S. Curry, N. S. Smith, B. F. Bradford, and J. A. Glenn. These were concurred in by the Conference.

The various reporters were nominated and elected as follows: Watchman and Defender, Rev. N. W. Green, Columbia Record, Rev. J. J. Lowery. S. W. C. A. Rev. J. C. Gibbes. News and Courier J. W. E. Bowen, Jr. Columbia State, Rev. R. F. Freeman.

Dr. William Wilson representing the Christian Advocate and Methodist Book Concern was introduced and made

a strong appeal to the Conference concerning their financial obligations with the Book Concern, and presented to the Conference from the Book Concern and Chartered Fund the respective sums of \$2241.00 and \$35.00.

The Rev. C. R. Brown was accorded the special privilege of the floor and made a strong speech in advancing men of worth and merit and paid a splendid tribute to Rev. J. B. Taylor who had built the magnificent church in which the Conference was holding her session.

It was moved by the Rev. J. W. Moultrie and seconded by the Rev. C. R. Brown that the Directory program be the official order of service. It was moved by Rev. B. S. Jackson seconded by Rev. J. B. Taylor that the entire body excluding the annex be considered the bar of the Conference. These motions were carried.

Rev. M. M. Mouzon urged that the Annual Conference Endowment Fund be given a place on the Conference program. The Conference by vote referred this request to the program committee.

The Rev. J. W. Moultrie read the appreciation of sympathy on the distinguished life and labor of Professor E. J. Sawyer who at the present hour lies seriously ill at his home. The Revs. C. R. Brown, J. W. Cooper and H. C. Asbury, J. B. Taylor and I. E. Lowery spoke also in reference to the noble life and labors of Honor E. J. Sawyer. The Revs. J. W. Moultrie and W. M. Hanna were appointed by the Conference to convey their affections and sympathy of this body in his hour of afflictions.

The Rev. J. C. Gibbes presented a body of resolutions of commendations of the splendid services of the Atlanta Area Secretary the Rev. J. W. Moultrie. See resolutions.

The character of the following District Superintendents. Revs C. C. Jacobs of Bennettsville J. F. Page of Florence, J. C. Martin of Spartanburg, A. R. Howard, Charleston, L. G. Gregg, Beaufort, A. G. Townsend, Sumter were passed and they made their reports. The effective Elders of the above Districts were passed with the exception of one on the Florence District.

The Revs. W. I. Hurbert of M. E. Church South and George M. Cox of the Presbyterian church were introduced and delivered fraternal greetings. The good Bishop responded in a felicitous manner.

The Bishop appointed the Rev. J. W. Cooper to preside at the afternoon statistical session.

The following ministers of the A. M. E. Church were

introduced: Revs. Dowdy, Turpin, J. S. Coe, and Deas.

The various announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

First Day—Afternoon Session

The Conference was called to order by Rev. G. W. Cooper at 3:00 P. M. Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. J. Kirk. The minutes were read, corrected and adopted.

The Statistical session was orderly arranged over the church by Dr. G. W. Cooper and each of the District Superintendents began checking up the reports of the ministers on his district; after which the announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. G. W. Cooper.

First Day—Night Session

The St. Michael choir furnished delightful music for this session. Hymn 96, "God moves in a Mysterious Way" was lined and sung by the Rev. J. F. Green. The evening's petition was offered by the Rev. S. S. Sparks. Psalms, 8 section was read by the Rev. J. F. Green also hymn 196 "Breathe on me Breath of God" The Rev. J. B. Taylor told of the importance of the spiritual feature of the service and in splendid words introduced the Rev. G. B. Tillman who took for his text Matt. 22-42 theme "What think ye of Christ", and preached a powerful as well as an informing sermon. The collection of \$20.00 was raised. Mr. G. S. Thomas sang a beautiful solo entitled "It pays to serve Jesus." The Rev. J. W. Moultrie in fine language presented the editor of the S. W. C. A. Dr. L. H. King, who delivered a masterly address on the South Western Christian Advocate. The various announcements were made and the apostolic benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. B. Tillman.

Second Day—Morning Session

This service was opened by the Bishop at 9:00 A. M. with many brief and consoling prayers and hymns. The minutes were presented—corrected and adopted.

The District Superintendents the Rev. W. S. Thompson, Greenville, Rev. B. S. Jackson of Orangeburg were called, their characters were passed and they made their reports.

Question 24 was asked and answered, the character of the following retired ministers were passed and they remain in the same relation and their names are as follows: G. F. Miller, J. W. Brown, Thomas Sims, W.G. Deas, C. C. Robin-

son, A. W. Fuller, W. G. White, G. W. Grey, A. D. Harris, F. W. Stratton, J. T. Latson, A. G. Kennedy, C. L. Logan, V. S. Johnson, I. E. Lowery, H. H. Matthew, A. D. Brown.

The Sumter, Greenville, Spartanburg, Florence, Charleston, Orangeburg, Bennetsville, Beaufort Districts elders were called, their characters were passed and they made their report with the exception of brother J. A. Connerly of the Florence District. It was moved by the Rev. J. W. Moultrie seconded by Rev. G. W. Cooper that a committee of three be appointed by the Bishop and the Florence District Superintendent to investigate irregularities that caused the arresting of the said brother's character. It was carried. It was moved by Dr. J. W. Moultrie and seconded by Rev. G. W. Cooper that the brethren report in Conference the following items. Conversions, Accessions, World Service, Conference Claimants and Episcopal Fund, it was carried.

The Rev. J. B. Taylor here spoke of "The Pee Dee Advocate" the leading white paper published in Bennettsville as having given extensive space and account of the St. Michael Church, her parsonage and the Conference and asked that thanks be extended to the officials of that paper moved by Dr. J. W. Moultrie and seconded by Dr. G. W. Cooper that a rising vote of appreciation be extended to Mr. R. L. Freeman and his staff for their very liberal and favorable expressions said in reference of our work in Bennettsville. It was moved by Rev. L. G. Gregg and seconded by others that brother A. D. Brown's case be referred to the Conference Relations for adjustment.

The Rev. G. A. Thomas in rendering his report spoke of the misfortune of a fire that consumed his house and all of its effects. It was moved by Dr. A. R. Howard and seconded by the Conference of two brothers, Revs. C.R. Brown and A. R. Wright lift a contribution for the unfortunate brother. It was done. The amount raised for that purpose and turned over to brother Thomas was \$32.00.

The supplies of the Charleston, Florence, Sumter, Greenville, Orangeburg, were named by their various District Superintendents their characters were passed and they rendered their reports.

Dr. D. Stewart Patterson, Assistant Research Secretary Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Dr. L. H. King, the Editor

of the South Western Christian Advocate and Dr. L. M. Dunton, President Emeritus of Claflin University and Conference Evangelist were introduced to the Conference and made excellent addresses and rendered their reports on their service to the Church.

It was moved by Dr. J. W. Moultrie and seconded by others that a board of thanks be tendered to Dr. L. M. Dunton for his most excellent reports as Conference Evangelist and the said report be referred to the Committee on Young peoples work, it was carried. It was moved by Dr. H. C. Asbury seconded by Dr. I. E. Lowery, that a vote of thanks be given to Dr. L. H. King for his magnificent address. It was carried.

The announcements were made and the benediction was given by Rev. M. M. Mouzon.

Second Day—Afternoon Session

At 4:00 P. M., this exercise was opened by the Rev. D. E. Thomas who lined hymn 1, "O for a thousand tongues to sing". Prayer was offered by the Rev. M. B. Mason Rev. S. A. Funches, read the scripture lesson, 1 John 3. The Rev. N. T. Bowen, Jr., was presented by the Rev. J. B. Taylor, who took for his text 1 John 3-2: "Now are we the Sons of God", theme: "Sonship in Christ" The sermon was a brilliant and spiritual exposition of the theme. The song "Father I stretch my hands to Thee" was sung while the great audience raised the right hand, after which the benediction was said by the Rev. N. L. Bowen, Jr.

Second Day—Evening Session

The evening services were begun with hymn 388 "A charge to keep I have" was lined and sung by Rev. J. W. E. Bowen, Jr., who offered also the prayer.

The Rev. L. H. King, Master of Ceremonies introduced Dr. D. L. Stewart Patterson, Assistant Research Secretary Board of Temperance Prohibition and Public Morals and Rev. J. W. E. Bowen, Jr., representing the Epworth League and Sunday Schools and Dr. M. M. Mouzon, the Conference Claimant Permanent Endowment Fund Agent. These address were concise, cogent, eloquent and profound and received their due need of applause. The collection of \$13.00 was raised.

The announcements were given and the benediction

was stated by Rev. M. M. Mouzon.

Third Day—Morning Session

Precisely at 9:00 A. M. the Bishop called the Conference to attention. The previous journal was read and corrected and adopted.

Rev. W. S. Thompson, lead the song service while many of the brethren offered brief prayers.

Question 20 was asked who have been permitted under charges or complaint withdrawn and the reply was J. A. Connelly, M. J. Humphrey.

Rev. L. W. Williams asked the privilege of the floor and paid high tribute of praise and compliment to the retiring Spartanburg District Superintendent, Rev. J. C. Martin and in behalf of his District presented him with a handsome silver set. The Rev. J. C. Martin expressed his esteem and thanks in a happy speech.

The Board of Examining Committee and other various Committees were called and made their reports. See reports.

Question one was asked, Is the Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline and the reply was, yes.

Question two was called, Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conference? The answer was none.

Question three was called, Who have been Readmitted? the answer was none.

Question, four was called, who have been received on Credentials, and from what church? and the reply was none.

Question, five was asked who have been received on Trial? (a) In studies of first year. Rufus Betha E. Brown, C. Bellingier, S. Bryant, Henry E. Bryant, Herbert L. Davis, Clarence T. Ferguson, Monnie L. Green, Charles Jones, Joshua F. Pearson, Andrew J. Tillman. (b) In studies of the Third year under the Seminary Rule, the reply, Giles C. Brown.

Question sixth was requested, who have been continued on Trial? (a) the response none.

(b) In Studies of second year, James W. A. H. Butler, L. Robert, C. J. Mack, Augustas A. Numan, J. Rowe, B. Tillman, F. David, William J. Wesley, J. H. Woods, John W. Williams, (Condi. 1 subject)

(d) In studies of four year answer none.

Question seventh was asked, who have been discontinued? Here it was moved by the Rev. W. S. Thompson seconded by others that brother Smith be discontinued. It was done. It was moved and seconded by the Conference that the District Superintendent be permitted to use Bro. Smith.

The Eighth Question, who have been admitted into full membership? (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year. Edward Gordon, Samuel Jackson, Thomas D. Stewart, George McLeary and Eliot F. Tobin were called by the Bishop to the front and he delivered a wonderful address and asked the brethren the required Disciplinary questions. It was moved by Rev. W. S. Thompson seconded by the Rev. J. W. Moultrie that these brethren be admitted into full membership in the Conference. It was done.

Question eleven, What members have completed the Conference course of study? (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year: the answer was. See report.

It was moved and seconded by the members of the Conference that brother Curry be received in full membership in the Conference and graduated from the Conference course of studies. It was carried.

Dr. Willis J. King, Professor of Old Testament and Sociology of Gammon Theological Seminary Atlanta Ga., was introduced and made a great speech and an appeal for Gammon. Dr. L. M. Dunton read a telegram from Rev. James McMorres, See Telegram. It was moved by Dr. G. W. Cooper seconded by Rev. A. R. Howard that the Conference endorse and support Drs. McMorres and Dr. L. M. Dunton in, their Evangelization and Educational work among the young people. It was carried. It was moved by Rev. M. M. Mouzon seconded by others that the Conference express their appreciation, confidence, support and cooperation for the work of Dr. L. M. Dunton. Here Mrs. Nathan Patcher Pond of Rochester, N. Y. was introduced as a woman of great benevolence and philanthropy by Dr. L. M. Dunton, who made a brief speech.

Third Day—Afternoon Session

This service was started by Rev. J. W. Bowen, Jr. Hymn 2 "Come thou Almighty King", was sung. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. D. Sanders. Second Hymn 22 "Come ye that love the Lord" was sung. The Rev. Willis

King was introduced by Rev. J. W. E. Bowen, Jr., who took for his text Luke 10-19. The sermon was beautiful, practicable and edifying.

The Women's Home Missionary Society gave a very interesting program. The President, Mrs. J. W. Moultrie opened the meeting with a rare address outlining the scope, importance and potency of the work of the society and urged the entire South Carolina Conference to encourage, endorse and support them in their efforts of endeavor and uplift. Mrs. L. A. J. Moorer spoke ably upon the W. H. M. S. giving a vivid and historical description of the wonderful W. H. M. S. Building and meeting at Chicago at the Annual Meeting. The meeting closed with the hearty benediction and urgent desires of the South Carolina Conference that the W. H. M. S. will ever live and do work for the King.

The Fourth Day—Morning Session

The Conference opened its session at 9:00 A. M. by the Bishop. Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. R. Brown, after the song the Bishop invited the members on trial to the front and gave them an instructive lecture. Monnie Lee Green, that we elect him deacon orders on the Seminary Rule.

Rufus E. Bethea, elected Deacon of Seminary Rule.
Frank F. Ferguson, elected Deacon on Seminary Rule.
Andrews J. Tillman,
Herbert L. Davis.
Charles James,
Joshua F. Pearson, recommended for Deacons' orders on Seminary Rule.
Stephen Bryant.
Bellinger C. Brown.

It was moved by the Conference and seconded by the same that the foregoing candidates be admitted on trial in to the Annual Conference. Dr. Charles R. Oaten, representing the Conference Claimants was introduced and made a strong speech in reference of his cause and presented to the Conference a check of \$12.00 as dividends and \$29.92 as interest from the Conference Claimants Fund.

It was moved and seconded by the Conference as a body that we approve the action of Atlanta Area Coun-

cil held in Augusta, Ga., regarding an appointment of an agent. It was done.

It was moved by Dr. A. G. Townsend seconded by Dr. N. T. Bowen, that the piece of property in Florence held by the Preachers Aid Society be sold by the Conference Treasurer, and the proceeds be turned over to the Conference Claimants Endowment Fund. It was carried.

It was moved by Rev. L. G. Gregg and seconded by Rev. B. S. Jackson that the trustees of the Yemassee charge sell the church at Easley Branch and the proceeds be turned over to the Conference. It was carried.

Dr. Corless P. Hargrove, Foreign Superintendent Board of Sunday School of the Methodist Episcopal Church and Rev. J. W. E. Bowen, Jr. who represented the Epworth League Work in the place of Dr. Butler were introduced and they made strong and helpful speeches upon the line of their work. After which Rev. J. W. E. Bowen offered a strong resolution by which the Epworth League would get a better hearing in the Conference. See resolution.

The announcements were made and the benediction was given by the Dr. Hardgrave.

Fourth Day—Afternoon Session

This service opened 4:00 P. M. by the Bishop. The minutes were read and corrected and adopted.

Question 12 What others have been elected and ordained Deacons? David F. Tillman, W. M. Varene, August Seegus; Jefferson W. Thomas, John Green, Edward Desseau, Louis Charles Hayward W. Chandler Max C. Dougherty, Edward Jordan, James C. Williams, from A. M. E. church.

It was moved by Dr. A. G. Townsend and seconded by others that Brothers Paul E. Doney and Claude W. Cooper of the New England Conference be granted local Deacons Orders. It was carried.

Question 40 Where shall the next Conference be held? The answer was John Wesley M. E. Church, the Rev. J. W. Taylor the pastor and Rev. W. S. Thompson the Greenville District Superintendent presented the invitation. The Rev. J. W. Moultrie moved seconded by many others that we accept the invitation as a body. It was done.

The Announcements were made the Benediction was announced by Rev. A. R. Howard.

Fourth Day—Evening Session

The session opened at 7:30. The hymn "I love thy house O God", was lined by Rev. J. W. Moultrie. The prayer was offered by Rev. B. J. Sanders.

The minutes were offered and adopted.

The Rev. J. W. Moultrie read a resolution on World Service. It was moved by the Conference and seconded by others that the statistical Secretary's report be submitted

It was moved by Rev. A. G. Townsend and seconded by others that the statistical Secretary's report be submitted without reading. It was carried.

Brethren left without appointment to attend school. Stephen Bryant, Aaron DeWalt, Edgar C. McCloud, Herbert L. Davis, Joshua Pearson, Rufus E. Bethea, Monnie L. Green, Robert B. King, E. W. Dean, Evan Hurley, Giles C. Brown, A. S. Numan.

It was moved by the conference and seconded by the Rev. C. R. Brown that the secretary edit the minutes. It was carried.

The Conference Board of Stewards made their report It was moved by the conference and seconded by the same that we accept report. It was carried. The benediction was given by Rev. C. R. Brown.

Fifth Day—Sunday Morning Session

This glorious Love Feast was conducted by Rev. W. J. Gupple, Rev. W. M. Mouzon and Rev. J. E. Lowery with the usual spiritual enthusiasm and intense interest. The prayers were comforting and the hymns were inspiring and angelic. The scripture beautiful and instructive.

Brothers Adams, White, Johnson, Mason, Dangerfield and Green distributed the emblems of water and bread with the benedictions of the Lord upon them. Over three hundred and fifty heavenly messages were blissfully delivered testifying to the saving grace and the infinite love of Jesus.

At 11:00 A. M. The High Noon

Sunday service was begun with hymn 530 "O Thou in whose presence my soul takes Delight" lined by Rev. C. C. Jacobs the Bennettsville District Superintendent. The Apostle creed was solemnly repeated. The consoling and prayer was offered in his ardent manner by Rev. G. W. Cooper. The 50 Psalter was read by Rev. A. R. Howard

and repeated by the congregation. The St. Michael Choir presided over by the Chorister Mr. S. P. Funches and the organist Mrs. Dora E. Powe made delightful and impressive music. The collection was lifted by Revs. Smith, Kirk, William, Cooper, Green, Curry, Jackson, Green, N. S. Smith, J. B. Taylor, S. Miller, C. C. Clarke through the intrusion of Dr. J. W. Moultrie to the amount of \$80.96 Here the Rev. C. C. Jacobs in excellent words introduced the Bishop Berry who took for his text, St. John 6-67-68. "Will ye also go away, To whom shall we go"? the sermon was profound exquisite soul satisfying exposition of the text. The awaiting audience listened with abated breath to the eloquent and vivid portrayal of the beautiful life of the Church and was edified and strengthened. The Rev. L. G. Gregg offered the concluding prayer with great fervency. The announcements were made and the benediction was announced by Rev. B. S. Jackson.

Sunday—Afternoon Session

The Bishop began the services. The prayer of consecration was conducted by the eighth District Superintendents. The secretary called the following candidates up for Deacon's Orders. Samuel Jackson, Clarence F. Ferguson, Augustus Seeger, Edward Dessausau, Monnie Lee Green, Rufus E. Bethea, Chas. J. James, Edward Jordon, Ransom Hamilton, Jeff. W. Thomas, D. F. Tillman, William Varn, M. C. Doriety, Jehu Green, Chandler W. Heyward Loney Charley, Arnold T. Hines. The Bishop delivered a beautiful and instructive address to these candidates and asked them the Disciplinary questions and proceeded to ordain them.

The secretary called the candidates for Elders order as follows: John W. Buddin, Edward P. Prince, Thomas J. Curry, Anthony J. Hall, Daniel H. McLean, Alonza Wright Thomas D. Stewart. The lecture to these candidates was full of rich advice and fatherly counsel then the Bishop proceeded to ask the men the required Disciplinary questions and ordained them. The service closed with "God be with us till we meet again."

The Memorial Services were conducted in a sublime manner. The Revs. C. R. Brown, H. C. Asbury, S. M. McCullum spoke of the life and labors of the Rev. G. W. Covington in a beautiful style. Rev. R. F. Harrington

sang a soulful solo. The Rev. W. M. Hanna and L. A. Thomas gave us a brilliant talk on the ministerial services of the Rev. T. G. Robinson. The Rev. T. J. Smith splendid carrier was spoken upon by the Rev. G. B. Tillman. The Rev. R. L. Hickson gave a fine address concerning the Mrs. A. D. Brown, Mrs. A. G. Townsends life and deeds were treated in a great manner by the Rev. J. W. Moultrie. Rev. J. P. Robinson, and Miss J. E. Lowery, Miss Thomas Jefferson Smith was also spoken for with good effect. These good and holy worthies won the respect and esteem of the earth and won the benediction and blessings of their Lord "Well done."

Sunday Evening Session

The Rev. J. B. Taylor conducted this big session in his inimitable manner. The Bennettsville Choir finished delightful music throughout the sessions.

Here the great editor of the S. W. C. Advocate was introduced and preached a wonderful sermon from 13 Chapter of 2 Cor. The collection of 68.00 was raised. The Bishop here requested the eight District Superintendents to read their District appointments. The treasurer and Statistician made their reports. The disciplinary question, What is the aggregate of the Benevolent Collection ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer \$32,210.00 (b) What is the aggregate of Benevolent Collection ordered by the Annual Conference as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$_____thus the reply.

On Motion of Rev. J. A. Glenn seconded by others that the Conference stand adjourned without date after the conclusion of the evening's session. It was carried. On motion of the conference the secretary was ordered to publish the Conference Minutes. The doxology was sung and the benediction was pronounced by Bishop Berry.

The South Carolina Annual Conference will hold her next session in Greenville, S. C.

Bennettsville, S. C. December 14, 1924.

This is to certify that I on the above date ordained as Deacons in accordance with the action of the South Carolina Conference the following men Samuel Jackson, Clarence F. Ferguson, Augustus Seeger, Edward Desauson, Monnie Lee Green, Rufus E. Betha, Charles J. James, Edward Jordon, Ransom Hamilton, Jeff. W. Thomas, D. F.

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Whereas, the Centenary as an anniversary has done its task, and achieved its purpose and the Rev. J. W. Moultrie towers perceptibly in its glorious consummation,

Therefore, be it resolved that we here heartily extend sincere appreciation to Dr. J. W. Moultrie's worth, ability and Christian zeal in putting over the Centenary program, establishing thereby that he is a wise and safe counsellor, indefatigable worker, and a true church leader.

Resolved further that in as much as our S. C. Conference and Area have been advanced and enhanced in power and prestige by this strong and good man, that we again

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**FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE
BOARD OF STEWARDS**

South Carolina Annual Conference for the Conference
Year Ending Dec. 14, 1924.

Receipts

FOR ANNUITY DISTRIBUTION:

Book Concern Dividend.....	\$ 2,241.00
Chartered Fund Dividend.....	35.00
Part of Support Paid by the Churches....	1,494.00
Income from Conference Investments.....	29.92

FOR NECESSITOUS DISTRIBUTION:

Board of Conference Claimants Dividend..	1,200.00
Total	\$5,068.92

Disbursements

ON ANNUITY BASIS:

To Preachers	\$ 1,442.50
To Widows	2,047.50
To Children	552.50

EXPENSES OF BOARD OF STEWARDS

Balance in Hand.....	26,492.00
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Apportionment for Next Year, 1925

Total number of years 1617 multiplied by \$1500;	
Annuity Claims	\$ 24,255.00
Total deuctible Income, not including receipts	
from charges	3,506.00
Amount required by Discipline to meet Annuity	
Claims in full	20,747.00
Amount recommended by Stewards for necessitous	
cases	1,000.00
Total to be apportioned by the Board of Stewards;	
items (c) and (e) 3 per cent of Cash Salary.	

ANNUITY RATE:

Number of Effective Members counted...\$	178.00
Average salary paid.....	1,060.00

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Disciplinary Annuity Rate.....	1,500.00
Annuity Rate paid this year.....	250.00
Annuity Rate paid last year.....	200.00
Change in Rate paid.....	.50

VITAL STATISTICS:

Number of Retired Ministers	22
Number of Widows	55
Number of Dependent Children.....	48
Total number of Claimants.....	120

YEARS OF SERVICE:

Retired Ministers	577
Widows (three-fourths basis).....	819
Children (one-fourth basis).....	221
Total years claimed	1617
Total last year	1767
Amount of change	150

List of Officers of the Board of Stewards

President—W. M. Hanna, Florence, S. C.
Secretary—W. M. Hanna, Florence, S. C.
Treasurer—M. M. Mouzon, Charleston, S. C.

Distribution to Retired Ministers

NAME	Years	Annuity Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
J. C. Armstrong	16	\$ 40.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 50.00
Benj. Brown	37	92.50	7.50	100.00
A. D. Brown	27	67.50	32.50	100.00
J. W. Brown	31	77.50	22.50	100.00
W. G. Deas	42	105.00		105.00
A. W. Fuller	9	22.50	27.50	50.00
Geo. W. Gray (?)	6	15.00	25.00	40.00
A. D. Harris	21	52.50	23.50	76.00
V. S. Johnson	29	72.50	58.00	130.50
J. T. Latson	28	70.00	30.00	100.00
C. L. Logan	13	47.50		47.50
C. B. Lowery	15	37.50		37.50
I. E. Lowery	47	117.50	7.50	125.00
H. H. Matthews	22	55.00	30.00	85.00
A. G. Kennedy	38	95.00	5.00	100.00
G. F. Miller	25	65.00	10.00	75.00
C. C. Robertson	35	87.50	37.50	125.00
E. W. Stratton	15	37.50	12.50	50.00
J. S. Tyler		75.00		75.00
Thos. Sims	22	55.00	15.00	70.00
W. G. White	35	87.50	2.50	90.00
J. T. Wilson	27	67.50	7.50	75.00

Distribution to Widows

NAME	Years	Annuity Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Mrs. H. Baker	19	\$ 47.50	\$	\$ 47.50
Mrs. Wm. Baker	25	62.50		62.50
Mrs. F. L. Baxter	27	67.50	7.50	75.00
Mrs. R. L. Brower	6	15.00	60.00	75.00
Mrs. V. H. Bulkley	14	35.00		35.00
Mrs. T. C. Burch	18	45.00	15.00	60.00
Mrs. J. A. Brown	14	35.00		35.00
Mrs. E. B. Burroughs	26	65.00	15.00	80.00
Mrs. R. C. Campbell	22	65.00	20.00	75.00
Mrs. T. J. Clarke	17	42.50	17.50	60.00
Mrs. A. Cooper	26	65.00		65.00
Mrs. G. W. Covington	22	55.00		55.00
Mrs. G. J. Davis	21	52.50	7.50	60.00
Mrs. W. H. Davis	3	7.50		7.50
Mrs. Ellis Forrest	22	55.00		55.00
Mrs. B. G. Frederick	18	45.00	5.00	50.00
Mrs. I. H. Fulton	15	37.50	2.50	40.00
Mrs. M. V. Gray	22	55.00	5.00	60.00
Mrs. Scipio Green	22	55.00		55.00
Mrs. I. L. Hardy	19	47.50	12.50	60.00
Mrs. A. H. Harrison	17	42.50		42.50
Mrs. C. H. Harleston	1	2.50	37.50	40.50
Mrs. W. H. Jones	22	55.00	5.00	60.00
Mrs. S. A. King	5	12.50	12.50	25.00
Mrs. S. S. Lawton	21	52.50		52.50
Mrs. A. Lewis	18	45.00		45.00
Mrs. J. McLeod	24	60.00		60.00
Mrs. B. J. McDaniel	12	30.00	18.00	48.00
Mrs. B. F. Miller	18	45.00		45.00
Mrs. J. I. Miller	7	17.50	17.50	35.00
Mrs. A. B. Morrassey	10	25.00		25.00
Mrs. G. W. Moore	1	27.50	2.50	30.00
Mrs. A. B. Murphy	16	40.00	10.00	50.00
Mrs. H. S. Neil	15	37.50	12.50	50.00
Mrs. James Quick	1	2.50	17.50	20.00
Mrs. Lawrence Rice	13	32.50		32.50
Mrs. T. G. Robinson	24	60.00	15.00	75.00

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Mrs. C. C. Scott.....	27	67.50	7.50	75.00
Mrs. J. B. Thomas.....	18	45.00	5.00	50.00
Mrs. L. L. Thomas.....	18	45.00	5.00	50.00
Mrs. R. A. Thomas.....	20	50.00		50.00
Mrs. W. Thomas.....	12	30.00	20.00	50.00
Mrs. J. C. Tobias.....	7	17.50	2.50	20.00
Mrs. W. G. Valentine.....	15	37.50	2.50	40.00
Mrs. G. W. Washington....	1	2.50	17.50	20.00
Mrs. M. Wilson.....	3	7.50	12.50	20.00
Mrs. J. E. Wilson.....	34	85.00	5.00	90.00
Mrs. B. F. Witherspoon....	18	45.00	5.00	50.00

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Distribution to Children

Name of Mother	Age of Child Last Birthday	Father's Effective Yrs.	Years Allowed One-Fourth	Annuity Paid	Special Aid	Total Paid
Mrs. B. F. Gandy, 1 child.....	10		\$ 3.00	\$ 7.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 10.00
Mrs. Scipio Green, 1 child.....	43		10.00	25.00		25.00
Mrs. C.H. Hood, 1 child Florence	13		3.00	7.50	1.25	8.75
1 child Ann.....	13		4.00	10.00	1.25	11.25
Mrs. S. A. King, 1 child.....	42		10.00	25.00		25.00
1 child.....			11.00	27.50		27.50
Mrs. H. W. Davis, Thelma.....	13	5	2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
Mrs. Jas. Quick, 1 child.....	1	4	1.00	2.50	7.50	10.00
Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, Thelma.....	11	14	3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
Mrs. B. F. Miller, 1 child.....	25		6.00	15.00		15.00
1 child.....			7.00	17.50		17.50
1 child.....			6.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. J. I. Miller, 1 child Susan....	13	9	2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
Mrs. G. W. Moore, 1 child.....	14		3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
1 child.....	14		4.00	10.00		10.00
1 child.....	14		3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
1 child.....	14		4.00	10.00		10.00
Mrs. B. M. Pegueses, 1 child.....	15	26	6.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. J. S. Thomas, 1 child.....	24		6.00	15.00		15.00
1 child.....			6.00	15.00		15.00
1 child.....			6.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. B. S. A. Williams, 2 child....	14		7.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. B. S. A. Williams 2 child....			7.00	17.50	2.50	20.00
Mrs. R. L. Brower, 1 child.....	8		2.00	5.00	2.50	7.50
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Mrs. A. S. J. Brown, 1 child.....	10	28	7.00	17.50	2.50	20.00
2 children.....	8	28	7.00	17.50	2.50	20.00
3 children.....	6	28	7.00	17.50	2.50	20.00
Mrs. J. A. Brown, 1 child.....	45		11.00	27.50		27.50
Mrs. J. C. Burch, 1 child.....	24		6.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. Wm. Baker, 1 child.....	25		6.00	15.00		15.00
2 children.....			6.00	15.00		15.00
3 children.....			6.00	15.00		15.00
Mrs. L. J. Bonaparte, 1 child....	15		3.00	7.50		7.50
2 children.....			3.00	7.50		7.50
3 children.....			5.00	12.50		12.50
Mrs. V. C. Dimery, 1, James F.	12	10	2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
2 children, Bertha.....	9		3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
3 children, Le Roy.....	6		2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
4 children, Walter.....	10		3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
5 children, Vergil.....	8		2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
6 children, John.....	4		3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
Mrs. E. C. Funches, 1 child.....	10		2.00	5.00	5.00	10.00
2 children.....			3.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
Mrs. I. H. Fulton, 1 child.....	20		5.00	12.50		12.50
2 children.....			5.00	12.50		12.50

WORLD SERVICE

The World Service program of the church calls for the largest endowment of prayer and means. A bleeding world must have salvation and light. Our mission is to help Christ win this lost world and make the dark places bright.

Greatly to our sorrow the \$18,500,000—the annual apportionment for 1924 was less than half raised \$8,701,499. By this all our benevolences will suffer particularly our foreign and home board. Our colleges and schools have in guarantee as during the Centenary period. While our Missionaries must withdraw from the field.

Resolved (1) That we renew our devotion to the Kingdom interests and conserve what we have gained in previous years. (2) That we cheerfully as a Conference, accept our quotas for the year 1925 and do our best to reach them.

(3) That we continue to make our Clafin rally day in October a real ingathering day.

(4) That we stand by the World Service program, urge weekly collections and monthly remittances, and continue to major special efforts on Easter and Children's Day.

S. D. WILLIAMS,
J. W. MOULTRIE.

REPORT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

The Christian church today is emphasizing the religious training of its membership and of its young people. The Methodist Episcopal Church is one of the leaders in this movement. The South Carolina Conference feels, therefore, the necessity of adopting some principles and policy which would keep the religious education of the Conference in line with the forward work of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

I. First we take notice of the following colleges, institutinos and organizations at work or which might be set to work in the bounds of the Conference training the young people of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

1. Clafin University.
2. State College at Orangeburg.
3. Other private colleges.
4. Public Schools.
5. District Conventions.

6. Epworth League and Sunday School Institutes.
7. Local Sunday Schools.
Local Epworth Leagues.
8. Queen Esther Circles.
Mothers Jewels.
9. Daily Vacation Bible Schools.
10. Gammon Theological Seminary.
11. Summer School of Theology and Conference Board of Examiners.
12. Older Boys and Girls Conference.

This by no means exhausts the list of agencies for religious education. But we feel that the proper development, of these or the proper utilization of what these offer will give renewed impetus to the religious training of our membership.

II. The following, therefore, are the principles and aims of the Conference with regard to the foregoing agencies.

1. Clafin University.

Clafin University is primarily a school of religious education, the central school of its kind at work among Methodists in South Carolina. Its aim should be not only training its students in making a living, but also its should train them in intelligent active membership in the churches to which they may go after graduating. All graduates of Clafin should be trained workers in some phase of local church work and where certificates and diplomas for such work are granted they should have them. To this end we recommend the following suggestions.

- (a) Development of a Department of Religious Education.
- (b) Standardizing the Sunday School and Epworth League of Clafin.
- (c) Conference representation on the faculty.
- (d) Special cultivation of the Ministerial candidates in the student body by the faculty, the Ministers of the Conference, and especially by the District Superintendents.
- (e) The local churches from which the students come should tie the students closer to their by bonds of interest and help.
- (f) Tying up teachers and students closer with the city of Orangeburg and the work of our church there.
- (g) More frequent visitation by Ministers of the Conference, particularly such as hold high official positions.

2. State College.

Many of our young people attend the State College at Orangeburg: Our duty to them may be further discharged in the following ways.

(a) Closer connection between our students and their home churches.

(b) Systematic supervision of our students by the pastor at Orangeburg.

(c) Establishments of a Wesley Foundation.

(d) Tying up the Methodist teachers with the local church.

(e) Supporting all moves to help the college obtain funds and enlarge its work.

(f) Using proper influence to keep a fair representation of Methodist on the faculty.

3. Private Schools include denominational and non-denominational schools and colleges. Our influence there can be used to.

(a) Tie up closer teachers and students to their home churches.

(b) Tie them up to the local Methodist church.

4. Public Schools:—

The work of the church depends in large measure on the general intelligence of the mass of the people. Therefore we deem it essential for the Conference to throw its aid vigorously to developing this intelligence of the masses. This can be done by the following means:—

(a) Using our influence always to aid the public schools in obtaining funds.

(b) Supporting all legitimate projects of improvements or of raising standards.

(c) Keeping a fair representation of Methodist on the faculties.

(c) Keeping a fair representation of Methodists on the faculties.

(d) In rural sections especially setting before the people eight grades as the minimum of education needful in modern life.

(e) Local churches taking special interest in and care for their School children.

5. District Sunday School and Epworth League Conventions offer unusual opportunities for religious education. We deplore the tendency to make these gathering places primarily for reporting church monies, pushing

ing into the background the educational feature. These conventions should be real conventions and institutes of Young People's work, this and nothing more. We call upon the District Superintendents to give the educational work the supreme place at these gatherings.

The South Carolina Conference has tried and failed for two years to have an Epworth League Institute. We need one and desire one; and we offer ourselves as willing to cooperate with the Board of Education for one institute that will combine the work of the Epworth League and the Sunday School.

7. The local churches of the Conference should develop their Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools along the lines set forth as standards by our church. There is not one standard Sunday School at present in our Conference.

8. Where there are Woman's Home Missionary Societies we call upon them to develop the educational work of their Queen Esther girls and Mothers' Jewel as far as conditions will allow.

9. The establishment of Daily Vacation Bible Schools should be encouraged.

10. Young men, candidates for the Ministry should be continuously urged to prepare themselves at Gammon Theological Seminary or some other seminary of our church. While they are in attendance at Gammon they should have the fellowship of their brethren in the Conference, and especially personal encouragement and the District Superintendents.

11. The Summer School of Theology, conducted at Clafin University takes care of those candidates for the Ministry who cannot attend the Theological Seminary. The District Superintendents should set some educational standard for the men whom they send there. We feel that with the advantages now open to our people for obtaining schooling it is unfair to the men themselves and to the church to send men to the Summer School who have not come up to the disciplinary requirements.

N. W. GREENE,
J. W. E. BOWEN, Jr.

Older Boys and Girls Conferences.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING

We, your Committee on Auditing accounts, beg leave to report, that we have examined the books of the District Superintendents, and found them all correctly balance and properly kept.

Respectfully submitted,
 S. A. FUNCHES, Chairman,
 A. W. WRIGHT, Secretary,
 N. E. FRANKLIN,
 F. L. LAWTON,
 J. E. GOINS,
 W. F. SMITH.

We your Committee on District Conference Minutes beg to leave to submit the following report. After carefully Examining the Minutes of the Eight Districts we find them properly compiled.

Respectfully yours,
 L. A. THOMAS, Chairman
 H. H. COOPER,
 C. JAMES,
 F. A. CONNELLY,
 N. T. BROWN, Jr., Secretary.

This is to certify that we the Auditing Committee of the South Carolina Conference, examined the receipts and accounts of the Rev. B. S. Jackson, District Superintendent of the Orangeburg District. And found that he received \$50.00 for maintenance, and the same was duly and correctly paid to the Pastors who were to received the same as shown by the receipts.

Yours,
 S. A. FUNCHES, Chairman,
 F. L. LAWTON, Secretary,
 N. E. FRANKLIN,
 H. A. HALL,
 W. F. SMITH.

MAINTENANCE FUND, 1925

Beaufort District:

Aiken	\$ 34.00
Beaufort	34.00
Blackville	34.00
Olar Mission	34.00
Weeks	34.00

Total.....\$170.00

L. G. GREGG, D. S.

Bennettsville District:

Darlington Pastor.....	\$ 120.00
Dillon Woman Worker.....	183.00
Bennettsville Community Cir.....	183.00

Total.....\$486.00

C. C. JACOBS, D. S.

Charleston District:

Brook Green.....	\$ 70.00
McClellanville	60.00
Andrews and Blakely	70.00
Charleston; Washington	120.00
Georgetown; Wesley	120.00
Saint Stephen Ct.	70.00
Charlston; St. Judge and St. James....	80.00
Summerville	70.00
Maryville	60.00

Total.....\$720.00

A. R. HOWARD, D. S.

Florence District:

Asbury and Bethel	\$ 45.00
Saint Luke	80.00
Sellers and Floydale	40.00
Pamplico	55.00
John Wesley	50.00

Total.....\$270.00

R. F. HARRINGTON, D. S.

Greenville District:

Greenville, St. Andrews.....	\$ 100.00
Greenville Mission	240.00
Greenwood, Trinity	80.00

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Newberry	50.00	
Total	\$470.00	W. S. THOMPSON, D. S.
Orangeburg District:		
Columbia Mission	\$ 375.00	
Swansea	75.00	
Total	\$450.00	J. B. TAYLOR, D. S.
Spartanburg District:		
Spartanburg Mission	\$ 200.00	
Landrum	50.00	
Cowpens	100.00	
McBee	60.00	
Bethune	50.00	
Total	\$460.00	L. W. WILLIAMS, D. S.
Sumter District:		
Stone Hill	\$ 40.00	
Rock Spring	50.00	
Macedonia	70.00	
St. Paul	40.00	
Borden and St. Phillip	70.00	
Total	\$270.00	A. G. TOWNSEND, D. S.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

OUR PROMOTED FELLOW WORKERS

"They Rest From Their Labors and Their Works Follow Them"

Names	Place of Death	Dates	Relation
W. J. E. Fripp	Charleston	1867	Effective
T. W. Lewis	Charleston	1871	Effective
R. Townsend	Charleston	1868	On Trial
W. E. Cole	Marblehead, Mass.	1871	On Trial
G. Newcombe	Beaufort	1871	Effective
J. Hamilton	Charleston	1871	On Trial
Joseph White	Sumter	1880	On Trial
E. W. Jackson	Middleton, Mass.	1873	Supernum'ry
Thos. Evans	Oakley	1873	Effective
Chas. E. Butler	Union	1875	Effective
C. W. Lucas	Colleton	1887	Effective
Thos. Philips	Orangeburg	1878	Supernum'ry
F. A. Smith	Charleston	1881	Effective
J. K. Wagener	Yorkville	1881	Supernum'ry
B. L. Roberts	Kingstree	1881	Effective
Samuel Weston	Charleston	1892	Effective
H. B. Kershaw	Florence	1883	Effective
Lewis Rivers	Johnston	1884	Effective
G. W. Brabham	Allendale	1884	On Trial
Wm. Darrington	Kingstree	1884	Supernum'ry
E. M. Baxter	Charleston	1878	On Trial
N. Scott	Spartanburg	1879	On Trial
Wm. H. Harris	Orangeburg	1876	On Trial
Henry Cardoza	Charleston	1886	Effective
C. M. Freeman	Seneca	1889	On Trial
Patrick Fair	Wellford	1888	Effective
R. C. Clinton	Camden	1888	On Trial
V. H. Bulkley	St. Stephens	1886	Effective
Thomas Wright	Orangeburg	1886	Effective
A. Webster	Brattleboro, Vt.	1877	Effective
Stephens Jetz	Morrilton, Ark.	1887	Supernum'ry
Wm. Evans	Charleston	1888	Effective
J. W. White	Charleston	1890	Effective
Z. L. Duncan	Jacksonville, Fla.	1890	Supernum'ry
R. F. Blankey	Orangeburg	1890	Effective
J. S. Garret	Mount Holly	1891	Effective
S. Thomas	Orangeburg	1891	Effective
Benj. Gupple	Lydia	1891	Effective
G. F. Frederick	Bamberg	1891	Effective
Wm. H. Scott	Kingstree	1891	Supernum'ry
E. J. Snetter	St. Andrews	1892	Effective
C. H. Hopkins	Greenville	1892	Supernum'ry
Burrell James	Easley	1892	Effective
J. A. Salters	Kingstree	1894	On Trial
S. W. Beard	Aiken	1894	Superann'ed
S. T. Harris	Georgetown	1895	Superann'ed
E. J. Frederick	Appleton	1895	Superann'ed
F. C. Jones	St. George	1896	Superann'ed
R. J. Scott	Walhalla	1896	On Trial
J. C. Tobias	Gaffney	1910	Effective

L. Arthur	Sumter	Sept.	1896	Superann'ed
A. Adams	Hornboro	Dec.	1896	Effective
W. W. Adamson	Camden	Feb.	1897	Superann'ed
J. A. Sasportas	Summerville	Oct.	1898	Superann'ed
A. C. Dunton	Vineland	Dec.	1897	Effective
J. W. Connelly	Seiglingville	June	1898	Effective
F. C. Weston	Greenville	Aug.	1898	Effective
J. Gordon	St Stephens	Oct.	1896	Effective
H. M. Murphy	Midway	July	1899	Effective
E. M. Pinckney	Camden	April	1900	Superann'ed
J. Middleton	Orangeburg	Aug.	1901	Superann'ed
J. R. Rosamond	Spartanburg	Aug.	1902	Effective
A. B. Franklin	Cades	Dec.	1902	Effective
Henry Baker	Bamberg	July	1904	Effective
S. S. Butler	Anderson		1907	Superann'ed
A. H. Harrison	Murrayville	Jan.	1908	On Trial
F. L. Baxter, Jr.	Reidville	Mar.	1908	On Trial
W. McIntosh	Camden	Feb.	1908	Effective
F. L. Baxter, Sr.	Florence	Oct.	1908	Superann'ed
I. S. Epps	Dorchester	Mar.	1908	Superann'ed
J. P. July	Ehrhardt	Nov.	1908	Effective
B. F. Witherspoon	Greenville	April	1909	Effective
Wm. H. Greer	Blacksburg	April	1910	Effective
M. V. Gray	Cheraw	June	1910	Effective
Wm. R. Jervay	Summerville	June	1910	Effective
A. Cooper	Kingstree	Sept.	1910	Superann'ed
B. M. Pegues	Chraleston	Oct.	1910	Effective
W. Thomas	Camden	Oct.	1910	Effective
J. B. Thomas	Lake City	Feb.	1911	Effective
M. Wilson	Greers	Jan.	1911	Effective
Benj. Robinson	Sumter	Jan.	1911	Superann'ed
R. A. Thomas	Swansea	Mar.	1911	Effective
B. F. Gandy	Orangeburg	Sept.	1911	Effective
J. R. Townsend	Orangeburg	July	1911	Superann'ed
F. D. Smith	Chesterfield	Oct.	1911	Effective
J. F. Woods	Orangeburg	Feb.	1912	Effective
J. L. Chestnut	Walterboro	April	1912	Superann'ed
S. S. Lawton	Orangeburg	Feb.	1913	Retired
A. J. Robinson	Orangeburg	Mar.	1913	Retired
J. L. Miller	Greers	Feb.	1914	Effective
B. J. Boston	Adams Run	May	1914	Retired
W. M. Stoney	Yemassee	July	1914	Effective
I. H. Fulton	Charleston	July	1914	Effective
J. L. Henderson	Orangeburg	Sept.	1914	Effective
T. J. Carke	Orangeburg	Sept.	1915	Retired
G. J. Davis	Cartersville	Jan.	1915	Effective
B. G. Frederick	Orangeburg	Feb.	1915	Retired
Ellis Forrest	Orangeburg	Nov.	1915	Retired
J. M. Phillips	Clio		1915	Effective
S. Simmons		Nov.	1914	Retired
W. G. Valentine	Sumter	Jan.	1915	Retired
J. E. Wilson	Floronce	Nov.	1915	Effective
J. D. Mitchell	Orangeburg		1916	Effective
G. W. Beckham	Bamberg		1916	Retired
L. A. Rivers			1916	Effective
W. H. Redfield	Orangeburg	Feb.	1917	Effectvie
L. L. Thomas	Little Rock	April	1917	Effectvie

A. B. Murphy	Marion	April	1917	Effective
M. C. Allen	Greenville	July	1917	On Trial
R. C. Campbell	Gaffney	Sept.	1917	Retired
J. L. Grice	Orangeburg	Mar.	1918	Retired
E. C. Funches	Cowpens	Mar.	1918	Effective
John Burroughs	Sumter		1918	Retired
B. S. A. Williams	Washington D. C.		1918	Retired
A. Lewis	Augusta, Ga.		1918	Retired
Lawrence Rice	Midway	Oct.	1918	Retired
Rossie L. Brower	Columbia	Oct.	1918	Effective
Morris Stewart	Reesville		1918	Effective
P. Witherspoon	York		1918	Retired
J. B. Middleton	Charleston	Nov.	1918	Retired
M. F. Black	Allendale		1918	Retired
E. B. Burroughs	Charleston	June	1918	Retired
Scipio Green	Little Rock	Oct.	1919	Effective
J. McLeod	Florence	Dec.	1919	Effective
C. H. Hood	Ninety-Six	July	1919	Retired
W. Littlejohn	Cowpens	Oct.	1920	Effective
G. W. Washington	Walterboro	Jan.	1920	Retired
J. A. Brown	Orangeburg	Feb.	1921	Effective
A. S. J. Brown	Columbia	Mar.	1921	Retired
Jas. McEaddy	Sumter	June	1921	Retired
W. H. Jones	Camden	July	1921	Retired
B. F. Millen		July	1921	Retired
W. S. Neil	Washington	Oct.	1921	Retired
V. C. Dimery	Kingstree	Sept.	1921	Retired
York Goodlet	Wellford		1921	Effective
D. C. King	Spartanburg	Sept.	1921	Retired
J. S. Thomas	Orangeburg	Sept.	1921	Retired
J. C. Burch	Anderson	Dec.	1921	Retired
C. C. Scott	Darlington	Nov.	1921	Retired
W. M. Baker	Kingstree	Nov.	1922	Effective
L. J. Bonepart	Reidville	Dec.	1922	Effective
G. W. Moore	Spartanburg	Nov.	1922	Effective
J. B. McDaniel	Timmons ville	Feb.	1922	Effective
A. McLees	Columbia	Nov.	1922	Effective
James Quick	Columbia	June	1923	Effective
Henry Harleston	Greenwood	June	1923	Effective
H. W. Davis	Charleston	Aug.	1923	On Trial
G. W. Covington	Sumter	April	1923	Effective
T. G. Robinson	Timmons ville	Jan.	1923	Effective
C. C. Robertson	Orangeburg	June	1924	Effective
	Dillon	Dec.	1924	Effective

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—BEAUFORT DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Schools on Charge	Schools Using Graded Lessons	Officers and Teachers	Cradle Roll	Beginners	Primary	Junior	Intermediate	Senior	Young People	Adults	Home Dept.	Enrolled in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, and Pupils	Average Attendance	Pupils, including the Home Dept., who are Church Mem- bers or Preparatory Members	Accessions to the Church from Membership of S. S.	Paid by Sunday School to World Service	Paid for Sunday School Sup- plies
	Aiken	1		5										43	25	38	3	32.00
Allendale	2		16										200	95		20	50.00	50.00
Appleton	3	2	25	20	15	18	18	11	18	10			120	60	72	10	30.00	65.00
Bamberg	1	1	12	5	10	15	10	12	10	8	6		95	76	8	21	80.00	39.00
Bamberg Ct.	3	3	13										222	110	110	18		23.00
Beaufort	2	1	14										35	25	35		26.00	60.00
Blackville	1	1	5	6	5	4	7						34	20			5.00	
Brunson and Varnsville	2	2	15	8									50	40			10.00	5.00
Cottageville	3		12	4	6	7	10	8	5	15	12		79	30	79	2	18.00	8.00
Ehrhardt	3		20										150	100			35.00	
Green Pond	3	3	24				12	6	11	28	3		60	40		36	10.00	9.00
Hardeeville	1	1	3	15	6	4	3	4	5	7	4	10	65	15	25	20	5.00	20.00
Lodge	4	4	25			20	24	60	75	75	25		249	200	249	25	40.00	30.00
Mullet and Prospect	3	3	14			14	12	16	10	8	16		76	25			10.00	12.00
Olar																		
Olar Ct.	3		12										94	64	146	16	24.00	9.00
Ruffins	3	3	24		6	12	20	20	20	50	43		171	100		40	100.00	15.00
Seigling	3		15	30									175	75		30	52.00	7.00
Springtown	2	2	18			15	25	28	30	27	30		163	100		19	30.00	18.00
St. George	3	3	24	8	4	21	10	12	8	12	13	112	200	66		25	30.00	18.00
Walterboro	2		10										125	75	140	10	10.00	50.00
Weeks	4		10										80	50		20		3.00
Yemmasee	2	2	12	50	12	10	8	10		10			50	30	10		31.00	20.00
Youngs Island	2		5										50	35	17	3	4.00	5.00
TOTAL	56	33	335	146	64	140	159	172	177	248	159	122	2606	1456	929	328	\$532.00	\$485.00

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—BENNETTSVILLE DISTRICT

Alect	2	2	18	14	12	20	30	13	21	12	12	120	120	95	47	18	18.00	27.00
Bennettsville	1		28										430	240	430	13	125.00	48.00
Pethel and Ebenezer	2	2	36	20	15	28	20	18	33	20	15	6	208	150	178	19	100.00	36.00
Plenheim and Spears	3	3	30										295	180	165	19		36.00
Cheraw	1		16	10	9	20	25	34	40	140	90	68	140	90	68	16	30.00	60.00
Chesterfield	3	1	13										165	24		26	25.00	
Clay and Dunbar	2	2	16	30	10	15	10	30	20	40	45		216	80	110	22	100.00	70.00
Darlington	1	1	14		20	30	20	40	30	50	16		220	140	160	20	50.00	20.00
Darlington Ct.	2		8										40	20				
Dillon	2	2	18										225	100	250			36.00
Hamer	2		25										125	85	55	10	100.00	30.00
Hartsville	3		25										225	200	150	20	100.00	75.00
Hartsville Ct.	3		8										60	40	12	10	50.00	6.00
Level Green & Wesley	2	2	25	20	35	50	20	40	50	100	40	45	400	300	200	40	100.00	105.00
Little Rock	2	2	19									40	320	190	320	20	120.00	30.00
Ludia and Kingville																		
North Marlboro	3	3	16		25	50	25	25	30	50	25		250	200	25	50		50.00
St. John and Providence	2		18										150	125		20	75.00	72.00
Syracuse and Wesley	2		30			20	30	30	75	80	20		275	120	125	36	75.00	30.00
Tatum and McCall	2		12										50			2	56.00	
TOTAL	40	20	365	94	126	233	180	230	296	492	263	279	3914	2385	2295	361	\$114.00	\$172.00

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—BEAUFORT DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Senior League		Inter. League		Junior League		Epworth Heralds Taken	Paid to Central Office	Paid to World Service
	Chapters	Members	Chapters	Members	Chapters	Members			
Aiken									
Allendale									20.00
Appleton	2	20							10.00
Bamberg	1	30				41			
Bamberg Ct.	3	75			2	222			
Beaufort									
Blackville									
Brunson and Varnville	1					111	10.00	10.00	
Cottageville	2	25				15			12.00
Eharhardt		4				30			
Green Pond									
Hardeeville									
Ldoga	2	45							
Mullet and Prospect	1	12							
Olar		15							
Olar Ct.		16							
Ruffins	1	50							10.00
Seigling									
Springtown	2	40	40						15.00
St. George	1	12							10.00
Walterboro	2	25			2	35			
Week	1	12							
Yammassee									
Youngs Island									
TOTAL	19	361	40	4	4	454	\$10.00	\$90.00	

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—BENNETTSVILLE DISTRICT

Alcot	1	50			1	45	10		
Bennettsville	1	8			1	9			
Bethel and Ebenezer	1	40			1	10	2		
Blenheim and Spears									
Cheraw	1	49					1		
Chesterfield									
Clio and Dunbar	1	30							5.00
Darlington									
Darlington Ct.									
Dillon	1	40							
Hamer	1	22							
Hartsville	1	40							
Hartsville Ct.									
Leveel Green and Wesley									
Little Rock	2	28			1	21			
Lydia and Kingsville									
North Marlboro									
St. John and Providence	1	50							
Syracuse and Wesley	1	60	1	50	1	10		25	
Tatum and McCall	1	50							
TOTAL	13	467	1	50	5	95	13	\$25.00	\$5.00

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—GREENVILLE DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Senior League		Inter. League		Junior League		Epworth Heralds Taken	Paid to Central Office	Paid to World Service
	Chapters	Members	Chapters	Members	Chapters	Members			
Anderson	1	50			1	40			
Belton	1	25			1	10			
Bradley and Lowndesville	1	53							
Easley	1	25							
Greenville: John Wesley									
Greenville: St. Andrews	1	45			1	42			
Greenville: Greenville Mis.									
Greenwood	1	13			1	9			
Moseley									
Mt. Zion and Spt. Spgs.									
Newberry									
Ninety-Six									
North Greenville									
Pendleton	1	10							
Pickens									
Rock Mills	1	30			1	10			
Seneca	1	25			1	20			
South Greenville									
Walhalla	1	35							
West Andrews	1	18			1	10			
Williamston									
St. Luke Mission	1	5							
TOTAL	12	334			7	141			

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

Bethlehem and St. John		40			1	60			
Branchville						22			
Calvary and St. James									
Columbia Sta.	1	25							1.00
Columbia Mis.									
Denmark	1	15							
Edisto Fork									
Jamison	1	12							
Macedonia	1	20							
Midway	1	25							2.00
North									
Orangeburg Sta.	1	45			1	30			
Orangeburg Ct.									
Pineville and Bowman	1	8							
Reevesville									
Rowesville	1	25							25.00
Springfield									
Swansea									
TOTAL	8	215			2	112			\$28.00

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—BEAUFORT DISTRICT

Table for Beaufort District with columns: Names of Churches, Disciplinary Benevolences, Benevolences, Other Cash Items, Grand Total. Includes churches like Aiken, Allendale, Appleton, Bamberg Sta., etc.

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—BENNETTSVILLE DISTRICT

Table for Bennetttsville District with columns: Names of Churches, Disciplinary Benevolences, Benevolences, Other Cash Items, Grand Total. Includes churches like Alcot, Bennetttsville, Bethel and Ebenezer, Blenheim and Spears, etc.

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—GREENVILLE DISTRICT

Table for Greenville District with columns: Names of Churches, Disciplinary Benevolences, Benevolences, Other Cash Items, Grand Total. Includes churches like Anderson, Belton, Bradley and Lowndsville, Easley, etc.

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

Table for Orangeburg District with columns: Names of Churches, Disciplinary Benevolences, Benevolences, Other Cash Items, Grand Total. Includes churches like Bethlehem and St. John, Branchville, Calvary and St. James, etc.

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—SPARTANBURG DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences				Benevolences		Other Cash Items							
	Apportioned Benevolences	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	World Service and (Board of Education)	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Hospitals and Home; Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Sustentation Fund	Total Benevolences Ordered by the Annual Conference	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conference Investments for Conference Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Grand Total, Including Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items
Bethune	22.00				22.00			51.00			3.00			25.00
Blacksburg	29.00			2.00	31.00			36.00	1.00	3.00	7.00			78.00
Campobello	17.00				17.00			40.00						17.00
Chester	125.00			4.00	129.00			137.00		5.00	43.00			314.00
Chesnee	55.00				55.00			90.00		5.00	10.00			320.00
Clover	140.00				140.00			150.00	10.00	10.00	10.00			320.00
Cowpens	65.00				65.00			80.00			2.00			147.00
Gaffney	154.00			3.00	157.00			124.00		25.00	32.00			358.00
Greer	55.00			7.00	62.00			122.00	15.00	20.00				219.00
Jefferson	216.00				216.00			133.00	15.00	15.00	15.00			394.00
Longtown	35.00				35.00			44.00	5.00	5.00	2.00	1.00		92.00
Pacolet	65.00			1.00	66.00			90.00	7.00	15.00	8.00			186.00
Pageland	70.00	20.00			90.00			140.00			5.00	2.00		97.00
Reidville	38.00				38.00			67.00			12.00			117.00
Rock Hill	62.00				62.00			87.00						149.00
Sardis	35.00			1.00	36.00			40.00		5.00	5.00			86.00
Spartanburg Sta.	670.00	10.00	3.00	3.00	686.00			247.00	37.00	40.00	30.00	2.00		1,042.00
Spartanburg Ct.	21.00	13.00			34.00			40.00	1.00	5.00	5.00			85.00
Spartanburg Mission	32.00				32.00			20.00			5.00			37.00
St. James	109.00				109.00			110.00	5.00	22.00				246.00
St. Mark	93.00	10.00			103.00			146.00	13.00	5.00	27.00			294.00
Wellford	108.00				108.00			140.00	2.00	5.00	5.00			260.00
York Sta.	62.00			5.00	67.00			91.00	7.00		26.00			191.00
York Ct.	43.00				43.00			50.00		7.00				100.00
McBee	24.00				24.00			40.00	5.00					69.00
Wilkinsville	3.00				3.00			5.00	2.00		1.00			8.00
	\$2,276.00	\$53.00	\$3.00	\$24.00	\$2,356.00			\$2,325.00	\$145.00	\$187.00	\$250.00	\$ 5.00		\$5,101.00

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—SUMTER DISTRICT

Blaney	32.00	10.00			42.00			7.00	2.00	2.00	2.00			51.00
Camden Sta.	163.00			88.00	251.00			120.00	10.00					436.00
Camden Ct.	205.00			1.00	206.00			155.00	25.00	30.00	12.00	8.00		436.00
Lamar Sta.	66.00				66.00									66.00
Lamar Ct.	54.00				54.00			100.00	15.00	20.00		5.00		194.00
Lynchburg	271.00				271.00			161.00				5.00		437.00
Maysville	15.00			3.00	18.00				5.00	5.00				28.00
Mechanicsville	88.00	3.00		5.00	96.00			200.00	30.00	40.00	14.00	10.00		390.00
Macedonia	17.00			1.00	18.00			20.00	5.00	2.00	3.00			48.00
Mt. Zion	200.00			6.00	206.00			128.00	5.00	5.00	15.00	10.00		369.00
New Haven	30.00				30.00									
Oswego	117.00	2.00			119.00			160.00	15.00	32.00				326.00
Rock Spring	17.00				17.00			36.00		1.00				54.00
St. Paul	51.00				51.00			56.00	5.00	1.00		2.00		121.00
St. Matthew	83.00				83.00			56.00	5.00	7.00				163.00
Shiloh	138.00				138.00			142.00	20.00	45.00				345.00
Sumter	449.00				449.00			200.00	54.00	54.00	28.00	20.00		805.00
Waterree	100.00				100.00			77.00	4.00	6.00		2.00		189.00
Borden	19.00							48.00	2.00	2.00				71.00
	\$2,115.00	\$15.00		104.00	\$2,205.00			\$1,675.00	\$197.00	\$236.00	\$ 72.00	\$ 62.00		\$4,091.00

Beaufort	\$ 2,594.00
Bennettsville	\$ 3,899.00
Charleston	\$ 4,515.00
Florence	\$ 4,217.00
Greenville	\$ 1,738.00
Orangeburg	\$ 2,372.00
Spartanburg	\$ 2,343.00
Sumter	\$ 2,115.00
Total	\$23,753.00
Last Year	\$37,231.00
Increase	\$13,478.00
Decrease	\$13,169.00

NAMES OF DISTRICTS

World Service and Apportioned Benevolences	\$ 27.00
Children's Day Fund	\$ 13.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	\$ 15.00
World Service and (Board of Education)	\$ 10.00
Total Disciplinary Benevolences	\$ 51.00
Sustentation Fund	\$ 2.00
Total Benevolences Ordered by the Annual Conference	\$ 53.00
Support of District Superintendent	\$ 2,269.00
Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	\$ 1,996.00
Support of Conference Claimants	\$ 1,622.00
Annual Conference Investments for Conference Claimants	\$ 63.00
General Conference Expenses	\$ 22.00
Grand Total, Including Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items	\$5,359.00

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT
Recapitulation Blank, South Carolina Conference, for 1924

Disciplinary Benevolences

Other Cash Items

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT-CHARLESTON DISTRICT

Table with columns: NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES, NAMES OF PASTORS, MINISTERIAL SUPPORT (Support of Pastor, Support of Dist. Supt., Support of Bishops, Support of Conference Claimants), CHURCH MEMBERSHIP (Baptisms, Mem. Prep., Full Members), Sunday Schools, Ep. Lea., CHURCH PROPERTY (Church Buildings, Land, Parsonages, etc.), Miscellaneous. Includes churches like Andrews and Blakeley, Brook Green, etc.

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT-FLORENCE DISTRICT

Table with columns: NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES, NAMES OF PASTORS, MINISTERIAL SUPPORT, CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, Sunday Schools, Ep. Lea., CHURCH PROPERTY, Miscellaneous. Includes churches like Asbury and Bethel, Cades, Florence, etc.

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—GREENVILLE DISTRICT

Table for Greenville District with columns: NAMES OF CHURCHES OR CHURCHES, NAMES OF PASTORS, MINISTERIAL SUPPORT (Support of Pastor, Support of Dist. Supt., Support of Bishops, Support of Conference Claimants), CHURCH MEMBERSHIP (Baptisms, Mem. Prep., Full Members), Sunday Schools, Ep. Lea, CHURCH PROPERTY (Church Buildings, Estimated Value of Land and Buildings, etc.), Miscellaneous.

\$17955 \$16575 \$006 \$2026 \$1828 \$290 \$222 \$346 \$237 \$18864 \$2975 138 241 183 448 229 4308 839 76 48 348 2588 1582 334 141 49 \$203000 15 \$36600 \$8560 \$2860 \$14665 \$2642 34 \$32 \$140

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

Table for Orangeburg District with columns: NAMES OF CHURCHES OR CHURCHES, NAMES OF PASTORS, MINISTERIAL SUPPORT, CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, Sunday Schools, Ep. Lea, CHURCH PROPERTY, Miscellaneous.

\$22195 \$16615 \$1227 \$1893 \$1746 \$466 \$192 \$604 \$221 \$16716 \$5858 353 138 409 383 240 22 5199 1045 126 48 341 3525 1991 275 125 42 \$174750 6 \$10700 \$200 \$2715 \$675 \$1675 \$1629 75 \$33 \$180

RECAPITULATION

NAME OF DISTRICT	NAME OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Sunday Schools		Ep. Lea		CHURCH PROPERTY										Miscellaneous					
		Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.			Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Baptisms		Mem. Prep.		Full Mem. ers						Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts. Incl. Cradle Roll, Home Dept. Officers, Teachers & Pupils	Average Attendance	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value of Other Properties, Endowments Bonds, etc.	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Percent Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses not including Ministerial Support	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amount Contributed by Ladies Aid Society
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim including House Rent and Administrative Expenses	Total paid including House rent and Administrative Expenses	House Rent and Administrative Expenses	Claim Paid	Claim Paid	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized			Prep. Members Rec. During the Year	Prep. Members now on Roll	Received from P. M. or on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Full Members now on Roll (Excluding Non-Res. Members)	Non resident-Inactive Members	Deaths During Year																					
Beaufort	L. G. Gregg	23674	17449	2151	2391	1952	368	184	606	310	20031	5668	302	177	371	272	292	21	5269	883	126	56	338	2494	1460	375	476	56	110650	9	14500	4697	565	1991	1310	71	42	382			
Bennettsville	C. C. Jacobs	25506	21908	2565	2600	2322	542	316	655	280	24695	3870	233	274	334	367	266	60	6017	714	167	42	391	3919	2534	480	85	40	190410	17	30360	11045	3752	4810	2530	34	45	150			
Charleston	A. R. Howard	25415	21160	1676	2473	2446	371	336	417	340	24532	4450	297	76	434	806	369	33	5352	610	158	57	347	2837	1707	300	89	60	200200	9	32500	7100	5653	3486	3995	2398	92	63	610		
Florence	J. F. Page	24328	21096	1435	2562	4869	200	432	247	586	23518	2970	138	241	183	448	229		4308	839	76	48	348	2588	1582	334	141	42	163000	11	26000		8624	1536	3421	1612	60	56	50		
Greenville	W. S. Thompson	17955	16575	2006	2026	1828	296	222	346	237	18864	3663	319	165	593	986	474	19	6381	1143	170	43	363	3909	2540	446	138	49	203000	15	36600		8560	2860	14665	2642	34	32	140		
Orangeburg	B. S. Jackson	22195	16615	1227	1893	1746	466	192	604	221	16716	5858	353	138	409	383	240	22	51991	1045	126	48	341	3525	1991	275	125	42	174750	6	10700	200	2715	675	1675	1629	75	33	180		
Spartanburg	J. C. Martin	21553	18649	2243	2415	2185	367	240	544	398	21467	3952	238	154	238	540	266	16	4408	961	88	53	376	2923	1948	542	303	54	197200	22	31200	1044	5761	2973	17830	2170	48	78	850		
Sumter	A. G. Townsend	24584	17789	2147	2953	1874	426	226	637	379	19326	5627	453	167	664	1319	856	40	6421	652	169	37	323	4239	2556	399	100	37	105450	12	19800		7729	1103	822	2213	66	54	240		
	Grand Total—This Year	\$185210	\$151241	\$15450	\$19313	\$19222	\$200	\$3268	\$1963	\$4395	\$2475	\$169149	\$36058	2333	1392	3226	5121	2992	211	43355	6847	1080	384	2827	26434	16318	3159	1457	380	\$1344660	101	\$201660	\$8594	\$54784	\$16950	\$49209	\$16504	480	403	\$2602	
	Grand Total—Last Year	\$181796	\$159064	\$1355	\$19371	\$18174	\$3318	\$2593	\$3481	\$2315	\$179464	\$27030	2435	1461	3582	5738				45034	6825	1015	398	2762	27162	16587	3473	1081	386	\$1318342	104	\$189300	\$64099	\$21897	\$38511	\$1716	486				
	Increase	\$3414		\$2395		\$1048			\$914	\$160		\$9028								22	65		65				376		\$26318		\$12360				\$10698	\$14788					
	Decrease		\$7823		\$58		\$50	\$630			\$10315		102	69	356	617				1679			14		728	269	314	6		\$3			\$9315	\$4947			6				