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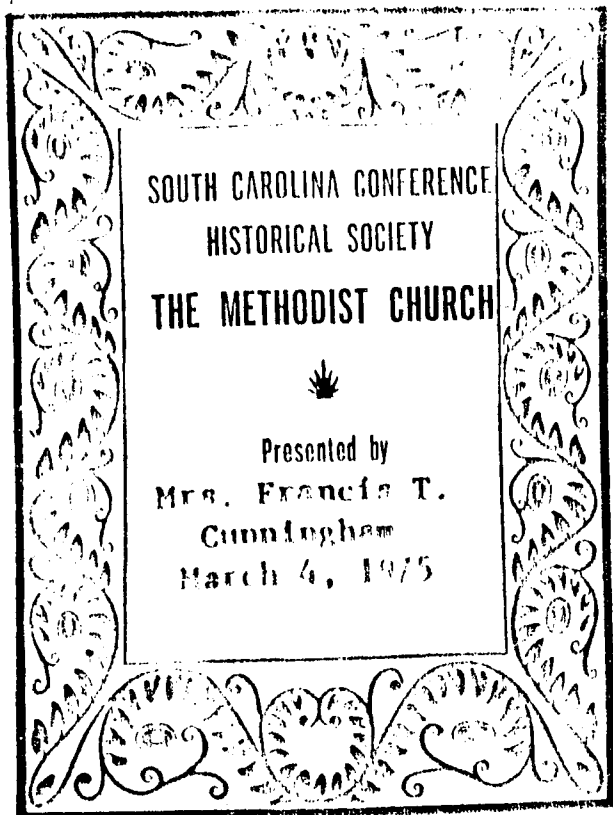
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Abbreviations used: O.T., Admitted on Trial; Ef., Effective; Sy., Supernumerary; Re., Retired; T., Transfer; M. E. C., Methodist Episcopal Church; D., Disciples Church; B., Baptist Church; P., Presbyterian Church. Classes are referred to thus: 4th, Fourth Year Class, etc.

NAME	Present Relation	How and When Admitted	Full Connection	Ordained Deacon	Ordained Elder	Years on Charges	Yrs. Spec. or Trans. Yrs. Loc. or Supny.	Years Retired	Years In All	Net Service Years
Betts, W. A.	Re.	O.T. 1881	1883	1883	1885	26	8	27	61	34
Smith, C. B.	Re.	O.T. 1882	1884	1884	1886	35	4	21	60	39
Rogers, J. M.	Re.	O.T. 1889	1891	1891	1901	40	2	7	53	42
Stokes, W. S.	Re.	O.T. 1889	1891	1891	1893	14	2	21	53	16
Noland, J. H.	Re.	O.T. 1890	1892	1892	1894	31	21	1	52	52
Phillips, D. A.	Re.	O.T. 1890	1892	1892	1894	50	1	2	52	50
Beckham, E. H.	Re.	O.T. 1892	1894	1894	1896	46	1	4	50	46
Henry, S. W.	Re.	O.T. 1892	1894	1894	1896	43	1	7	50	43
Stevenson, J. J.	Re.	O.T. 1892	1894	1894	1897	49	1	1	50	49
Spigner, R. W.	Re.	O.T. 1892	1894	1894	1897	15	1	35	50	15
Herbert, T. G.	Re.	O.T. 1893	1895	1894	1897	49	1	1	49	49
Banks, M. L.	Re.	O.T. 1894	1896	1896	1898	48	1	1	48	48
Burns, C. B.	Re.	O.T. 1894	1896	1896	1900	20	23	4	48	42
Snyder, W. J.	Re.	O.T. 1894	1896	1895	1899	38	1	3	48	45
Harbin, A. V.	Re.	O.T. 1895	1897	1897	1899	30	17	1	47	47
Way, J. F.	Re.	O.T. 1895	1897	1895	1899	26	17	4	47	26
Herbert, C. C.	Ef.	O.T. 1895	1897	1897	1899	27	20	1	47	47
James, E. Z.	Ef.	O.T. 1898	1900	1900	1902	38	6	1	44	44
Weldon, J. B.	Re.	O.T. 1898	1902	1897	1902	40	1	4	44	38
Hodges, F. E.	Re.	O.T. 1899	1901	1899	1905	43	1	1	43	43
Murphy, B. G.	Ef.	O.T. 1899	1901	1900	1903	43	1	1	43	43
Scoggins, E. F.	Ef.	O.T. 1899	1901	1901	1905	43	1	1	43	43
Fowler, J. T.	Ef.	O.T. 1900	1903	1903	1906	35	7	1	42	41
Cantey, S. O.	Ef.	O.T. 1901	1903	1903	1905	41	1	1	41	41
Dukes, G. W.	Ef.	O.T. 1901	1904	1901	1907	24	3	5	41	26
Graham, J. A.	Re.	O.T. 1901	1903	1903	1905	41	1	1	41	41
Inabnit, J. P.	Re.	O.T. 1903	1905	1905	1907	39	1	1	39	39
Way, W. P.	Ef.	O.T. 1903	1905	1905	1907	39	1	1	39	39
Derrick, C. C.	Re.	O.T. 1904	1906	1906	1908	38	1	1	38	38
Beckham, W. A.	Ef.	O.T. 1905	1907	1907	1909	37	1	1	37	37
Bedenbaugh, W. T.	Re.	O.T. 1905	1907	1907	1909	36	1	1	37	36
Doyle, R. R.	Re.	O.T. 1905	1907	1907	1911	17	2	18	37	19
Felder, C. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1905	1907	1907	1909	37	1	1	37	37
Peeler, J. T.	Ef.	O.T. 1905	1907	1905	1909	37	1	1	37	37
Peeler, L. E.	Re.	T. 1905	1901	1901	1903	35	7	2	44	41
Dibble, F. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1907	1909	1909	1911	14	21	1	35	35
Kirby, G. F.	Re.	T. 1908	1897	1897	1900	34	13	1	47	47
Betts, A. D.	Ef.	O.T. 1909	1911	1909	1913	18	15	1	33	33
McCoy, E. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1909	1911	1911	1913	33	1	1	33	33
Rhoad, G. T.	Re.	O.T. 1909	1911	1911	1913	26	1	7	33	26
Rhoad, P. K.	Re.	O.T. 1909	1911	1911	1913	29	1	4	33	29
Danner, J. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1910	1913	1910	1915	26	6	1	32	31
Way, Geo. K.	Ef.	O.T. 1910	1912	1912	1914	24	8	1	32	32
Covington, B. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1911	1913	1913	1915	31	1	1	31	31
Spires, D. O.	Re.	O.T. 1911	1914	1914	1916	24	1	7	31	23
Busbee, D. N.	Ef.	O.T. 1912	1914	1914	1916	28	1	2	30	28
Cook, J. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1912	1917	1915	1921	30	1	1	30	27
Ingram, G. L.	Ef.	T. 1912	1903	1901	1905	30	11	1	41	41
Teasley, G. A.	Ef.	O.T. 1912	1914	1914	1916	30	1	1	30	30
Henderson, W. O.	Ef.	O.T. 1913	1916	1915	1918	29	1	1	29	28
Smith, Gobe	Ef.	O.T. 1913	1915	1915	1917	27	2	1	29	29
Wood, P. T.	Ef.	O.T. 1913	1915	1915	1917	29	1	1	29	29
Tucker, R. R.	Ef.	T. 1914	1915	1915	1917	28	1	1	29	29
Ford, J. Emerson	Ef.	O.T. 1914	1916	1916	1918	14	14	1	28	28
Knight, B. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1914	1916	1916	1918	28	1	1	28	28
Phillips, W. Roy	Ef.	O.T. 1914	1916	1916	1918	28	1	1	28	28
Ariail, W. G.	Ef.	O.T. 1915	1917	1917	1921	26	1	1	27	26
Derrick, T. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1915	1917	1917	1919	27	1	1	27	27

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Colyer, S. D.	Re.	D. 1916	1916			1897	24	26	24
Clark, J. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1917	1919	1919		1921	25	25	25
Garrison, E. K.	Ef.	O.T. 1917	1919	1915		1919	25	25	25
Gleaton, W. D.	Ef.	O.T. 1917	1919	1919		1921	25	25	25
Ferguson, J. G.	Ef.	O.T. 1918	1923	1923		1925	21	21	21
Heath, W. S.	Re.	T. 1918	1903	1903		1905	24	41	41
Hucks, R. P.	Ef.	O.T. 1918	1920	1920		1922	24	24	24
Jones, W. R.	Re.	M.E.C. 1918	1915	1914		1917	22	24	22
Ledbetter, S. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1918	1920	1919		1922	24	24	24
Phillips, T. G.	Ef.	B. 1918	1918			1903	24	24	24
Williams, L. D. B.	Ef.	O.T. 1918	1920	1920		1922	24	24	24
Crum, Mason	Ef.	O.T. 1919	1921	1921		1923	22	23	23
Hughes, B. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1920	1923	1923		1925	22	22	21
Arant, M. G.	Ef.	O.T. 1920	1924	1924		1926	22	22	20
Parker, W. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1920	1922	1922		1924	22	22	22
Shuler, H. D.	Ef.	O.T. 1920	1922	1922		1924	22	22	22
Ward, Woodrow	Ef.	O.T. 1920	1922	1920		1924	22	22	22
Wimberly, C. F.	Re.	T. 1920	1897	1897		1899	17	28	47
Carmichael, K. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1921	1923	1923		1925	21	21	21
Inabinet, J. C.	Ef.	O.T. 1921	1923	1923		1925	21	21	21
Johnson, J. R.	Ef.	O.T. 1921	1923	1923		1925	21	21	21
Mitchum, W. M.	Ef.	T. 1921	1914	1914		1916	21	30	30
Smoak, D. T.	Ef.	O.T. 1921	1923	1923		1925	21	21	21
Bowen, B. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1922	1929	1929		1931	20	20	15
Campbell, J. F.	Ef.	O.T. 1922	1924	1924		1926	20	20	20
Shealy, L. W.	Ef.	O.T. 1922	1924	1924		1926	20	20	20
Turner, R. P.	Ef.	O.T. 1922	1924	1924		1926	20	20	20
Collins, H. F.	Ef.	O.T. 1923	1925	1925		1927	19	19	19
Dugan, Ernest	Ef.	O.T. 1923	1925	1925		1927	19	19	19
Hamer, L. D.	Ef.	O.T. 1923	1929	1929		1931	16	19	15
Newell, S. D.	Ef.	O.T. 1923	1925	1925		1927	19	19	19
Shuler, H. L. F.	Ef.	O.T. 1923	1925	1925		1927	19	19	19
Summers, Welborne	Ef.	T. 1924	1925	1924		1927	15	19	19
McLeod, P. B.	Ef.	O.T. 1924	1926	1926		1928	18	18	18
Varn, G. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1924	1926	1926		1928	18	18	18
Williams, T. W.	Ef.	O.T. 1924	1926	1926		1928	18	18	18
Shingler, J. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1925	1927	1925		1929	17	17	17
Johnson, E. B.	Ef.	B. 1925	1925			1921	17	17	17
Best, E. V.	Ef.	O.T. 1926	1929	1929		1931	10	16	15
Collier, J. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1926	1928	1928		1930	16	16	16
Herbert, R. B.	Ef.	O.T. 1926	1928	1927		1930	16	16	16
Hoffmeyer, J. F. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1926	1928	1927		1930	16	16	16
Ragan, A. F.	Ef.	O.T. 1926	1928	1928		1930	16	16	16
Parrott, G. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1928	1930	1930		1932	14	14	14
Barrington, J. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1928	1931	1931		1933	14	14	13
Graham, Iverson	Ef.	O.T. 1928	1936	1935		1937	14	14	8
Hill, C. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1929	1931	1931		1933	11	13	13
Stokes, Peter, Jr.	Ef.	O.T. 1930	1932	1932		1934	12	12	12
Atkinson, S. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1931	1933	1933		1935	11	11	11
Kemmerlin, Thomas	Ef.	O.T. 1931	1933	1933		1935	11	11	11
James, F. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1931	1933	1933		1935	9	11	11
Dunbar, E. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Godbold, T. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Jones, A. M.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Shuler, C. O.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Smiley, J. C.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Smith, F. C.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Smith, L. W.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1936	10	10	10
Bennett, H. J.	Ef.	O.T. 1932	1934	1934		1937	7	10	10
Dennis, J. R.	Ef.	O.T. 1933	1935	1935		1937	9	9	9
Pope, Llewellyn, Jr.	Ef.	O.T. 1933	1935	1935		1937	9	9	9
Taylor, G. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1933	1936	1935		1937	9	9	8
Griffin, J. Dempsey	Ef.	T. 1933	1917	1917		1922	9	18	27
Floyd, C. S.	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936		1938	8	8	8
Sandlin, Jno. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936		1938	7	8	7
Spell, H. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936		1938	4	8	8

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Justus, J. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936	1938	6		8	8
Whitaker, Paul	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936	1938	6		8	8
Woodard, C. L.	Ef.	O.T. 1934	1936	1936	1938	6		8	8
Cook, P. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1935	1937	1937	1939	6		8	8
Spears, R. Wright	Ef.	O.T. 1935	1937	1937	1939	6		8	8
Taylor, R. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1935	1937	1937	1939	6		8	8
Martin, J. H.	Ef.	T. 1935	1937	1937	1939	6		8	8
Smith, T. B.	Ef.	O.T. 1936	1938	1938	1940	6		8	8
Scott, J. E., Jr.	Ef.	O.T. 1936	1939	1939	1941	6		8	8
Wilkes, E. A.	Ef.	T. 1937	1929	1929	1931	6		6	6
DuBose, R. N.	Ef.	O.T. 1937	1939	1939	1941	5		15	15
Shuler, T. C.	Ef.	O.T. 1937	1939	1939	1941	5		5	5
Gleaton, B. C.	Ef.	T. 1938	1938	1936	1939	4		7	6
Scott, Paul C.	Ef.	T. 1939	1923	1923	1925	3		22	21
Montgomery, D. H.	Ef.	T. 1939	1937	1937	1939	3		7	7
Waters, W. T.	4th	D. 1939	1939	1936	1939	3		3	3
Childers, G. E.	Sy.	M.P. 1939	1927		1932	12		15	12
Hudson, J. W.	Re.	M.P. 1939	1902		1906	36		40	36
Frye, Irvin	Ef.	M.P. 1939	1908		1911	3		34	34
Frazier, F. L.	Ef.	M.P. 1939	1937		1937	3		5	5
Miller, J. L.	Re.	M.P. 1939	1913		1916	1		29	8
Jones, T. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1936	1940	1939	1941	4		6	4
Rone, W. E.	Ef.	O.T. 1938	1940	1940	1942	4		4	4
Merriman, T. M.	Ef.	T. 1940	1940	1940	1942	2		5	4
Berry, R. A.	3rd	O.T. 1938	1941	1941		3		4	3
Eaddy, J. H.	4th	O.T. 1939	1941	1941		3		3	3
Copeland, J. M.	Ef.	T. 1941	1941	1941	1942	3		4	3
Trammell, J. F.	Ef.	T. 1941	1936	1936	1938	1		9	8
Baker, W. F.	3rd	O.T. 1940	1942	1942		2		2	2
Boulware, C. H.	Ef.	O.T. 1940	1942	1941	1942	2		2	2
Davis, J. Sherwood	3rd	O.T. 1940	1942	1942		2		2	2
Harbin, A. Van, Jr.	Ef.	O.T. 1939				3		3	2
Hickman, Victor R.	Ef.	O.T. 1940	1942	1941	1942	2		2	2
King, George E.	Ef.	T. 1941	1942	1941	1942	1		2	2
Montgomery, H. M.	Ef.	T. 1941	1942	1941	1942	1		2	2
Smoak, W. J.	Ef.	O.T. 1940	1942	1941	1942	2		2	2
Everton, T. Z. B.	Ef.	T. 1942						2	2

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF PREACHERS ON TRIAL

NAME	Class	Admitted	Ordained Deacon	Ordained Elder
Bell, E. P.				
Brabham, A. McKay, Jr.	1st Yr.	1940		
Christopher, Max H.	2nd Yr.	1941	1941	
Cross, J. R.	2nd Yr.	1941		
Crumpton, Sydney R.	1st Yr.	1940		
Garrison, W. B.	2nd Yr.	1941	1941	
Parker, Carl L.	2nd Yr.	1941	1941	

ALPHABETICAL ROLL AND CONFERENCE DIRECTORY

(*Indicates absence from Conference session)

All addresses in South Carolina unless otherwise indicated

Name	Post Office Address	Appointment
Arant, M. G.	Cope	Edisto
Ariail, W. G.	McColl	McColl
Atkinson, S. M.	Bamberg	Bamberg
Baker, W. F.	Tatum	Tatum-Hebron
Banks, M. L.*	St. Matthews	Retired
Barrington, J. M.	Blenheim	Blenheim
Beckham, E. H.*	St. Matthews	Retired
Beckham, W. A.	Chesterfield	Chesterfield
Bedenbaugh, K. W.	Lugoff	West Kershaw
Bedenbaugh, W. T.	Hartsville, (1603 4th St.)	Retired
Bell, E. P.	Pinewood	Pinewood
Bennett, H. J., Jr.*	Mt. Pleasant	Chaplain U. S. Army
Berry, R. A.*	Holly Hill (R.F.D.)	U. S. Army
Best, E. V.*	Cades	Chaplain U. S. Navy
Betts, A. D.	Orangeburg (75 Whitman)	Ex. Sec. S. C. Federated Forces for Temp. and Law Enfemt.
Betts, W. A.	Bamberg	Retired
Boulware, C. H.	Cades	Cades
Bowen, B. M.	Emory University, Ga.	Prof. Emory Univ.
Brabham, A. McK. Jr.	Grover	Grover
Burns, C. B.	Beaufort	Retired
Busbee, D. N.	Florence (R.F.D. 1)	Liberty
Campbell, J. F.	McBee	McBee
Cantey, S. O.	Cheraw	Cheraw
Carmichael, K. S.	Bethune	Bethune
Childers, G. E.*	Myrtle Beach	Supernumerary
Christopher, Max H.	New Zion	New Zion
Clark, J. E.	Florence (211 W. Cheves)	Florence
Collier, J. M.	Darlington	Darlington Ct.
Collins, H. F.	Camden	Camden
Colyer, S. D.	Spartanburg (134 E. Pearl St.)	Retired
Cook, J. E.	Hampton	Hampton
Cook, Pierce E.	Myrtle Beach	Myrtle Beach
Copeland, J. M. *	Chester	Chaplain U. S. Army
Covington, B. H.	Pinopolis	Pinopolis
Cross, J. R.*	Cross	U. S. Army
Crum, Mason	Durham, N. C. (Duke Univ.)	Prof. Duke Univ.
Crumpton, Sidney R.*	Sumter	Chaplain U. S. Army
Danner, J. H.	Lake City	Lake City
Davis, J. Sherwood	Johnsonville	Johnsonville
Davis, W. D.	Summerville	Summerville Ct.
Dennis, J. R.	Barnwell	Barnwell
Derrick, C. C.	Salters Deport (R.F.D. 3)	Retired
Derrick, T. E.	Lamar	Lamar

Dibble, F. E.	Conway	Conway
Doggett, B. M.	Conway	Bucksville
Doyle, R. R.*	Seneca	Retired
DuBose, R. N.*	Durham, N. C. (912 Anderson Rd.)	Student Duke Univ.
Dugan, Ernest	Charleston (474 Meeting)	Supt. Star Gospel Mission
Dukes, G. W.	Smoaks	Smoaks
Dunbar, E. S.	Bennettsville	Bennettsville
Eaddy, J. H.	Aynor	Aynor
Felder, C. S.	Pamplico	Pamplico
Everton, T. Z. B.	St. Matthews	St. Matthews
Ferguson, J. G.	Branchville	Branchville
Floyd, C. S.	North	North-Limestone
Ford, J. Emerson	Orangeburg	St. Paul's
Fowler, J. T.	Orangeburg, Box 521	Ex. Sec. Bd. of Education
Frazer, F. L.	Aynor	South Aynor
Frye, Irvin	Manning	Jordan
Galloway, M. R.	Yemassee	Yemassee
Garrison, E. K.	Dillon	Dillon
Garrison, W. B.	Timmons ville	Timmons ville
Gleaton, B. C.	Loris	Loris
Gleaton, W. D.	Sumter (223 W. Liberty)	Trinity
Godbold, T. M.	Andrews	Andrews
Graham, Iverson	Centenary	Centenary
Graham, J. A.	Ellenton	Retired
Green, Albert	Turbeville	Turbeville-Olanta
Griffin, J. Dempsey	Cameron	Cameron
Hamer, L. D.	Columbia (Box 867)	Asst. Ed. and Manager Southern Christian Advocate
Harbin, A. Van Jr.*	New York, N. Y. (229 W. 48th St.)	General Bd. of Missions
Harbin, A. V.	Georgetown (R.F.D. 3)	Retired
Heath, W. S.*	Rowesville	Retired
Henderson, W. O.	Bamberg	Bamberg and Orangeburg Mills
Henry, S. W.	Columbia (5325 Middleton Dr.)	Retired
Herbert, C. C.	Georgetown	Georgetown
Herbert, R. Bryce	Charleston (99 Magnolia)	Asbury Memorial
Herbert, T. G.	Mt. Pleasant	Retired
Hickman, Victor R.	Harleyville	Harleyville
Hill, C. E.*	Union	Chaplain U. S. Army
Hodges, F. E.	Walterboro	Retired
Hoffmeyer, J. F. M.	Clio	Clio
Hucks, R. F.	North Charleston	North Charleston
Hudson, R. P.*	Camden, R.F.D. 1	Retired
Hughes, B. S.	Woodford	Orange
Inabinet, J. C.	Estill	Estill-Black Swamp
Inabnit, J. P.	Murrells Inlet	Retired
Ingram, G. L.	Chesterfield	East Chesterfield

James, E. Z.	McClellanville	McClellanville
James, F. S.*	Columbia	Chaplain U. S. Army
Johnson, E. B.	McColl	Bennettsville Ct.
Johnson, J. Ross	Sumter (2 Church St.)	Sumter District
Jones, A. M.	Hartsville	Hartsville Ct.
Jones, T. E.	Beaufort	Beaufort
Jones, W. R.*	Keene, Va.	Retired
Justus, J. H.*	Spartanburg	Chaplain U. S. Army
Kemmerlin, Thomas	Allendale	Allendale
King, George E.	Emory University, Ga.	Student Emory Univ.
Kirby, G. F.	Beaufort	Retired
Knight, B. L.	Marion	Marion
Ledbetter, S. E.	Marion	Marion District
Martin, J. H.*	Newberry	Chaplain U. S. Army
Maw, J. H.	Lodge	Lodge
Merriman, T. M.	Norway	Norway
Miller, J. L.*	Gaston	Retired
Mitchum, W. M.	Bowman	Bowman
Montgomery, D. H.	Manning	Manning
Montgomery, H. M.	Mullins	Mullins Ct.
Murphy, B. G.	Elloree	Elloree-Jerusalem
Murray, J. V. Jr.	Little Rock	Little Rock
McCoy, E. L.	Florence (314 W. Palmetto)	Florence District
McLeod, P. B.	Conway	Conway Ct.
Newell, S. D.	St. George	St. George
Noland, J. H.	Columbia (1431 Wildwood Ave.)	Retired
Norton, M. C.	Ehrhardt	Ehrhardt
Parker, Carl L.	Lydia	Wesley Chapel and Hebron
Parker, W. L.	Hemingway	Hemingway
Parrott, Glenn E.	Heath Springs	Heath Springs
Peeler, J. T.	Darlington	Darlington
Peeler, L. E.*	Greeleyville	Retired
Phillips, D. A.	Holly Hill	Retired
Phillips, T. G.*	Springfield	Springfield
Phillips, W. Roy	Hartsville	Hartsville
Pope, L. E., Jr.	Walterboro	Walterboro
Ragan, A. F.	Kingstree	Kingstree District
Rhoad G. T.*	Branchville	Retired
Rhoad, P. K.*	Garnett	Retired
Rogers, J. E.	Florence	Assistant Pastor Florence
Rogers, J. M.*	Manning	Retired
Rone, W. E.	Lake View	Lake View
Sandlin, J. L.	Decatur, Ga. (230 Lucerne St.)	Student, Emory Univ.
Scoggins, E. F.	Jefferson	Jefferson
Scott, J. E. Jr.	Cottageville	Cottageville
Scott, Paul C.	Pageland	Pageland
Shealy, L. W.	Jamestown	Jamestown
Shingler, J. M.	Kingstree	Kingstree
Shuler, C. O.	Kershaw	Kershaw

Shuler, H. D.	Meggett	Meggett
Shuler, H. L. F.	Charleston (207 Calhoun)	Bethel
Shuler, T. C.	Oswego	Oswego
Smiley, J. C.	Bishopville	Bishopville
Smith, C. B.*	Walterboro	Retired
Smith, F. C.	Summerton	Summerton
Smith, Gobe	Charleston (229 Rutledge)	Spring Street
Smith, L. W.	Trio	Trio
Smith, T. B.	Clar	Olar
Smoak, D. T.	St. Matthews	St. Matthews Ct.
Smoak, W. J.	White Hall	Hendersonville
Snyder, W. J.	Sumter (14 S. Blanding)	Retired
Spears, R. Wright	Charleston (94 Wentworth)	Trinity
Spell, H. L.	Summerville	Summerville
Spigner, R. W.*	Kingstree	Retired
Spires, D. O.*	Conway	Retired
Stackhouse, W. C.	Rembert	Rembert
Stevenson, J. J.	Clemmons, N. C.	Retired
Stokes, Peter Jr.	Greeleyville	Greeleyville and Lanes
Stokes, W. S.*	Columbia (1626 College)	Retired
Summers, Welborne	Sumter (309 Church St.)	Broad St.
Taylor, G. S.	Scranton	Scranton
Taylor, R. H.	Holly Hill	Providence
Teasley, G. A.	Rembert	Spring Hill
Trammell, J. F.	Latta	Latta
Tucker, R. R.	Denmark	Denmark
Turner, R. P.	Holly Hill	Holly Hill
Varn, G. H.	Mullins	Mullins
Ward, Woodrow	Charleston (84 Pitt)	Charleston District
Waters, W. T.	Lynchburg	Lynchburg
Watkins, L. H.	Lykesland	Columbia Ct.
Way, George K.	Orangeburg	Orangeburg District
Way, J. F.	Richburg	Retired
Way, W. P.	Ridgeland	Ridgeland
Weldon, J. B.	Cheraw	Retired
Whitaker, Paul	Columbia (1419 Columbia College Dr.)	College Place
Wilkes, E. A.	Ridgeville	Ridgeville
Williams, L. D. B.	Nichols	Nichols
Williams, T. W.	Ruffin	Ruffin
Wimberly, C. F.*	Columbia (1106 Taylor)	Retired
Wood, Paul T.	Salters Depot	Black River
Woodard, C. L.	Navy Yard (47 Cosgrove Ave.)	Cherokee Place

LOCAL PREACHERS AND OTHERS SERVING AS SUPPLIES

Name	Post Office Address	Appointment
Gott, Edward W.	Bluffton	Bluffton
Graham, J. A.	Ellenton	Ellenton
Harbin, A. V.	Georgetown (R.F.D. 3)	Union
Heath, W. S.	Rowesville	Rowesville
Herbert, T. G.	Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant
Inabnit, J. P.	Murrells Inlet	Waccamaw
Jernigan, Thos. J.	St. Stephens	St. Stephens
Jones, C. E.	Eutawville	Eutawville
Lucas, B. D.	Bennettsville	Beulah
Parker, W. Roy	Ruby	Ruby
Patrick, J. J.	Georgetown, (R.F.D.)	Sampit
Weldon, J. B.	Cheraw	Marlboro

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES

Charleston District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Beaufort	C. E. McLeod	Hampton	J. W. McGowan
Bluffton	W. H. Graves	Harleyville	J. W. Westbury
Charleston:		Hendersonville	
Asbury Memorial	J. W. Black		Mrs. W. G. Preveaux
Bethel	F. O. Bates	Lodge	F. N. Jones
Spring Street	W. R. King	Meggett	Mrs. H. D. Shuler
Trinity	W. E. Ivey	Ridgeland	W. J. Ellis
Cherokee Place	J. E. Feriera	Ridgeville	Mrs. W. B. Browning
N. Charleston	Mrs. A. L. Way	Ruffin	D. A. Graham
Cottageville	Mrs. B. H. Willis	St. George	J. D. Hutto
Dorchester-Lebanon	I. S. Hutto	Summerville	M. M. Salisbury
Ehrhardt	J. G. Rhoad	Summerville Ct.	J. H. Owens
Estill	M. H. O'Neal	Walterboro	P. F. Cone
		Yemassee	R. J. Baker

Florence District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Bennettsville	W. E. McRae	Hartsville Ct.	W. A. Teal
Bennettsville Ct.	R. S. Fletcher	Jefferson	W. D. Knight
Beulah	Mrs. C. B. Weldon	Lamar	Wesley Beasley
Cheraw	Lee Melton	Liberty	Mrs. J. W. Price
Chesterfield	H. E. Wilson	Marlboro	J. C. Quick
Darlington	J. C. DeWitt	McBee	H. M. Henry
Darlington Ct.	W. L. Howell	McColl	W. H. Fletcher
East Chesterfield	W. T. McBride	Pageland	L. J. Watford
Florence	H. K. Gilbert	Ruby	Miss Daisy Lee Moore
Hartsville	T. C. Huff	Tatum-Hebron	Geo. J. Bethea
		Timmons ville	W. G. Fort, Sr.

Kingstree District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Andrews	J. B. Wooten	McClellanville	J. H. Graham
Black River	J. A. Scott	Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. E. R. Bradham
Cades	J. R. McElveen	New Zion	C. W. Goodman
Georgetown	J. M. Layton	Pamplico	Robert Morgan
Greeleyville & Lanes		Pinopolis	H. W. Harvey
	W. C. Bruner	St. Stephens	
Hemingway	J. K. Deaver		Miss Jennie Lee Caddell
Jamestown	J. E. Bailey	Sampit	O. Wyndham
Johnsonville	O. B. Stone	Scranton	W. E. Cox
Kingstree	J. H. Felder	Trio	W. T. Rowell
Lake City	J. B. Strickland	Turbeville-Olanta	B. C. Fitch
		Union	W. J. Chandler

Marion District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Aynor -----	Mrs. W. E. King	Lake View -----	O'Dell Bryant
South Aynor -----	N. W. Roberts	Latta -----	P. C. Henry
Blenheim -----	W. E. Rogers	Little River --	Mrs. W. H. Stone
Bucksville -----	W. Hal King	Little Rock ----	Mrs. R. H. Cain
Centenary -----	M. H. Swintz	Loris -----	G. H. Suggs
Clio -----	Howard Woodley	Marion -----	A. M. Rose
Conway -----	W. M. Goldfinch	Mullins -----	J. R. Williams
Conway Ct. -----	C. W. Booth	Mullins Ct. -----	D. N. Jones
Dillon -----	A. V. Bethea, Sr.	Myrtle Beach	Gen. H. B. Springs
Floydale -----	J. O. Brigman	Nichols -----	D. S. Pitman
		Waccamaw ----	Miss Dola Smith

Orangeburg District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Allendale -----	T. J. Keller	Holly Hill --	J. Rutledge Connor
Bamberg -----	W. D. Rhoad	North-Limestone	Mrs. C. O. Dougherty
Bamberg-Orangeburg Mills	Miss Evelyn Waddell	Norway -----	J. W. Williamson
Barnwell -----	Edgar A. Brown	Olar -----	C. F. Rizer
Bowman -----	L. H. Shuler	Orange -----	Dr. D. R. Sturkie
Branchville -----	N. E. Byrd	Orangeburg	Judge John S. Bowman
Cameron -----	Mrs. T. C. Moss	Providence -----	J. J. Hutto
Denmark --	Mrs. J. B. Guess, Jr.	Rowesville ----	Mrs. L. C. Boone
Edisto -----	O. F. Whetstone	St. Matthews ----	H. R. Duensing
Elloree-Jerusalem	C. E. Youmans	St. Matthews Ct. ----	C. B. Ott
Eutawville -----	M. B. Cross	Smoaks -----	N. E. Spell
Grover -----	C. W. Spell	Springfield -----	J. V. Hickman

Sumter District

Charge	Delegate	Charge	Delegate
Bethune -----	Mrs. D. M. Mays	Oswego -----	O. G. Dorn
Bishopville ----	H. W. Woodward	Pinewood -----	R. L. Herriot
Camden -----	A. A. Reasonover	Rembert -----	J. T. Dennis
College Place -----	F. M. Monts	Summerton -----	H. H. Medlin
Columbia Ct. -----	C. B. Boyne	Spring Hill -----	W. A. Johnson
Heath Springs	Miss Viola Barfield	Sumter:	
Jordan -----	P. W. Stukes	Trinity -----	W. E. Bynum
Kershaw ----	Dr. W. C. McDowell	Broad Street --	T. B. Kennedy
Lynchburg -----	T. J. Keels	Wesley Chapel-Hebron	Miss Esther Watford
Manning -----	Cary Smith	West Kershaw ----	G. T. Mickle

Reserve Delegates Seated During the Conference

T. S. Bates, J. S. Howle, G. W. Green, S. L. Finklea, Will Stackhouse, Otis Brabham, Mrs. W. O. Henderson, H. T. Youmans, Mrs. W. P. Shuler.

LOCAL PREACHERS

D—Local Deacon; E—Local Elder

Charleston District

Name	Post Office	Quarterly Conference
Bell, J. W. -----	St. George -----	St. George
Drenning, F. R. ----	Charleston -----	Spring Street
Heyward, T. F. ----	Seabrook -----	Beaufort
Knight, James A. ---	Duke Station, Durham, N. C. ---	Harleyville
Locklair, B. E. ----	Wofford College, Spartanburg --	N. Charleston
Ulmer, B. R. -----	Walterboro -----	Walterboro
Way, R. F. -----	Wofford College, Spartanburg ----	Ridgeland

Florence District

Clark, E. W. (E) ---	McBee -----	McBee
Galloway, C. W. ---	Lydia -----	Hartsville
Kissiah, H. J. (E) --	Hartsville -----	Hartsville Ct.
Quick, J. C. -----	Bennettsville -----	Marlboro
Roscoe, L. L. -----	Chesterfield -----	E. Chesterfield
Scarborough, B. A. (E)	Darlington -----	Darlington Ct.

Kingstree District

Brown, J. D. -----	Hemingway -----	Hemingway
Morris, S. C. (E)---	Lake City -----	Cades

Marion District

Aston, A. C. (E) ---	Latta -----	Latta
Best, J. M. -----	Gallivants Ferry -----	Aynor
Byrd, M. M. (D) ---	Mullins -----	Mullins
Sweet, Newton (E) --	Conway -----	Conway
Thompson, A. C. Jr. --	Conway -----	Conway
Vereen, LaFon C. ---	Duke Station, Durham, N. C. ---	Latta

Orangeburg District

Ford, J. Emerson, Jr.	Duke Sta., Durham, N. C.	St. Paul's, Orangeburg
Goodwin, M. F. -----	Denmark -----	Denmark
Judy, J. T. -----	Norway -----	Norway

Sumter District

Chewning, Fred -----	Manning -----	Manning
Cobb, F. W. (E) ---	Edgewold -----	College Place

Change in Assignment.—Upon request of W. J. Snyder, the secretary was instructed to change the assignment of his name in the list of retired ministers from the Kingstree District to the Sumter District.

Introduction.—Dr. B. P. Murphy, representing the Church Extension section of the General Board of Missions and Church Extension, was introduced and he brought a word of good wishes to the Conference from the Board of Missions and Church Extension.

Adjournment.—Announcements were made and, on motion, the Conference adjourned with the Benediction by J. Hubert Noland.

SECOND DAY—THURSDAY

October 29, 1942.

Opening.—The Conference was called to order at 9:30 a. m., Bishop Watkins in the chair. T. C. Shuler led the worship service. The hymn, "O For a Thousand Tongues," was sung. After leading the Conference in prayer, T. C. Shuler read a Scripture lesson from Psalm 19:7-14 and spoke briefly from Philippians 4:12.

Approval of Minutes.—The Committee on the Daily Journal reported that the minutes of yesterday's session were correct. The report was received as information.

Completion of Roll Call.—George K. Way, secretary, called the roll of the absentees from yesterday's session. On motion of C. C. Derrick the secretary was instructed to dispense with further calling of the roll, preachers and district superintendents being requested to report the arrival of absentees to the secretary.

Substitutions.—The following substitutions for lay delegates were announced: T. S. Bates for J. E. Feriera, lay delegate from the Charleston District; J. S. Howle for J. C. DeWitt, lay delegate from the Florence District; G. W. Green for J. H. Felder, and S. L. Finklea for Robert Morgan, lay delegates from the Kingstree District; Will Stackhouse for A. M. Rose, lay delegate from the Marion District; Otis Brabham for T. J. Keller, Mrs. W. O. Henderson for Miss Evelyn Waddell, H. T. Youmans for C. E. Youmans, and Mrs. W. P. Shuler for C. W. Spell, lay delegates from the Orangeburg District.

Welcome.—Rev. J. T. Lytlejohn, pastor of the Bshopville Baptist church, and Mr. Victor S. Goodyear, layman of the host church, having been introduced by J. C. Smiley, cordially welcomed the Conference to Bishopville. Bishop Watkins responded for the Conference.

Introductions.—Dr. Henry N. Snyder, President Emeritus of Wofford College, Dr. Walter K. Greene, President of Wofford College, Dr. J. Marvin Rast, President of Lander College, Dr. Harry C. Spencer, Assistant Executive Secretary, Joint Division of Education and Cultivation, General Board of Missions, New York City, and Dr. T. Otto Nall, Managing Editor of the Christian Advocate, were introduced to the Conference. Dr. Nall briefly addressed the Conference upon the im-

portance of a wider reading of the Southern Christian Advocate and the Christian Advocate.

Publishing House.—Mr. C. E. Miller, representative of the Methodist Publishing House, thanked the Conference for the cooperation which its members had given to the Publishing House and presented the Board of Conference Claimants a check in the amount of \$1,429.26, the share of the South Carolina Annual Conference, in the profits of the Methodist Publishing House.

Biographical Sketches.—Welborne Summers read a report from the Committee on Biographical Sketches of ministers of the Upper South Carolina and the South Carolina Conference. The report was adopted (See report.)

The South Carolina Fellowship of Churches.—J. Emerson Ford read a resolution proposing the organization of the South Carolina Fellowship of the Churches, as follows, and the resolution was adopted.

Whereas steps are being taken to organize a state-wide fellowship of churches to be known as "The South Carolina Fellowship of Churches" with the following Purpose, Principles and Policies:

Article I. Purpose

The purpose of the South Carolina Fellowship of Churches is:

1. To promote fellowship and mutual understanding among the followers of Christ constituting the several Communion of South Carolina.
2. To serve as a medium of interchurch advice and counsel on matters affecting the progress of Christianity in the State.
3. To associate the Communion in such joint service as may achieve more effectively the objectives of the Christian religion.

Article II. Principles and Policies

1. The fellowship shall exist as a voluntary association, and shall be without mandatory power in relation to the bodies choosing to make use of its as a channel of counsel and of joint Christian expression.
2. The complete autonomy and corporate integrity of each Communion shall be mutually respected and safeguarded in all relations involving interdenominational fellowship and action.
3. The membership of the Fellowship shall be composed by direct action of each Communion, either by election, appointment, or nomination, as each body may determine; and additional members shall be elected at large as hereinafter provided.
4. Each cooperating Communion shall be permitted three representatives on the Fellowship for the first ten thousand or less communicant members, and two for each additional twenty thousand or major fraction thereof up to fifty thousand, and beyond that there shall be one for fifty thousand, or major fraction thereof, provided that a number not to exceed twenty per cent may be elected at large by the Fellowship.

5. In relation to other interchurch bodies within both state and nation, the South Carolina Fellowship of Churches will work under its own autonomy.

Therefore be it resolved by the South Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church:

1. That the Conference approves the purpose, principles and policies of the proposed South Carolina Fellowship of Churches.

2. That the Presiding Bishop and the District Superintendents be requested to nominate for election by the Conference seven representatives to serve for the next two years as members of the Fellowship.

Standing Rules—The following proposed amendment to the Standing Rules was read by J. Emerson Ford and referred to the Committee on Standing Rules:

Delete Rule 7 in Section A—General Regulations, and insert in its place the following:

"7. No member of a disciplinary board or commission shall be at the same time a member of another such disciplinary board or commission, unless otherwise required by the Discipline or by Conference action.

"8. No member of a board of trustees or a board of managers of a Conference institution shall be at the same time a member of another such board, unless otherwise required by the Discipline or by Conference action."

Question 3—What preachers have died during the year? was called. The Conference stood while the names of T. W. Godbold, L. L. Bedenbaugh, L. T. Phillips, Wm. C. Kirkland, W. E. Sander, Eben Taylor and G. C. Gardner were called and referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Question 4—Who are discontinued? was called and answered, No one.

Question 5—Who are located? was called and answered, No one.

Question 6—Who have been withdrawn or been expelled? was called and answered, No one.

Question 7—Who are transferred to other Conferences? was called and answered: Z. V. Mason, in the class of the first year, to the Virginia Conference; and G. F. Conley, in the class of the first year, to the Western North Carolina Conference. The following preachers were transferred to other Conferences for election to elders' orders only, to meet a war need for chaplains, and immediately transferred back to the South Carolina Conference: J. M. Copeland, a deacon in the class of the third year, to the Central Pennsylvania Conference; and Carl L. Parker, a deacon in the class of the first year, to the Baltimore Conference. J. M. Copeland was ordained an elder at Washington Street church, Columbia, S. C., April 18, 1942; and Carl L. Parker was ordained an elder at the First Methodist Church, Atlanta, Ga., June 10, 1942, both by Bishop William T. Watkins, of the Columbia Area.

Question 14—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? was called and answered: H. M. Montgomery, a deacon in the class of the second year from the Upper South Carolina Conference; and T. Z. B. Everton, an elder from the Southwest Missouri Conference.

Question 8—Who are supernumerary? was called and answered, No one.

Question 9—Who are retired? was called and answered with the names of C. B. Burns, G. F. Kirby, Thos. G. Herbert, A. V. Harbin, J. A. Graham, W. S. Heath, M. L. Banks, C. F. Wimberly, J. P. Inabnit, J. Hubert Noland, and F. E. Hodges.

The Bishop announced that these preachers made up the first group to retire under the newly enacted age limit. In fitting words, J. Emerson Ford expressed appreciation for the long and influential service of these men. Their names were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Question 10—Who are granted Sabbatical Leave? was called and answered, No one.

Question 11—Who are admitted on trial? was called, and the following men having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study and upon recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications were admitted on trial: Kenneth Wilson Bedenbaugh, William Dixon Davis, Blanton Mills Doggett, Mac Ray Galloway, Albert Green, Joseph Henry Maw, John Vincent Murray, Jr., Marvin Chancellor Norton, James Edwin Rogers, William Charles Stackhouse, Lamar Hancock Watkins, and Robert D. Yost.

Biographical data—On motion of J. Emerson Ford, the secretary was requested to insert in the daily journal a brief summary of the biographical data furnished by the Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications concerning the applicants for Admission on Trial. This data is as follows:

Received on Trial, October 29, 1942:

Bedenbaugh, Kenneth Wilson. Born, October 19, 1917, at Lodge, S. C. Married. No children. Licensed to preach, May 20, 1941, at Florence, S. C. Education: Wofford College, B. S. One year at Duke Divinity School.

Davis, William Dixon. Born, May 13, 1915. Single. Licensed to preach, 1938, at Columbia, S. C. Education: University of South Carolina, A. B. Completed all requirements except thesis for B. D. degree at Duke University Divinity School. Ordained deacon under the Seminary Rule, November 1, 1942.

Doggett, Blanton Mills. Born, February 1, 1917, at Kossuth, Miss. Married, June 18, 1942. Licensed to preach, August, 1935, at Corinth (North Mississippi Conference), Miss. Education: Millsaps College, A. B. Candler School of Theology, Emory University, B. D. Ordained deacon under the Seminary Rule, November 1, 1942.

Galloway, Mac Ray. Born, May 18, 1913, at Lynchburg, S. C. Married, May, 1938. Licensed to preach, June 10, 1940, at Oxford (Decatur-Oxford District, N. Georgia Conference), Ga. Education: University of South Carolina, B. S. Candler School of Theology, Emory University, B. D. Ordained deacon under the Seminary Rule, November 1, 1942.

Green, Albert. Born, August 27, 1918, at Andrews, S. C. Married, September 16, 1941. Licensed to preach, May 2, 1942, at New Haven, Conn. Education: University of South Carolina, A. B. Yale Divinity School, B. D.

Maw, Joseph Henry. Born, January 16, 1898, at Salem, S. C. Married, March 20, 1935. One daughter. Licensed to preach, October 24, 1924, at Anderson, S. C. Education: Wofford College, A. B. Candler School of Theology, Emory University, five terms. Fourteen years as an industrial missionary to the Belgian Congo.

Murray, John Vincent, Jr. Born, February 4, 1917, at Charleston, S. C. Single. Licensed to preach, September 19, 1940, at Charleston, S. C. Education: University of South Carolina, A. B. Candler School of Theology, Emory University, B. D. Ordained deacon under the Seminary Rule, November 1, 1942.

Norton, Marvin Chancellor. Born, June 30, 1911, at St. Petersburg, Fla. Single. Licensed to preach, December 3, 1940, at Tampa, Fla. Education: Southern College, B. S. Candler School of Theology, Emory University, B. D. Ordained deacon under the Seminary Rule, November 1, 1942.

Rogers, James Edwin. Born, January 29, 1917, at Dublin County, N. C. Single. Licensed to preach, April 15, 1942, at Wilmington, N. C. Education: Atlantic Christian College. Duke Divinity School, B. D.

Stackhouse, William Charles. Born, August 2, 1918, at Dillon, S. C. Married, January 11, 1942. Licensed to preach, 1941, at Marion, S. C. Education: Wofford College, A. B.

Watkins, Lamar Hancock. Born, June 6, 1916, at Middleton, Ga. Married, 1940. One child. Licensed to preach, 1942, Miami District (Florida Conference), Fla. Education: Emory University, A. B. Boston University, S. T. B. Graduate work at Harvard University

Yost, Robert D., Boston University, Boston, Mass. Recommended by Quarterly Conference, Forty Fort, Pa.—Wyoming Conference—in order that he may be ordained deacon and elder, under the Missionary Rule, which also includes Chaplains, that he may be considered for the Chaplaincy, United States Army. He was immediately announced as a transfer to his home conference.

Prayer for Applicants—On motion, the Conference stood in honor of the class newly received on trial into the Conference and Bishop Watkins led in prayer in their behalf.

Special Order—Historical Address—The hour having arrived which had been set by special order for the hearing of the address prepared for the Historical Society of the South Carolina Annual Conference,

Bishop Watkins announced that he had asked permission of the Society to have the address of Dr. Norton delivered before the Ecclesiastical Conference. Bishop Watkins introduced Dr. C. C. Norton, a member of the faculty of Wofford College, who delivered a most interesting address on the subject of "The Origin of the Annual Conferences of the Methodist Church."

Adjournment—On motion, the Conference adjourned with the reading of announcements by the Secretary and the benediction by T. G. Herbert.

THIRD DAY—FRIDAY

October 30, 1942.

Opening—The Conference was called to order at 9:30 a. m., Bishop Watkins in the chair. The worship service was conducted by W. F. Baker. Opening with the hymn, "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing," W. F. Baker then led in prayer, after which he read Psalm 34:1-6 and spoke briefly therefrom.

Approval of Minutes—The Committee on the Daily Journal reported that the minutes of yesterday's session were correct. The report was received as information.

Concerning the day's schedule—The Bishop announced that the Cabinet wished the postponement of the afternoon session from Friday afternoon to Saturday afternoon. By common consent it was so ordered. Time for the adjournment of the morning session was set for 1:00 p. m. by common consent. The reception of the class into full connection was also postponed by common consent, and in its place the Conference agreed to consider the interests of the Board of Temperance.

Letters of Greeting—George K. Way, secretary, read several letters of greetings that had come from members of the Conference serving as Chaplains and who could not be present. The Bishop announced that he had received letters from all of the members of the Conference serving in this capacity. On motion of A. D. Betts, the Secretary was instructed to send appropriate replies.

Committee to Sift Reports—On motion of George K. Way, the Bishop was requested to appoint a committee of three which would have authority to read the reports of the boards and committees and select such as need to be read to the Conference and such as could be sent to record without reading. The following were named on the committee: Julius E. Clark, J. D. Griffin, and G. H. Varn.

Message from Bishop Lee—Bishop Watkins announced that, due to the heavy travel schedule under which Bishop Lee was working, he had sent a request that he be relieved from the evening address of Saturday. By common consent the request was granted.

Leave of Absence—Upon request, A. D. Betts was granted leave of absence to attend an important meeting in connection with the Temperance work to which he has been assigned by the Conference.

Orphanage report excepted—On motion of S. E. Ledbetter, the report of the Board of Hospitals and Homes, dealing with Epworth Orphanage, was excepted from the necessity of passing through the hands of the Sifting Committee in order that it might be read at once under a Special Order.

Special Order—Epworth Orphanage—The hour having arrived which had been set by special order for Epworth Orphanage, the Bishop called Dr. W. D. Roberts to the platform. After J. F. M. Hoffmeyer had read the report of the Board of Hospitals and Homes pertaining to the Orphanage, Dr. W. D. Roberts and Charlton DuRant addressed the Conference concerning this home. The report was adopted. (See report).

Special Requests—Ordination of Chaplains—Acting under the authority of, and complying with all of the requirements of the Missionary Rule, Paragraphs 258 and 268 in the Discipline, the following requests were presented to the Conference by Bishop Watkins:

(a) Request from Bishop E. G. Richardson that Robert D. Yost, student in the Boston University School of Theology, be admitted on trial into the South Carolina Annual Conference, elected to deacon's orders and to elder's orders and transferred to the Wyoming Conference. By proper vote each point of the request was granted.

(b) Request from Bishop James C. Baker that A. Van Harbin, Jr., a member of the South Carolina Annual Conference, in the class of the second year, having been elected to deacon's orders at the 1941 Conference session, in absentia, (missionary to Japan), be elected to elder's orders and graduated from the Course of Study. It was so ordered.

Acting under the same rule, Sydney R. Crumpton was elected to elder's orders to become a Chaplain in the United States Army.

Question 6—Who has withdrawn? was called, and J. W. Jones, upon his own request, was granted the right to withdraw under the provisions of Paragraph 241 of the Discipline. (J. W. Jones failed to qualify under provisions of Paragraph 241, therefore his Credentials are cancelled.)

Emory University—B. M. Bowen, having been presented to the Conference by the Bishop, spoke briefly upon the present status of Emory University.

Special Order—Board of Temperance—Acting under a special order for the consideration of the interests of the Board of Temperance, Bishop Watkins called for the report of the Board of Temperance. The report was submitted to record without reading and W. W. Smoak addressed the Conference upon the menace of alcohol in a time of war.

Question 32—Where shall the next session of the Annual Conference be held? was called, and the Conference received cordial invitations from Dillon, through A. V. Bethea; and from Trinity, Sumter, through C. M. Hurst. The vote was in favor of Sumter, after which, upon motion of E. K. Garrison, pastor at Dillon, the vote for Sumter was made unanimous.

Special order—World Service Commission—Acting under special order for the observance of World Service interests, the Conference heard the following resolutions read by J. D. Griffin:

Whereas the present world crisis has created a number of emergencies which now face Methodists as they carry on this World Service Program; such as,

Relief of suffering in war-torn countries through the Methodist Committee for overseas relief,

Increased religious activities for men in the armed forces through the Commission on Camp Activities and Chaplains,

Increased missionary work in Latin America through the foreign division of the Board of Missions,

Church projects in defense areas through the division of the Home Missions and Church Extension, and

Emergency projects in education through the local Church Division and the Educational Institutions Division of the Board of Education,

Therefore be it resolved, that the South Carolina Conference recommends that each church accept 100 per cent of the askings for World Service for the coming year, or at least an increase of 10% to 25% to meet these needs.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. Peeler, Chairman.

J. Dempsey Griffin, Secretary.

Speaking in behalf of these resolutions and kindred interests, Dr. Harry C. Spencer, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Joint Division of Education and Cultivation, General Board of Missions, and Dr. N. F. Forsyth, Associate Secretary, Division of the Local Church, General Board of Education, Nashville, Tenn., addressed the Conference. Bishop Watkins also spoke briefly concerning this important part of the work of the Church. The resolutions were adopted.

Wofford College—Report No. 1, of the Board of Education, having been read by W. B. Garrison, Dr. Snyder delivered a stirring address concerning the need of Wofford College for special financial help in the face of a student body being depleted by the war. The report was adopted. (See report.)

Southern Christian Advocate—Dr. D. D. Peele, Editor of the Southern Christian Advocate, addressed the Conference concerning the interests of the Advocate and its present sound financial status.

Change of Name—On motion of C. C. Derrick, the proposal to change the name of the Southern Christian Advocate to a more descriptive title was referred to the Advocate Board.

Introduction—Rev. J. Furman Herbert, a member of the North Carolina Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

Adjournment—After announcements by the Secretary, Conference adjourned with the benediction by W. A. Betts.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY—MORNING

October 31, 1942.

Opening—The Conference was called to order at 9:30 a. m., Bishop Watkins in the chair. S. M. Atkinson, as leader of the morning worship, announced the hymn, "Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned," after which he used I Tim. 6:20 as the theme of his devotional message.

Approval of Minutes—The Committee on the Daily Journal reported that the minutes of yesterday's session were correct. The report was received as information.

Lander Colege—After the reading of Reports 7 and 8 of the Board of Education by W. B. Garrison, Bishop Watkins presented Dr. J. Marvin Rast, president of Lander Colege, who addressed the Conference with respect to the resolutions included in the reports. The reports were unanimously adopted—including the following resolutions:

Be it resolved that the Memorandum of Agreement entered into by and between the Trustees of Lander College, et cetera, and Arthur Locatell, trustee, for certain bondholders, be and the same hereby is amended, subject to the consent and approval of the Trustee for the bondholders, to the extent of eliminating the necessity of the Board of Trustees of Lander College applying to the retirement of the bonded indebtedness the amount appropriated to Lander College for the year 1942, by the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church and the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church; that for all other intents and purposes the said Memorandum of Agreement, as aforesaid, shall remain of full force and effect.

Christian Education Advance—Upon the reading of Report 11 of the Board of Education by W. B. Garrison, J. T. Fowler presented Dr. A. L. Gunter, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education of the Upper South Carolina Conference, who addressed the Conference concerning the urgent importance of the objectives of the Christian Education Advance. Bishop Watkins and J. T. Fowler also addressed the Conference on these objectives. The report was adopted. (See report.)

Board of Pensions—After R. R. Tucker had read the report of the Board of Conference Claimants, Dr. B. L. Schubel, representative of the

Board of Pensions, Missouri Corporation, made a brief address concerning the present status of pensions for retired ministers.

Books—Bishop Watkins called the attention of the ministers of the Conference to the following books: "Strength for Service to God and Country;" "Motives for Christian Living,"—King; "Central Certainties,"—Moore; "The Contemporary Christ,"—Smart; "The Pastor's Legal Adviser,"—Brand and Ingram.

Historical Society—The Ecclesiastical Conference adjourned for a session of the Historical Society. The Ecclesiastical Conference resumed.

Home for Retired Ministers—C. B. Burns read the report of the Committee on Homes for Retired Ministers and delivered to J. F. M. Hoffmeyer, secretary-treasurer of the Committee on Hospitals and Homes, the title to a house and lot adjoining Lebanon church, Dorchester-Lebanon charge. This gift, made by the people of Dorchester-Lebanon charge, was received by vote of the Conference and appreciation expressed for their generosity. The report was adopted. (See report.)

Motion—Special Order—On motion of W. Roy Phillips, the beginning of the afternoon session was set by special order for consideration of the report of the Committee on Standing Rules.

Bishop Edwin F. Lee—After singing the hymn, "O Zion Haste," the Conference heard an address by Bishop Edwin F. Lee, in charge of Singapore and the Straits Settlements Area. Bishop Lee stirred the Conference deeply with his vivid first-hand account of his ministry and administration in his war-torn Area.

Extension of time—On motion of the Secretary, George K. Way, the time of the morning session was extended to hear the memoirs of the ministers who have died during the year.

Memorial Service—The memoirs of the men who have died during the year were read as follows: that of G. C. Gardner by S. E. Ledbetter; that of W. E. Sanders by Paul Whitaker; that of Eben Taylor by L. D. Hamer; that of L. T. Phillips by J. Hubert Noland; that of Wm. C. Kirkland by C. C. Herbert; that of L. L. Bedenbaugh by R. P. Turner; and that of T. W. Godbold by W. D. Gleaton.

Upon the reading of the memoir of L. L. Bedenbaugh, Mr. E. P. Stephenson, a layman of the host-church, presented a basket of flowers to Mrs. L. L. Bedenbaugh in token of respect for L. L. Bedenbaugh, who was pastor of this church at the time of his retirement.

Telegram—George K. Way, Secretary, read the following telegram from Bishops Herbert Welch and A. W. Leonard: "Please remind South Carolina Conference that the plan sponsored by the Council of Bishops for the Fellowship of Suffering and Service including not only World-wide Communion Sunday, but sharing all communion of-

ferings throughout the year. Needs of overseas relief and camp service both pressing. Also four hundred additional Methodist Chaplains called for by Army and Navy this year. Greetings."

Leave of Absence—Due to conditions of health, J. Hubert Noland was granted leave of absence for the remainder of the Conference.

Adjournment—On motion, the Conference adjourned after the announcement, and the benediction by Bishop Lee.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY—AFTERNOON

October 31, 1942.

Opening—Conference was called to order at 3:30 p. m., George K. Way, Secretary, acting as chairman at the request of the Bishop. T. E. Jones conducted the worship service, using as the opening hymn, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross." He then led the Conference in prayer and spoke briefly from Hebrews 1:1-7. The Bishop took the chair at the conclusion of this service.

Approval of the Minutes—The Committee on Daily Journal reported that the minutes of the morning session were correct. The report was received as information.

Special Order—Standing Rules—Acting under a special order the Conference heard Report 1 of the Committee on Standing Rules. It was adopted as follows:

Rule No. 2: The Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications and the Board of Ministerial Training shall prepare each year jointly for the Conference Secretary, a statement concerning the age, domestic status, education and ministerial experience of each preacher admitted on trial; and a similar statement concerning each preacher admitted into full connection; these statements to be included in the daily journal.

Report 2, of the Committee on Standing Rules, was rejected by a large majority.

Question 15—Who have completed their studies? was called and answered:

(a) of the first year: Angus McKay Brabham, Jr., Max Hendrix Christopher, Sidney Randolph Crumpton, Webb Black Garrison, Carl Lafayette Parker, having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, upon examination and passage of character they were advanced to the class of the second year.

Carl Lafayette Parker, having been elected and ordained an elder under the Missionary Rule to become a Chaplain in the Army, and having his plans changed in this respect, he asked permission to surrender his elder's orders to the safekeeping of the Conference until such time as he would have earned them in the regular process of advancement. On motion, the Conference granted this permission.

(b) Of the second year. Walter Fleetward Baker, John Sherwood Davis, Victor Ralph Hickman, George Edward King, Walter Jesse Smoak, Charles Herbert Boulware and Harvey McConnell Montgomery, having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, upon examination and passage of character, were advanced to the class of the third year.

(c) Of the third year: John Hugh Eaddy and William Tindall Waters (elder), having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, upon examination and passage of character, were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

(d) Of the fourth year: Thomas Marion Merriman and William Eugene Rone, having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, upon examination and passage of character, were graduated from the course of study.

Question 16—Who have continued in their studies? was called and answered:

(a) Of the first year: Ernest Perry Bell and Joseph Russell Cross, not approved on the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character and the recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, were continued in the class of the first year.

(b) Of the second year: No one.

(W. V. Dibble, having had his Ministerial Office restored by the Upper South Carolina Conference, his name will be discontinued in the records of the South Carolina Conference.)

(c) Of the third year: Roy Alton Berry, not approved on the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character and the recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Training, was continued in the class of the third year.

(d) Of the fourth year: No one.

Question 17—Who are admitted into full connection? was called. Walter Fleetward Baker, John Sherwood Davis, Victor Ralph Hickman, Charles Herbert Boulware, George Edward King, Walter Jesse Smoak, and Harvey McConnell Montgomery, after giving satisfactory answers to the disciplinary questions and being recommended by the Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications, by vote of the Conference, were admitted into full connection.

Question 18—What Traveling Preachers and what Local Preachers have been elected Deacons? was called and answered,

(a) Traveling Preachers: Walter Fleetward Baker and John Sherwood Davis, in the regular course; and William Dixon Davis, Blanton Mills Doggett, Mac Ray Galloway, and Marvin Chancellor Norton under the Seminary Rule.

(b) Local Preachers: None.

Question 20—What Traveling Preachers and What Local Preachers have been elected Elders? was called and answered,

(a) **Traveling Preachers:** Thomas Marion Merriman and William Eugene Rone in the regular course; and Charles Herbert Boulware, Victor Ralph Hickman, George Edward King, Harvey McConnell Montgomery and Walter Jesse Smoak under the Seminary Rule.

Upon being admitted into full connection, and being elected to elders' orders under the Seminary rule, Charles Herbert Boulware, Victor Ralph Hickman, George Edward King, Harvey McConnell Montgomery and Walter Jesse Smoak were graduated from the course of study.

(b) **Local Preachers:** None.

Question 22—Who are accepted supply pastors? was called and answered, with the names of: J. O. Bunch, Thomas J. Jernigan, Edward W. Gott, Clifton Eugene Jones, Jacob Joshua Patrick and W. Roy Parker.

Question 23—What accepted supply pastors now in charge are taking

(a) **The Conference Course of Study?** and answered, Edward W. Gott, Thomas J. Jernigan, W. Roy Parker, Clifton Eugene Jones;

(b) **The Local Preachers Course of Study?** No one.

Question 24—Are the Accepted Supply Pastors blameless in their life and official administration? was called, and the names of J. O. Bunch, Thomas J. Jernigan, Edward W. Gott, Clifton Eugene Jones, Jacob Joshua Patrick, and W. Roy Parker were called and their characters passed.

Reports—The following reports, having been examined by the Sifting Committee, were ordered to record without reading:

Committee on Journal and Yearbook.

Board of Education 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 12, 14.

Conference Board of Trustees.

Reports—The following reports were read and given favorable action:

Board of Education 6, 9, 13, 15, 16.

Adjournment—E. K. Garrison moved to adjourn to meet again in Business Session at 7:00 p .m. The motion carried and Conference adjourned with the Benediction.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY—EVENING

October 31, 1942.

Opening—Conference was called to order at 7:00 p. m., J. Emerson Ford, at the request of the Bishop, in the chair. The hymn, "How Firm a Foundation," was sung and A. V. Harbin led the Conference in prayer.

Reports—The following reports, having been examined by the Sifting Committee, were ordered to record without reading:

Board of Missions 1, 3, 4, 5.

World Service and Finance, 2.

Board of Hospitals and Homes, 2.

Commission on Evangelism.

Committee on District Conference Journals.

Reports—The following reports were read and adopted:

Board of Missions, 2, 6, 7, 8.

Commission on World Service and Finance, 1, 3.

Board of Hospitals and Homes, 3, 5.

Committee on Special Days.

Question 29—What is the report of the Statistician? was called, and W. A. Beckham, Statistician, read the report, answering certain question. (See The Business of the Annual Conference.)

Question 28—What is the report of the Conference Treasurer? was called and the report was ordered to record without reading. (See report.)

Question 27—Who is elected Conference Lay Leader? was called and answered, J. C. Guilds.

Bishop Watkins—Bishop Watkins took the chair and thanked J. Emerson Ford for his courtesy.

Question 8—Who are supernumerary? was called and answered, G. E. Childers, second year.

Question 9—Who are retired? was called and, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications, the following were granted the retired relation:

M. L. Banks, E. H. Beckham, W. T. Bedenbaugh, W. A. Betts, C. B. Burns, S. D. Colyer, C. C. Derrick, R. R. Doyle, J. A. Graham, A. V. Harbin, W. S. Heath, S. W. Henry, T. G. Herbert, F. E. Hodges, J. W. Hudson, J. P. Inabnit, W. R. Jones, G. F. Kirby, J. L. Miller, J. H. Noland, L. E. Peeler, D. A. Phillips, G. T. Rhoad, P. K. Rhoad, J. M. Rogers, C. B. Smith, W. J. Snyder, R. W. Spigner, D. O. Spires, J. J. Stevenson, W. S. Stokes, J. F. Way, J. B. Weldon, C. F. Wimberly.

Bishop Watkins delivered to each of these men a parchment, indicating the date of his retirement and the length of his service to the Church.

Return to Active Service—Upon the request of D. N. Busbee, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, he was granted reinstatement to active service from the superannuate relation.

Question 18—What Traveling Preachers and what Local Preachers have been elected to deacons' orders? was called again and answered with the additional name of John Vincent Murray, Jr.

Question 12—Who are readmitted? was called and answered, No one.

Question 13—Who are received from other Churches as Traveling Preachers? was called and answered, No one.

Question 26—Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? was called and answered: F. E. Dibble, W. D. Gleaton, R. Bryce Herbert, W. Roy Phillips, H. L. F. Shuler; Reserves: R. R. Tucker, G. H. Varn.

Woman's Society of Christian Service—Mrs. J. Roy Jones, President of the Conference organization of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, was introduced to the Conference by Bishop Watkins. She addressed the Conference upon the work of this organization and asked that Mrs. LeRoy S. Epps be given the floor for the reading of a report from this organization to the Conference. Mrs. Epps read a very fine report.

Motion.—George K. Way moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet in Business Session on Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock for the ordination of Deacons and Elders, and again Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for the reading of appointments and final business.

Concerning the Minutes—The Committee on the Daily Journal reported that in view of the rush of the day's session the minutes of the afternoon session and of this session would be reported on at the business session on Sunday afternoon.

Prayer for Parris Island.—C. B. Burns asked that H. L. F. Shuler be asked to lead the Conference in prayer for the work at Parris Island among the Marines during these critical days. This was done.

Adjournment—On motion the Conference adjourned with the benediction by C. C. Derrick.

FIFTH DAY—SUNDAY—MORNING

November 1, 1942.

Opening—After the regularly scheduled worship service of Bethlehem Methodist Church in charge of the pastor, Rev. J. C. Smiley, Bishop Watkins called the Conference to order. The secretary presented the class to be ordained deacons. The service was in charge of Bishop Watkins, assisted by E. L. McCoy, who read the Epistle, and George K. Way, who read the Gospel. After satisfactory answers to the disciplinary questions Bishop Watkins ordained each member of the class a deacon, thus answering

Question 19—Who have been ordained Deacons? with the names of Walter Fleetward Baker, John Sherwood Davis, William Dixon Davis, Blanton Mills Doggett, Mac Ray Galloway, John Vincent Murray, Jr., and Marvin Chancellor Norton. Each was presented with his parchment by the secretary.

Ordination of Elders—Immediately following the ordination of Deacons, the secretary presented the class to be ordained Elders. Bishop Watkins was in charge of the service, assisted by Woodrow Ward, who read the Epistle, and S. E. Ledbetter, who read the Gospel. After the ritual service and satisfactory answers to the disciplinary questions, by the class, each was ordained an Elder by Bishop Watkins, assisted in the laying on of hands by Bishop Edwin F. Lee, Woodrow Ward, S. E. Ledbetter, E. L. McCoy, George K. Way, C. C. Herbert, and R. C. Boulware, thus answering

Question 21—Who have been ordained Elders? and answered with the names of Charles Herbert Boulware, Victor Ralph Hickman, George Edward King, Thomas Marion Merriman, Harvey McConnell Montgomery, William Eugene Rone, and Walter Jesse Smoak. Each was presented with his parchment by the secretary.

Ordination Sermon—Bishop Watkins presented Bishop Edwin F. Lee, of Singapore and the Straits Settlement Area, but now of Chicago, who preached the ordination sermon.

Closing—Announcement of the afternoon session was made and the benediction was pronounced by Bishop Lee.

FIFTH DAY—SUNDAY—AFTERNOON

November 1, 1942.

Opening—The Conference was called to order at 3:00 p. m., Bishop Watkins in the chair. The worship service was in charge of W. D. Gleaton. The hymn, "O, For a Thousand Tongues," was sung. Selection 49, second reading, in the Methodist Hymnal, was read. The Conference was then led in prayer by F. E. Dibble.

Approval of Minutes—The Committee on Daily Journal reported that the Minutes of yesterday's morning, afternoon and evening sessions were found correct. The report was received as information.

On motion of J. Emerson Ford, the secretary was authorized to complete the Minutes of this afternoon's session, and to edit the Journal, reports and resolutions for the sake of clarity and harmony without changing the meaning.

Conference expense—On motion of George K. Way, the Conference Treasurer was directed to draw a check in favor of the Conference Secretary for sixty-five (\$65.00) dollars against the Incidental Fund of the Conference.

Question 31—What are the objectives of this Conference for the coming year as stated by the Bishop in charge or a committee appointed by him? H. L. F. Shuler read the report of this Committee and, after brief discussion, the report was adopted. (See report.)

Appreciation—L. D. Hamer read the following resolution of appreciation for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown the Conference by the people of Bishopville and the resolution was adopted by a rising vote:

"It has been our gracious privilege to abide for these all too short days in the lovely countyseat of Lee. It has been our joy to be associated, socially and spiritually, with the upright and noble citizenry of Bishopville. We have been uplifted and inspired by the high calibre of their morality and the genuineness of their cordiality. We have enjoyed these days. We are most grateful to the lovely ladies of Lee and the courteous gentlemen of Bishopville for all that they have done—and they have done, oh, so much—to make our stay pleasant and joyous.

Our pastor-host, the Rev. J. Carlisle Smiley, has endeared himself to all of us. His winsome ways and his unruffled disposition mid all the trials to which we have subjected him, his unfailing courtesy and good nature, have made this a delightful conference for us. In this he has been but the representative of his church and community. He, Mrs. E. Eugene Smith and Mr. V. S. Goodyear, co-chairmen of the committee on entertainment, his other members, the Rev. J. T. Littlejohn of the local Baptist church, and members of the local churches, have done far more than we could anticipate to shower us with kindnesses and blessings. Jew and Gentile, people of all faiths, have opened their hearts and homes to us. The business men, the public officials, the newspaper men of the city, have all cooperated to make our stay a memorable one for us.

We are grateful for those who have come our way with their messages of inspiration and challenge. They, our servants in the varied fields of church endeavor, have lifted us to new heights of hope and fired us with new visions of service. We are grateful for their presence and influence. We are especially appreciative of the coming of Bishop Edwin F. Lee, who has given us new conceptions of sacrifice and heroism on the far-flung battle lines of the faith.

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Offering for Sexton—An offering for the sexton was taken—a long-time custom in the South Carolina Conference—amounting to \$40.80.

Special appointments—In accordance with Paragraph 332, Section 5, of the 1940 Discipline, the Conference confirmed the recommendation of the District Superintendents for the appointment of A. D. Betts Executive Secretary South Carolina Federated Forces for Temperance

and Law Enforcement; and of Ernest Dugan Superintendent of Star Gospel Mission.

Change in Charge Lines—Woodrow Ward, secretary of the Cabinet, read the following changes in charge lines:

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Vacancies in Boards and Committees—Woodrow Ward, for the Cabinet, offered the following nominations for the South Carolina Fellowship of Churches, and for vacancies in various Boards and Committees. The nominees were elected as follows:

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Question 33—Where are the Preachers stationed this year? was called and answered with the reading of the appointments. The benediction was pronounced by Bishop Watkins and this the 1942 session of the South Carolina Annual Conference was adjourned sine die.

W. T. Watkins

President.

George K. Way

Secretary.

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the South Carolina Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, held in Bishopville, S. C., from October 28, 1942, to November 1, 1942. Bishop William T. Watkins, presiding.

1. Organization—The following officers were elected:
Secretary George K. Way; P. O., Orangeburg, S. C.
Treasurer J. Hubert Noland; P. O., 1431 Wildwood Ave., Columbia, S. C.
Statistician W. A. Beckham; P. O., Chesterfield, S. C.
2. Have the Boards, Commissions, and Committees been appointed?
Yes, see Boards, Commissions and Committees, 1941-44.
3. (a) What Officers handling funds of the Conference have been bonded, and in what amounts?
J. Hubert Noland, Conference Treasurer, \$10,000;
W. E. Ivey, Treasurer Board of Missions and Church extension, \$2,500;
E. H. Pate, Treasurer Board of Conference Claimants, \$10,000;
J. F. Hoffmeyer, Treasurer Board of Hospitals and Homes, \$1,000;
W. E. Atkinson, Board of Education, \$500.
(b) Have their books been audited? Yes.
4. Are the records of the Secretary, Treasurer and Statistician kept according to the forms prescribed by the laws of the Church? Yes.
5. Is this Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
6. What date is determined for White Cross and Golden Cross enrollment?
November 22, 1942.
7. What is the schedule for Minimum Support for Pastors?
No minimum adopted by the Conference.
8. What method is approved for the salary of the District Superintendents?
Through a District Stewards' Meeting.
9. What are the reports of the District Superintendents as to the status of the work within their Districts?
Each District Superintendent made an oral report to the Conference.
10. Are all the Preachers blameless in their life and official administration?
The names of all the preachers were called in Open Conference, their characters examined and passed.
11. What Preachers have died during the year?
L. L. Bedenbaugh, T. W. Godbold, G. C. Gardner, Wm. C. Kirkland, L. T. Phillips, W. E. Sanders, Eben Taylor.
12. Who are discontinued? No one.
13. Who are located? No one.
14. Who have withdrawn or been expelled?
Withdrawn: J. W. Jones, at his own request.

15. Who are transferred to other Conferences?
G. F. Conley, in the class of the first year, to the Western North Carolina Conference; Z. V. Mason, in the class of the first year, to the Virginia Conference; Robert D. Yost, in the class of the first year, elected to deacon's and elder's orders under the Missionary Rule, and transferred to the Wyoming Conference. J. M. Copeland, a deacon in the class of the third year, was transferred to the Central Pennsylvania Conference; and Carl L. Parker, a deacon in the class of the first year, was transferred to the Baltimore Conference; both to be elected elders under the Missionary Rule, and transferred back.
16. Who are supernumerary? G. E. Childers.
17. Who are retired?
M. L. Banks, E. H. Beckham, W. T. Bedenbaugh, W. A. Betts, C. B. Burns, S. D. Colyer, C. C. Derrick, R. R. Doyle, J. A. Graham, A. V. Harbin, W. S. Heath, S. W. Henry, T. G. Herbert, F. E. Hodges, J. W. Hudson, J. P. Inabnit, W. R. Jones, G. F. Kirby, J. L. Miller, J. H. Noland, L. E. Peeler, D. A. Phillips, G. T. Rhoad, P. K. Rhoad, J. M. Rogers, C. B. Smith, W. J. Snyder, R. W. Spigner, D. O. Spires, J. J. Stevenson, W. S. Stokes, J. F. Way, J. B. Weldon, C. F. Wimberly.
18. Who are granted Sabbatical Leave? No one.
19. Who are Admitted on Trial?
(a) In Studies of the First Year: K. W. Bedenbaugh, Albert Green, J. H. Maw, Jas. H. Rogers, W. C. Stackhouse, Lamar H. Watkins, Robert D. Yost.
(b) In studies of the Third Year under the Seminary Rule: W. D. Davis, B. M. Doggett, M. R. Galloway, J. V. Murray, Jr., M. C. Norton.
20. Who are Readmitted? No one.
21. Who are received from other Churches as Traveling Preachers? No one.
22. Who are received by Transfer from other Conferences?
H. M. Montgomery, a deacon, in the class of the second year from the Upper South Carolina Conference, and T. Z. B. Everton, an elder from the Southwest Missouri Conference.
23. Who have completed their Studies:
(a) Of the First Year: A. McK. Brabham, Jr., Max H. Christopher, W. B. Garrison, Carl L. Parker.
(b) Of the Second Year: W. F. Baker, J. Sherwood Davis.
(c) Of the Third Year: J. H. Eaddy, W. T. Waters.
(d) Of the Fourth Year: T. M. Merriman, W. E. Rone.
24. Who have been continued in their Studies?
(a) Of the First Year: E. P. Bell, J. R. Cross.
(b) Of the Second Year: None.
(c) Of the Third Year: R. A. Berry.
(d) Of the Fourth Year: None.
25. Who are Admitted into Full Connection?

- W. F. Baker, C. H. Boulware, J. Sherwood Davis, Victor R. Hickman, George E. King, W. J. Smoak, H. M. Montgomery.
26. Who have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?
(a) Traveling Preachers: W. F. Baker, J. Sherwood Davis, W. D. Davis, B. M. Doggett, M. R. Galloway, J. V. Murray, Jr., M. C. Norton.
27. Who have been Elected and Ordained Elders?
(a) Traveling Preachers: T. M. Merriman, W. E. Rone, C. H. Boulware, Victor R. Hickman, George E. King, W. J. Smoak, H. M. Montgomery.
28. What other Personal Notation should be made?
C. H. Boulware, Victor R. Hickman, George E. King, W. J. Smoak, H. M. Montgomery, S. R. Crumpton and A. Van Harbin, Jr., have been graduated from the Course of Study.
29. Who are Accepted Supply Pastors?
J. O. Bunch, Thos. J. Jernigan, Edward W. Gott, C. E. Jones, J. J. Patrick, and W. Roy Parker.
30. What Accepted Supply Pastors now in Charge are taking—
(a) The Conference Course of Study? Edward W. Gott, Thos. J. Jernigan, W. Roy Parker, and C. E. Jones.
(b) The Local Preachers' Course of Study? None.
31. Are the Accepted Supply Pastors blameless in their life and official administration?
Their characters were examined in Open Conference, and passed.
32. What Preachers, coming from other Churches, with recommendation from District or Quarterly Conferences, have had their Orders recognized as Local Deacons or Local Elders? None.
33. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation?
F. E. Dibble, W. D. Gleaton, R. Eryce Herbert, W. Roy Phillips, H. L. F. Shuler. Reserves: R. R. Tucker, G. H. Varn.
34. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader? Dr. J. C. Guilds.
35. What is the report of the Conference Treasurer?
See Treasurer's Report under "Reports."
36. What is the report of the Statistician?
I. Statistics:
(1) What is the number of districts, pastoral charges, and of societies in this Conference?
Districts, 6; pastoral charges, 134; societies, 386.
(2) What is the number of members, how many have been re-received this year on profession of faith, how many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers?
Members, 71,620; received on profession of faith, 1578; licensed, 3; local preachers, 23.
(3) How many infants and how many adults have been baptized this year?
Infants, 714; Adults, 732.
(4) What is the number of Church School officers and teachers?
Officers and teachers, 3,926.

- (5) What is the enrollment of Church School pupils?
In the Children's Division, 10,155; in the Young People's Division, 9,854; in the Adult Division, 13,662; Total enrollment, 33,674.
- (6) How many Church School pupils were received into the Church? 1201.
- (7) What amount was raised in the Church schools: (a) for World Service Sunday, \$8,461; all other purposes, \$60,312; total amount raised in Church School? \$68,773.
- (8) How many enrolled in week-day schools for children, how many vacation schools?
Week-day enrollment, 660; vacation schools, 4,620.
- (9) What is the number of Women's Societies of Christian Service, and what is the number of members of the same?
Societies, 244; members, 9,003.
- (10) What are the educational statistics?
Institutions, 3; teachers, 80; students, 1,282; value of property, \$1,712,055.93; endowment, \$1,386,700.66; indebtedness, \$130,848.03.
- (11) What are the Orphanage statistics?
Orphanages, 1; officers and teachers, 36; children, 320; money expended, \$92,340; value of property, \$588,630; indebtedness, none.
- (12) What are the hospital statistics? Have no hospital.

II. Finances:

- (13) What has been contributed for the following causes?
Conference Work, \$36,032; General Administrative Fund, \$730; World Service-General Work, \$59,578; Total amount raised by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, \$50,769; From the Golden Cross Enrollment, \$62.00.
- (14) What has been contributed for the support of the ministry?
District Superintendents, \$25,115; Preachers in charge, \$225,367; Conference claimants, \$8,393; Bishops' Fund, \$4,803.63.
- (15) What is the grand total for all purposes this Conference year? \$697,877.

III. Church Property:

- (16) What is the number of houses of worship, their value, and the indebtedness thereon?
Houses of worship, 386; value, \$3,293,366; indebtedness, \$42,887.
- (17) What is the number of parsonages, their value, indebtedness?
District parsonages, 6; value, \$63,500; indebtedness, \$5,650; Parsonages belonging to pastoral charges, 129; value, \$663,050; indebtedness, \$14,595.

- (18) What amount of insurance carried on church property, premium paid?
Insurance carried, \$1,550,250; premium paid, \$9,619.
- (19) How many churches and parsonages have been damaged, amount of damage and what was collected thereon?
Churches damaged, 5; parsonages damaged, 0; amount of damage, \$12,785.
- (20) What is the number of superannuate homes, and what is their value?
Homes, 4; value, \$10,500.
37. What are the Reports, Recommendations, and Plans of the Boards, Commissions, and Committees of the Conference?
See "Reports" of the various Boards, Commissions and Committees.
38. What are the objectives of this Conference for the coming year as stated by the Bishop in Charge, or a Committee appointed by him?
See Report of Committee.
39. What are the items and aggregate of General and Conference Benevolences apportioned to this Conference?
General: World Service and General Administration, \$45,764.21; Conference: Conference items, \$70,094.00, making an aggregate of \$115,858.21.
40. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?
Five per cent of the current year's salaries of pastors.
41. What are the approved claims for the support of District Superintendents and Bishops for the ensuing year?
Bishops: 2¼ per cent of current year's salaries of pastors.
42. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?
Trinity Methodist Church, Sumter, S. C.
43. Where are the Preachers stationed this year?
See List of Appointments.

APPOINTMENTS

(Numerals indicate years on Charge. Letters, a, b, c, d, indicate Undergraduates, Classes of First, Second, Third and Fourth Years.)

CHARLESTON DISTRICT: Woodrow Ward, Superintendent, 6.
 Beaufort: T. E. Jones, 1.
 Bluffton: E. W. Gott, Supply, 2.
 Charleston—
 Asbury Memorial: R. Bryce Herbert, 2.
 Bethel: H. L. F. Shuler, 3.
 Spring Street: Gobe Smith, 1.
 Trinity: R. Wright Spears, 1.
 Cherokee Place: C. L. Woodard, 5.
 North Charleston: R. P. Hucks, 2.
 Cottageville: J. E. Scott, Jr., 3.
 Dorchester-Lebanon: To be supplied.
 Ehrhardt: M. C. Norton, 1a.
 Estill: J. C. Inabinet, 2.
 Hampton: J. E. Cook, 2.
 Harleyville: V. R. Hickman, 1.
 Hendersonville: W. J. Smoak, 3.
 Lodge: J. H. Maw, 1a.
 Meggett: H. D. Shuler, 5.
 Mt. Pleasant: T. G. Herbert, Supply, 1.
 Ridgeland: W. P. Way, 3.
 Ridgeville: E. A. Wilkes, 4.
 Ruffin: T. W. Williams, 2.
 St. George: S. D. Newell, 1.
 Summerville: H. L. Spell, 2.
 Summerville Ct.: W. D. Davis, 1a.
 Yemassee: M. R. Galloway, 1a.
 Professor Emory University: Boone M. Bowen, Mt. Pleasant Q. C., 12
 Chaplain U. S. Army: C. E. Hill, Cottageville Q. C., 3.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: H. J. Bennett, Jr., Mt. Pleasant Q. C., 1.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: J. M. Copeland, Yemassee Q. C., 1.
 Superintendent Star Gospel Mission: Ernest Dugan, Bethel Q. C., 7.
 Student Emory University: J. L. Sandlin, Asbury Memorial Q. C., 2.
 Chaplain Methodist Cadets, The Citadel: R. Bryce Herbert, 2.
 District Missionary Secretary: C. L. Woodward, 5.

FLORENCE DISTRICT: E. L. McCoy, Superintendent, 6.
 Bennettsville: E. S. Dunbar, 1.
 Bennettsville Ct.: E. B. Johnson, 3.
 Beulah: B. D. Lucas, Supply, 2.
 Cheraw: S. O. Cantey, 4.
 Chesterfield: W. A. Beckham, 1.
 Darlington: J. T. Peeler, 3.
 Darlington Ct.: J. M. Collier, 3.
 East Chesterfield: G. L. Ingram, 3.
 Florence, Central: J. E. Clark, 1.

Assistant Pastor: J. E. Rogers, 1a.
 Hartsville: W. Roy Phillips, 2.
 Hartsville Ct.: A. M. Jones, 2.
 Jefferson: E. F. Scoggins, 3.
 Lamar: T. E. Derrick, 2.
 Liberty: D. N. Busbee, 1.
 Marlboro: J. B. Weldon, Supply, 3.
 McBee: J. F. Campbell, 2.
 McColl: W. G. Ariail, 3.
 Pageland: Paul C. Scott, 3.
 Ruby: W. Roy Parker, Supply, 1.
 Tabernacle Mission: J. O. Bunch, Supply, 2.
 Tatum-Hebron: W. F. Baker, 1c.
 Timmonsville: W. B. Garrison, 1b.
 Conference Missionary Secretary: S. O. Cantey, 8.
 District Missionary Secretary: Paul C. Scott, 1.

KINGSTREE DISTRICT: A. F. Ragan, Superintendent, 1.
 Andrews: T. M. Godbold, 3.
 Black River: Paul T. Wood, 3.
 Cades: C. H. Boulware, 1.
 Georgetown: C. C. Herbert, 3.
 Greeleyville & Lanes: Peter Stokes, 1.
 Hemingway: W. L. Parker, 2.
 Jamestown: L. W. Shealy, 2.
 Johnsonville: Sherwood Davis, 2c.
 Kingstree: J. M. Shingler, 6.
 Lake City: J. H. Danner, 4.
 McClellanville: E. Z. James, 2.
 New Zion: Max H. Christopher, 3b.
 Pamplico: C. S. Felder, 2.
 Pinopolis: B. H. Covington, 4.
 St. Stephens: T. J. Jernigan, Supply, 3.
 Sampit: J. J. Patrick, Supply, 2.
 Scranton: G. S. Taylor, 2.
 Trio: L. W. Smith, 2.
 Turbeville-Olanta: Albert Green, 1a.
 Union: A. V. Harbin, Supply, 1.
 Chaplain U. S. Navy: E. V. Best, Cades Q. C., 1.
 U. S. Army: J. R. Cross, Pinopolis Q. C., 1a.
 General Board of Missions: A. Van Harbin, Jr., Union Q. C., 1.
 District Missionary Secretary: T. M. Godbold, 3.

MARION DISTRICT: S. E. Ledbetter, Superintendent, 2.
 Aynor: J. H. Eaddy, 2d.
 South Aynor: F. L. Frazier, 1.
 Blenheim: J. M. Barrington, 1.
 Bucksville: B. M. Doggett, 2a.
 Centenary: Iverson Graham, 2.
 Clio: J. F. M. Hoffmeyer, 4.
 Conway: F. E. Dibble, 4.

Conway Ct.: P. B. McLeod, 2.
 Dillon: E. K. Garrison, 5.
 Lake View: W. E. Rone, 1.
 Latta: J. F. Trammell, 1.
 Little River: To be supplied.
 Little Rock: J. V. Murray, Jr., 1a.
 Loris: B. C. Gleaton, 4.
 Marion: B. L. Knight, 2.
 Mullins: G. H. Varn, 1.
 Mullins Ct.: H. M. Montgomery, 1.
 Myrtle Beach: Pierce E. Cook, 6.
 G. E. Childers, Supernumerary.
 Nichols: L. D. B. Williams, 2.
 Waccamaw: J. P. Inabnit, Supply, 1.
 Student Emory University: George E. King, Lake View Q. C., 1.
 Student Duke University: R. N. DuBose, Lake View Q. C., 2.
 District Missionary Secretary: Pierce E. Cook, 3.

ORANGEBURG DISTRICT: George K. Way, Superintendent, 5.
 Allendale: Thomas Kemmerlin, 1.
 Bamberg, Trinity: S. M. Atkinson, 1.
 Bamberg-Orangeburg Mills: W. O. Henderson, 4.
 Barnwell: J. R. Dennis, 3.
 Bowman: W. M. Mitchum, 3.
 Branchville: J. G. Ferguson, 3.
 Cameron: J. D. Griffin, 2.
 Denmark: R. R. Tucker, 1.
 Edisto: M. G. Arant, 2.
 Ellenton: J. A. Graham, Supply, 3.
 Elloree-Jerusalem: B. G. Murphy, 3.
 Eutawville: C. E. Jones, supply, 1.
 Grover: A. McKay Brabham, Jr., 2b.
 Holly Hill: R. P. Turner, 5.
 North-Limestone: C. S. Floyd, 4.
 Norway: T. M. Merriman, 3.
 Olar: T. B. Smith, 1.
 Orange: B. S. Hughes, 3.
 Orangeburg, St. Paul's: J. Emerson Ford, 2.
 Providence: R. H. Taylor, 1.
 Rowesville: W. S. Heath, Supply, 4.
 St. Matthews: T. Z. B. Everton, 1.
 St. Matthews Ct.: D. T. Smoak, 2.
 Smoaks: G. W. Dukes, 5.
 Springfield: T. G. Phillips, 2.
 Executive Secretary Conference Board of Education: J. T. Fowler,
 St. Paul's Q. C., 8.
 Ex. Secretary S. C. Federated Forces Temperance and Law Enforcement: A. D. Betts, St. Paul's Q. C., 5.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: J. H. Martin, Olar Q. C., 1.
 District Missionary Secretary: Thomas Kemmerlin, 1

SUMTER DISTRICT: J. Ross Johnson, Superintendent, 4.
 Bethune: K. S. Carmichael, 2.
 Bishopville: J. C. Smiley, 3.
 Camden: H. F. Collins, 2.
 College Place: Paul Whitaker, 1.
 Columbia Ct.: Lamar H. Watkins, 1a.
 Heath Springs: Glenn E. Parrott, 2.
 Jordan: Irvin Frye, 3.
 Kershaw: C. O. Shuler, 3.
 Lynchburg: W. T. Waters, 3d.
 Manning: D. H. Montgomery, 1.
 Oswego: T. C. Shuler, 1.
 Pinewood: E. P. Bell, 1a.
 Rembert: W. C. Stackhouse, 1a.
 Spring Hill: G. A. Teasley, 1.
 Summerton: F. C. Smith, 2.
 Sumter—
 Broad Street: Welborne Summers, 1.
 Trinity: W. D. Gleaton, 4.
 Wesley Chapel-Hebron: Carl L. Parker, 1b.
 West Kershaw: K. W. Bedenbaugh, 2a.
 U. S. Army: R. A. Berry, Pinewood Q. C., 1c.
 Assistant Editor and Manager Southern Christian Advocate: **L. D. Hamer**, College Place Q. C., 2.
 Professor Duke University: Mason Crum, College Place Q. C., 11.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: F. S. James, College Place Q. C., 3.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: J. H. Justus, Columbia Ct. Q. C., 3.
 Chaplain U. S. Army: S. R. Crumpton, Trinity Q. C., 2.
 District Missionary Secretary: J. C. Smiley, 3.

RETIRED MINISTERS

Charleston District—C. B. Burns, T. G. Herbert, **G. F. Kirby, G. T. Rhoad**, P. K. Rhoad, F. E. Hodges.

Florence District—W. T. Bedenbaugh, W. R. Jones, **C. B. Smith, J. B. Weldon**.

Kingtree District—C. C. Derrick, A. V. Harbin, R. W. Spigner, **L. E. Peeler**.

Marion District—J. P. Inabnit, D. O. Spires.

Orangeburg District—M. L. Banks, E. H. Beckham, W. A. Betts, **R. R. Doyle**, J. A. Graham, W. S. Heath, J. F. Way, **C. F. Wimberly**, D. A. Phillips.

Sumter District—S. D. Colyer, S. W. Henry, J. W. Hudson, **J. L. Miller**, J. M. Rogers, W. S. Stokes, W. J. Snyder, **J. J. Stevenson, J. H. Noland**.

REPORTS

COMMITTEE ON ACCEPTED SUPPLIES

Your committee on Accepted Supplies reports that the following local preachers have been before your committee and are approved for supply work:

J. O. Bunch, Thomas J. Jernigan, Edward W. Gott, Clifton Eugene Jones, Jacob Joshua Patrick and W. Roy Parker.

“What Accepted Supply Pastors now in charge are taking (a) the Conference Course of Study? Answer: Edward W. Gott, Thomas J. Jernigan, W. Roy Parker, and Clifton Eugene Jones. (b) The local preachers Course of Study? Answer: None.

Respectfully submitted,
 HENRY F. COLLINS, Chairman,
 C. S. FLOYD, Secretary

BOARD OF CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

We, the Board of Conference Claimants, make the following report:

WHEREAS, the plan was adopted by vote of the Annual Conference last year whereby it was directed that all active ministerial members of the conference should pay two per cent of their salary income to the Board of Conference Claimants.

RESOLVED, that the action of the last Conference as expressed in Resolutions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 on page 50 of the 1941 Journal and year book be adopted for the year 1943, and as a permanent policy until revoked by Conference action.

Funds from the 2 per cent received from pastors salary.

Received	\$4,561.40	
Disbursed	\$2,524.00	
Balance on hand for disbursement Dec. 1st.....		\$2,037.50

Recommendations:

First. We recommend that the apportionment from the Conference for distribution to the claimants be 5 per cent of the pastors' salary, based upon the current year, and that this prevail in each charge.

Second. We recommend that the following, Will Stackhouse, J. H. Danner and S. D. Newell, be confirmed as a committee to present to District Conferences and other Methodist meetings, as they think opportune, the cause of retired ministers, for the purpose of securing memorials, bequests or gifts. We respectfully request district superintendents and pastors to cooperate with this committee and to give its representatives a hearing when occasion arises.

Income:

1. Balance from 1941	\$ 487.24
2. From Apportionment to charges	8,593.00
3. From Charter Fund	75.00

4. From Publishing House	1,429.26
5. From Legal Conference	463.23
6. From Board of Pensions	1,487.61

TOTAL

Disbursements:

1. Total apportioned	\$11,988.00
2. Treasurer	125.00
3. Incidental expenses	6.00
4. Reserve for emergencies	406.33

TOTAL

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

SUPERANNUATES	Service Years	Conf. Payments	Gen. Bd. Payments
Beckham, Rev. E. H., St. Matthews, S. C. --	46	\$225.00	\$80.50
Bedenbaugh, Rev. L. L. (Dec'd), Hartsville, S. C. (2-12 to his estate) --	46		13.41
Bedenbaugh, Rev. W. T. Hartsville, S. C.	36	190.00	63.00
Betts, Rev. W. A., Bamberg, S. C. --	34	200.00	59.50
Busbee, Rev. D. N., R. F. D. 1, Meggetts, S. C. --		Active	49.00
Colyer, Rev. S. D., 134 E. Pearl St., Spar- tanburg, S. C. --	24	225.00	42.00
Doyle, Rev. R. R., Seneca, S. C. --	19	180.00	35.00
Henry, Rev. S. W., 5313 Middleton Dr., Route 1, Columbia, S. C. --	43	218.00	75.25
Hudson, Rev. J. W., Route 1, Camden, S. C.	36	196.00	----
Jones, Rev. W. R., Keene, Va. --	22	182.00	38.50
Kirkland, Rev. W. C. (Dec'd), (6-12 to his estate) --	43	----	37.62
Miller, Rev. J. L., Gaston, S. C. (7MP-1M)	8	167.00	----
Peeler, Rev. L. E., Greeleyville, S. C. -----	41	211.00	71.75
Phillips, Rev. D. A., Holly Hill, S. C. --	50	190.00	87.50
Phillips, Rev. L. T. (Dec'd), (2-12 to his es- tate) --	31	----	9.04
Rhoad, Rev. G. T., Route 2, Branchville, S. C.	26	216.00	45.50
Rhoad, Rev. P. K., Garnett, S. C. --	29	220.00	50.75
Rogers, Rev. J. M., Manning, S. C. --	42	225.00	73.50
Smith, Rev. C. B., Walterboro, S. C. --	39	220.00	68.25
Snyder, Rev. W. J., 14 S. Blanding St., Sum- ter, S. C. --	45	235.00	78.75
Spigner, Rev. R. W., Kingstree, S. C. --	15	215.00	26.25
Spires, Rev. D. O., Box 434, Conway, S. C.	23	163.00	40.25
Stevenson, Rev. J. J., Clemmons, N. C. ----	49	200.00	85.75
Stokes, Rev. W. S., 1626 College St., Colum- bia, S. C. -----	16	200.00	28.00

Way, Rev. J. F., Richburg, S. C. -----	26	----	45.50
Weldon, Rev. J. B., Cheraw, S. C. -----	38	----	66.50
Kirby, Rev. G. F., Beaufort, S. C. -----	47	47.00	----
Herbert, Rev. T. G., Mt. Pleasant, S. C. --	49	49.00	----
Derrick, Rev. C. C., Salters Depot, S. C., RFD	38	38.00	----
Harbin, Rev. A. V., Georgetown, S. C., RFD 3	47	47.00	----
Graham, Rev. J. A., Ellenton, S. C. -----	41	41.00	----
Heath, Rev. W. S., Rowesville, S. C. -----	41	41.00	----
Banks, Rev. M. L., St. Matthews, S. C. -----	48	48.00	----
Wimberly, Rev. C. F., 1106 Taylor St., Co-			
lumbia, S. C. -----	45	45.00	----
Inabnit, Rev. J. P., Murrells Inlet, S. C. --	39	39.00	----
Hodges, Rev. F. E., Walterboro, S. C. -----	43	43.00	----
Burns, Rev. C. B., Beaufort, S. C. -----	42	42.00	----
Noland, Rev. J. H., 1431 Wildwood Ave., Co-			
lumbia, S. C. -----	52	52.00	----
Total -----		\$4753.00	

	Service Years	Conf. Payments	Gen. Bd. Payments	
WIDOWS				
Ariail, Mrs. J. W., Columbia College, Co-				
lumbia, S. C. -----	7	1	\$60.00	\$8.68
Ariail, Mrs. W. H., c/o Mrs. J. J. Burnett, 496				
Pinckney St., Spartanburg S. C. -----	31		175.00	37.98
Attaway, Mrs. J. P., Bishopville, S. C. -----	46	11	100.00	57.48
Bailey, Mrs. S. D., 2605 Burney Drive, Co-				
lumbia, S. C. -----	28	8	175.00	35.12
Beasley, Mrs. J. S., c/o Y. W. C. A., 48				
Church St., White Plains, N. Y. -----	23	1	100.00	28.28
Bedenbaugh, Mrs. L. L., Marion S. C. -----	2	10	25.00	2.86
Campbell, Mrs. J. A., Walterboro, S. C. -----	33		85.00	40.43
Cauthen, Mrs. A. J., College Place, S. C. -----	38	6	150.00	47.16
Cauthen, Mrs. H. J., 1312 Kinderway, Co-				
lumbia, S. C. -----	23	5	120.00	28.69
Counts, Mrs. J. C., Smoaks, S. C. -----	25	1	90.00	30.73
Daniel, Mrs. J. W., Seneca, S. C. -----	22	6	160.00	27.56
Daniel, Mrs. W. W., College Place, S. C. -----	37	9	150.00	46.25
Davis, Mrs. George W., 211 Hawthorne Lane,				
Charlotte, N. C. -----	46	2	125.00	56.55
Duncan, Mrs. W. B., St. George, S. C. -----	41	1	135.00	50.33
Duncan, Mrs. W. M., 3007 Monroe St., Co-				
lumbia, S. C. -----	24	7	145.00	30.11
Easterling, Mrs. Alma B., 90 E. Amelia St.,				
Orangeburg, S. C. -----	12	2	175.00	14.90
Edwards, Mrs. G. E., Mullins, S. C. -----	34	10	125.00	42.67
Gardner, Mrs. A. M., 2006 Boston Ave.,				
Richmond, Va. -----	24	11	125.00	30.53
Glennan, Mrs. F. L., 50 Laurens St., Charles-				

ton, S. C. -----	28	1	100.00	34.40
Godbold, Mrs. T. W., Rembert, S. C. -----	19	10	150.00	24.30
Graves, Mrs. John H., Darlington, S. C. -----	28	10	100.00	35.32
Harmon, Mrs. G. T., Hartsville, S. C. -----	30	4	65.00	37.16
Harper, Mrs. S. B., c/o Y. W. C. A., 76 So-				
ciety St., Charleston, S. C. -----	17	10	65.00	21.85
Herbert, Mrs. W. I., 125 Broad Street,				
Sumter, S. C. -----	43	1	50.00	52.78
Hodges, Mrs. W. H., Kingstree, S. C. -----	37		75.00	45.33
Hook, Mrs. M. W., Marion, S. C. -----	36	5	50.00	44.61
Hucks, Mrs. David, 35 South Blanding St.,				
Sumter, S. C. -----	19	6	150.00	23.89
Humpries, Mrs. R. W., Allendale, S. C. -----	29	2	175.00	35.73
Hutson, Mrs. E. P., 1201 8th Ave., W.,				
Birmingham, Ala. -----	23	6	100.00	28.79
Inabinet, Mrs. J. K., Star Route, North, S. C.	23	11	150.00	29.31
Jerman, Mrs. W. V., Bethune, S. C. -----	10		100.00	12.25
Jordan, Mrs. H. F., Olanta, S. C. -----	4	6	125.00	5.51
Lesley, Mrs. A. S., Lake Junaluska, N. C. -----	29		125.00	35.53
Massebeau, Mrs. W. A., Chester, S. C. -----	28	9	125.00	35.22
McLeod, Mrs. D. M., 4800 Anderson Ave.,				
Columbia, S. C. -----	31	10	150.00	39.00
Moore, Mrs. J. H., 203 E. Windover St.,				
Greensboro, N. C. -----	11	11	150.00	14.61
Owen, Mrs. W. C., Dillon, S. C. -----	23	9	50.00	29.19
Peeler, Mrs. C. M., 18 Center St., Orange-				
burg, S. C. -----	26	8	50.00	32.67
Perry, Mrs. W. H., Wingate, N. C. -----	32	3	125.00	39.51
Phillips, Mrs. L. T., 9 Eutaw Ave., Orange-				
burg, S. C. -----	29	8	100.00	30.32
Price, Mrs. E. G., 2015 Dartmouth Place,				
Charlotte, N. C. -----	12	7	150.00	15.41
Prosser, Mrs. J. B., Kingstree, S. C. -----	21	2	150.00	25.39
Sanders, Mrs. W. E., Chesterfield, S. C. -----	20	4	100.00	14.50
Sassard, Mrs. Achille, Pageland, S. C. -----	18	10	165.00	23.07
Shealy, Mrs. H. W., 18-B Pitt St., Charles-				
ton, S. C. -----	11	11	100.00	14.61
Singleton, Mrs. H. L., Loris, S. C. -----	4	9	125.00	5.82
Sojourner, Mrs. J. R., 150 James Ave., Flor-				
ence, S. C. -----	38	10	100.00	47.57
Stokes, Mrs. G. E., c/o Goolsby & Son, Inc.,				
Denmark, S. C. -----	7	2	125.00	8.78
Taylor, Mrs. Eben, 51 Piedmont Ave., Charles-				
ton, S. C. -----	17	7	100.00	7.18
Tiller, Mrs. D., Mullins, S. C. -----	19	9	75.00	42.20
Waddell, Mrs. Geo. H., 480 Hill St., S. E.,				
Atlanta, Ga. -----	22	6	100.00	27.56

White, Mrs. J. A., 5209 Colonial Drive, Columbia, S. C.	33	9	150.00	41.35
White, Mrs. T. J., Dalzell, S. C.	8	11	160.00	10.93
Wiggins, Mrs. W. E., Greer, S. C.	40	9	150.00	49.92
Williams, Mrs. W. W., Cottageville, S. C.	14	8	150.00	17.97
Winn, Mrs. W. C., Fairfield Rd., Route 1, Columbia, S. C.	17	10	175.00	21.85
Wright, Mrs. W. A., 1200 College Ave., Hartsville, S. C.	13	8	90.00	16.75
Younge, Mrs. R. A., 5025 Colonial Drive, Columbia, S. C.	19	3	175.00	23.59
Dannelly, Mrs. W. D., Ehrhardt, S. C.			75.00	----
Gardner, Mrs. G. C., Olanta, S. C.			125.00	----
Total			\$7240.00	

J. M. ARIAIL, Chairman.
R. R. TUCKER, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS AND MINISTERIAL QUALIFICATIONS

We recommend for the supernumerary relationship, G. E. Childers, two years.

We recommend for the retired relationship:

M. L. Banks, E. H. Beckham, W. T. Bedenbaugh, W. A. Betts, C. B. Burns, S. D. Colyer, C. C. Derrick, R. R. Doyle, J. A. Graham, A. V. Harbin, W. S. Heath, S. W. Henry, T. G. Herbert, F. E. Hodges, J. W. Hudson, J. P. Inabnit, W. R. Jones, G. F. Kirby, J. L. Miller, J. H. Noland, L. E. Peeler, D. A. Phillips, G. T. Rhoad, P. K. Rhoad, J. M. Rogers, C. B. Smith, W. J. Snyder, R. W. Spigner, D. O. Spires, J. J. Stevenson, W. S. Stokes, J. F. Way, J. B. Weldon, C. F. Wimberly.

In accordance with his request the committee recommends that the name of D. N. Busbee be restored to the active list.

Respectfully submitted,
F. E. DIBBLE, Chairman.
H. L. F. SHULER, Secretary.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE TREASURER

To the Commission on World Service and Finance:

The following statement of receipts and disbursements of funds on Acceptances for Benevolences, Episcopal Fund and Conference Claimants; and of funds in trust, is respectfully submitted:

	Receipts		
District	Benevolences	Bishops	Claimants
Charleston	\$12,135.60	\$990.94	\$1,750.00
Florence	11,469.90	826.62	1,480.40
Kingstree	6,878.59	706.50	1,274.00

Marion	9,930.71	777.27	1,382.00
Orangeburg	11,978.25	894.24	1,591.60
Sumter	7,499.35	715.81	1,273.30
Total	59,892.40	4,911.38	8,751.30

District	Total Acceptance	Total Receipts
Charleston	\$ 14,284.00	\$ 14,876.54
Florence	13,635.00	13,776.92
Kingstree	8,684.00	8,859.09
Marion	11,801.78	12,089.98
Orangeburg	13,926.60	14,464.09
Sumter	9,372.95	9,488.46
Total	71,704.33	73,555.08

Disbursements

Benevolences—

General Work:

Administration \$ 718.00

Conference Work:

Benevolences 22,703.00— \$23,421.00

Education

Wofford College 3,228.00

Columbia College 1,897.00

Lander College 1,897.00

Operating Expense 9,121.00

Missions 9,191.00

Church Extension 1,750.00

Insurance Fund 3,587.00

Advocate 1,255.00

Minutes 1,141.48

Contingent Fund 186.05

Rock Hill, St. John's 359.00

Clemson College 574.00

The Citadel 359.00

Lay Activities 36.00

Temperance 179.00

Evangelism 36.00

Hospitals and Homes 144.00

Incidentals 179.00

Jurisdictional Conference 765.00— 35,872.53

Episcopal Fund 4,862.00

Conference Claimants Fund 8,664.00

Conference Treasurer 735.55

Total disbursement **\$73,555.08**

FUNDS IN TRUST

Conference Insurance Fund

Balance from Conference Year, 1940-41	\$ 10,225.80	
Bld. & Loan Dividends, Conf. Yr. 1941-42	308.65	
Conference Budget, Conf. Yr. 1941-42--	3,587.00—	\$14,121.45

Claims Paid:

1941		
Nov. 20, T. W. Godbold -- -	\$750.00	
Dec. 29, L. T. Phillips ----	750.00	
1942		
Jan. 30, L. L. Bedenbaugh--	750.00	
April 10, W. E. Sanders --	750.00	
April 21, W. C. Kirkland --	750.00	
July 1, Eben Taylor --- --	750.00	
Oct. 6, G. C. Gardner ----	750.00—	5,250.00
Bal. in Reserve with B. & Associations--	8,871.45—	\$14,121.45

Conference Contingent Fund

Nov. 20, 1941, Conference Budget		
Conf. Year 1940-41 -- - - - -	\$250.10	
Apr. 25, 1942, Pd. Com. on Evangelism	186.05—	\$ 64.05
Oct. 31, 1942, By Conf. Budget Cur. Yr.		186.05
Amount in hand -- - - - -		\$250.10

Incidental Fund

Balance from Conference Yr. 1940-41--	\$145.86	
Incidentals paid Current Year ----	145.10—	.76
Oct. 31, 1942, By Conf. Budget Cur. Yr.		179.00
Amount in hand -- - - - -		\$179.76

W. J. Murray Bequest

Received from S. C. National Bank, Trustee -- - - - -		\$285.65
Paid W. E. Ivey, Treas., Missions -- - - - -	\$142.82	
Paid E. H. Pate, Treas., Claimants -- - - - -	142.83—	\$285.65

J. HUBERT NOLAND, Treasurer.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Columbia, S. C., January 2, 1942

We have this day examined the books of the Rev. J. Hubert Noland,

Treasurer of the South Carolina Conference, and found same neatly and accurately kept. All funds are properly accounted for.

We wish to commend Brother Noland for his fine work.

J. DEMPSEY GRIFFIN,

JESSE G. FERGUSON,

J. F. KINNEY,

Audit Committee, Board of World Service and Finance

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

Your Commission on Policy recommends the following definite objectives for the Conference year 1942-1943:

1. We strongly urge, in view of the increased cost of living, that our churches raise the salaries of the ministers and World Service acceptances by the amounts commensurate with their ability and in proportion to the evident needs, as suggested in the article of Bishop W. T. Watkins appearing in the Southern Christian Advocate of October 29.

2. Every minister and every church must constantly back our men in the Armed Forces by prayer and thought and by various expressions of our love, whether they be abroad in the peril of battle or in the homeland. We are not a militaristic church, neither are we, as a church, complacently passive. Our people must back this war effort to the limit of their moral and spiritual capacity; for this is the quickest, sanest, and most saving way out of the present debacle—both as to saving life and suffering and saving the inalienable Christian heritage which is eternally priceless.

3. Our pastors are to be burdened with the urgency of extending to all homes disrupted by the war a message of comfort from the pulpit and by personal visitation. In addition, let every church on every Communion Sunday, in compassion and in sacrificial giving, support more fully the world-wide causes represented by the Fellowship of Suffering and Service.

4. The Church of One who said "I am the light of the world" must not only guide the world through darkness, but cause men so to live that all spiritual shadows such as hatred, vengeance, and ill will shall be eliminated and positive good will prevail. Therefore, our ministry is to be Christlike in days of terrific strain of our nation. Not only are we to support every sacrificial effort toward the earliest peace, but we are to lay stress on the desperate need for victory in moral conflicts here at home. Particularly should we eliminate the evils of vice and alcohol so vividly available to the men and women of our Armed Forces.

5. Every possible effort must be made to bring into the Kingdom of God every person for whom our churches are responsible. With the Christian Education Advance launched by the 1942 session of the Annual Conference our churches and pastors face the responsibility of studying the local situation that all those heretofore overlooked

and forgotten by the church may be won to Jesus Christ.

S. O. CANTEY,
H. L. F. SHULER,
R. WRIGHT SPEARS.

Adopted November 1, 1942.

COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS

The Journals of the districts have been carefully examined by your committee, and we find them neatly and accurately transcribed.

Respectfully submitted,
J. R. DENNIS, Chairman,
W. F. BAKER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 1

WOFFORD COLLEGE DAY

The colleges for men are facing such a crisis today as they have never before faced. Their student bodies are melting away under the call to service in the armed forces of the nation. Our own Wofford is showing the effects of this call in a decreased enrollment, particularly in its upper classes, and with the passage of the new draft law, reaching down to take youths of eighteen and nineteen, it seems certain that Wofford will contribute to the battle lines at least seventy-five per cent of her student body. This means such a loss of income as will make it virtually impossible for the college to carry on in this hour of our country's need. The church itself will suffer in its future service if Wofford should not be kept actively at work in offering in these trying days opportunities for ministerial training and the preservation of the spiritual values of our Christian education of youth.

The Board of Education therefore recommends that the Committee on Special Days set aside one Sunday, before Christmas if possible, to be designated as Wofford College Day. We further recommend that the South Carolina Conference, under the leadership of the Bishop and the Cabinet, develop and carry through plans for the financial relief of our college in the present emergency, using Wofford College Day for raising funds for the current needs of the institution.

Respectfully submitted,
W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
W. B. GARRISON, Acting Sec'y.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 2

WOFFORD COLLEGE

The increasing needs of the various branches of the nation's armed forces have created a grave situation for the church-related college

for men. It is, therefore, more imperative than ever that our Conference renew its pledge of support to Wofford College in its Promotion Program that is designed to meet such vital needs as: (1) the improvement of the grounds; (2) the renovation and rehabilitation of the dormitories; (3) the remodeling and enlargement of the main building; (4) the installation of a central heating system; (5) the enlargement of the Library and Science Building; (6) the erection of a Students' Activities Building; (7) an increase in the members of the teaching staff; (8) an increase in endowment; and (9) the establishment of a Faculty Annuity System.

In setting forth this summary of the vital needs of the college, it is clearly recognized that not all of them are capable of immediate accomplishment. However, the re-affirmation of our pledge of cooperation, in this critical hour, with our beloved college in the ultimate achievement of its objectives will strengthen the hands of its officials and inspire them to lead Wofford forward in even greater constructive Christian service to our church and nation.

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
W. B. GARRISON, Acting Sec'y.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 3

SOUTH CAROLINA PASTORS' SCHOOL

Report of the Dean
Rev. R. Wright Spears

The 1942 session of the South Carolina Pastors' School was held at Columbia College, June 22-27, 1942. Due to the change from a two-weeks school to the six-day session, only three courses were offered: The Philosophy of Religion, taught by Dr. E. S. Brightman; The Church and the New Order, led by Dr. Ralph E. Diffendorfer; and Ritual and Congregational Worship, taught by Dr. Nolan B. Harmon.

There were two hundred and thirty-two persons enrolled in the school, with one hundred and fifty-six receiving credits. The distribution of credits was as follows: Upper South Carolina Conference, ninety-two; South Carolina Conference, sixty-five. While fewer credits were awarded, necessarily, because of the short school, the enrollment was much higher than that of the 1941 session.

The treasurer's report shows that the receipts for the expenses of the school amounted to \$1,000. These funds came from two sources: \$200.00 from the Commission on Courses of Study, and \$800.00 from the conference appropriation. The total expenses of the school were \$676.43, leaving a balance of \$323.57.

Program plans for the 1943 session are in the making. At this writing it is impossible to offer the entire list of courses and instructors.

Respectfully submitted,
R. WRIGHT SPEARS, Dean

Your board recommends the adoption of this report.

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
T. W. B. GARRISON, Acting Sec'y.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 4

Report of the Board of Managers of The Southern Christian Advocate
Your Board of Education has carefully considered the attached report and requests its adoption.

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
W. B. GARRISON, Acting Sec'y.

BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

South Carolina Conference

The Southern Christian Advocate has had a year marked by distinct gains. It closed its fiscal year with 10,214 subscribers, approximately 1,000 more than last year. The peak in subscriptions was reached on April 23, 1942, with 11,445 subscribers.

During the year the outstanding property debt on the Advocate of \$1,444.34 has been liquidated and the business of the paper has been put on a cash basis. This was made possible by a campaign for that purpose put on by the various districts of the conferences.

The board wishes to express its appreciation to our Bishop, our District Superintendents, our Preachers and local leaders for the very fine subscription campaign of February and March of this year. This campaign resulted in the largest paid up live subscription list within many years. During this period four districts in the state went beyond their quota of subscriptions. Many others approached their quota very closely. We believe that a similar campaign put on with the same enthusiasm as this year will result in a circulation approximately 13,000. We commend the custom of some pastors who work their subscription list so as to make them all expire in a single month, thereby finishing up at one time this phase of their ministerial activity.

We must express our deep appreciation for the liberal manner in which all our people responded to the call of The Advocate in the cause of debt retirement. The amount received surpassed our anticipations.

We respectfully make the following requests:

(1) That the months of January and February be set apart as heretofore for the circulation campaign on the same quota basis as of last year; that is, 8 per cent of the membership of the charge reported at Annual Conference. That extraordinary endeavor be made during the campaign months to attain District Advocate quotas of subscriptions in every district.

(2) That the conference appropriation for The Advocate be not less than for the year 1941.

(3) We respectfully request the presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. L. D. Hamer, assistant editor and manager.

J. R. UNGER, Chairman,
J. M. ARIAIL, Secretary

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 5

COLLEGE STATISTICS, OCTOBER, 1942

1. Enrolment:	Columbia	Lander	Wofford
Freshmen -----	119	100	141
Sophomores -----	81	82	122
Juniors -----	47	45	76
Seniors -----	43	44	57
Special Students -----	20	76	2
Totals -----	310	347	398
Totals for 1941 -----	347	411	461
Afternoon Classes -----	0	0	0
Summer School (1942) -----	--	42	187
Totals -----		387	585
2. Church Affiliation (regular 4-year students):			
Methodist -----	216	140	212
Baptist -----	42	88	121
Presbyterian -----	19	21	22
Lutheran -----	7	9	5
Episcopalian -----	3	3	12
Wesleyan Methodist -----	0	0	2
A. R. P. -----	0	1	1
Roman Catholic -----	0	0	2
Christian Church -----	1	0	0
Greek Orthodox -----	1	0	3
Adventist -----	1	0	0
Jewish -----	0	0	1
Pentecostal Holiness -----	0	0	0
Christian Scientists -----	0	0	0
Quaker -----	0	0	1
Mormon -----	0	0	0
Society of Friends -----	0	0	0
Non-members -----	0	9	16
Totals -----	290	271	398
3. Instructors: -----	30	30	20

4. Finances:

Property Value	-----\$532,632.11	\$434,748.75	\$744,675.07
Endowment	-----508,928.52	206,875.14	670,897.00
Liabilities	-----56,166.57	74,681.46	-----
Income 1941-42	-----119,280.16	123,497.23	184,241.95

5. Ministerial Students: -----

Sons of Ministers -----

Wofford College

35

27

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,

W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 6

Your Board of Education believes in the program of student work now being carried on through regularly organized local Methodist Student Movements and Wesley Foundations, and further believes that the work should be intensified and enriched on our church and state college campuses. We believe that many of our local churches might gladly and easily give enough financial aid to make this richer program possible.

We recommend that every church be asked to contribute a minimum of one dollar for every student attending either of the following colleges from that church, except where the student commutes and therefore remains in regular attendance upon his home church: Columbia College, University of South Carolina, Clemson, The Citadel, Winthrop, and Wofford. (If the Methodist Student Movement work should be organized at Lander, with a paid worker in charge, it should be added to the above list.)

While this should not be considered an assessment, and any pastor should feel free to raise the money from any source and in any manner that seems best, we further recommend that this offering be taken in connection with the observance of Student Recognition Day, December 27, 1942; further, that this money be sent to the Executive Secretary who will disburse to the several Wesley Foundations and Methodist Student Movements the full amount received. The Executive Secretary shall render an account and a full report of this money jointly to his Board of Education and to the Interconference Commission on Student Work.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,

W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 7

WHEREAS, the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of Lander College, Greenwood, South Carolina, in official session at

Lander College on October 9, 1942, after thorough investigation of the college buildings and furnishings were convinced that said buildings and furnishings are in need of immediate renovation and replacement and that upon such improvement depends to a large degree the ability of Lander College to keep pace educationally with institutions of similar rank and service—it was unanimously resolved that this urgent project be provided for by increasing the bonded indebtedness for this specific purpose.

WHEREAS, the Lander College Board of Trustees in official session in Columbia, South Carolina, on October 15, 1942, received and considered from all angles the findings of said Executive Committee in reference to said improvements, did unanimously approve the plan as outlined; and does hereby submit to the South Carolina Conference and the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church, Southeastern Jurisdiction, at their next annual sessions the proposal that Lander College be authorized to increase its bonded debt to \$50,000.00 to enable the college to make said necessary improvements, and at the same time liquidate outstanding bonded indebtedness.

October 15, 1942, Columbia, South Carolina

A RESOLUTION

That the Board of Trustees of Lander College, Greenwood, South Carolina, be and it is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to procure a loan for an amount not exceeding Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars, and at such a rate of interest as to the Board of Trustees of Lander College may appear just and reasonable, such loan, together with the interest thereon, to be repayable in ten (10) equal annual installments after the date thereof; and that the said Board of Trustees of Lander College be and it is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to secure the payments of the said loan by the pledge, assignment and hypothecation of all, or so much as may be necessary annually, of the sums and amounts annually appropriated to Lander College by the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church and the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church; that as further security for the payment thereof, the said Board of Trustees of Lander College is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute in the name of the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church and the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church any and all notes or bonds, together with a first mortgage, deed of trust, covering the following described property:

All that lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Greenwood, County of Greenwood, State of South Carolina, containing twenty-four (24) acres, more or less, bounded on the North by other lands of Lander College acquired from the estate of Dr. John O. Willson; East by Crews Street; South by Durst Avenue, and West by Stanley Avenue, with the exception of 66-100ths of an acre, more or less, located at the corner

of Durst Avenue and Lawson Street, upon which lot there has recently been erected the President's Home.

Together with all and singular the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances to said premises, belonging or in anywise incident or appertaining.

That the issue of the bonds on the 1st day of November, 1925 in the amount of Ninety Thousand (\$90,000.00) Dollars, of which there are outstanding approximately Twenty-six Thousand (\$26,000.00) Dollars shall be refunded and paid in full from the proceeds of the loan hereby authorized.

We recommend the adoption of the foregoing Resolution.

The Board of Education of the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church.

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

The Board of Education of the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church.

H. N. SNYDER, Chairman.
D. A. CLYBURN, Secretary.

The foregoing resolution proposed, adopted and approved by the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church at its annual meeting held at Bishopville, South Carolina, October 28 to November 1, 1942, and incorporated in the minutes thereof.

ATTEST:

GEORGE K. WAY,
Secretary, S. C. Annual Conference.

The foregoing resolution proposed, adopted and approved by the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church at a meeting held at Chester, South Carolina, November 11-15, 1942, and incorporated in the minutes thereof.

ATTEST:

R. L. HOLROYD,
Secy. Upper S. C. An. Conference.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 8

Amendment to Memorandum of Agreement between Lander College and Arthur Locatell, trustee for bondholders.

Your Board has carefully considered the attached resolution in detail, and recommends its adoption by the Annual Conference.

Respectfully submitted,
W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

A RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Memorandum of Agreement entered into by and between the Trustees of Lander College, et cetera, and Arthur Locatell, trustee, for certain bondholders, be and the same hereby is amended, subject to the consent and approval of the Trustee for the bondholders, to the extent of eliminating the necessity of the Board of Trustees of Lander College applying to the retirement of the bonded indebtedness the amount appropriated to Lander College for the year 1942, by the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church and the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church; that for all other interests and purposes the said Memorandum of Agreement, as aforesaid, shall remain of full force and effect.

The foregoing resolution proposed, adopted and approved by the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church at a meeting held at Bishopville, South Carolina, October 28 to November 1, 1942, and incorporated in the minutes thereof.

ATTEST:

GEORGE K. WAY,
Secretary S. C. Annual Conference.

The foregoing resolution proposed, adopted and approved by the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church at a meeting held at Chester, South Carolina, November 11-15, 1942, and incorporated in the minutes thereof.

ATTEST:

R. L. HOLROYD,
Secy. Upper S. C. An. Conference.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 9

Your Board recommends for confirmation the following staff of volunteer workers, with the understanding that the Executive Secretary, after consultation with superintendents of any districts involved, may make any necessary shifts or appoint new workers as occasion may demand.

Adult Division

Conference Director, Rev. E. S. Dunbar, Bennettsville, S. C.
Conference President Young Adult Fellowship, Rev. R. Wright Spears,
94 Wentworth St., Charleston, S. C.
Dean of Young Adult Fellowship, Rev. J. C. Smiley, Bishopville, S. C.

District Presidents of Young Adult Fellowships

Charleston District: Mrs. C. B. DuBose, 62 Cypress St., Charleston, S. C.
Florence District: Rev. A. M. Jones, Hartsville, S. C., R. F. D.
Kingstree District: Mrs. Leon Johnson, Lake City, S. C.
Marion District: Rev. J. H. Eaddy, Aynor, S. C.

Orangeburg District: Mrs. S. M. Atkinson, Bamberg, S. C.
 Sumter District: Mrs. Loyce Davis, Bishopville, S. C.

District Directors and Associates

Charleston District—

Director: Rev. S. D. Newell, St. George, S. C.
 Associates: Rev. L. E. Pope, Jr., Walterboro, S. C.
 Rev. C. L. Woodward, 47 Cosgrove Ave., Navy Yard,
 S. C.

Florence District—

Director: Rev. W. Roy Phillips, Hartsville, S. C.
 Associate: Rev. W. F. Baker, Tatum, S. C.

Kingstree District—

Director: Rev. Thomas M. Godbold, Andrews, S. C.
 Associate: Rev. W. L. Parker, Hemingway, S. C.

Marion District—

Director: Rev. Pierce E. Cook, Myrtle Beach, S. C.
 Associate: Mr. C. A. Wilcox, Jr., Marion, S. C.

Orangeburg District—

Director: Rev. S. M. Atkinson, Bamberg, S. C.
 Associate:

Sumter District—

Director: Rev. W. D. Gleaton, Sumter, S. C.
 Associate Rev. Paul Whitaker, 1410 Columbia College Drive, Colum-
 bia, S. C.

Youth Division

Conference Director: Rev. W. B. Garrison, Timmonsville, S. C.

Charleston District—

Director: Mrs. B. M. Sanders, 214 Calhoun St., Charleston, S. C.
 Associates: Rev. T. E. Jones, Beaufort, S. C.
 Rev. Herbert L. Spell, Summerville, S. C.

Florence District—

Director: Miss Doris Felder, Lamar, S. C.
 Associates: Miss Daisy Lee Moore, Mt. Croghan, S. C.
 Mrs. Reese R. Hamer, Tatum, S. C.

Kingstree District—

Director: Rev. T. J. Jernigan, St. Stephens, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. Elizaeth Gravely, Lake City, S. C.
 Miss Katharine Hunley, Kingstree, S. C.

Marion District—

Director: Rev. J. F. M. Hoffmeyer, Clio, S. C.
 Associates: Rev. G. H. Varn, Mullins, S. C.
 Rev. J. F. Trammell, Latta, S. C.

Orangeburg District—

Director: Rev. J. G. Ferguson, Branchville, S. C.
 Associates: Rev. C. S. Floyd, North, S. C.
 Rev. J. D. Griffin, Cameron, S. C.

Sumter District—

Director: Rev. F. C. Smith, Summerton, S. C.

Associates: Miss Sadie Freitag, Camden, S. C.
 Rev. T. C. Shuler, Oswego, S. C.
 Rev. D. H. Montgomery, Manning, S. C.

Children's Division

Conference Director: Mrs. E. S. Dunbar, Bennettsville, S. C.
 District Directors and Associates

Charleston District—

Director: Mrs. Jessie Lee, 6 Osceola St., Navy Yard, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. S. D. Newell, St. George, S. C.
 Mrs. Woodrow Ward, 84 Pitt St., Charleston, S. C.

Florence District—

Director: Mrs. J. O. Taylor, Mt. Croghan, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. D. L. Byrd, Hartsville, S. C.
 Miss Mary King, Hartsville, S. C.
 Mrs. E. L. McCoy, Florence, S. C.

Kingstree District—

Director: Mrs. J. W. Floyd, Lake City, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. A. W. Wimberly, Lake City, S. C.
 Mrs. A. A. Coleman, Pamplico, S. C.
 Mrs. W. L. Parker, Hemingway, S. C.

Marion District—

Director: Mrs. C. H. Platt, Mullins, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. W. E. Rone, Lake View, S. C.
 Mrs. L. D. B. Williams, Nichols, S. C.

Orangeburg District—

Director: Mrs. A. K. Ackerman, 10 Hampton St., Orangeburg, S. C.
 Associates: Mrs. Rosa Felder, Elloree, S. C.
 Miss Elizabeth Brailsford, Orangeburg, S. C.

Sumter District—

Director: Mrs. F. C. Smith, Summerton, S. C.
 Associate: Mrs. A. C. Addison, Eastover, S. C.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice Chairman.
 W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 10

Your Board of Education submits, for information, the following
 Suggested Program for 1942-1943:

General

1. The Christian Education Advance.
 - a. Increase enrollment and attendance in each class and department in the church school.

- b. Each local church assume responsibility for its share of the unchurched and unreached.
 - c. Hold all who are enrolled.
 - d. Establish and build up a Nursery Department and an Adult Home Department.
 - e. Enlist youth and young adults in this advance.
 - f. Enlist all workers with children in reaching the forgotten and neglected children.
 - g. Establish and maintain outpost church schools and classes.
 - h. Keep accurate records and report accurately to Quarterly Conference and Annual Conference.
 - i. Seek by training and reading to improve the quality of teaching and leadership.
2. Training Schools, Classes, and Epworth Training Conference.
 3. District Conferences on Christian Education in March.
 4. Promotion of Church School Rally Day and other Special Days.
 5. Promotion of World Service Sunday in all Group Meetings.
 6. Pastors' School June 21-26.
 7. Leadership Training School at Lake Junaluska in August.
 8. Charge and Church Institutes in every district by members of the Conference Staff.

Adult Division

1. Promotion of Adult Home Department in Local Churches.
2. Promotion of World Service Sunday in all Adult Classes.
 - a. A Special emphasis on Commitment Pledge for World Service.
3. Young Adult Council, Lake City, January 16, 1943.
4. Young Adult District Rallies.
5. Organization of Young Adult Fellowships in Local Churches.
6. Conference-wide Young Adult Fellowship June 9-11.

Youth Division

1. Conference Youth Council (held in September).
2. Continued emphasis on promotion of Conference-wide enterprises through the Sub-district Fellowships.
3. Sub-district Fellowships to include every local Youth Fellowship in the Conference.
4. Epworth Training Conference for Youth.
5. Promotion of the Methodist Youth Fund.
6. The Youth Assembly, June 14-19, Golden Jubilee Session.
7. Conference Camps, July 11-30.
8. Southeastern Jurisdictional Youth Conference, Lake Junaluska, N. C.
9. Caravan teams to serve various local churches of the Conference.
10. A special emphasis on participation by every charge in the Conference in the Youth Assembly and Camps.
11. Emphasis on a regular system of reports by local workers to district directors and by district directors to the Conference Director.
12. Wesley Foundation and Student Activities.

Children's Division

1. Planning and materials for missionary education of children.
2. Interest in and concern for unreached children.
3. Training Courses for workers with children.
4. Vacation Church School Planning Conference at Manning, March 12-13.
5. Children's Workers' Council, Lake City, January 16, 1943, 10 a. m.
6. Vacation Church School institutes in April.
7. Conference-wide Conference for Workers with Children, Columbia College, June 9-11, 1943.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice Chairman.

W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 11

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ADVANCE

The South Carolina and Upper South Carolina Conferences are launching at this year's Conference Sessions a great campaign to reach the unchurched and unreached of the state.

Sponsored and directed by Bishop W. T. Watkins, the cabinets and the Executive Secretaries of the two Conferences, the Christian Education Advance aims at enlisting the lost man-power that lies outside our church doors. Every local Methodist Church in South Carolina is being called upon to search out and bring into the fellowship of the church and church school men, women, and children of all ages and stations in life.

As set up by the directing body, the campaign calls for an increase of nineteen per cent in church membership and attendance as well as church school enrollment and attendance each year for the next four years. The pastors of the South Carolina Conference, with the aid of the more than seven thousand lay officials of the churches of the Conference, can attain the goal.

Your Board of Education heartily endorses the action of the Bishop, cabinets, and executive secretaries of the two South Carolina Conferences in setting up the Christian Education Advance. Furthermore, we pledge our wholehearted support and cooperation in every phase of the undertaking.

We call on every pastor and church official, every parent and every loyal Methodist of South Carolina to join us in giving active cooperation in the program of the Advance.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice Chairman.

W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION**Report Number 12**

Your Conference Board of Education, in reviewing the work of the past year, has gleaned from various reports and records presented to the Board the following facts. This brief summary will depict the progress made in the several phases of Conference-wide efforts in the field of Christian education during the year.

Leadership Training

One of the chief responsibilities your Board faces is the continuous training of volunteer workers to assume the burden of district, sub-district, and local church duties in the most efficient manner. To train our workers, a total of twenty schools, classes, and training conferences have been held. Thirty-one courses were offered in these schools, with ninety churches participating. These schools enrolled one thousand five students and awarded seven hundred fourteen certificates of credit. In the Youth Assembly, 199 certificates of credit were awarded to delegates from ninety local churches, while seventy certificates of credit were issued at the Pastor's School. An additional sixty credits were awarded by the Youth Conference, Leadership School, and School of Missions at Lake Junaluska, N. C. Our educational institutions granted 421 credits during the year. Including all these enterprises, the total enrollment amounted to 1352, with 1,460 credits awarded.

In addition to training programs involving classroom instruction, the office staff reached hundreds of persons in informal training groups such as conferences, institutes, seminars, and retreats. In such meetings, personal guidance has been given, and an abundance of helpful material has been made available.

Still another very valuable type of leadership training is in the field of volunteer service. Approximately seventy persons gave time and effort by serving as teachers, counselors, interest-group leaders, and adult advisers at the Youth Assembly and Conference Camps. Two persons served as adult counselors of Caravan Teams in the Conference. While the training received through such volunteer service is informal in nature, its value can hardly be over-estimated. Not only does the volunteer worker "learn by doing," he or she is brought actively into the program of Christian Education. The pastor or lay worker who has served at the Youth Assembly or Conference Camp rarely fails to send large delegations to these training enterprises. Of the seventy or more persons who received this type of informal training, at least twenty-five had not previously been brought into this intimate contact with the program of Christian Education.

The Adult Division

The work in the adult division among the older adults shows little or no improvement over previous years, except in the Adult Home Department. Here some progress has been made. The older adult classes

have about the same type of program and activities that they have had for the past several years. Your Board believes, however, that the challenge of the Christian Education Advance that will be launched at this session of the Annual Conference may stir these groups with the possibilities which it offers.

In the Young Adult Department, we have many evidences of a growing interest throughout the entire Conference. Young Adult planning conferences, district rallies, training courses, the Annual Young Adult Fellowship, and the organization of Young Adult Fellowships in local churches are indications of real growth and development in this department.

Youth Work

Considerable progress was made in several phases of Conference Youth Work this year. The outstanding point of growth was in the attendance at Conference-wide training enterprises for Youth, which showed an increase of 31 per cent over last year; at the same time there was a 28 per cent increase in the number of participating charges. At the same time, your Board notes the fact that one-fourth of the charges of the Conference did not participate at all in the program for Youth. This field calls for continuous cultivation over a period of years, leading to participation by all churches of the Conference.

Youth Caravans visited twelve charges in the Conference. Reports of their work have been highly gratifying.

The Methodist Youth Fund, through which our young people contribute to missions and special youth work, has shown considerable growth. It is hoped that the coming year will see this growth continued.

The Children's Division

Mrs. E. S. Dunbar, Conference Director of Children's Work, reporting for a corps of more than twenty-five trained assistants, has stated to your Board that the Children's Work has made considerable progress at many points during the year. We are greatly heartened by this progress.

Two new enterprises have been successfully launched this year—the Vacation Church School Planning Conference, and the Conference-Wide Conference for Workers with Children. The response to these enterprises has been highly gratifying, and it is planned to continue them in the future.

A total of 110 Vacation Schools have been reported, with an enrollment of 4,398.

Church School Rally Day

Your Board notes that, through the efforts of the Executive Secretary, promotion of Church School Rally Day has been most successful. Through October 20, 309 schools had sent in offerings amounting to more than \$2,700.00, which is more than the Conference quota. We are grateful for the fine co-operation on the part of district superin-

tendents, pastors, and lay officials which made this splendid achievement possible.

Respectfully submitted,
 W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice Chairman.
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BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 13

COLUMBIA COLLEGE

Sec. 1. Securing of Students.—Like almost every institution, colleges for women are facing crucial days. Two factors contribute especially to the situation which lies ahead of us: in the first place, many young women of college age are giving up their academic careers for employment of one sort or another; in the second place, curtailment of customary modes of travel will make it virtually impossible for field representatives to operate as in the past.

This means that if the colleges for women are to maintain their student bodies, new emphasis must be placed upon the securing of students by friends and interested persons outside the employment of the colleges. We therefore strongly urge that every pastor in the South Carolina Conference give strong emphasis to the matter of leading young women from their charges to enter Columbia College and Lander College.

Sec. 2. Advisory Board of Lay Visitors—On request of the President of Columbia College, your Board of Education recommends that the Board of Trustees be empowered by the Annual Conference to set up an advisory board of lay visitors, to be composed of representative laymen from every district of the two South Carolina Conferences. This Board would function only in an unofficial manner, through their visits to the college, recommendations to the Board of Trustees, and similar action. The creation of the group would serve a dual purpose: (1) it would give an opportunity to give special recognition to outstanding lay friends of Columbia College, and (2) it would create a group which would perhaps be drawn into closer connection and concern with the affairs of the college, thus widening the sphere of interested supporters of that institution.

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 W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice Chairman.
 W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 14

Budget For 1942-43

Salaries:

Executive Secretary, salary and rent	-----	\$3,600.00
Office Secretary and Asst. Treas.	-----	1,200.00
TOTAL		\$ 4,800.00

Allocated to the three divisions:

Adult Division	-----	\$ 600.00	
Youth Division	-----	600.00	
Children's Division	-----	600.00	
TOTAL			\$ 1,800.00

Travel:

Executive Secretary	-----	\$ 500.00	
TOTAL			\$ 500.00

Office Expense:

Rent	-----	\$ 300.00	
Printing, telephone and supplies	-----	900.00	
Postage	-----	450.00	
Sundry	-----	200.00	
TOTAL			\$ 1,850.00

Training Program:

Pastors' School	-----	\$ 300.00	
Training and Promotion	-----	1,400.00	
TOTAL			\$ 1,700.00

Wesley Foundation:

Wofford College	-----	\$ 200.00	
University of S. C. and Columbia College	-----	200.00	
Winthrop College	-----	200.00	
Clemson College	-----	100.00	
The Citadel	-----	50.00	
Lander College	-----	50.00	
TOTAL			\$ 800.00

GRAND TOTAL \$11,450.00

Respectfully submitted,
 W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
 W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Report Number 15

Your Board has elected the following staff: Executive Secretary, Rev. J. T. Fowler; Treasurer, W. E. Atkinson; Office Secretary and Assistant Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Brailsford. We respectfully request the Bishop to appoint Brother Fowler to the office named.

We further request the Bishop to make the following appointments: Dr. Boone M. Bowen, Professor at Emory University; Dr. Mason Crum, Professor at Duke University; John L. Sandlin, Student at Emory University; R. N. DuBose, Student at Duke University; George E. King, Student at Emory University; L. D. Hamer, Assistant Editor and Assistant Manager of the Southern Christian Advocate.

Respectfully submitted,
 W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,
 W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION**Report Number 16**

Your Board wishes to present the following nominations:

Managers of The Southern Christian Advocate, 1943-44: S. E. Ledbetter, E. L. McCoy, J. M. Ariail, L. A. Hartzog.

Trustees Wofford College, 1943-44: J. Emerson Ford, W. D. Gleaton, E. K. Garrison, Hugo S. Sims, W. F. Stackhouse, Marvin W. Adams.

Trustees Columbia College, 1943-44: S. O. Cantey, F. E. Dibble, J. E. Clark, Mrs. W. E. King, L. M. Lawson, W. C. Percy, L. G. Mishoe, Holmes B. Springs.

Trustees Lander College, 1943-44: D. A. Phillips, George K. Way, H. L. F. Shuler, R. Bryce Herbert, R. Leo Carter, W. E. Bynum, Frank E. Cope, George J. Bethea.

Trustees Cokesbury Conference School, 1943-44: J. H. Noland, B. G. Murphy, R. P. Turner.

Respectfully submitted,

W. ROY PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman,

W. B. GARRISON, Acting Secretary.

COMMISSION ON EVANGELISM

Evangelism is the desperate need of Methodism. It must no longer be sidetracked. The day is here for spiritual conquest for Christ. The members of your commission are pressing, as never before, the insistent claims of the spiritual needs of our members and constituents. When they seek for bread, dare we offer them a stone? No! We must present Jesus Christ as the only and sufficient Saviour from sin. The Lake Junaluska Conference on Evangelism, The Christian Advocate, and the Southern Christian Advocate have given a great impetus to the spiritual efforts of pastor and people. The time for a concerted effort is at hand.

It is primarily to this ever enlarging task that your commission yields itself, for unless "the people called Methodist" have this one avowed purpose, this passion for souls, there will be no carrying voice.

Your commission lost one of its members in the death of Brother Eben Taylor, who has served as chairman of the commission during the past two years, at his parsonage home in Florence on Tuesday, June 30, 1942. His work in our Conference as an evangelistic preacher was monumental and his influence still lives among us.

We have read with interest the report of our Conference evangelist, the Rev. Henry J. Bennett, Jr., who is now serving as a Chaplain in the armed forces of his country. He served as our evangelist until July 15, 1942, and during that time held twelve revival meetings; received 25 into the church on profession of faith, and two by certificate. As a remuneration for his services he received \$589.00. Your Commission earnestly recommends:

1. Since we shall be deprived of his services during the ensuing conference year we urge our pastors to plan more wisely and effectively for the holding of revivals for the coming year.

2. That each church devote a definite period of time to the promotion of evangelism, and that this work be stressed throughout the year.

3. That special emphasis be given to evangelism in the district conferences, and, when possible, a member of your commission be given a place on the program in which to stress the importance of evangelism in the district.

4. That decision days be observed in all our church schools.

5. That churches provide their members with evangelistic literature. "Tidings," published by the General Conference Commission on Evangelism, should be read by the pastor and leading laymen of each church.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT P. TURNER, Chairman,

PAUL C. SCOTT, Secretary,

A. M. JONES, Treasurer.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES**Report Number 1**

Whereas, the suggested Quota plan which was put in operation this year after adoption at last Annual Conference has worked so admirably in providing a sufficient income to meet the expenses of Epworth Orphanage, therefore be it resolved—

1. That the Conference go on record as approving the plan of quotas channelled through the district superintendents to the charges and local churches, and

2. That the Conference request the Bishop and District Superintendents, in cooperation with the authorities of the Orphanage, to continue the above plan in order to insure an adequate support for the orphan children of our church.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. DUNBAR, Chairman.

J. F. M. HOFFMEYER, Secretary.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES**Report Number 2****EPWORTH ORPHANAGE REPORT**

To the Members of the South Carolina Conference.

Dear Friends:

The Trustees of Epworth Orphanage beg to submit the following report covering the operation of the Orphanage for the Conference year beginning November 1, 1941, and ending October 31, 1942.

During the year our services have been extended to 375 children, with an average daily number of a few more than 300. There has

been more movement in our population than usual due to improved economic conditions, and the general spirit of unrest prevalent among people.

The health of our family continues excellent. No deaths during the year, no case of serious illness. We continue to carry out a well planned health program, with special emphasis on preventive measures.

Our school has had a most satisfactory year. Our faculty of well prepared, devoted teachers is doing most excellent work. The following boys and girls graduated from our high school last June: Elizabeth Atkinson, Annie Hazel Bell, Willie Davis, Edith Fogle, Annelie Johnson, Jacqueline Johnson, Lucile Keels, Annie Ruth Leonard, Hilda Raines, Annie Laurie Rush, Katherine Sinelaire, Louise Thomasson, Marilyn Wise, M. F. Ball, Billy Cook, Milton Hodges, E. C. Keels, Thomas Poston, Albert Smith, Charles Turner, Graydon Waits.

Much emphasis is placed upon the religious training of our children. All of the older children are encouraged to take their turn in conducting evening devotions, and they take an active part in the devotional exercises of the various departments of the church school and the Epworth Leagues. Daily Bible reading is practiced by a very large number.

Vocational training in the various departments has received careful attention. The print shop continues to do excellent work and to furnish training to eight of our boys. The farm, dairy, livestock and poultry departments are all in excellent condition. This has been an unusually good year with us in hog raising. In addition to producing ample meat for our large family, we have sold \$5,000.00 worth of hogs. Our dairy herd has produced sufficient milk for the children, and we have sold a surplus of \$500.00 worth. The sale of calves and cows has amounted to a little more than \$600.00.

We have made some very much needed repairs on several of our homes, rebuilding several bathrooms where the old ones were in very bad condition and altogether inadequate. Other buildings on the campus are now badly in need of repairs.

The financial support given Epworth Orphanage this year by our churches and church schools has been the best in the history of the home. We began the year by putting into operation the suggested quota plan, adopted by both of our Annual Conferences at their last sessions. The plan has worked admirably. Practically all of our congregations made a definite effort to pay the amount suggested as their part. The majority reached their quotas and many went far beyond. As a result, the total amount contributed to Epworth Orphanage for this Conference year to date is \$81,000.00. We are greatly indebted to Bishop Watkins for recommending that we use the quota plan. The splendid response given by our people makes it possible for us to report to the Conference that we have not only paid our operating expenses to date, but have paid off an accumulated deficit brought over from previous years, and today we are happy to announce that we have no indebtedness of any kind.

We give thanks to our Heavenly Father for His tender, watchful care over our large family of orphan children, and we extend our most hearty thanks to Bishop Watkins, our District Superintendents, and all of our Preachers, as well as to everyone of our supporting constituency for their splendid service to the children now at Epworth Orphanage.

C. M. Asbill, Chairman Board of Trustees.
W. D. Roberts, Superintendent.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report Number 3

The Board of Hospitals and Homes nominates the Rev. J. F. M. Hoffmeyer as Annual Conference Director of Golden Cross Enrollment of the South Carolina Conference.

The Board nominates the following as Trustees of Epworth Orphanage for two years: Rev. H. F. Collins, Hon. Charlton DuRant, Rev. J. R. Johnson, Rev. S. E. Ledbetter, Dr. M. R. Mobley, Miss Mabel Montgomery, C. F. Rizer, Mrs. J. R. Williams.

The Board nominates the following as the Trustees of the Lebanon Retired Preachers Home: S. M. Blanton, term to expire 1943; W. W. Hill, term to expire 1944; R. W. Varner, term to expire 1945.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. DUNBAR, Chairman.

J. F. M. HOFFMEYER, Secretary.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report Number 4

The Board of Hospitals and Homes received this Conference year in interest \$102.05, from Golden Cross Enrollment \$192.70, from appropriation of S. C. Conference \$167.39.

Disbursements:

To Rev. L. T. Phillips for hospitalization -----	\$50.00
Mrs. S. D. Bailey for hospitalization -----	\$35.00
Marlboro Herald, Promotional Material -----	7.25
Insurance on Homes -----	17.99
Repairs on Davis Home -----	144.18
Golden Cross Promotion -----	4.85
Board Expenses -----	6.00
Treasurer's Bond -----	5.00

Permanent Fund in the Federal Savings & Loan Association, Charleston, S. C., \$2,354.71; in Marlboro Trust Co., Bennettsville, S. C., \$668.22.

On hand in Marlboro Trust Co:

Promotional Money -----	\$22.85
Board Expense Money -----	16.96
Hospitalization Money -----	100.00

Glover Home in Walterboro is in good condition.

New top put on Olanta Home at cost of \$189.00 taken from rent received from renter of Home, since there was no applicant for Home this past year.

Davis Home was repaired and painted at the cost of \$219.68. Rev. D. O. Spires, who lives in the Home, gave \$75.50 on this for the appreciation of living in this Home with his family. All of these Homes are insured.

The Lebanon Home, which was presented at this Conference to the Conference Board of Hospitals and Homes by the Dorchester-Lebanon Quarterly Conference through the fine work of Rev. C. B. Burns, Chairman of the Annual Conference Committee to secure Retired Preachers' Homes, will be insured at once.

Rev. D. O. Spires has been assigned to the Davis Home for 1942-43 Conference Year. Rev. F. E. Hodges has been assigned to the Glover Home for 1942-43. Mrs. G. C. Gardner has been assigned to the Olanta Home. Assignment later to the Lebanon Home.

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BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report Number 5

Since the number of Retired Preachers and Widows of Retired Preachers is on the increase at present, the need of hospitalization funds will be greater; and since there were just 21 Charges in the Conference which sent in a Golden Cross Offering, therefore,

Be it Resolved, That the pastors of the South Carolina Conference along with the Committee of Hospitals and Homes in each local church urge the members of the church to make an offering on Golden Cross Sunday, November 22nd, for the Conference Hospitalization Fund and send this Offering to Rev. J. F. M. Hoffmeyer, Treasurer, Clio, S. C., as early as possible after that date.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. DUNBAR, Chairman.

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COMMITTEE ON PARSONAGES FOR RETIRED MINISTERS

We, the Committee on Parsonages for Retired Ministers, hereby transfer to the Board of Hospitals and Homes of the South Carolina Conference the Lebanon Parsonage for Retired Ministers, consisting of a comfortable seven-room house and about an acre of ground situated by Lebanon Church. This property comes to us from the good people of the Dorchester-Lebanon Charge to whom this Conference is indebted for so generous a gift.

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BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

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1.—Last June, in cooperation with the Board of Lay Activities of the Upper South Carolina Conference, your Board sponsored a Council for laymen at Columbia College. There were some expressions of disappointment at the number of laymen who came (about sixty), but there was no disappointment in the great program, the fellowship and the spiritual uplift to all who came. Those there unanimously voted to make the Council an annual affair, with the final decision for the 1943 meeting left in the hands of the Conference Lay Leaders. It is too early to determine what can be done next June in the way of a State-wide Meeting, but something has been started here that has possibilities of becoming among the laymen what the Pastors' School is to our ministers. We ought to keep it going.

2.—Laymen's Day, Sunday, February 21, has been designated as Laymen's Day for 1943. The subject for discussion will be "Methodist Men in World Reconstruction." We recommend that our Conference approve this date, and that we make earnest effort to have Laymen's Day observed effectively in every church. We call upon Lay Leaders and Lay Speakers to make serious preparation for this day, and upon Pastors to give active cooperation.

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We recommend that the District Board of Lay Activities be more completely organized, and thereby be in position to more aggressively promote the Lay Program in each District. Much splendid man-power is not being utilized because of inadequate organization at this point.

We nominate Dr. J. Caldwell Guilds Conference Lay Leader.

Respectfully submitted,

J. CALDWELL GUILDS, Chairman.
JAMES F. RISHER, Secretary.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATION OF "METHODIST MINISTERS IN SOUTH CAROLINA"

At the last session of the South Carolina and Upper South Carolina Conferences committees were appointed to join in planning for the publication of a book of biographical sketches of ministers in the two conferences—this volume to be a successor to "Builders" edited by the late Dr. E. O. Watson and published in 1932.

The membership of the Joint Committee was as follows:

South Carolina Conference—J. Emerson Ford, D. D. Peele, Welborne Summers and George K. Way;

Upper South Carolina Conference—Leo D. Gillespie, Adlai C. Holler, C. E. Peele and J. Marvin Rast.

The Committee organized as follows: J. Emerson Ford, Chairman; Leo D. Gillespie, Vice Chairman; Welborne Summers, Secretary; D. D. Peele, Treasurer and Business Manager; C. E. Peele and George K. Way, Editors.

Arrangements were made with the Southern Christian Advocate to publish the book, the Advocate underwriting the cost and receiving such profits as might be realized. The Committee adopted as a title "Methodist Ministers in South Carolina."

Plans were made early in the year to assemble biographical and historical material. Splendid co-operation was received from the preachers, and by September the book was on the press. An edition of 750 copies has been printed.

The members of the Committee have been glad to perform the task assigned to them, without compensation even for expenses. The Editors and the Business Manager, in particular, have given largely of their time and talents and merit the thanks of the Conferences.

It is the judgment of your Committee that similar biographical and historical volumes should be issued at intervals of not more than ten years.

We recommend: First, that the work of the Committee be approved; Second, that the handling of unsold copies of the book, and profits from their sale, be committed to the Southern Christian Advocate; Third, that the Joint Committee be discharged.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EMERSON FORD, Chairman,
LEO D. GILLESPIE, Vice-Chairman,
WELBORNE SUMMERS, Secretary,
For the Committee.

MINISTERS SERVING IN SPECIAL FIELDS

Bennett, Henry J., Jr. Served as Conference Evangelist until he was inducted into the United States Army as a Chaplain with the rank of First Lieutenant. The annual pay and allowance would be \$3,332.00, paid by the United States Army.

Best, Earl V. Appointed a Missionary to Japan but due to the war he was kept in the United States. He attended the Kennedy School of Missions at Hartford Seminary, Hartford, Conn., sponsored by the General Board of Missions. In June, 1942, he was inducted into the United States Naval Reserve as a Chaplain with the rank of Lieutenant. The annual salary and allowances are \$3,852.00, paid by the United States Navy.

Betts, Albert D. Serving as Executive Secretary South Carolina Federated Forces for Temperance and Lay Enforcement. Salary of \$2,500 promised. Received \$2,000.00 from free-will offerings taken throughout the state.

Bowen, Boone M. Serving as professor at Emory University. Salary of \$4,200.00 (\$3,900.00 from the University and \$300.00 from the Correspondence School) paid by Emory University and the Correspondence School.

Burns, C. B. Served as Camp Pastor to the Marines at Parris Island. Salary of \$1,500.00, paid by offerings from the Districts of the two South Carolina Conferences through the Conference Board of Missions.

Dugan, Ernest. Serving as Superintendent of the Star Gospel Mission. Salary of \$1,800.00 and paid by the trustees of the Mission.

Fowler, J. T. Serving as Executive Secretary Conference Board of Education. Salary and rent of \$3,400.00 paid by the Conference Board of Education.

Garrison, W. B. Served as Assistant Secretary Conference Board of Education. Salary and rent \$1,980.00. paid by the Conference Board of Education.

Hamer, L. D. Served as Assistant Editor and Assistant Business Manager, The Southern Christian Advocate. Salary of \$2,400.00, paid by the Advocate Board.

Harbin, A. Van, Jr. Appointed Missionary to Japan but working with second generation Japanese in the Hawaiian Islands. Salary of \$1725 paid by the General Board of Missions.

Hill, Charlie E. Serving as Chaplain in the United States Army. Salary, rent and subsistence allowance \$4,212.00 paid by the United States Army.

James, Feltham S. Serving as Chaplain in the United States Army. Salary, rent and subsistence allowance \$4,212.00 paid by the United States Army.

Justus, John H. Serving as Chaplain in the United States Army. Salary, rent and subsistence allowance \$4,212.00 paid by the United States Army.

Noland, J. Hubert. Serving as Conference Treasurer and receives 1% of funds handled for the Conference.

Wimberly, C. F. Serving as Superintendent of Oliver Gospel Tabernacle. Salary of \$1,200.00 paid by trustees of the Tabernacle. Also received an additional \$384.00 from the rent of rooms in the Tabernacle.

Note:—Duke University does not publish salaries paid.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Report Number 1

The responsibility of your Board of Missions and Church Extension is magnified by present world conditions. The times demand that the cause of missions be pressed with renewed zeal. Rapid transportation and instant communication have made the world smaller. People today live closer together and must be taught to live together in peace. We believe human brotherhood and world peace can best be attained through the applied gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

In this day when the peoples of the earth are depressed by hate and terror, the time is opportune for a demonstration of Christ's way of life to those who know him not. "Man's extremity is God's opportunity." Now is the time to offer the Gospel as a method and a solution.

As Methodists we can help in building "the kind of people God can use in creating a better world" by teaching our people at home the principles of brotherhood as given us by Christ. Missionary information, properly presented, will prepare our people to march under the banner of Christ into all the world when the door is open to our missionaries again. Meanwhile, we must re-create and maintain a zeal for missions in the hearts of our people. As methods toward the attainment of this end, your Board of Missions and Church Extension recommends:

1. The constant distribution of leaflets carrying missionary information to each congregation. (These leaflets can be secured from our General Board without cost to the local church.)
2. The regular use of Missionary church bulletins prepared by the General Board.
3. A wider circulation of World Outlook magazine.
4. Use of visual education. (Your Board is pleased with the greater use made by pastors during the past year of the stereopticon machine.)
5. We urge the proper organization of a Board of Missions and Church Extension in each local church.
6. Attendance at District Missionary Institutes should be increased.
7. World Service Sunday should be observed in every church each month. A well-planned program should always precede the collection.

The proper observance of World Service Sunday is one of the chief methods of creating a missionary-minded church.

We are indeed grateful for the contribution made to this conference by the presence here of Dr. Spencer, Dr. Trimble, and the Columbia College Glee Club. We are looking forward to the addresses to be made by Bishop Lee during the closing days of the conference.

E. K. GARRISON, President.

J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Report Number 2

APPROPRIATIONS

Charleston District -----	\$1,415.00
Florence District -----	1,100.00
Kingstree District -----	1,450.00
Marion District -----	1,375.00
Orangeburg District -----	950.00
Sumter District -----	1,000.00
Emergency Fund -----	\$ 500.00
Conference Missionary Secretary -----	100.00
Expense Fund -----	325.00
District Secretaries -----	30.00
Junaluska Conference (expenses of delegates) -----	120.00
Council Meeting -----	200.00
Clemson Debt -----	332.50

E. K. GARRISON, President.

J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Report Number 3

REPORT OF AGENT OF BELIN FUND, OCTOBER 28, 1942

Investments

McDonald Property -----	\$2,250.00
Bowie Property -----	1,000.00
G. W. Dukes, Mortgage -----	400.00
H. H. Dyches, Mortgage -----	1,500.00
J. LeRoy Dukes, Mortgage -----	600.00
Kingstree District Parsonage, Mortgage -----	2,250.00
Mrs. M. S. Dukes, Mortgage -----	50.00
James M. Kennerly -----	75.00
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	\$8,125.00

Receipts

1941	
Oct. 29	Cash in Bank ----- \$ 104.52
Oct. 30	H. F. Shuler, Interest ----- 42.00
Dec. 11	Rent, Bowie Place ----- 40.00
1942	
Jan. 15	Sale of timber, McDonald Place ----- 100.00
April 1	Rent, J. P. Cooper ----- 75.00
May 1	Principal and Interest, Mrs. M. S. Dukes ----- 104.08
Aug. 7	Interest, Kingstree Dist. Parsonage, less 27c expense ----- 134.73
Sept. 21	Interest, H. F. Shuler ----- 34.45
Sept. 21.	Principal, H. F. Shuler ----- 600.00
Oct. 1	Interest, H. B. and H. H. Dyches ----- 70.00
Oct. 1	Interest, G. W. Dukes ----- 24.00
	\$1,328.78

Disbursements

1941	
Dec. 11	Taxes, McDonald Place ----- \$ 15.96
Dec. 11	Taxes, Bowie Place ----- 30.88
Dec. 11	Trip to McCormick and Abbeville ----- 17.00
Dec. 22	Repairing well, McDonald Place ----- 2.97
1942	
April 6	W. E. Ivey, Treasurer ----- 150.00
May 1	Loan to James M. Kennerly ----- 75.00
May 1	Loan to Mrs. M. S. Dukes ----- 50.00
Sept. 26	Check to W. C. Stackhouse (for repairs on church and parsonage ----- 146.95
Oct. 20	Loan to H. H. Dyches ----- 500.00
Oct. 28	5% Commission on \$971.29 ----- 48.56
Oct. 28	Cash in Bank ----- 291.46
	\$1,328.78

Report made by G. W. Dukes, Agent.

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION**Report Number 4**

Rev. J. E. Clark is elected a trustee of the Belin property in the place of L. L. Bedenbaugh, deceased.

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION**Report Number 5**

Rev. Pierce E. Cook, treasurer of the section of Church Extension, submits the following report:

Receipts

From W. E. Ivey -----	\$ 855.31
From J. H. Noland -----	1,200.00
Total received -----	\$2,055.31

Disbursed

C. E. Ulmer, Jr., for Bluffton Church, Bluffton -----	\$ 200.00
H. D. Shuler, for Wesley Memorial, Meggetts Charge -----	100.00
G. W. Dukes, for Mt. Carmel, Smoaks Charge -----	125.00
E. E. Childs, for old Clemson College debt -----	332.50
W. M. Mitchum, for Wightman Church, Bowman Charge -----	50.00
Transportation and dinner mid-year meeting -----	16.70
C. B. Burns, for trip to Louisville and Columbia -----	45.00
F. L. Frazier, for Dorchester Parsonage, Dorchester -----	50.00
G. W. Litchfield, for Hoods Chapel, St. Stephens -----	50.00
Transportation and dinner fall meeting -----	32.50
Total -----	\$1,001.70
Balance on deposit -----	1,053.61
Total -----	2,055.31

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION**Report Number 6**

The Board of Missions and Church Extension has employed Rev. C. B. Burns to continue his work with the boys at Parris Island Marine Station.

We recommend that each district raise \$125 to support this mission special, that each district of the Upper South Carolina Conference be requested to contribute a similar amount, and that the District Superintendents be requested to raise this money according to their custom in previous years.

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Report Number 7

Rev. C. B. Burns, secretary of the Church Extension section, makes the following report:

Donations Approved

Dorchester-Lebanon Parsonage (during year) -----	\$ 50.00
Lebanon Church (Columbia Ct.), General Board Debt ----	331.55
Pine Grove Church -----	300.00
Myrtle Beach Church -----	300.00
Hampton Church -----	100.00
Camp Swamp Church -----	300.00
Salley Church -----	50.00
Jordan Parsonage -----	100.00
Dorchester-Lebanon Parsonage -----	50.00
Clemson Debt (when available) -----	332.25

We deeply regret that for lack of funds we could not give more help to these and other needy and deserving places.

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Report Number 8

Dates and places of District Missionary Institutes have been fixed as follows:

	Place	Date	Hour
Orangeburg District -----	Orangeburg	Dec. 7	2:30 P. M.
Charleston District -----	Summerville	Dec. 7	7:30 P. M.
Kingstree District -----	Kingstree	Dec. 8	2:30 P. M.
Sumter District -----	Sumter	Dec. 9	2:30 P. M.
Florence District -----	Florence	Dec. 10	To be fixed
Marion District -----	Marion	Dec. 11	2:30 P. M.

E. K. GARRISON, President.
J. CARLISLE SMILEY, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT

BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

Mission Section

1941-42 Balances:

In Commercial Acct. (C. & S. Bank) -- --	\$3,511.29
Carolina Savings Bank, Savings Acct. -- --	836.28
First Federal Savings & Loan Acct. -- --	1,015.00
Total -----	<u>\$5,362.57</u>

Receipts:

From Conference Treasurer -- -- --	9,191.00
From Belin Fund -- -- --	150.00
Interest -- -- --	47.48
From Compassion Day Fund (Paid to Rev. C. B. Burns) -- -- --	300.00
Total -- -- --	<u>9,688.48</u>
Total -- -- --	<u>\$15,051.05</u>

Disbursements:

To Mission Pastors -- -- --	7,050.00
Conference Missionary Secretary -- -- --	100.00
District Missionary Secretaries -- -- --	30.00
Junaluska Conference -- -- --	60.00
Board Expenses -- -- --	44.63
Missionary Council Meeting (once) -- --	127.33
Board of Church Extension, Upper S. C. Conference -- -- --	332.50
Rev. C. B. Burns from Compassion Day Offering -- -- --	300.00
Emergency Fund -- -- --	4.50
Total -- -- --	<u>\$8,048.96</u>

Balances on hand at end of period:

C. & S. Bank, Commercial Acct. ----	\$5,103.33
Carolina Savings Bank, at interest --	853.09
First Fed. Savings & Loan, at interest ----	1,045.67

Total on hand at beginnng of 1942-43 - 7,002.09

Total accounted for ----- \$15,051.05

Respectfully submitted,
W. E. IVEY, Treasurer.

AUDIT

Board of Missions, South Carolina Conference,
C/o Mr. W. E. Ivey, Treasurer, Charleston, S. C.

Gentlemen:

(1) I have made an examination of the records of W. E. Ivey, Treasurer Board of Missions, South Carolina Conference of the Southeastern Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church, for the period beginning November 20, 1941, and up to, but not including, November 16, 1942.

(2) My findings are presented in this letter of transmittal and in the following accompanying Exhibits and Schedules in the order named:

- Exhibit A—Consolidate Cash Accounts Summary.
- Exhibit B—Condensed Analysis General Fund.

- Schedule B-1—Disbursements General Fund to Mission Pastors.
 Schedule B-2—Miscellaneous Disbursements, General Fund.
 Exhibit C—Savings Funds.
 Exhibit D—Parris Island Fund.

(3) The scope of the audit embraced examination of cancelled checks; reconciliation of bank statement; direct confirmation with the three banks involved; and comparison of the treasurer's books with the last recorded remittance statement of J. H. Noland, the Conference Treasurer. The disbursements include a premium for a fidelity bond presumably covering the treasurer, but this bond was not examined. No direct confirmation was made of the receipts from the various churches for the account of the Parris Island Fund.

(4) This is to certify that, in my opinion, W. E. Ivey, as Treasurer of the South Carolina Conference Board of Missions, has properly accounted for all funds as summarized in Exhibit A and for the period shown thereon, subject to qualifications set forth in the foregoing comments and the several subsequent Exhibits and Schedules.

Respectfully submitted,
 BRADFORD E. ANDERSON,
 Certified Public Accountant.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATION OF JOURNAL AND YEARBOOK

We, your Committee on Publication of Journal and Year Book, submit the following report:

We have let the contract for the printing and mailing of the Journal and Year Book for the 1942 session of the South Carolina Conference to the Southern Christian Advocate. We recommend that 4,000 copies be printed and that a copy be sent to each clerical member of the Upper South Carolina Conference.

We nominate Rev. George K. Way and Rev. W. A. Beckham as editors and publishers of the Journal and Year Book.

F. C. SMITH, Chairman.
 C. O. SHULER, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL DAYS

The Committee on Special Days submits the following report of special days to be observed in the South Carolina Conference during the conference year 1942-43:

November:

Golden Cross Sunday—November 22nd.

December:

Wofford College Day—December 13.

Universal Bible Sunday—December 13th.

Student Recognition Day—December 27th.

January:

Temperance Week—January 25th to 31st.

February:

Race Relations Sunday—February 14th.

Laymen's Day—February 21st.

March:

Church School Rally Day—March 14th or 21st.

May:

Mother's Day Offering for Epworth Orphanage—May 9th.

June:

Methodist Student Day—June 13th.

September:

Epworth Orphanage Day—September 19th.

Promotion Day—September 26th.

October:

World Communion Sunday—October 3rd.

Annual Missionary Sunday—October 24th.

World Temperance Sunday—October 31st.

The first Sunday of each month is to be observed as Epworth Orphanage Sunday in the Church Schools.

The fourth Sunday of each month is to be observed as World Service Sunday in the Church Schools.

Attention is called to the fact that Wofford College Day and Universal Bible Sunday come on the same date—December 13th. Because of the emergency at Wofford, the Committee recommends that Wofford College Day be observed throughout the conference.

Respectfully submitted,
 E. S. DUNBAR, Chairman
 S. D. NEWELL, Secretary

COMMITTEE ON STANDING RULES

Report Number One

Your Committee on Standing Rules recommends the adoption of the following Rule which shall be included under Section B, which shall hereafter be entitled, "Ministerial Character and Records:"

"Rule No 2: The Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications and the Board of Ministerial Training shall prepare each year jointly for the Conference Secretary, a statement concerning the age, domestic status, education and ministerial experience of each preacher admitted on trial; and a similar statement concerning each preacher admitted into full connection; these statements to be included in the daily journal.

Respectfully submitted,
 ALBERT D. BETTS, Chairman.
 W. ROY PHILLIPS, Secretary.

BOARD OF TEMPERANCE

After careful consideration of the interests committed to our charge, we report as follows:

1. **Moral Issues in South Carolina.** Three major moral issues have arisen in the public life of our state during the past two years:

(1) The effort to legalize pari-mutuel betting at horse races for charity came near enactment into law, but was happily defeated last

winter in the Legislature. But the issue is not dead, for the commercial interests which have broken down the gambling laws of twenty-four states will keep on trying to do the same here. Let us be alert.

(2) Last year the Legislature passed a special law permitting commercial amusements on the Sabbath in those counties having permanent or temporary military or naval posts. Except for the commendable exceptions of Orangeburg and Spartanburg Sunday movies and baseball have flourished in many of our towns and cities. But that special law expires next May. So we urge the members of our Legislature not to renew same. A proper protection of the Sabbath by law is essential.

(3) In August 1940, 190,000 citizens of our state (50,000 majority) voted to outlaw the traffic in beer, wine and other alcoholic beverages. We urge our new Legislature to be more democratic than its predecessor, and to speedily enact the necessary statewide prohibition law. The increase of \$20,000,000 in our liquor bill in South Carolina within the past two years makes the matter most urgent.

2. The National Scene. John Barleycorn is Saboteur No. 1 in our present war effort. We must win this present war as soon and effectively as possible. But the promotion of the drinking of beer and other alcoholic beverages among soldiers and sailors is proving terribly effective and is seriously injuring the morale of our armed forces and the millions of people engaged in war production plants. The effort of Senator Lee of Oklahoma to amend the draft bill, in order to protect our new teen age draftees, was most wise. Its defeat in the Senate by a vote of 49 to 25 on October 22 was deplorable. But we commend our own Senators Smith and Maybank for voting among the 25 who tried to save the situation.

Many high ranking officers, military and naval, are trying to curb the evils of intemperance and vice around their respective posts, but they do not always have adequate co-operation by civil authorities. We urge that they be especially careful to protect these fine teen-age boys soon to go out from our homes. Let all good citizens see to it that adequate co-operation is given by local authorities.

We are convinced that these questions of temperance and moral reform are being merged into the larger question of intelligent and courageous Christian citizenship. Let every Christian man and woman register and then vote for the best officers available for all public offices.

3. Temperance Education: In church, school and home we must keep up a continuous and effective program of temperance education. Four times a year we have temperance lessons in the church school. Let us make the most of it. Besides this we recommend that the week of January 25-31, 1943, be designated as Temperance Education Week in all of our churches and church schools, and that our pastors be requested to give special emphasis to this subject on Sunday, January 31st. We ask also that an offering be taken on that day in every church for the Federated Forces for Temperance.

We are making the customary annual contribution of \$75 to the

S. C. Council on Alcohol Education, now under the effective leadership of Prof. A. M. Taylor of Union. S. C.

4. Temperance Agencies: Realizing the need for organized efforts to deal with the vast moral problems of our day and in our state, we wish to commend to the favorable consideration of our Methodist people the following agencies:

The Methodist Board of Temperance, Washington, D. C.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Mrs. J. L. Mims, President, Edgefield, S. C.

The S. C. Federated Forces for Temperance and Law Enforcement, Rev. Albert D. Betts, Executive Secretary, Orangeburg, S. C.

Herbert L. Spell and E. A. Wilkes were elected to represent the Conference on the Council of Alcohol Education in S. C.

CHARLTON DuRANT, Chairman.

B. C. GLEATON, Secretary.

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE
AND THE MANAGERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA
CONFERENCE, A CORPORATION**

October 28th, 1942

The Trustees submit the following report of Charlton DuRant, Treasurer:

Superannate Endowment Fund—		\$10,455.94
Now invested as follows:		
Sumter County Road and Bridge Bonds, ----	\$ 4,000.00	
Deposit Security Savings & Loan, Columbia, S. C. -----	5,000.00	
R. D. Cothran, Bond and Mortgage -----	435.07	
J. Belton Baker, Bond and Mortgage -----	750.00	
Deposit Standard B. & L. Assoc'n, Columbia	270.87	
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		\$10,455.94

Income

Interest Security Savings & Loan Assoc'n. ---	\$ 150.00
Interest Standard B. & L. Assoc'n. -----	8.12
Interest J. Belton Baker -----	105.11
Coupons Sumter County Bonds -----	200.00
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	\$ 463.23
Check to Treasurerer Superannate Fund ---	\$ 463.23
General Fund:	
Rents after payment of 10 per cent Com'sns. (\$100.00 retained by Floyd to complete some repairs; \$48.00 paid for cutting and sawing logs for repairs)	\$ 488.11
E. V. Cochran, Interest -----	\$ 102.24

Interest Standard B. & L Assoc'n. -----	97.66
Hunting Rights -----	29.05
J. P. Holladay -----	220.00
S. C. Public Service Authority paid for Option	2.00

\$ 939.06

Disbursements

Fire Insurance -----	\$ 16.65
Premium on Bond of Treasurer -----	25.00
Taxes -----	116.86
Taxes Ballard -----	1.14

\$ 159.65

(Last statement reported rents collected after payment of 10 per cent commissions, \$526.75. This was error, as 10 per cent was deducted from \$526.75 and net amount paid me was \$474.07. So balance in Fund was \$6,053.66).

General Fund Now Invested as Follows:

Bond and Mortgage, E. V. Cochran -----	\$ 600.00
Standard B. & L. Assoc'n. -----	4,000.00
Bank of Clarendon -----	235.07
Bond and Mortgage J. P. Holladay -----	2,000.00

\$ 6,835.07

Respectfully submitted,
 J. T. FOWLER, Chairman,
 J. EMERSON FORD, Acting Sec'y,
 Board of Trustees.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE—1942

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, after nearly two years of working with the enlarged program, has made steady gains in all lines of endeavor, in members, gifts, and the study program.

I would like to present this report in the form of lights and shadows, representing the advancements and the failures we have shown during the past year.

The first light I would call to your attention is our increased giving. The South Carolina Conference has overpaid its pledge for the year.

The second light is in study. The South Carolina Conference led the Southeastern Jurisdiction in Jurisdiction Recognitions in the Study Department in comparison with the membership. We feel that this increased interest in our study program is in some degree responsible for the increase in our gifts, for with information goes interest, and interest challenges our women to greater giving.

Our third light is an increase in membership. This has not been an outstanding increase but steady.

Our fourth light is the faith and courage of the membership; the fine response to the many calls of our church and community and war program which comes through the Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities; our interpreting the teaching of Christ by putting into action the brotherhood of man and the Fatherhood of God.

The fifth light is the fine cooperation of the Board of Education in inviting our conference to have a counselor at the Assembly at Columbia College and at the two camps held during the summer.

The darkest shadow in our work is the number of unorganized churches in our conference.

Today we have ninety-two unorganized churches in this conference.

The second shadow is the large number of women in our local churches who are still not interested in the worthwhile program offered through and by the Woman's Society of Christian Service. Through our enlarged program we offer avenues to challenge the entire interest of any woman.

Our Youth Program is a cooperative activity between the Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Board of Education. Our third shadow is the seeming indifference on the part of our women toward this work. The visible signs of this shadow are the small amount of funds and the few Interest Groups in the Conference.

We have tried to adjust our district meetings to the situation facing us by lack of travel facilities by letting the zone meetings take the place of them. We feel that we reached more women in this way also. We must not retrench in our education and promotional program but must gear our organization up to meet the situation.

We need the stabilizing influence of the church and the religion of Christ more in this day and hour than ever before. We fully realize that the hand that rocks the cradle can wield a great influence to create a sense of calmness and poise of soul so much needed today in the home, the church and the community.

Summary

Districts -----	6
Adult Societies -----	243
Adult Members -----	8756
Wesleyan Service Guilds -----	25
Number Spiritual Life Groups -----	146
Number Societies observing Week of Prayer -----	174
Number of Adult Life Members -----	36
Number of Baby Life Members -----	95
Number Primary Life Members -----	1
Number Junior Life Members -----	5
Number of Youth Life Members -----	1
Number of Interest Groups -----	14
Number of Deaconesses supported -----	1

Number of Missionaries supported	12
Number of Bible Women supported (foreign)	5
Number of Scholarships supported	7
Number of Day Schools supported (foreign)	2
Number of Budget Specials supported (foreign)	4
Number of World Outlook subscribers	1036
Number of Methodist Woman subscribers	746
Value of supplies contributed	\$1,320.70

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. ROY JONES, President,

MRS. LeROY S. EPPS, Conf. Secty.
Secretary.**Treasurer's Report**

Raised on Budget	\$ 6,765.77
Wesleyan Guild	857.01
Supplies	351.55
Bible Women	600.00
Scholarships—Home and Foreign	460.00
Salaries of Missionaries	10,800.00
Scarritt Maintenance	2,000.00
Week of Prayer	1,706.47
Adult Life Memberships	900.00
Baby Life Memberships	460.00
Emergency Fund	2,189.00
Expense Fund	2,810.61
TOTAL	\$29,900.41

MRS. E. D. SPROTT, Treasurer.

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE**Report Number 1**

1. The amount of the askings of the General Commission on World Service and Finance for the year is: World Service \$44,361.16, General Administration \$1,403.05, making a total of \$45,764.21.

2. We recommend for Conference purposes \$70,094.00 and that all funds collected be distributed by the Treasurer as follows: General Work \$39,500, Conference Work 60,500; both totaling \$115,858.21.

3. We recommend that this amount be distributed to the districts on the following basis:

District	Amount	Per Ct.
Charleston	\$ 23,056.00	19.90
Florence	20,264.00	17.49
Kingstree	17,576.00	15.17
Marion	17,610.00	15.20
Orangeburg	20,854.00	18.00
Sumter	16,498.00	14.24
Total	\$115,858.00	100.00

4. We further recommend that all funds available for Conference Work be distributed on the following basis:

Cause	Amount	Per Ct.
Board of Education—Schools and Colleges—		
Wofford	\$6,308.00	(20.00)
Columbia	3,706.00	(11.75)
Lander	3,706.00	(11.75)
Operating expenses, Pastors, School, Student Work---	17,822.00	(56.50)
Total	\$31,542.	45.00
Board of Missions and Church Extension—		
Missions	\$17,959.00	(84.00)
Church Extension	3,421.00	(16.00)
Total	21,380.00	30.50
Insurance	7,010.00	10.00
Southern Christian Advocate	2,313.00	3.30
Minutes and Emergency Fund	2,593.00	3.70
Jurisdictional Conference expense	1,682.00	2.40
Lake Junaluska	421.00	.60
St. John's, Rock Hill	350.00	.50
Clemson College Special	1,052.00	1.50
Citadel Special	701.00	1.00
Board of Lay Activities	70.00	.10
Board of Temperance	350.00	.50
Commission on Evangelism	175.00	.25
Board of Hospitals and Homes	315.00	.45
Incidental expenses	140.00	.20
Total	\$70,094.00	100.00

5. We recommend that the Treasurer receive one per cent of all funds collected.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. PEELER, Chairman.

J. DEMPSEY GRIFFIN, Secretary.

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE**Report Number 2****REPORT OF AUDIT COMMITTEE**

We, the undersigned committee, have audited the books of Rev. J. H. Noland, Conference Treasurer; W. E. Atkinson, Treasurer of the Board of Education; Rev. J. F. M. Hoffmeyer, Treasurer of the Board of Hospitals and Homes; and E. H. Pate, Treasurer of the Board of Conference Claimants.

The books of W. E. Ivey, Treasurer of the Board of Missions and Church Extension are audited by a C. P. A.

All the treasurers are under adequate bonds.

Respectfully submitted,

J. DEMPSEY GRIFFIN,

J. G. FERGUSON,

J. F. KINNEY,

Auditing Committee.

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Report Number 3

We have a communication from Mr. O. W. Auman, Treasurer of the General Commission on World Service and Finance, suggesting that our Conference consider the matter of changing our fiscal year to conform to the World Service year.

This would mean that pastor's reports would have to be made by May 31st each year.

Your Commission does not recommend the suggested plan.

J. T. PEELER, Chairman.

J. DEMPSEY GRIFFIN, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS FROM THE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Whereas the present world crisis has created a number of emergencies which now face Methodists as they carry on this World Service Program, such as,

Relief of suffering in war-torn countries through the Methodist Committee for overseas relief,

Increased religious activities for men in the armed forces through the Commission on Camp Activities and Chaplains,

Increased missionary work in Latin America through the foreign division of the Board of Missions,

Church projects in defense areas through the division of Home Missions and Church Extension, and

Emergency projects in education through the local Church division of Home Missions and Church Extension, and

Emergency projects in education through the local Church Division and the Educational Institutions Division of the Board of Education,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED; that the South Carolina Conference recommends that each church accept 100 per cent of the askings for World Service for the coming year, or at least an increase of 10 per cent to 25 per cent to meet these needs.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. PEELER, Chairman,

J. DEMPSEY GRIFFIN, Secretary.

MEMOIRS

THOMAS WASHINGTON GODBOLD

The subject of this sketch, Rev. Thomas Washington Godbold, was born at Cokesbury, S. C., on May 14, 1868. He was the son of Mr. Francis Marion Godbold and Mrs. Alpha Vance Godbold.

He attended the best common and high schools of the country in his day and spent one year in the University of South Carolina. He took his four year conference course through correspondence. He had some experience as a teacher in the common schools.

He was first married to Miss Eliza Tatum, of Marion, S. C., March 9, 1893. The children of this marriage who survive are Marion M., Nina Alpha (Hawkins), Nettie L. (Herndon), Sara Anne (Money-penny), Thomas W., Frank E., J. Walker, George E., Edward S. He was married the second time to Clemie Carolyn Walker, of Bamberg, County, who survives him, as well as one child by this marriage, Carolyn Sue, who is now a student in Columbia College.

Mr. Godbold was converted and joined the church under the ministry of Dr. John T. Wightman at a service conducted in the Marion Methodist church when he was about fifteen years of age.

From early childhood he had a sense of the call of God into the Christian Ministry or some form of Christian service. The call to the Christian Ministry became very definite and clear when he was about twenty-five years of age. He resisted for some years but in the meantime was active in various forms of Christian activity. He yielded to the call and was licensed in April 1905. He was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference at the session held in Columbia in 1906, Bishop A. W. Wilson presiding. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Wilson at the conference held in Laurens in 1908 and was ordained elder by Bishop E. R. Hendrix at the conference held in Charleston in 1910.

He served the following charges: Loris 1906-07; Waccamaw 1908; Jordan 1909; Bethlehem 1910; Edisto 1911-12; Cameron 1913-16; Cades 1917; Rome 1918-19; Ehrhardt 1920; Ridgeland 1921-22; St. John and Rembert 1923-24; Pinewood 1925-28; Little Rock 1929-30; Smoak 1931-32; Rembert 1933-37; Jefferson 1938-40. He retired, after having served the Jefferson charge, to his home in Rembert where he lived until his translation.

Funeral services were conducted at his residence in Rembert by Rev. J. Ross Johnson assisted by Rev. W. B. Garrison and the writer. Interment followed in the Marion cemetery.

Mr. Godbold was a good minister of Jesus Christ. He preached a gospel that had been authenticated in the crucible of his own soul. Children, youth and adults felt that in him they had a wise counsellor and a shepherd who cared for them. There were many souls who passed from darkness to light under the inspiration of his ministry and life. He was kind, loving, gracious as a father and husband. The members

of the home circle had for them an example of solid Christian character.

Words add little to a life that was as the dawning light that shineth more and more unto the perfect day. When such a one goes away and leaves us in the twilight he keeps his pilgrimage toward the golden noontides where splendors never fade. As Emerson has said:

"What is excellent
As Gold lives as permanent.
Hearts are dust; hearts' loves remain.
Heart's love will meet thee again."

W. D. GLEATON.

LLOYD THOMAS PHILLIPS

Lloyd Thomas Phillips was born in Springfield, South Carolina, July 28, 1865. He died in Orangeburg, December 25, 1941.

He was the son of William Thomas and Mary (Able) Phillips.

He joined the church early in life; and, many years before entering the pastorate, he felt called to the ministry. But between the care of aged parents and service as a pastor he saw no conflict. To him the Voice which said "Follow Me" was the same as that which also said, "Honor thy father and thy mother; that thy days may be prolonged and that it may go well with thee."

He joined the South Carolina Conference in 1908 at the age of forty-three after loyal service, first of all to aged parents, and to the church as steward and Sunday school superintendent. And surely God did indeed prolong his days. He served as a pastor thirty-one years, was honorably retired, and lived until well advanced in his seventy-seventh year.

As pastor he served the following charges: Fort Motte, Richland, Rock Hill, Brownville, Rowesville, Elliott, Black Swamp, North-Limestone, Ehrhardt, Cottageville, Edisto, Ellenton, and St. Matthews circuit.

On February 24, 1910, he was happily married to Miss Mary Frances Ott of St. Matthews, his helpmate throughout a faithful ministry. She survives him in the home in Orangeburg to which they looked forward as rest at sunset. It was rest deserved, but all too brief. Sunset? Yes; but with no night between it and the sunrise that knows no weariness, sickness, pain nor death.

J. HUBERT NOLAND

L. L. BEDENBAUGH

Life's race well run,
Life's work well done,
Now comes rest.

How could the life and work of our departed friend and colleague be better expressed than in these few simple words?

The Rev. Levi Leroy Bedenbaugh was born in Edgefield County, S. C., on February 1, 1870. He was the son of James T. and Margaret A. Bedenbaugh. His early education was obtained under the direction of his father and in the public schools of Edgefield County and for three years he attended the Batesburg Academy and was under the tutelage of the Rev. G. E. Stokes.

The writer of this memoir takes a personal interest in recording the fact that Brother L. L. Bedenbaugh was the presiding elder of the Florence district when he was licensed to preach and was his first presiding elder.

On November 20, 1891, he was married to Miss Regina A. Whittle. To this union were born four daughters who survive, Mrs. T. H. Lever, Charlotte, N. C.; Mrs. Henry Lowry of Charleston, S. C.; Mrs. Drew Martin and Mrs. Herbert Fabian of Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. Bedenbaugh died in 1929, and on December 25, 1937 he was married to Mrs. Betty Gwin of Hartsville, who also survives.

He was licensed to preach in September 1888; was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference, and ordained a deacon in 1893, and an elder in 1898. His rise in the Conference was rapid and soon he was recognized as one of our strongest and best pastors. His true pastor's heart, his tact, his sound judgment, and his thoughtful, eloquent preaching made him a preeminently four year man. The charges served by him were as follows with dates:

Lancaster circuit, 1894; Tradesville Circuit, 1895-1898; Jefferson circuit, 1899-1902; St. John's and Rembert, 1903; Pinewood, 1904-1905; New Zion, 1906-1907; Granby, Columbia, 1908-1910; Cameron, 1911; Chesterfield, 1912-1913; Trinity, Darlington, 1914-1916; Duncan Memorial, Georgetown, 1917-1919; Main Street, McColl, 1920-1921; Presiding elder of the Florence district, 1922-1925; First church, Marion, 1926-1929; Bamberg, 1930-1933; Kingstree, 1934-1936; Bishopville, 1937-1940. He retired from active duties at the Annual Conference which was held in Central Church, Florence, November 1940.

Among the characteristics that made the Rev. L. L. Bedenbaugh the man of power he was, were his deep, abiding convictions, his absolute faith, his consecrated piety fruiting in such a life as to make all think of him and honor him as a "man of God," his fidelity to every trust, his pastor's heart; constantly shown in the fellowship of suffering as well as in genial friendly intercourse.

He took a prominent part in conference affairs. He was at various times secretary of the Board of Missions, member of the Board of Managers of the Southern Christian Advocate; Chairman Board of Christian Literature; Secretary of the Committee on Lake Junaluska Methodist Assembly.

He became seriously ill the latter part of December and was rushed to the McLeod Infirmary, Florence, where all that human skill could do was done for his recovery, but to no avail. He died at 5:30 o'clock on the morning of December 29, 1941. Funeral services were held

from the Marion Methodist Church, Tuesday morning, December 30, at 11 o'clock. The Rev. J. T. Peeler, Darlington; the Rev. W. Roy Phillips, Hartsville; Dr. J. Emerson Ford, Orangeburg; the Rev. B. L. Knight, Marion; District Superintendent, the Rev. S. E. Ledbetter, and the writer, officiated in the rites. Methodist ministers from all parts of the state were present and acted as honorary pallbearers.

Under a mound of beautiful flowers his body was laid to rest in Rose Hill Cemetery, Marion.

Truly it can be said that Brother Bedenbaugh lived a fruitful life, the world is better because he lived, and heaven is richer in his death.

ROBERT P. TURNER.

WILLIAM EDWARD SANDERS

William Edward Sanders was born in Berkeley County, near Summerville, S. C., October 15, 1876. His parents were Charles Waring and Ellen Smith Sanders. It was in this Christian home that Willie, as he was affectionately known, received his first impressions of the Christian way of life.

He was educated in the primary schools of his home county and at Holly Hill Institute, the latter being superintended by Professor Hugo G. Sheridan. His formal theological training he owes to Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. However his educational advancement did not end here; he was a profound and diligent student of good literature, constantly seeking a more accurate interpretation of the teachings of the Holy Scriptures. Thus he became an unusually well read man, particularly in the field of religion and church history. The books he left in his library testify that he was a constant seeker after truth.

At eighteen years of age Brother Sanders was converted in New Hope church, Ridgeville charge, and united with the church. Early in life he felt the call to preach but did not yield to the call for a number of years, during which time he taught in the public schools of his home and neighboring counties. When he was forty five years of age the call to preach came so distinctly that he could no longer resist. He was licensed to preach by the Charleston District Conference held at Allendale in 1916; was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference in 1921; ordained deacon in 1923; and ordained elder in 1925. He served the following charges: Harleyville, Bethel Circuit (now Ruffin), Aynor, Tatum and Hebron, Lamar, Springfield, Bowman and Ruby.

While his primary interest was in the building of Christian character he was not unmindful of the needs of physical equipment on the charges he served. On the Harleyville, Bethel, and Lamar charges monuments of his endeavors stand today as testimonies of his labors.

As a preacher, Brother Sanders was outstanding. His messages always showed that much study and thought had been given to the preparation of his discourses. They were thought-provoking and soul-inspiring. To read the written and the unwritten, his was a record

of constructive and effective service. He was a loyal servant of his church, a zealous pastor, one who loved his people and was loved by them.

On Easter Sunday evening, April 5, 1942, while preaching from his pulpit in the Ruby Methodist Church from the text: "And they say unto her, Woman, why weepest thou? She saith unto them, Because they have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid Him." (John 20:13), the heavenly angels hovered over him and said, "It is enough, come up higher," and his soul took its flight.

Those who remain to cherish his memory, besides a great number of relatives and friends, are: Mrs. Viola Pearl (Dantzler) Sanders, to whom he was married January 26, 1900, and the following sons and daughters; Walter J. Sanders, Rock Hill, S. C.; Dr. Rodman Sanders, College Place, Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. C. M. Stewart (Edna V.), Charleston, S. C.; the Misses Helen L. and Effie Lee Sanders, Chesterfield, S. C.; and William Busbee Sanders of the United States Army.

While Brother Sanders' labors on earth have ceased his spirit remains to do its work. Truly we can say with James Whitecomb Riley:

I cannot say, and I will not say
That he is dead. He is just away.

With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand,
He wandered into an unknown land.

And left us dreaming how very fair
It needs must be since he lingers there.

And you—O you, who the wildest yearn
For the old-time step and the glad return—

Think of him faring on, as dear
In the love of there as the love of here;

Think of him still as the same, I say;
He is not dead—he is just away!

PAUL WHITAKER.

WILLIAM CLARKE KIRKLAND

On the flyleaf of the last book he bought, a book on the Apostle Paul, Dr. William Clarke Kirkland, the day before he went to the hospital in his last illness, wrote the following words: "Nearly twenty years ago I first saw the phrase 'The Literature of the Soul'. It startled me with a sense of delight. Since then I have always been on the alert for new discoveries, and have succeeded in gathering nearly one hundred such volumes, which I have classed as 'Literature of the Soul.'" This statement from his pen reflects in several ways Dr. Kirkland's personality. He delighted in recording, and in collecting, the

sayings of the great and good men of his time. It was my privilege to note this while associated with him in Fitting School, college and university and later in conference. He was always on the alert for striking statements of great inspiring truth, and in his clear handwriting he kept records of these expressions that stirred his own mind and heart. In the old Wofford days, when Dr. James H. Carlisle was president, the chapel talks of the venerable doctor made a profound impression on most of the boys, but Kirkland was the only one in our day, so far as I knew, who made a point of keeping a written record of these sayings. I recall with keen interest an occasion when he surprised me by showing me his notebook filled with the old doctor's great words. His mind and heart were ever hospitable to noble things: "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report: if there be any virtue, if there be any praise," such was the touchstone, such the test of his mental material. In a worthy tribute at the time of his passing one of his former presiding elders said of him, "In his presence one never felt the least inclination for small talk or petty subjects. Great men, great books, great causes, and great ideas—these were his topics of conversation. He was well acquainted with the classics, and kept company with the great spirits of the ages."

Mingled with this taste for exalted truth, it is due him, too, to say that he had a keen and delightful sense of humor, and his characteristic bubbling laughter was most contagious and always did one good to hear.

Dr. Kirkland's preaching was not a labored effort at pulpit oratory, but it was an earnest expression of the great gospel truths that stirred his own soul to the depths, and a verbal expression of the divine light that ever burned brightly in his own spirit. Preaching was to him a high privilege, a sacred responsibility. The most biting criticism I ever heard from his lips was directed against a certain preacher who in Kirkland's opinion had degraded his pulpit with a lot of coarse buffoonery in an effort to play to the crowds.

Dr. Kirkland's delight in great truth well expressed is seen, not only in his love for good books, or what he delighted to call "the literature of the soul," but also in his fondness for the great old hymns of the Church. An occasional article from his pen in our church periodicals showed the discriminating care with which he studied the Hymnal. He made no small contribution to the Conference Historical Society by collecting for its archives a valuable library of our older hymnals. And the *magnum opus* of his closing years was the compiling, in collaboration with his gifted wife, of a volume called "Standard Hymns and Tunes." "The worship of God" he declares in the preface of this book, "is the most august thing on earth, and it ought to be a beautiful thing." Church music and the great hymns found special place in his esteem early in life through the fine appreciation and taste of his mother, who was for fifty years organist in their old

home church. In an article in *The News and Courier* on the value of great hymns he pays loving and beautiful tribute to his mother and mentions some of her favorite hymns, such as the one by Bernard of Clairvaux beginning, "Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts," and Watts' "When I survey the wondrous cross." Beyond a doubt the greatest influence in the development of this noble life was the wholesome atmosphere of the Christian home of his childhood.

William Clarke Kirkland was born October 20, 1869, near Bamberg, S. C. in the Buford's Bridge community, and was the fifth son of his parents, Dr. N. F. Kirkland, Sr., and Mrs. Jennie M. Kirkland. He attended the old Philadelphia Academy in his home community, then went to Wofford Fitting School, and after two years there entered Wofford College where he graduated with the A. B. degree in 1893, and the next year took the Master of Arts degree. It was his Alma Mater that in 1915, in recognition of his ability and scholarship, conferred upon him the degree, Doctor of Divinity.

His religious life dated from his early boyhood. He joined the Methodist church May 9, 1886, under the ministry of the Rev. T. E. Morris. He early felt the call to preach and was granted local preacher's license at Trinity Church, Bamberg, July 4, 1891. After completing his course at Wofford, in further preparation for his lifework, he spent three years in the Biblical Department of Vanderbilt University. Upon receiving there the B. D. degree in 1896, he was at once appointed to Washington Street church, Columbia, to fill the vacancy caused by the election of the pastor, Dr. John A. Rice, to the presidency of Columbia College. He had been ordained Deacon by Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald in Tulip Street church, Nashville, November 3, 1895, and he was later ordained Elder by Bishop R. K. Hargrove.

Following his initial labors at Washington Street, the charges he served were:

Duncan, Spartanburg, 1897-98; Black Swamp, 1899-1900; Walterboro, 1901-1902; Allendale, 1903-1906; Dillon, 1907-'10; Grace, Union, 1911; Mullins, 1912-'14; Editor *Southern Christian Advocate*, 1915-1920; Latta, 1921-'23; Beaufort, 1924-'30; Providence, 1931-'33; Timmonsville, 1934-'37; Summerville, 1938; Summertown, 1939.

At the Annual Conference of 1939, because of ill health, he was granted sabbatical leave and in 1940 was granted the superannuate relation. He returned to his native section and made his home at Bamberg.

One of the enduring monuments of Dr. Kirkland's labors is the plant of the *Southern Christian Advocate* at Columbia. Of the conference organ he was elected editor in 1915 and served five years. It was under his leadership that the building was purchased and the printing plant erected. He invested his energy and much of his own money in the effort to put *The Advocate* on a firmer basis, and it so happens that the present year, the year of his passing, the church has succeeded in finally removing all debt from the plant. Dr. Kirkland served for years as trustee of Wofford College and as Vice President

of the South Carolina Conference Historical Society. He also served on various boards and committees of the Conference. At all times these labors were characterized by painstaking care and loyal earnestness.

The supreme work of his life, however, was in the pastorate. In ministering to the people he was at his best. From the pulpit he spoke to the heart of his people in a language they could understand. He was a devoted pastor of the old school, a school that should be forever new, loving his people and their children, interested in their community and home life, sharing their joys and sorrows. And in return he was greatly beloved in the various fields where it was his lot to serve.

In Bethel Church, Charleston, he was married on October 9, 1900, to Miss Lalla Capers Stokes, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Andrew J. Stokes of the South Carolina Conference. This union was blest with one child, now Dr. Edwin C. Kirkland of the Department of English in the University of Tennessee. Mrs. Kirkland was an ideal wife and helpmate for her pastor-husband, and wherever they lived the parsonage radiated the influence of a happy Christian home. Her ministry of co-operation continued to the time of her sudden passing in 1941. The hymnbook which appeared under date of that year bears on its first page these words: "William C. Kirkland, Editor; Lalla Stokes Kirkland, Associate Editor." The Minutes of the Conference of 1941 listed her name **In Memoriam**, and only a few months later he followed. "Lovely and pleasant in their lives, in their death they were not divided."

On Saturday morning, April 11, 1942, he was taken seriously ill and was removed to the hospital at Orangeburg, S. C. Following an operation on the right leg pneumonia set in and other complications ensued, resulting in too great a strain on the heart, and at about 8:00 o'clock Monday evening, April 20, he ceased to breathe. Up to a short time before the end his mind was perfectly clear, and at the hospital, true to his pastoral instinct, he wrote down the names of the doctors and nurses that attended him and called each one by name, and he listed, too, the names of all who called to inquire. After his retirement he had been made chaplain of the Bamberg Co. F. of the Home Guard, and the attentions he received from these men during his closing days indicated their great respect for him, and were a source of much pleasure to him.

At his own request the funeral services were conducted by the Rev. J. Ross Johnson and the Rev. E. S. Dunbar, the ministers who had only a few months before read the great words of hope beside the open grave of his beloved Lalla. The service was appropriately held in Trinity Church, Bamberg, where more than fifty years before he had been licensed by the Quarterly Conference to preach the Gospel.

Just after Dr. Kirkland entered the Conference, these words were written of him in Twentieth Century Sketches: "Today there is not among the young men of the South Carolina Conference a better

equipped and more promising young preacher than William C. Kirkland. Strong in physical manhood, striking in personal appearance, largely endowed by nature with intellectual powers, his mind trained in the best institutions of our Methodism and richly stored with treasures of knowledge, coming of sterling Methodist stock and from a home of Christian nurture, his heart filled and fired with all Holy ambition and high resolve, and all his powers in touch with the Infinite, he stands equipped for skilled service for the Master." We who have loved him, and lived and labored with him know well how nobly this promise was fulfilled.

We miss him at Conference, and we hear no more his voice in the Conference hymn that he loved, "And are we yet alive, And see each other's face." But our hearts find comfort when we turn to the last pages of his book, "Standard Hymns and Tunes," and find there those beautiful lines of Frederick William Faber:

"O Paradise, O Paradise, who doth not crave for rest?
Who would not seek the happy land where they that loved
are blest:
O Paradise, O Paradise, I greatly long to see
The special place my dearest Lord in love prepares for me.
Lord Jesus, King of Paradise, Oh! keep me in thy love,
And guide me to that happy land of perfect rest above."

C. C. HERBERT.

EBEN TAYLOR

Eben Taylor died suddenly at his parsonage home in Florence on June 30 last.

But Eben Taylor is not dead. His spirit goes soaring on through celestial spaces. To live as he lived, to love as he loved, to labor as he labored, does not mean death, but can only issue forth in a glorious and active immortality. Not for him to sit in blissful quiet and lackadaisical idleness, feeding on the ambrosia and quaffing the nectar of the gods. For him there must be a heaven of ceaseless activity, where he can be forever on the march with the forces of his Christ. Not for him eternal emptiness of hand or mind or heart. For him there must be the eternal use of his great heart and soul and strength and mind in the service of an active, on-going God, a loving, ever-conquering Christ.

Eben Taylor lives on. Not only in the hearts and lives of those he loved and who loved him, not only in the lives of countless thousands whom he directed toward the Master of life, not only in churches built and churches transformed under his ministry, not only in an indelible impress made upon his conference, his church, his state, does he live on. In a new world which opened its gates to him June 30 and beckoned him enter, in a new life glorious and glorified by the Eternal Presence, he lives on.

Eben Taylor was born near Florence, S. C., on December 29, 1900, the son of Stephen Taylor and the late Mrs. Mary Ella Price Taylor. He attended the Florence graded and high schools, and following his graduation from the latter entered The Citadel, from which he was graduated in 1922. For two years he was an instructor in his alma mater, and then was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference at its 1924 session. He served in his brief ministry six charges, McClellanville, Summerville, Ailendale, Asbury Memorial (Charleston), Lake City, and Central, Florence, where he was in his third year.

One of the most gifted ministers of his conference, Brother Taylor was known far and wide for his talents and the great use to which he put them. Seemingly exhaustless in his capacity for work, he did a monumental piece of service in every charge he served. His outstanding achievements may be listed as the erection of the main building at Asbury Memorial church, and the final liquidation of the long-standing indebtedness at Florence. Just the day he passed away the final check on the debt and the papers cancelling the mortgage on the church were sent in by Hon. M. L. Meadors, trustee and attorney for the church. And yet in every charge he served he left a notable record of imperishable achievement. Eben Taylor was one of the leading evangelists of his church. At the time of his transition he had been for several years chairman of his Conference Commission on Evangelism. In his brief ministry he held many revivals throughout the state. Whether on college campus or in country community, whether in a large church or small he had few equals as a leader of men, one who knew Christ so well and knew how effectively to point the way of others to him. To him religion was a passion and the ministry was a crusade. To him the Gospel was something glorious and he loved to preach it.

A great preacher, he was even greater as pastor and administrator of the spiritual and material affairs of a congregation. He was quick to recognize true values and was fearless in magnifying them. Of boundless energy, of great and almost inexhaustible resources of mind and body and soul, he gave himself unstintedly and unreservedly and almost ceaselessly to duty. Intolerant of inaction and easy-going habits in others, he gave himself day and night almost continuously, with little time to rest, during his 18 years in the conference. He literally burned himself out in the service of his church and his Lord. A man's life after all is measured not by length of days. It is not how long one lives, but how well, and how much one puts into a life-span. Eben Taylor put all that he was and had into his ministry, and in his few short years left a record of achievement that words cannot measure.

Eben Taylor was a friend, a brother to men. Ministers and laymen alike loved him. A born leader, he had the knack of causing others to follow, not him but his Christ. He could tie a church up so closely with his Lord. In church and out he was friendly, affable, easy to get along with, a real friend and brother. Not only his brothers of the cloth but many laymen in all his appointments feel deeply and keenly the loss his death brings, but they know that they have one friend less

on earth, one more friend with the Eternal. Cut off in the midst of his labors, dying almost without a moment's notice, he leaves an unfinished task. To all of us he speaks, "Carry on." And we will.

Eben Taylor was married on February 14, 1923, to Miss Elsie A. Selleneit of Mount Pleasant, who has been a guardian angel to him, who has shared his joys and sorrows, who has entered largely into his labors, and who made so happy a home for him. A tender parent, a loving husband, Brother Taylor was blessed with a beautiful home life. Into this lovely home came three lovely children, Eben, Jr., Mamie Clara, and Elsie Ann, who with their mother survive. Also surviving are his father, two minister-brothers, Revs. Raymond H. Taylor and George S. Taylor of the South Carolina Conference, and two sisters, Mrs. W. L. Cobb of Columbia and Mrs. Raleigh Cain of Pamplico.

The funeral services for this soldier of the Cross and crusader for righteousness were held in his church, conducted by his district superintendent, Rev. Elbert L. McCoy, assisted by his bishop, William T. Watkins, and his associate pastor, Rev. J. F. Trammell. His body sleeps beneath the kindly sod of Mount Hope cemetery.

L. D. HAMER.

REV. GROVER CLEVELAND GARDNER

Rev. Grover Cleveland Gardner was born at McClellanville, S. C., March 4, 1886, the son of William Peter and Mary King Gardner. He was educated in the common schools of Charleston county and took correspondence courses with Vanderbilt and Emory universities. On January 9, 1907, he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Elizabeth Jackson who, with the following children, survive him: Ethel (Mrs. M. C. Carr), Theodore, Helen (Mrs. J. H. Chapman), Henrietta (Mrs. D. F. Minton), G. C. Gardner, Jr., Bernice (Mrs. C. W. Hubbard), Frances (Mrs. Tyson H. Hubbard). Four sisters also survive, Mrs. Hilda Sorenson of Baltimore, Mrs. W. L. Parker of Bucksport, Mrs. Claude Marlowe of McClellanville, and Mrs. Mirtie Skinner of Brunswick, Ga.

Brother Gardner was reared in a Christian home and testified that his first religious impressions came from his mother and grandmother. He was converted under the ministry of Rev. L. E. Peeler, of the South Carolina Conference, and united with Wren church, near McClellanville, in February, 1907. Soon thereafter he became conscious of the call to preach and was granted local preacher's license in 1912. He was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference in 1913, was ordained a deacon in 1916 and an elder in 1920. Across the years of his itinerancy he served the following charges: Cordesville, Sampit, Betheune, Bethel Ct. (now Ruffin), Meggetts, Norway, Blenheim, Floydale, Johnsonville, Tatum & Hebron, Cades, and was near the end of his second year on the Lodge charge when death overtook him on October 3, 1942.

It was the writer's privilege to assist Brother Gardner in several re-

vival meetings through the years and to be otherwise associated with him in the work of the church. I spent many days in his home and often we talked about those things which are of the greatest concern to people, the things of God and of our relation to Him. He believed profoundly in evangelical Christianity, the power of God to transform men and women. To hear him pray was to be convinced of his great faith in Him Who answers prayer. His preaching was characterized by simplicity and yet great earnestness. He was not without a fine sense of humor but he brought no levity into the house of God. In his home, among his people, everywhere, his bearing was that of the fine Christian gentleman. His sympathy knew no bounds for people in distress. He went to all his pastoral appointments with a sense of divine commission upon him. He was indeed God's workman.

For several years before his death he had not been in robust health but he felt that he must carry on for his family and his church. But death came on apace, overtook him and he ceased at once to labor and to live. Funeral services were conducted from the Lodge Methodist church in charge of his District Superintendent, Rev. Woodrow Ward, who was assisted by Rev. W. P. Way, Rev. G. A. Teasley and Rev. G. C. Tuten. Many of his brethren were present. Burial was in the Live Oak cemetery at Walterboro.

S. E. LEDBETTER.

OUR DEAD

Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them. Rev. 14:13.

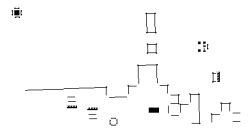
Name.	Died.	Name	Died
Woolman Hickson	1788	John Honour	1830
John Major	1788	Thomas L. Winn	1830
Henry Bingham	1788	Tris Stackhouse	1831
James Connor	1789	Absolom Brown	1833
Wyatt Andrews	1790	James J. Richardson	1833
John Tunnell	1790	Thomas Neill	1833
Lemuel Andrews	1790	Isaac Smith	1834
Benjamin Carter	1792	Josiah Freeman	1834
Hardy Herbert	1794	Parley Clenny	1835
Richard Ivy	1790	George W. Huggins	1835
Reubin Ellis	1796	Samuel Boseman	1835
James King	1797	Angus McPherson	1836
John N. Jones	1798	Thomas C. Smith	1837
James Tolleson	1800	Benjamin Bell	1838
Moses Wilson	1803	John Bunch	1838
Tobias Gibson	1804	Thomas D. Turpin	1838
Benjamin Jones	1804	William M. Kennedy	1840
Nicholas Watters	1804	Christian G. Hill	1840
Bennet Kendrick	1807	John G. Postell	1841
George Daugherty	1807	Bartlett Thomason	1841
Thomas Dickinson	1811	John N. Davies	1844
Samuel Mills	1811	Jacob Nipper	1844
Jacob Rumph	1811	Abel Hoyle	1844
Lewis Hobbes	1814	Newton Gouldelock	1845
Richmond Nolly	1815	John McMakin	1846
William Partridge	1817	John S. Capers	1846
Anthony Center	1817	James Jenkins	1847
Henry Fitzgerald	1819	John Tarrant	1849
Charles Dickinson	1820	Joseph Moore	1851
Stephen Bass	1821	Reddick Bunch	1851
John Dix	1823	Daniel G. McDaniel	1853
Benjamin Crane	1824	Samuel Dunwody	1854
Daniel Asbury	1825	Campbell Smith	1854
Isaac Oslin	1825	William Capers	1855
James Norton	1825	James Dannelly	1855
Benjamin Rhodes	1826	Jacob Hill	1855
John L. Greaves	1826	Samuel W. Capers	1855
Isaac Hartley	1827	John W. J. Harris	1855
John Gamewell	1828	Wm. M. Easterling	1855
Asbury Morgan	1828	Edward D. Boyden	1856
John Coleman	1828	Charles S. Walker	1857
George Hill	1829	John A. Minnick	1858

Frederick Rush	1858	J. Lee Dickson	1873
Wm. E. Boone	1858	C. H. Pritchard, Jr.	1874
James L. Belin	1859	H. Bass Green	1874
J. T. DuBose	1859	Malcolm V. Wood	1874
Wm. J. Jackson	1859	J. Claudius Miller	1875
Hugh E. Ogburn	1860	A. McCorquodale	1875
Henry Bass	1860	Ed. L. King	1875
Reddick Pierce	1860	Wm. H. Fleming	1877
Charles F. Campbell	1860	T. S. Daniel	1877
A. H. Harmon	1861	R. R. Pegues	1877
G. G. W. DuPre	1861	E. J. Pennington	1877
Henry H. DuRant	1861	A. R. Danner	1878
Addison P. Martin	1862	F. M. Kennedy	1880
J. L. McGregor	1862	J. W. Townsend	1880
P. A. M. Williams	1863	John R. Coburn	1880
Lindsey C. Weaver	1863	Duncan J. McMillan	1881
A. B. McGilvary	1863	Benjamin Boozer	1882
Geo. W. Moore	1863	Wm. M. Wightman	1882
James F. Wilson	1864	David Derrick	1883
Wm. C. Kirkland	1864	John Finger	1884
Wm. M. Wilson	1864	L. Scarborough	1884
Algernon S. Link	1864	Samuel J. Hill	1884
Samuel Townsend	1865	John B. Massebeau	1884
Daniel L. Ogburn	1865	Thos. B. Boyd	1884
Wm. A. McSwain	1866	Robert L. Harper	1884
Hilliard C. Parsons	1866	Wm. P. Mouzon	1885
Cornelius McLeod	1866	John W. Kelly	1885
John D. W. Crook	1866	Allison B. Lee	1885
J. Wesley Miller	1866	Chas. C. Fishburn	1885
W. A. Hemingway	1867	John Watts	1886
Tracy R. Walsh	1867	Hugh A. C. Walker	1886
William Crook	1867	Abner Erwin	1886
John P. Morris	1868	George H. Wells	1886
Bond English	1868	James W. Koger	1886
Hartwell Spain	1868	Dennis J. Simmons	1887
James Stacy	1868	Mark A. McKibben	1887
Alexius M. Forster	1868	C. D. Rowell	1887
Robert J. Boyd	1869	Albert M. Shipp	1887
W. A. Gamewell	1869	David D. Byars	1887
M. G. Tuttle	1869	James T. Kilgo	1888
Evan A. Lemmond	1870	Lewis M. Little	1888
John R. Pickett	1870	Abram P. Avant	1889
Edward G. Gage	1870	William Martin	1889
Alex W. Walker	1870	Abraham Nettles	1889
Charles Betts	1872	J. Emory Watson	1889
A. L. Smith	1872	Elias J. Meynardie	1890
C. Thomason	1872	William Thomas	1890
Charles Wilson	1873	Robert C. Oliver	1891

Allen A. Gilbert	1891	C. E. Wiggins	1901
John W. Murray	1891	M. L. Banks	1901
Basu G. Jones	1891	James F. Smith	1902
Manning Brown	1892	F. Auld	1902
William Hutto	1892	G. Edwin Stokes	1902
J. L. Shuford	1892	A. Frank Berry	1902
Landy Wood	1892	James S. Porter	1902
J. B. Platt	1893	L. M. Hamer	1902
Whitefoord Smith	1893	J. Thomas Pate	1902
J. W. McRoy	1893	L. C. Loyal	1902
W. H. Lawton	1893	Thomas G. Herbert	1902
M. A. Connolly	1894	John Attaway	1903
J. M. Boyd	1894	J. C. Stoll	1903
W. L. Pegues	1894	James E. Grier	1903
Samuel B. Jones	1894	W. Asbury Wright	1903
W. T. Capers	1894	O. A. Darby	1903
R. N. Wells	1895	A. J. Cauthen	1904
R. P. Franks	1895	Thomas B. Reynolds	1904
D. W. Seale	1895	Samuel Lander	1904
C. H. Pritchard	1896	Alston B. Earle	1904
Samuel Leard	1896	John M. Carlisle	1905
J. A. Mood	1896	W. A. Pitts	1905
W. D. Kirkland	1896	N. L. Wiggins	1906
Thomas Raysor	1896	A. J. Stokes	1906
W. W. Mood	1897	J. A. Clifton	1906
L. S. Bellinger	1897	J. W. Humbert	1906
A. H. Lester	1897	W. A. Rogers	1906
H. M. Mood	1897	John G. Beckwith	1907
R. A. Few	1897	James Boykin Campbell	1907
W. C. Patterson	1897	John Lamb Sifley	1907
Lewis A. Johnson	1898	Wm. Richardson Vaughan	1907
William Carson	1898	Samuel H. Zimmerman	1907
Simpson Jones	1898	Benjamin M. Grier	1907
J. Walter Dickson	1898	Junius Joseph Neville	1907
Thos. W. Munnerlyn	1898	Thornbery Perritt Phillips	1908
J. C. Bissell	1899	Wm. Brownlow Gibson	1908
D. Z. Dantzler	1899	James Jenkins Workman	1908
W. B. Verdin	1899	Wm. Washington Jones	1908
A. M. Attaway	1900	John Maxcy Collins	1908
S. P. H. Elwell	1900	John Edward Beard	1908
M. H. Pooser	1900	George Robert Shaffer	1908
E. B. Loyless	1900	Abel McKee Chreitzberg	1908
E. G. Price	1900	John Alexander Porter	1909
Sidi H. Browne	1900	Eli Murkerson McKissick	1909
John Owen	1900	John Manning	1910
D. A. Patrick	1900	Murdoch M. Ferguson	1910
Paul F. Kistler	1901	Andrew Jackson Stafford	1910
A. W. Walker	1901	Thos. Elliott Wannamaker	1910

Geo. Washington Gatlin	1910	Jeptha C. Counts	1924
Edward Madison Merritt	1910	Robert Walter Barber	1924
James Carson Yongue	1910	John Andrew White	1925
Newton Kenneth Melton	1911	John Calhoun Chandler	1926
Dove Tiller	1911	Arthur Crawford Walker	1926
George Williams Walker	1911	Andrew R. Phillips	1926
David Hucks	1911	Joseph Sidney Beasley	1926
John Austin Wood	1912	Preston Brooks Ingraham	1927
Olin Lowry DuRant	1912	Samuel Adam Weber	1927
Eli Alston Wilkes	1912	Frederick Hawkins Shuler	1927
Robert Aiken Yongue	1912	John N. Wright	1927
Melvin Bookman Kelly	1912	Chas. Washington Burgess	1927
Artemas Briggs Watson	1912	William Wesley Williams	1928
Coke D. Mann	1913	William Grigsby Elwell	1928
George Henry Pooser	1913	Maxey Wilbur Hook	1928
Whitefoord McK. Duncan	1913	Reuben Wilson Humphries	1928
Edward A. Wayne	1913	James W. Wolling	1928
Thos. Jefferson Clyde	1913	John Clark Atkinson	1928
Nathaniel Bowen Clarkson	1914	William Henry Hodges	1928
Wm. Bennett Baker	1914	Washington LaFayette Wait	1929
George McPherson Boyd	1914	Samuel Joseph Bethea	1929
Duncan Archibald Calhoun	1915	William Crook Owen	1929
A. W. Jackson	1915	Watson Boone Duncan	1930
Wm. Collier Winn	1915	Phillip Alcemus Murray	1930
George Clifton Hutchinson	1915	John Hamilton Moore	1930
William Carr Power	1916	George Pierce Watson	1930
Henry Bascom Brown	1916	Andrew Jackson Cauthen	1931
Whitefield Brooks Wharton	1916	Cary Thos. Easterling, Jr.	1931
John B. Wilson	1917	Daniel Melvin McLeod	1931
Samuel D. Vaughan	1917	Samuel D. Bailey	1932
Archibald Tarrant Dunlap	1918	Walter Isaac Herbert	1932
Milton Murray McLendon	1918	Thomas Burnett Owen	1932
William Hamilton Ariail	1918	Henry Lee Singleton	1932
Drew H. Attaway	1919	Hugh Walker Whitaker	1932
James Conade Davis	1919	Oliver N. Rountree	1933
Benjamin Greig Vaughan	1919	Edward Palmer Hutson	1933
John Thomas MacFarlane	1920	George Thomas Harmon	1934
Jesse LaVance Tyler	1920	Joseph Benjamin Prosser	1934
Hezekiah Webb Bays	1921	William Eldridge Wiggins	1934
Thomas Lucas Belvin	1921	Thomas James White	1934
William Wellington Daniel	1921	James Lloyd Mullinnix	1935
R. M. DuBose	1921	Theodore W. Law	1935
John Lemacks Stokes	1922	Alexander Stephen Lesley	1935
D. H. Everett	1922	George Robert Whitaker	1935
Sidi Browne Harper	1922	Charles M. Peeler	1935
Henry Jennings Cauthen	1922	Emory Olin Watson	1935
William Augustus Massebeau	1922	James Warren Ariail	1936
Daniel D. Dantzler	1922	J. Walter Daniel	1936
		Achille Sassard	1936

Albert Myers Gardner	1937	Walter Vance Jerman	1940
Thomas Edward Morris	1937	John William Elkins	1940
James Kirkland Inabinet	1937	John Hagan Graves	1940
John Reddick Sojourner	1938	George Henry Waddell	1940
Bellinger Joseph Guess	1938	Hubert Floyd Jordan	1941
Paul Kistler Crosby	1938	Richard Herbert Jones	1941
Frederick Latine Glennan	1938	Henry William Shealy	1941
George Emory Edwards	1938	Thos. Washington Godbold	1941
William Henry Perry	1939	Lloyd Thomas Phillips	1941
George Washington Davis	1939	Levi LeRoy Bedenbaugh	1941
William Summerhill Myers	1939	William Edward Sanders	1942
Peter Stokes	1939	William Clarke Kirkland	1942
James Alexander Campbell	1939	Eben Taylor	1942
James Pierce Attaway	1939	Grover Cleveland Gardner	1942



HISTORICAL

CONFERENCE BROTHERHOOD

Report of Treasurer

For the period July 1st, 1941 to Sept. 2nd, 1942.

Receipts:

Balance July 1st, 1941 -----	\$ 285.58
Dividend Nat. Loan & Ex. Bank -----	3.39
Membership dues -----	1,500.00

Total -----	\$1,788.97
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Expenditures:

Paid beneficiaries -----	\$1,570.00
Paid expenses -----	218.97

Total Expenditures -----	\$1,788.97
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Account closed September 2nd, 1942.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. GRIFFIN, Treasurer.

P. S.—Thirty dollars received since audit and disbursed.

The Audit Committee

West Columbia, S. C., Sept. 17, 1942.

To Whom it may Concern:

We have this day made a careful audit of the books of J. D. Griffin, Treasurer of the Conference Brotherhood, and find them to have been neatly and accurately kept.

Signed:

G. H. VARN,

J. E. BROWN,

Audit Committee

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The eighty-seventh annual session of the South Carolina Historical Society convened in the Bishopville Methodist Church auditorium, Bishopville, S. C., on Saturday morning, October 31st, 1942, at eleven o'clock. Rev. L. D. Hamer, first vice-president, was in the chair. The minutes of the 1941 session were read and approved.

On nomination of R. Wright Spears for the executive committee, the Reverend M. L. Banks was elected speaker for 1943, and the Reverend W. D. Gleaton was elected alternate. The treasurer's report was read and approved. The Conference adopted a motion to increase the dues for 1942 to fifty cents per member.

Dr. C. C. Norton, of Wofford College, delivered the annual ad-

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. J. T. McFARLANE

dress, "Beginnings of the Methodist Conference in South Carolina," on Thursday, October 29th at 12:00 noon.

The society was adjourned by the vice-president.

L. D. HAMER, 1st Vice-President,
THOMAS M. GODBOLD, Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

On hand in People's Bank and Trust Co., Andrews, S. C.	
November 7, 1942 -----	\$26.29
Dues received from 1941 Annual Conference -----	28.23
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TOTAL	\$54.52

Expenditures:

Travel for Speaker -----	\$ 8.00
First payment on Printing Address -----	40.00
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	\$48.00
Balance in People's Bank and Trust Co., Andrews, S. C. \$	6.52
Balance due Southern Christian Advocate -----	16.00

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS M. GODBOLD, Treasurer.

MISCELLANEOUS

STANDING RULES

Standing Rules for the South Carolina Annual Conference

A. General Regulations:

1. The Bishop, the District Superintendents, and the Host Pastor shall be a Committee to arrange the Annual Conference Program.

2. As far as applicable the parliamentary rules of the last General Conference shall govern this body.

3. Lay members of Boards and Committees (who are not members of the Conference) may have the privileges of the floor for speaking to their reports.

4. Reports from Boards, Commissions and Committees, together with all resolutions to the Conference, shall be presented in triplicate.

5. The Committee on Nominations shall be responsible for the selection of persons to write the memoirs of preachers who have died during the year. These shall be published in the printed Journal. A page shall be inscribed to the memory of preachers' wives, and widows, deceased.

6. A Contingent Fund of \$250, shall be maintained out of the funds collected for the secretarial and Journal expense: in order to finance (1) commission, (2) judicial proceedings, and (3) other proper needs unprovided for. The Conference Treasurer shall be the custodian of this fund, and shall make disbursements on order of the Conference, or of the cabinet in the interim.

7. No trustee or member of the faculty or staff of any institution, or manager of any interest, shall at the same time be a member of the parent or supervising board or commission, unless otherwise required by the Discipline.

B. Ministerial Character and Records:

1. In accordance with the optional provisions of paragraph 465 in the Discipline, the name of each Preacher shall be called in open Conference session. At the completion of the call, by districts, the District Superintendent shall answer for the characters of all the Preachers in his District; provided, that the names of retired preachers, undergraduates, local elders, and those serving appointments other than pastoral charges, may be called at the discretion of the presiding Bishop.

2. The Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications, and the Board of Ministerial Training shall prepare each year jointly for the Conference Secretary, a statement concerning the age, domestic status, education and ministerial experience of each preacher admitted on trial; and a similar statement concerning each preacher admitted into full connection; these statements to be included in the daily journal.

C. Nominations and Board Organization:

1. The District Superintendents shall be a Standing Committee on Nominations for membership on Boards, Commissions, and Standing Committees, and shall also make nominations for vacancies occurring in same, except as otherwise provided for in the Discipline or by Conference order.

2. When a minister is appointed as District Superintendent his membership on any Disciplinary Board, Commission, or Committee automatically ceases; provided, that this shall not apply to ex-officio membership on Disciplinary Boards, nor to membership on Boards of Trustees, Boards of Managers, or service on Commissions and Committees when nominations are made by groups other than the Conference Committee on Nominations. All vacancies which may occur shall be filled from nominations made by the Conference Committee on Nominations before the final adjournment of the Annual Conference.

3. Each quadrennial Board shall be convened for organization (at which a majority of members must be present) by a District Superintendent appointed by the Bishop. The election of officers shall be by ballot.

4. Quadrennial Boards, Commissions and Committees shall assume their functions upon the adjournment of the Annual Conference except as otherwise required by the Discipline or by Conference action.

D. Board of Missions and Church Extension:

1. The Board of Missions and Church Extension shall be composed of one Layman from each district, an equal number of ministers, and such other additional members as are required by the Discipline.

E. Board of Education:

1. The Board of Education shall be composed of one layman from each district, and an equal number of ministers, such other additional members as provided for in the Discipline, and ex-officio, any member of the General Board of Education, living within the bounds of the Conference, unless precluded elsewhere in the Standing Rules. Additional nominations proposed by the Board shall be made only after consultation with the Cabinet.

2. Every two years (even numbered years) the Board shall nominate suitable persons to be elected by the Conference as Trustees of our educational institutions, including four managers of the Southern Christian Advocate. All of which institutions shall make their reports through this Board.

3. The Board of Education and the Board of Ministerial Training shall cooperate in appointing the Board of Managers for the Pastors' School.

4. Offerings for Church School Rally Day, Methodist Student Day, and Race Relations Sunday shall be sent to the Treasurer of the Conference Board of Education.

F. Board of Conference Claimants:

1. The Board of Conference Claimants shall be composed of six laymen and an equal number of ministers.

2. Appropriations to our claimants shall be sent direct to them.

G. Board of Hospitals and Homes:

1. There shall be a Board of Hospitals and Homes as provided for in the Discipline.

2. The Board of Hospitals and Homes shall receive the annual report of Epworth Orphanage and transmit same to the Annual Conference; and every two years (even numbered years) shall nominate to the Annual Conference suitable persons to be elected Managers of Epworth Orphanage.

3. The Board shall have authority to use Golden Cross or other available funds for the hospitalization of retired ministers, their wives, widows, and dependent children, widows and dependent children of ministers who have died in service; provided, that not more than \$50 shall be appropriated to any particular case during an Annual Conference year.

H. Board of Temperance:

1. The Board of Temperance shall be composed of one layman from each district and an equal number of ministers.

I. World Peace Commission:

1. This Commission shall be composed of four ministers and three laymen, and shall make an annual report to the Annual Conference.

J. Committee on Special Days:

1. There shall be a quadrennial Committee on Special Days composed of one representative from each Disciplinary Board, to which shall be referred all requests for the observance of special days, with or without offerings, other than provided for in the Discipline.

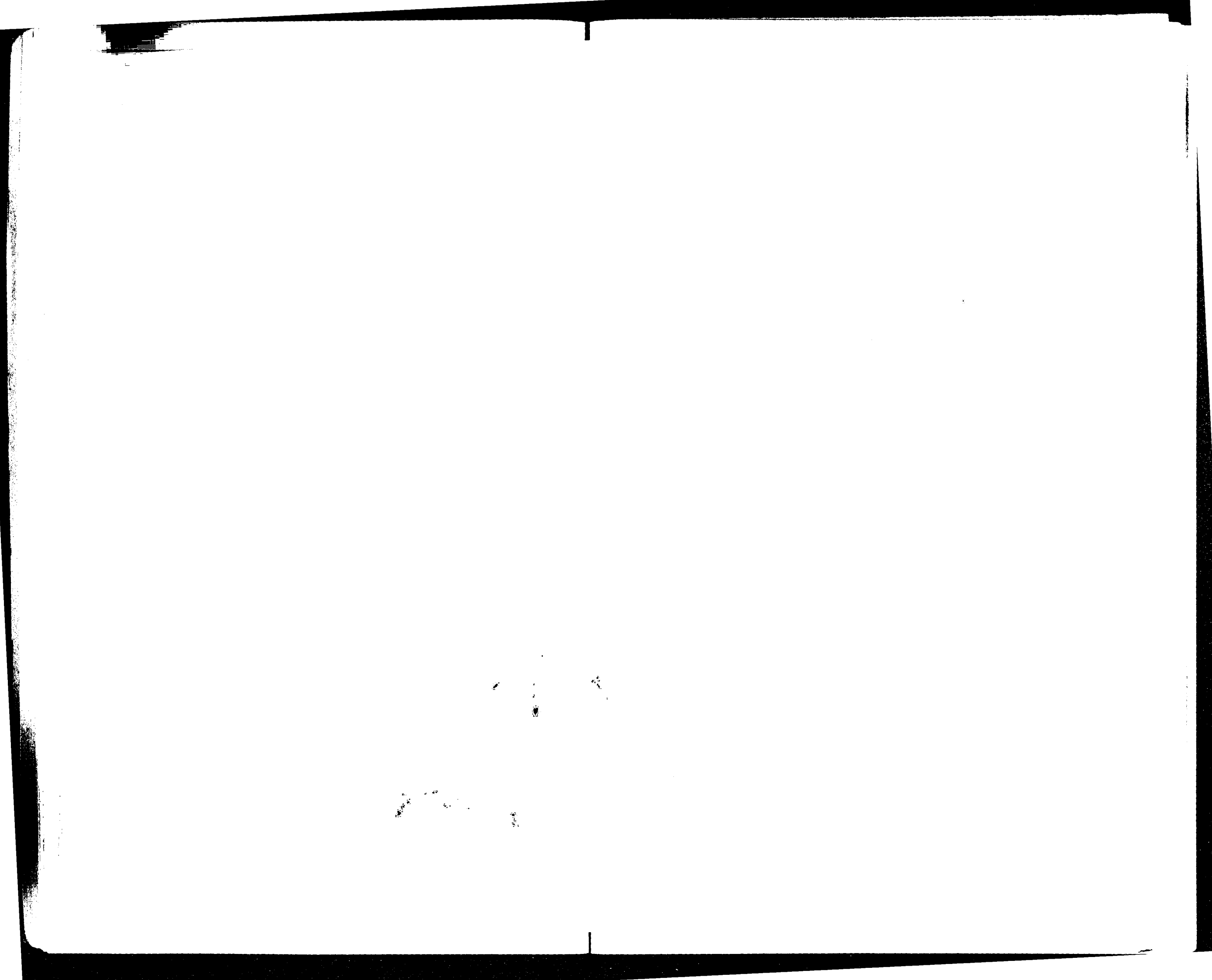
2. This Committee shall prepare and present to the Annual Conference a calendar of Special Days for its approval for the Conference year, including those required by the Discipline.

K. Journal and Yearbook:

1. There shall be a quadrennial Committee composed of four ministers and three laymen, together with the Secretary and Statistician ex-officio, which shall publish the Journal annually. This Committee shall also estimate yearly the amount needed to (1) publish the Journal and Yearbook, (2) finance the work of the Secretary and Statistician, (3) maintain the Contingent Fund, as provided for in A-6, and report its estimate to the Commission on World Service.

2. The Conference Journal shall be printed according to the recommendation of paragraph 1633 of the Discipline, with the Standing Rules and Statistics added.

3. The printed Journal shall be the official record of the Annual Conference.



4. A Committee shall be elected annually to examine the daily journal and report to the Conference.

L. Distribution of Apportionments:

1. The amount allotted by the Annual Conference to the Districts for Conference and Connectional purposes shall be apportioned to the charges by the District Stewards.

M. Benevolence Funds:

1. The Conference Treasurer shall be the custodian of all funds collected on the budget for Annual Conference Benevolences, and he may in the interim, upon request, pay to any Conference Boards such funds as he may have on hand to meet their needs; provided, that the pro rata required shall be duly observed in the final settlement.

2. Boards, Commissions and Committees of the Conference receiving appropriations shall make an annual report to the Conference giving an itemized statement of all receipts, disbursements and funds on hand.

3. The Commission on World Service and Finance shall include in the askings for Conference Work, annually, an amount for insurance sufficient to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$750.00 upon the death of a clerical member of the Conference. These funds shall be administered by the Conference Treasurer and the Executive Committee of the Commission on World Service and Finance. The Commission shall make an annual report to the Conference of all disbursements of this fund.

N. Districts:

1. There shall be 6 Districts in the South Carolina Annual Conference.

O. District Conferences:

1. A District Conference shall be held annually in each District.

2. Each pastoral charge shall be entitled to one lay delegate, elected annually by the quarterly conference, in addition to the membership provided for in the Discipline.

P. Support of District Superintendents:

1. In accordance with optional provisions of paragraphs 840 and 841 in the Discipline, the support of the District Superintendents shall be estimated and distributed by the District Stewards as set forth in paragraph 841.

Q. Lay Delegates to the Annual Conference:

1. The Lay Delegate and the Reserve Lay Delegate to the Annual Conference shall be elected annually in each pastoral charge.

R. Election Managers:

1. At any session of the Annual Conference where there are to be elections of Officers or Delegates by ballot, there shall be elected a Board of Managers composed of one minister and one layman from

each District, which shall conduct elections as the Annual Conference shall direct.

S. Election of Delegates:—General and Jurisdictional Conferences:

1. Delegates to the General and the Jurisdictional Conferences shall be elected according to the recommendations of the General Conference in paragraph 351, Section 3, in the Discipline.

T. Standing Rules Committee:

1. There shall be a quadrennial Committee on Standing Rules composed of five persons.

2. This Committee shall make an annual report immediately following the organization of the Conference.

U. Amendments to Standing Rules:

1. Proposed amendments to the Standing Rules may be submitted by any member of the Conference and shall be referred to the Committee on Standing Rules for consideration and report to the Conference.

PASTORAL RECORD

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—CHARLESTON DISTRICT

CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY						INSURANCE					
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
Beaufort	6	4	407	14	26	20	427	....	2	1	31	3	54000	5672	1	5000	....	....	9500	..	..	....	....
Bluffton	....	3	241	4	11	33	223	....	....	1	7	3	9500	25	1	2500	....	....	2500	..	..	....	....
Charleston:																							
Asbury	11	4	986	7	27	57	1023	....	....	8	12	1	70000	....	1	8000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Bethel	13	8	1515	20	60	43	1552	....	....	10	38	1	75000	....	1	10000	....	20000	60000	..	..	....	....
Spring St.	22	3	1059	27	31	33	1084	....	....	1	48	1	50000	....	1	8000	....	6600	17000	..	..	....	....
Trinity	16	5	638	19	28	19	666	....	....	2	29	1	62000	....	1	7000	....	....	180000	..	..	....	....
Cherokee Place	10	9	402	27	57	27	459	....	....	10	31	1	4500	....	1	3650	....	....	4000	..	..	....	....
North Charleston	11	26	270	56	126	56	396	....	1	1	23	2	10000	....	1	3000	....	....	3500	..	..	....	....
Cottageville	11	17	419	19	11	10	439	....	....	1	38	3	12750	....	1	2000	....	....	3000	..	..	....	....
Dorchester-Lebanon	16	....	516	16	1	4	529	....	....	1	20	3	3800	....	1	2000	....	....	1500	..	..	....	....
Ehrhardt	....	....	293	....	6	5	294	....	....	....	22	4	14000	....	2	3000	....	....	3500	..	..	....	....
Estill	1	....	286	....	12	10	291	....	....	1	28	5	12000	....	2	6000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Hampton	1	7	408	7	14	97	332	....	....	1	39	3	22000	....	1	3000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Harleyville	1	9	875	32	1	12	896	....	....	1	16	4	10000	....	1	2500	....	1250	4000	..	..	....	....
Hendersonville	....	....	273	....	8	8	281	....	....	7	24	3	11000	....	1	3000	....	100	3000	..	..	....	....
Lodge	1	2	406	4	3	5	408	....	....	1	19	4	10000	....	1	4000	....	....	4500	..	..	....	....
Meggetts	6	4	380	6	10	7	391	....	....	1	20	4	12000	....	1	4000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Ridgeland	12	14	278	17	20	7	308	....	....	1	29	2	3500	....	1	3000	....	....	2000	..	..	....	....
Ridgeville	7	1	536	8	6	10	540	....	....	2	25	4	10000	....	1	4000	....	....	1000	..	..	....	....
Ruffin	16	4	680	13	10	13	690	....	....	1	11	4	10000	....	1	3000	....	....	30000	..	..	....	....
St. George	13	7	695	10	18	19	704	....	....	1	34	2	68000	....	1	5000	694	....	7300	..	..	....	....
Summerville	4	1	447	5	15	4	463	....	....	....	36	1	15000	....	1	5000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Summerville Ct.	11	....	510	4	9	11	512	....	....	1	14	3	7000	....	1	2000	....	....	....	..	..	....	....
Walterboro	23	8	658	35	23	12	704	....	....	1	34	1	40000	....	1	10000	....	1000	15000	..	..	....	....
Yemassee	1	....	159	6	44	10	199	....	....	6	25	3	6200	....	1	2700	300	....	2500	..	..	....	....
Totals	214	136	13337	361	637	514	13811	1	11	47	647	68	602250	5697	26	109850	994	28950	365300	..	..	....	....

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—CHARLESTON DISTRICT

CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS

CHARGE	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance																			Woman's Work	
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2, 3, 4, 5	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members	
											Children	Youth	Adults								
Beaufort	113	61	93	25	135	....	....	292	18	....	....	....	....	292	7	....	....	1	61
Bluffton	37	43	23	19	71	....	....	129	....	....	....	....	....	129	4	....	....	3	36
Charleston:																					
Asbury	139	119	165	65	250	33	24	545	75	....	....	....	....	545	6	....	....	34	122
Bethel	216	150	390	62	450	82	25	925	74	....	....	....	....	925	15	....	....	60	250
Spring St.	185	132	172	81	325	69	22	661	44	....	....	....	....	661	14	....	....	15	93
Trinity	125	88	58	36	175	39	12	358	23	....	....	25	....	358	16	....	....	5	97
Cherokee Place	207	180	145	28	390	20	9	589	92	....	....	....	....	589	12	....	....	13	62
North Charleston	129	86	75	23	195	10	....	323	113	....	....	....	....	323	40	....	....	12	66
Cottageville	71	66	101	23	110	....	....	261	....	....	....	....	....	261	15	....	....	25	33
Dorchester-Lebanon	77	64	54	21	170	....	....	216	....	....	....	....	....	216	8	....	....	....	35
Ehrhardt	30	32	65	23	112	....	....	150	....	....	....	....	....	150	....	....	....	4	61
Estill	41	24	61	19	99	....	....	148	....	....	....	....	....	148	1	....	....	3	49
Hampton	77	46	93	34	155	13	7	270	55	....	....	....	....	270	7	....	....	4	32
Harleyville	154	147	157	29	270	....	....	490	28	....	....	....	....	490	32	....	....	7	50
Hendersonville	46	27	80	18	105	....	....	171	50	....	....	....	....	171	2	....	....	2	61
Lodge	59	65	82	28	125	....	....	234	....	....	....	....	....	234	....	....	....	2	59
Meggetts	30	29	53	14	87	....	....	134	....	....	....	....	....	134	....	....	....	4	68
Ridgeland	87	60	84	19	158	6	....	256	20	....	....	....	....	256	9	....	....	....	63
Ridgeville	91	71	106	33	156	32	5	238	69	....	....	....	....	238	8	....	....	9	60
Ruffin	52	106	195	28	175	....	....	285	....	....	....	....	....	285	8	....	....	....	40
St. George	68	106	151	42	390	44	31	442	60	....	....	....	....	442	10	....	....	35	114
Summerville	70	62	55	25	140	18	12	242	65	....	....	....	....	242	5	....	....	15	96
Summerville Ct.	74	73	61	26	140	....	....	233	95	....	....	....	....	233	4	....	....	11	40
Walterboro	77	42	71	23	98	....	....	224	82	....	....	....	....	224	22	....	....	10	123
Yemassee	21	23	36	14	56	....	....	94	....	....	....	....	....	94	6	....	....	1	26
Totals	2276	1902	2543	758	4357	367	166	7775	963	103	393	128	256	51	1897	

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—CHARLESTON DISTRICT

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice
Beaufort:																						
Carteret St.	1500	1500	150	150	34	34	60	60	....	208	394	....	447	91	423	84	234	61	....	235	230	....
Lobeco	100	100	10	10	2	2	4	4	....	18	25	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Port Royal	100	100	10	10	2	2	4	4	....	18	25	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals	1700	1700	170	170	38	38	68	68	800	244	444	....	447	91	423	84	234	61	....	235	230	3686
Bluffton:																						
Bluffton	300	252	30	26	6	5	12	10	....	51	51	....	72	20	44	1323	....	10	....	53	31	1878
Hardeeville	345	356	34	34	3	3	14	14	....	50	53	....	54	15	48	....	....	6	....	52	29	664
St. Luke	230	230	23	23	5	5	9	9	....	41	42	....	10	5	23	....	....	4	....	48	35	429
Totals	875	838	87	83	19	18	35	33	475	142	146	....	136	40	115	1323	....	20	....	153	95	2971
Charleston:																						
Asbury	2800	2800	280	280	63	63	112	112	1600	1200	1200	....	718	325	649	95	....	185	....	4710	490	11246
Bethel	3600	3600	360	360	81	81	144	144	1800	1825	1825	....	1598	297	3185	5710	....	294	....	3993	669	22897
Spring St.	3000	3000	300	300	67	67	120	120	1630	900	945	....	259	166	2264	1214	848	113	....	1276	443	10407
Trinity	2700	2700	270	270	60	60	108	108	1350	1318	1350	....	1410	123	1493	92	....	483	....	3753	725	12567
Cherokee Place	1800	1800	180	180	40	40	72	72	975	425	425	....	474	....	791	1588	....	23	....	710	283	6286
North Charleston:																						
Midland Park	305	350	30	30	7	7	12	12	....	50	50	....	250	105	237	11	....	16	....	50	127	1300
N. Charleston	700	1050	70	84	15	15	28	28	....	105	105	....	363	95	190	1375	250	20	....	200	78	3853
Totals	1005	1400	100	114	22	22	40	40	550	155	155	....	613	200	427	1386	250	36	....	250	205	5153
Cottageville:																						
Cottageville	1020	1100	102	102	23	23	40	40	....	125	185	....	126	21	466	125	....	33	....	65	291	2335
Providence	130	135	13	13	3	3	5	5	....	35	72	....	15	14	84	15	....	....	....	25	61	392
Rehobeth	250	267	25	25	6	6	10	10	....	45	82	....	100	....	187	10	....	....	....	55	93	745
Totals	1400	1502	140	140	32	32	55	55	725	205	334	....	241	35	737	150	....	33	....	145	445	3472
Dorchester-Lebanon:																						
Lebanon	325	345	33	33	7	7	13	13	....	32	32	....	....	....	53	....	....	....	....	80	67	621
Pregnall	150	150	15	15	4	4	6	13	....	19	19	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25	9	233
Salem	325	325	32	32	7	7	13	13	....	25	25	....	....	....	52	....	....	....	....	43	4	468
Spring Hill	175	175	17	17	4	4	7	7	....	19	19	....	....	....	....	100	....	....	....	20	....	249
Zion	325	359	33	33	7	7	13	13	....	21	21	....	....	....	123	200	....	....	....	50	28	849
Totals	1300	1354	130	130	29	29	52	52	725	116	116	....	....	....	228	300	....	....	....	218	98	2520
Ehrhardt:																						
Pleasant Hill	300	300	30	30	7	7	12	12	....	45	45	....	15	....	32	....	....	....	....	6	20	438
St. James	300	300	30	30	7	7	12	12	....	51	51	....	22	....	46	....	....	....	....	7	23	494
Wesley Chapel	300	300	30	30	7	7	12	12	....	132	132	....	25	....	70	....	....	....	....	10	30	616
Zion	300	300	30	30	7	7	12	12	....	45	45	....	16	....	27	....	....	....	....	6	16	459
Totals	1200	1200	120	120	28	28	48	48	700	273	273	....	78	....	161	....	....	....	....	28	89	2007
Estill:																						
Estill	850	850	85	85	19	19	34	34	....	188	188	....	251	....	121	....	....	4	....	156	157	1812
Furman	375	380	37	37	9	9	15	15	....	115	115	....	85	....	68	196	....	2	....	178	75	1143
St. John	600	600	60	60	13	13	24	24	....	169	169	....	104	....	59	....	....	3	....	36	50	1101
Totals	1825	1830	182	182	41	41	73	73	975	472	472	....	440	....	248	196	....	9	....	370	282	4056
Hampton:																						
Brunson	438	438	44	44	10	10	18	18	....	60	60	....	76	20	29	10	....	....	....	....	26	....
Gifford	135	135	13	13	3	3	5	5	....	14	14	....	52	5	16	75	....	....	....	....	7	....
Hampton	557	557	56	56	12	12	22	22	....	70	70	....	81	....	89	15	....	....	....	....	16	....
Varnville	500	500	50	50	11	11	20	20	....	63	63	....	112	15	61	....	....	....	....	....	35	....
Totals	1630	1630	163	163	36	36	65	65	875	207	207	....	301	40	175	100	....	....	....	427	84	3136
Harleyville:																						
Bethel	194	226	19	19	5	5	8	8	....	62	76	....	....	14	36	65	....	....	....	75	29	557
Duncan	350	358	35	35	8	8	14	14	....	96	106	....	79	18	56	250	....	....	....	46	32	1006
Harleyville	556	660	56	56	12	12	22	22	....	164	202	....	69	52	109	14	....	....	....	86	132	1401
Indian Fields	400	420	40	40	9	9	16	16	....	63	72	....	....	....	114	800	....	....	....	47	20	1546
Totals	1500	1665	150	150	34	34	60	60	800	385	456	....	148	84	315	1129	....	60	....	254	213	4501
Hendersonville:																						
Ebenezer	370	370	37	37	8	8	15	15	....	72	72	....	20	25	71	50	....	....	....	75	35	793
Peniel	82	82	8	8	1	1	3	3	....	7	7	....	....	....	1	1500	....	....	....	4	8	1620
Salem	435	435	43	43	10	10	17	17	....	76	76	....	53	25	98	173	....	....	....	110	86	1161
Totals	887	887	88	88	19	19	35	35	500	155	155	....	73	50	170	1723	....	32	....	189	129	3574
Lodge:																						
Ashton	180	180	18	18	4	4	7	7	....	6	6	....	....	....	23	....	....	....	....	17	9	....
Cross Swamp	362	362	36	36	8	8	15	15	....	36	36	....	....	....	61	....	....	....	....	47	20	....
Lodge	374	374	38	38	9	9	15	15	....	54	54	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	39	32	....
Williams	284	284	28	28	6	6	11	11	....	54	54	....	....	....	17	....	....	....	....	43	50	....
Totals	1200	1200	120	120	27	27	48	48	700	150	150	....	111	25	150	....	....	....	....	146	111	2338

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—CHARLESTON DISTRICT (Con.)

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
Meggetts:																							
Adam's Run	352	430	35	35	8	8	14	14	.....	15	15	.....	37	.....	.....	1200	.....	10	.....	8	13	.....	1753
Ravenel	254	258	25	25	6	6	10	10	.....	24	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	25	1	.....	391
St. Andrews	150	159	15	15	3	3	6	6	.....	21	21	.....	35	.....	156	125	108	15	.....	75	20	.....	475
St. Francis	779	829	78	78	17	17	31	31	.....	42	42	.....	210	20	72	1800	.....	20	.....	20	61	.....	3016
Totals	1535	1676	153	153	34	34	61	61	791	102	102	.....	282	20	228	3135	108	45	.....	128	95	.....	5635
Ridgeland:																							
Ridgeland	1550	1583	155	155	35	35	62	62	.....	466	466	.....	231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	229	.....	.....
Tillman	250	359	25	25	5	5	10	10	.....	60	60	.....	76	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....
Totals	1800	1942	180	180	40	40	72	72	975	526	526	.....	307	25	519	.....	.....	44	.....	25	289	.....	4145
Ridgeville: Cypress																							
Mt. Tabor	365	365	36	36	8	8	15	15	.....	45	47	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	60	.....	646
New Hope	725	743	72	72	16	16	30	30	.....	100	110	.....	102	.....	211	.....	.....	.....	.....	95	87	.....	1567
Trinity	375	390	38	38	8	8	15	15	.....	85	87	.....	.....	.....	163	.....	.....	10	.....	68	98	.....	877
Totals	335	352	34	34	8	8	12	12	.....	25	22	.....	93	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	18	.....	637
Totals	1800	1850	180	180	40	40	72	72	850	255	266	.....	195	.....	517	.....	.....	10	.....	234	267	.....	3737
Ruffin:																							
Adnah	140	140	14	14	4	4	5	5	.....	28	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Bethel	630	630	63	63	13	13	25	25	.....	60	60	.....	63	.....	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....
Ruffin	530	530	53	53	12	12	22	22	.....	58	58	.....	53	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....
Tabor	250	250	25	25	6	6	10	10	.....	39	39	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Totals	1550	1550	155	155	35	35	62	62	785	185	185	.....	116	.....	203	3000	.....	15	.....	230	117	.....	5676
St. George	2500	2500	250	250	56	56	100	100	1350	500	500	.....	665	110	944	.....	400	142	.....	930	378	.....	6597
Summerville	1800	2000	180	180	40	40	72	72	975	464	464	.....	859	109	363	2870	.....	50	.....	1189	257	.....	9049
Summerville Ct.:																							
Boone Hill	390	390	39	39	9	9	16	16	.....	36	42	.....	.....	11	113	1400	.....	.....	.....	12	31	.....	2088
Branch	440	440	44	44	9	9	17	17	.....	25	25	.....	169	13	85	200	.....	.....	.....	5	15	.....	1039
Stallville	370	370	37	37	9	9	15	15	.....	74	74	.....	21	25	171	291	.....	.....	.....	8	53	.....	1104
Totals	1200	1260	120	120	27	27	48	48	600	135	141	.....	190	49	369	1891	.....	.....	.....	25	99	.....	4221
Walterboro	2500	2500	250	250	56	56	100	100	1250	1050	1050	.....	392	85	960	562	.....	74	.....	525	565	.....	7122
Yemassee:																							
Early Branch	125	125	12	12	3	3	5	5	.....	38	38	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	3	.....	21	22	.....	.....
Ebenezer	425	725	42	42	9	9	17	17	.....	102	102	.....	107	36	92	.....	115	21	.....	106	83	.....	.....
Mt. Carmel	175	175	18	18	4	4	7	7	.....	24	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	11	.....	.....
Totals	725	1025	72	72	16	16	29	29	275	164	164	.....	107	36	120	.....	115	24	.....	139	116	.....	1997
Totals	43832	45349	4380	4390	980	979	1751	1749	23056	11553	12051	.....	10160	1910	15754	26548	1955	1753	.....	20211	6774	.....	148996

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—FLORENCE DISTRICT

CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY					INSURANCE						
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried	Cherries Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
Bennettsville	10	4	1061	18	33	17	1095	.....	.....	3	64	1	75000	.....	1	8000	.....	.....	43500	..	..	.....	.....
Bennettsville Ct.	1	4	358	8	5	5	366	.....	.....	1	48	3	20000	.....	1	10000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beulah	.....	.....	261	.....	.....	6	257	.....	.....	1	17	5	14000	.....	1	3000	.....	3500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cheraw	8	5	575	10	8	14	579	.....	.....	12	62	1	30000	.....	1	6000	.....	.....	25000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chesterfield	1	20	992	29	43	15	1049	.....	.....	35	1	1	37000	.....	1	5000	.....	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darlington	6	5	460	11	14	14	471	.....	.....	1	33	1	50000	.....	1	7500	3950	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darlington Ct.	5	17	585	24	1	8	602	.....	.....	1	29	4	9000	.....	1	2500	250	.....	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....
E. Chesterfield	8	.....	548	9	8	4	561	.....	.....	1	15	5	24000	.....	1	5000	.....	.....	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Florence	25	29	2383	49	97	103	2426	.....	.....	2	196	1	100000	.....	1	10000	.....	.....	35000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hartsville	7	8	647	19	36	30	672	.....	.....	1	54	1	85000	.....	1	8500	.....	.....	30000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hartsville Ct.	23	42	637	73	9	8	711	.....	.....	1	28	4	15000	.....	1	3000	.....	2600	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jefferson	1	3	432	4	2	7	431	.....	.....	1	31	4	15300	.....	1	3000	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lamar	.....	2	834	3	4	10	831	.....	.....	1	15	4	23500	2750	1	2500	.....	500	15000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberty	1	9	410	13	1	6	418	.....	.....	1	39	3	11000	.....	1	2500	.....	5000	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marlboro	.....	14	574	19	1	5	589	.....	.....	1	4	5	12000	.....	1	3000	425	.....	2000	.....	.....	.....	.....
McBee	1	31	518	59	16	18	575	.....	.....	1	30	1	20000	.....	1	3000	.....	.....	15500	.....	.....	.....	.....
McCall	.....	5	379	7	9	11	384	.....	.....	1	34	1	40000	.....	1	10000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pageland	.....	4	700	7	5	4	708	.....	.....	1	12	5	12000	.....	1	2000	.....	.....	4500	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ruby	1	.....	429	.....	7	14	422	.....	.....	5	.....	4	6800	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tatum & Hebron	.....	.....	264	4	1	7	262	.....	.....	4	23	2	19500	.....	1	6000	.....	1000	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Timmons ville	2	8	416	4	4	9	415	.....	.....	1	28	3	37500	.....	1	4000	.....	.....	14000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	100	210	13680	370	307	315	13824	.....	.....	5	133	706	656600	2750	21	106000	4625	13600	229200	..	..	.....	.....

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—FLORENCE DISTRICT

CHARGE	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																		Woman's Work			
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance										Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members		
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 21, 22, 23, 24, 25	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 21, 22, 23, 24, 25	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Children	Youth	Adults									
Bennettsville	170	170	140	56	.....	55	35	571	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	571	17	.....	.....	.....	1	156
Bennettsville Ct.	30	36	132	28	155	18	173	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	173	4	.....	.....	.....	3	82
Beulah	103	68	79	23	150	273	273
Cheraw	84	60	126	47	153	29	24	370	48	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	370	9	No	.....	27	1	65
Chesterfield	135	169	201	52	332	57	.....	614	82	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	711	27	.....	.....	.....	3	116
Darlington	77	56	95	37	.....	45	26	336	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	336	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	72
Darlington Ct.	110	125	150	28	205	23	14	417	75	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	417	24	.....	.....	.....	2	48
E. Chesterfield	75	110	108	45	225	6	344	344	7
Florence	243	206	532	111	500	100	30	1222	117	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1247	29	.....	.....	114	1	289
Hartsville	108	148	108	55	.....	25	40	484	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	484	14	.....	.....	.....	1	130
Hartsville Ct.	128	131	171	56	315	58	27	591	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	601	56	.....	.....	.....	2	56
Jefferson	60	80	108	26	151	.....	.....	274	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	274	2	.....	.....	.....	1	13
Lamar	101	93	144	41	230	.....	8	387	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	387	3	.....	.....	.....	2	75
Liberty	98	88	109	26	160	.....	38	359	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	359	13	.....	.....	.....	3	49
Marlboro	25	257	257	16
McBee	111	93	167	37	210	14	67	487	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	487	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	64
McCall	22	50	70	16	100	15	15	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188	6	.....	.....	.....	1	50
Pageland	68	80	107	34	183	14	24	510	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	644	7	.....	.....	.....	1	24
Ruby	39	59	54	25	92	.....	.....	174	15	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	174	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	22
Tatum & Hebron	47	64	94	21	131	9	14	249	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	249	4	.....	.....	.....	2	31
Timmons ville	38	77	101	26	178	.....	.....	243	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	243	8	.....	.....	.....	3	67
Totals	1847	1963	2806	815	3470	462	540	8350	625	153	50	356	106	264	8789	247	.....	.....	170	33	1412

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—FLORENCE DISTRICT

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Appportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Appportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Appportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Appportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Appportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice		
Bennettsville	2880	2880	345	346	65	65	115	115	1591	1320	1320	....	1610	170	1139	2287	....	238	5	1227	1101	....	12503
Bennettsville Ct.:																								
Antioch	236	236	28	36	6	6	10	11	115	50	50	....	62	....	45	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	....
Boykin	682	682	82	72	15	12	27	23	330	150	150	....	79	35	85	....	....	....	....	....	73	....	....
Pine Grove	682	682	82	72	15	12	27	23	330	150	150	....	....	40	85	....	....	55	....	....	125	....	....
Totals	1600	1600	192	180	36	30	64	57	775	350	350	....	141	75	215	....	....	55	....	....	221	....	2874
Beulah:																								
Berea	106	106	13	13	2	2	4	4	65	17	17	....	....	....	17	....	....	....	....	17	8	....	185
Beulah	211	211	25	25	6	6	8	8	120	34	34	....	....	....	53	....	....	4	....	1	29	....	373
Ebenezer	127	148	15	15	3	3	5	5	75	20	22	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	....	57	17	....	230
Shiloh	106	131	13	13	2	2	4	5	65	17	18	....	....	....	101	....	....	....	....	6	19	....	349
Smyrna	63	63	8	8	1	1	3	3	40	12	10	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	6	9	....	110
Totals	613	659	74	74	14	14	24	25	375	100	101	....	....	....	193	....	....	4	....	81	80	....	1247
Cheraw	2600	2600	312	312	58	58	104	104	1320	1000	1100	....	465	137	383	135	....	86	....	....	570	....	7278
Chesterfield:																								
St. Paul	1050	1050	126	126	23	24	42	42	580	375	375	....	435	....	251	28	....	91	....	301	198	....	....
Shiloh	525	525	63	63	12	12	21	21	290	187	187	....	81	21	219	....	....	20	....	37	100	....	....
Zoar	525	525	52	63	12	12	21	21	290	188	187	....	263	42	229	280	....	19	....	28	187	....	....
Totals	2100	2100	252	252	47	47	84	84	1160	750	750	....	779	63	699	308	....	130	....	366	485	....	5980
Darlington	2400	2400	288	288	54	54	96	96	1320	800	800	....	674	107	800	356	....	190	....	1108	500	....	7103
Darlington Ct.:																								
Bethel	160	160	19	19	2	2	4	4	....	60	60	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....
Epworth	700	700	60	60	10	10	20	20	....	50	50	....	....	50	346	....	150	....	....	....	173	....	....
Indian Branch	300	300	36	36	6	6	12	12	....	40	40	....	68	12	44	....	....	....	....	....	25	....	....
Pine Grove	400	400	48	48	8	8	16	16	....	50	50	....	60	16	95	....	....	....	....	....	55	....	....
Totals	1560	1560	163	163	27	26	54	54	755	200	200	....	128	78	485	....	150	....	....	....	256	....	3020
E. Chesterfield:																								
Bethesda	165	165	20	20	4	4	6	7	95	18	18	....	....	10	80	35	....	....	....	18	14	....	371
Friendship	253	283	28	28	6	6	10	10	200	36	36	15	64	167	117	7	20	13	732
Mt. Olivet	374	374	43	43	9	8	15	15	210	42	42	....	....	....	153	55	....	....	....	12	70	....	762
Penial	165	165	21	21	6	3	7	6	150	18	18	....	....	10	90	285	....	....	....	18	14	....	630
Pleasant Grove	253	253	28	28	5	6	10	10	95	36	36	....	....	....	74	690	....	....	....	18	69	....	1184
Totals	1200	1310	140	140	30	27	48	48	610	150	150	35	461	1232	117	7	86	180	3679
Florence	3600	3600	432	432	81	81	144	144	2000	2000	2000	....	1628	....	1812	1329	3800	236	....	8688	1128	....	25678
Hartsville	3000	3000	360	360	67	67	120	120	1657	1400	1510	....	678	110	1123	....	....	670	....	1211	402	....	11554
Hartsville Ct:																								
Bethlehem	800	800	96	96	18	18	32	32	450	175	175	....	174	44	135	40	....	40	....	315	75	....	1943
New Market	200	200	24	24	5	5	8	8	125	50	50	....	....	16	59	10	....	3	....	50	8	....	433
Philadelphia .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Prospect	200	200	24	24	5	5	8	8	125	50	50	....	....	13	26	20	....	....	....	15	8	....	370
Twitty Chapel	600	600	72	72	12	13	24	24	350	70	70	....	35	23	165	300	....	30	....	195	26	....	1563
Totals	1800	1800	216	216	40	40	72	72	1050	345	345	....	209	96	395	370	....	75	....	575	117	....	4309
Jefferson:																								
Angelus	210	220	25	26	5	5	8	9	117	55	55	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	20	....	....	....
Fork Creek	306	350	39	42	7	8	13	14	181	55	55	....	....	....	150	....	....	....	....	60	....	....	....
Jefferson	585	635	70	76	13	14	24	25	327	100	100	....	104	15	71	....	....	45	....	31	....	....	....
Providence	80	95	10	12	1	2	3	4	45	15	15	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals	1200	1300	144	156	26	29	48	52	670	225	225	....	104	15	246	....	....	45	....	111	91	....	2383
Lamar:																								
Elim	280	280	35	35	6	6	11	11	160	80	80	....	41	....	44	....	....	7	....	29	34	....	568
Lamar	820	1020	97	98	18	19	33	33	500	250	250	....	163	60	195	794	625	93	....	712	187	....	4249
Newman Swamp	350	150	42	41	8	8	14	14	160	80	80	....	....	....	30	....	....	....	....	27	27	....	277
St. Paul	150	150	18	18	4	3	6	6	80	40	40	....	....	....	28	....	....	8	....	25	2	....	280
Totals	1600	1600	192	192	36	36	64	64	880	450	450	....	204	60	307	794	625	108	....	793	250	....	5374

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—FLORENCE DISTRICT (Con.)

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Appointed	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Appointed	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Appointed	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Appointed	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Appointed	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice
Liberty:																						
Friendship	186	186	22	22	4	4	8	8	80	35	35	.....	42	5	37	300	.....	15	.....	43	20	.....
Liberty	384	384	46	46	9	9	15	15	195	85	85	.....	48	5	11	99	.....	14	.....	74	32	.....
Tabernacle	510	554	61	61	11	11	20	20	260	110	115	.....	29	24	87	66	.....	41	.....	55	74	.....
Willow Creek .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	1080	1124	129	129	24	24	43	43	535	230	230	.....	119	34	135	465	.....	70	.....	172	126	.....
Marlboro:																						
Bethel	120	110	13	13	2	2	5	4	70	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Ebenezer	300	280	36	34	7	6	12	11	165	45	28	.....	.....	.....	37	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
New Hope	250	253	30	32	6	5	10	10	130	37	35	.....	.....	.....	38	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Oak Grove	140	160	18	19	3	3	5	6	80	20	5	.....	.....	.....	77	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Pleasant Hill	190	192	23	23	4	4	8	9	100	30	20	.....	.....	.....	180	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Totals	1000	1000	120	120	22	20	40	40	550	150	118	.....	.....	.....	339	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
McBee:																						
Ashland	187	187	22	22	4	4	8	8	95	25	35	.....	64	.....	38	30	.....	.....	.....	15	25	.....
Hebron	107	106	13	13	2	2	4	4	51	15	20	.....	.....	7	16	75	.....	.....	.....	10	10	.....
McBee	693	693	84	84	16	16	28	28	345	110	123	.....	126	52	228	200	.....	.....	.....	20	70	.....
Union	614	614	73	73	14	14	24	24	295	100	115	.....	80	24	85	30	.....	.....	.....	16	47	.....
Wilke's Chapel	110	110	6	13	1	.....	2	.....	25	25	25	.....	.....	.....	12	40	.....	.....	.....	10	6	.....
Totals	1650	1710	192	205	37	36	66	64	811	260	318	.....	170	83	518	375	.....	.....	.....	71	158	.....
McColl	2000	2000	240	216	45	45	80	80	985	400	400	.....	583	91	156	342	.....	63	.....	357	286	.....
Pageland:																						
Antioch	120	120	14	14	3	3	4	4	70	20	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Five Forks	195	195	24	24	4	4	8	8	115	33	50	.....	.....	15	94	10	.....	20	.....	16	55	.....
Pageland	690	690	82	82	15	15	28	28	380	115	130	.....	125	60	253	340	.....	20	.....	48	57	.....
Zion	375	375	45	45	8	9	15	15	165	63	50	.....	.....	.....	80	12	.....	.....	.....	23	32	.....
Zoar	120	120	15	15	3	3	5	5	70	20	10	.....	.....	.....	58	50	.....	10	.....	50	9	.....
Totals	1500	1500	180	180	33	34	60	60	795	250	250	.....	125	75	485	424	.....	50	.....	137	164	.....

Ruby:																						
Bethel	100	98	12	8	2	2	4	3	55	15	7	.....	.....	.....	16	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Ebenezer	125	125	15	15	3	3	5	5	62	15	2	.....	.....	.....	30	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Mt. Croghan	350	291	42	30	8	4	14	14	200	30	16	.....	.....	.....	50	16	.....	.....	.....	10	23	.....
Ruby	375	329	45	31	5	5	15	10	216	40	5	.....	.....	.....	46	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Totals	950	843	114	84	21	14	32	27	527	100	22	.....	.....	.....	136	128	.....	.....	.....	10	28	.....
Tatum & Hebron:																						
Hebron	950	950	108	108	19	19	34	34	470	122	122	.....	110	40	308	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tatum	950	950	108	108	19	19	34	34	470	122	122	.....	110	40	308	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	1800	1800	216	216	40	41	72	72	940	240	240	.....	220	80	616	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Timmons ville:																						
Pisgah	720	720	87	86	16	16	29	28	450	140	140	.....	305	57	151	265	.....	.....	.....	81	133	.....
Salem	300	300	36	36	7	7	12	12	190	50	57	.....	122	17	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	53	43	.....
Timmons ville	840	840	100	108	19	19	33	34	520	160	160	.....	288	37	33	373	.....	.....	.....	133	151	.....
Totals	1860	1860	223	230	42	42	74	75	1160	350	357	.....	699	111	330	725	.....	139	.....	256	327	.....
Totals	37793	38146	4512	4479	845	830	1510	1496	20486	11280	11412	.....	8589	1410	10847	9469	4932	2238	.....	515133	6410	.....

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—KINGSTREE DISTRICT

CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY					INSURANCE						
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
Andrews	1	3	286	7	16	12	297	...	...	1	39	1	30150	...	1	3500	...	...	10750	...	...	...	...
Black River	1	11	569	12	6	3	584	...	...	2	24	6	10700	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cades	4	...	641	6	1	13	682	...	...	1	21	1	12000	...	1	3500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Georgetown	19	...	646	32	44	24	698	...	...	1	1	1	65000	1600	2	20500	...	2600	34000	...	...	...	...
Greeleyville & Lanes	...	...	284	8	1	17	276	...	...	2	22	2	8000	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hemingway	1	...	929	5	15	5	937	...	...	1	1	1	6500	...	1	3000	...	...	2500	...	...	...	...
Jamestown	20	...	278	1	3	4	278	...	...	1	1	1	7250	...	1	2600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Johnsonville	12	...	769	15	14	5	793	...	...	1	5	5	16000	...	1	6000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kingstree	6	...	498	7	34	28	517	...	...	1	16	4	40000	1500	1	6000	...	...	1500	...	...	...	...
Lake City	4	11	673	19	36	17	711	...	...	1	38	1	44000	...	1	6000	...	...	25500	...	...	...	...
McClellanville	9	...	395	3	10	5	270	...	...	1	32	2	7500	...	1	8000	...	...	25000	...	...	...	...
Mt. Pleasant	1	5	68	7	2	4	73	...	...	1	30	3	2000	150	1	2000	...	...	2000	...	...	...	...
New Zion	1	...	480	5	9	4	430	...	...	...	4	1	2000	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pamplico	...	...	544	1	...	6	538	...	...	1	14	4	10000	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pinopolis	3	7	512	12	20	15	539	...	...	14	35	7	7500	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Stephens	2	9	305	13	6	10	314	...	...	...	7	4	15500	...	1	4000	...	...	4000	...	...	...	...
Sampit	...	...	545	14	2	6	555	...	...	...	10	5	9000	750	1	3000	...	125	2500	...	...	...	...
Seranton	...	19	529	25	11	15	550	...	...	...	57	5	8500	...	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trio	...	10	387	23	7	7	410	...	...	...	17	5	6400	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turbeville-Olanta	7	...	599	10	...	4	605	...	...	...	28	4	35000	...	1	3000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Union	5	5	552	13	5	2	568	...	...	1	20	3	35000	...	1	5800	...	...	15000	...	...	...	...
Totals	116	107	10414	238	242	262	10625	1	3	42	546	75	379500	3900	21	86900	...	2725	132450	...	...	...	...

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—KINGSTREE DISTRICT

CHARGE	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																			Woman's Work	
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance										Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members	
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2-7	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Children	Youth	Adults								
Andrews	49	40	55	17	91	10	25	160	58	...	5	18	25	...	160	4	...	...	1	60
Black River	79	69	83	27	...	...	...	258	30	...	...	33	...	...	258	...	...	...	2	75
Cades	88	105	137	27	210	25	26	242	...	...	...	30	20	...	442	6	...	...	3	103
Georgetown	121	85	153	45	200	45	...	449	88	...	20	25	...	...	449	29	...	...	2	44
Greeleyville & Lanes	51	33	37	19	...	...	4	144	60	...	...	...	...	...	144	8	...	...	2	101
Hemingway	140	151	119	33	250	2	51	395	207	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	16
Jamestown	66	67	40	17	...	4	...	190	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	56
Johnsonville	70	74	69	25	240	...	...	315	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	15	...	...	2	98
Kingstree	69	53	75	20	115	10	8	235	46	...	10	25	...	...	431	7	...	21	1	111
Lake City	136	75	155	33	220	22	10	431	109	...	27	20	...	...	...	11	...	4	1	49
McClellanville	63	45	47	15	92	...	...	270	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	12
Mt. Pleasant	15	25	22	6	35	...	...	68	...	20	...	15	...	...	68	7	...	...	1	45
New Zion	84	86	78	30	145	...	2	274	...	...	...	...	...	...	274	5	...	...	1	41
Pamplico	83	71	69	23	...	...	...	246	35	...	...	30	...	...	...	12	...	...	2	70
Pinopolis	100	122	86	37	192	29	...	374	165	...	...	...	...	...	374	...	...	...	4	34
St. Stephens	96	62	61	27	128	...	...	374	35	...	25	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	2	52
Sampit	51	65	69	19	165	...	...	221	...	162	...	...	...	...	221	...	...	...	2	38
Seranton	91	198	88	33	215	...	...	329	...	...	...	...	...	...	329	...	...	...	2	95
Trio	65	52	59	22	145	...	...	198	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	3	24
Turbeville-Olanta	89	42	74	29	185	34	7	261	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Union	53	51	51	17	95	14	...	186	...	...	...	...	...	...	186	13	...	...	2	...
Totals	1659	1456	1618	524	2662	195	133	5611	862	164	85	226	45	...	2936	183	...	25	37	1124	

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—KINGSTREE DISTRICT

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
Andrews Totals	1800	1800	207	207	40	40	72	72	896	350	350	.....	312	82	351	65	.....	8	.....	150	247	.....	3769
Black River:																							
Beulah	135	145	15	16	3	3	5	5	76	30	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cedar Swamp	405	425	47	47	9	9	16	16	227	80	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	229
Live Oak	68	90	8	8	2	2	3	3	38	16	29	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	689
Millwood	192	205	22	22	4	4	8	8	107	40	45	.....	.....	12	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	233
Mt. Vernon	470	490	54	54	11	11	19	19	263	104	118	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	355
Salters	330	343	38	38	7	7	13	13	185	40	60	.....	20	.....	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	877
Totals	1600	1698	184	185	36	36	64	64	896	310	367	.....	25	58	326	.....	20	.....	.....	163	48	.....	780
Cades:																							
Bethesda	388	388	38	38	7	7	13	13	185	50	50	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cades	330	350	38	38	8	8	14	14	185	50	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	531
Hebron	525	613	60	60	12	12	21	21	294	127	127	.....	80	.....	70	64	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	767
Pergamos	315	373	36	38	7	7	12	13	176	45	45	.....	273	.....	224	235	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	1107
Totals	1500	1525	172	174	34	34	60	61	840	272	272	.....	383	10	341	459	.....	67	.....	.....	133	.....	3618
Georgetown Totals	2600	2600	299	299	58	58	104	104	1456	850	850	.....	794	118	830	679	1650	368	.....	1147	430	.....	8015
Greeleyville & Lanes:																							
Greeleyville	1100	1100	126	126	25	25	44	44	739	233	233	.....	404	45	140	.....	.....	63	.....	142	103	.....	2467
Lanes	400	400	46	46	9	9	16	16	269	117	117	.....	73	20	63	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	50	.....	830
Totals	1500	1500	172	172	34	34	60	60	1008	350	350	.....	477	65	203	.....	.....	63	.....	163	153	.....	3297
Hemingway:																							
Ebenezer	375	460	43	44	8	8	15	15	210	40	56	.....	13	28	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	73	.....	826
Hemingway	1050	1075	121	115	24	21	42	42	588	150	186	.....	206	45	157	700	.....	.....	.....	89	112	.....	2748
Old Johnsonville	375	382	43	48	8	8	15	15	210	50	51	.....	93	.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	31	.....	726
Totals	1800	1917	207	207	40	37	72	72	1008	240	287	.....	312	73	264	700	.....	.....	.....	192	215	.....	4300

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—KINGSTREE DISTRICT (Con.)

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
Pinopolis:																							
Appi	59	59	6	6	1	1	2	2	33	12	12	.....	.....	.....	22	5	.....	1	.....	8	5	103
Ebenezer	81	81	9	9	2	2	4	4	46	16	16	.....	.....	.....	19	19	.....	.....	58	8	.....	229
Friendship	395	395	41	41	9	9	16	16	221	81	81	.....	45	.....	34	41	.....	5	.....	65	31	775
Moncks Corner	463	463	61	61	10	17	17	17	259	95	95	.....	87	.....	62	206	.....	4	.....	240	81	1331
Pinopolis	294	294	38	38	6	6	11	11	166	76	76	.....	108	.....	47	196	.....	7	.....	120	98	1010
Smyrna	205	225	18	18	5	5	10	10	115	37	37	.....	32	.....	22	.....	3	.....	55	30	443	
Totals	1500	1520	173	173	34	34	60	60	840	320	320	.....	272	.....	165	489	.....	23	.....	546	253	3891
St. Stephens:																							
Cordsville	58	58	7	7	1	1	2	2	28	8	8	5	82
Gough	57	57	6	6	1	1	2	2	28	7	7	7	80
Hood's Chapel	88	88	10	10	2	2	3	3	44	8	8	.....	.....	.....	13	100	.....	.....	.....	35	15	275
Rehoboth	175	175	20	20	4	4	8	8	86	15	15	.....	41	.....	32	175	.....	.....	.....	10	26	508
St. Stephens	300	300	35	35	7	7	12	12	148	34	34	.....	24	34	89	600	100	25	.....	130	28	1418
Santee	72	72	8	8	2	2	3	3	35	8	8	.....	.....	.....	21	50	.....	.....	.....	23	12	204
Totals	750	750	86	86	17	17	30	30	369	80	80	.....	65	34	155	925	100	25	.....	198	93	2469
Sampit: Bethel	90	90	11	11	1	1	3	3	48	10	10	.....	.....	.....	101	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	14	253
Friendship	55	60	6	6	1	1	2	2	30	7	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	85
Goudin Chapel	130	162	15	15	3	3	5	5	70	17	17	.....	.....	.....	33	100	.....	.....	.....	33	.....	378
Oak Grove	150	152	17	17	4	4	6	6	80	22	22	.....	.....	.....	55	20	.....	.....	.....	8	27	319
Sampit	150	150	17	17	4	4	6	6	80	14	14	57	9	29	286
Totals	575	615	66	66	13	13	22	22	308	70	70	.....	.....	.....	246	129	.....	.....	.....	24	111	1321
Scranton:																							
Bethesda	170	176	19	20	4	4	7	7	95	9	10	.....	.....	2	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	13	297
Cameron	160	178	18	18	3	4	6	6	89	15	17	.....	.....	.....	52	27	.....	.....	.....	18	23	320
Elim	384	384	44	44	8	8	15	15	215	26	33	.....	.....	33	82	15	.....	.....	.....	25	46	606
St. Paul	566	603	65	65	12	12	23	23	316	40	45	.....	40	.....	67	850	.....	.....	.....	40	25	1743
Scranton	425	475	48	48	9	9	17	17	237	40	45	.....	220	28	100	300	200	12	.....	60	46	1267
Totals	1705	1816	194	194	36	36	68	68	952	130	150	.....	260	63	344	1192	200	12	.....	161	153	4233
Trio:																							
Concord	110	129	12	12	2	2	4	4	59	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	9	174
Earle	200	203	23	23	4	4	8	8	106	30	30	.....	131	.....	13	20	.....	.....	.....	14	22	468
Harmony	175	178	20	20	4	4	7	7	93	25	25	3	5	256
Sutton	365	372	42	42	8	8	15	15	194	50	52	.....	28	.....	17	4	.....	.....	.....	42	32	612
Trio	375	385	43	43	9	9	15	15	200	50	50	.....	27	.....	36	27	.....	.....	.....	12	76	680
Totals	1225	1267	140	140	27	27	49	49	652	155	158	.....	186	.....	66	54	.....	.....	.....	97	144	2190
Turbeville-Olanta:																							
Nazareth	880	880	101	101	20	20	35	35	448	150	165	61	551	100	200	42	8	219	1468
Pine Grove	468	468	54	54	10	10	19	19	238	75	83	25	187	840	60	49	1770
St. John	302	302	35	35	7	7	12	12	154	30	33	35	200	13	15	657
Totals	1650	1650	190	190	37	37	66	66	840	255	281	438	86	798	1140	200	115	8	283	4353
Union:																							
Elim	250	260	28	28	6	6	10	10	140	40	41	.....	.....	72	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	10	375
Good Hope	250	250	28	28	6	6	10	10	140	40	40	5	47	3	392
Union	700	718	80	80	15	15	28	28	392	122	146	.....	120	51	102	100	.....	.....	.....	37	47	1416
Totals	1200	1228	136	136	27	27	48	48	672	202	227	.....	120	78	151	100	.....	.....	.....	47	60	2183
Totals	32210	32976	3664	3672	711	710	1275	1279	17585	6693	6872	6079	1265	6595	7028	2707	1033	11	5528	4098	76213

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—MARION DISTRICT

CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY						INSURANCE				
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
Aynor	12		613	11	7	6	625															
S. Aynor	9	15	487	22	1	1	510	1	1	49	4	12000		1	3000				3000			
Blenheim			658				658			39	5	10000	100		3000				1000			
Bucksville		1	422	1	2	3	422			10	4	12000		1	3000							
Centenary	2		444	7		2	449			38	7	11000		1	3000							
Clio	2	3	449	6		2	450			11	5	11000			3000							
Conway	7		831	16		23	852			32	1	50000		1	4000				1500			
Conway Ct.	1	11	613	10	6	22	652	2	45	4	1	60000		1	10000	1540			17000			
Dillon	1	6	589	11	18	24	657			18	4	10000		1	4000				33500			
Floydale			696	3	6	7	698	1	12	61	1	50000	290	1	7500				5000			
Lake View			436		2	12	426			31	4	7500		1	1500							
Latta	3		474	6	2	12	471			5	1	10000		1	3500				1000			
Little River		11	359	11	2		368			12	4	21000		1	8000				500			
Little Rock			278				278			4	4	5000			2000							
Loris	6	17	496	19		14	517			14	4	10000		1	3000							
Marion	10	8	893	20	24	25	912			17	3	11500		1	4500							
Mullins	15		893	6	10	13	896			3	46	1	100000		1	5000			1	3500		
Mullins Ct.		3	175	14	15	7	197	1	2	35	1	55000		1	13000			8000	47500			
Myrtle Beach		2	281	13	18	24	288			33	5	31000		1	8000			4000	38000			
Nichols	3	10	452	18	16	56	427			6	26	1	72386	5400				500	4000			
Waccamaw		1	281	1	3	11	288			1	30	4	11000		1	4000				27000		
Totals	79	104	10850	195	175	759	10705		4	121	497	65	556886	5790	17	104000	1540	18000	269500	1	3500	

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—MARION DISTRICT

CHARGE	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																			Woman's Work			
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance											Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings						No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Churches School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members
Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2, 3, 4, 5	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Children	Youth	Adults											
Aynor	103	92	124	50	205	25	36	430	80	151				75	20		430	11		30	2	48	
S. Aynor	125	123	106	55	200	30		419	116					40			419	22		32	3	59	
Blenheim	33	72	58	19	110			181		40				20		27	23				1	25	
Bucksville	105	83	135	30	231			353						47			353	1			2	36	
Centenary	71	76	121	27	73		24	322						65		70	392	2			3	58	
Clio	24	31	65	15	72	10	10	155	20					6		153		6			4	90	
Conway	184	123	222	75	278	37	15	656						35			656	16		5	1	152	
Conway Ct.	104	121	167	27	270			419						45	25		419	14			2	34	
Dillon	52	22	127	20	61	12	24	257	33			12		32		11	268	8			1	120	
Floydale	36	63	50	21	102			162	65								162	3		4	4	60	
Lake View	55	89	105	24	198		3							40			287				2	59	
Latta	22	24	76	23	86	5	7	157						12			157	4			1	98	
Little River	72	56	61	19	29			198									198				2	42	
Little Rock	8	7	18	5	21			38		5		4					38				1	11	
Loris	85	105	114	36	138			340	35					36				13			2	55	
Marion	146	118	240	39			60	594	23					36			594	20		14	1	190	
Mullins	115	109	165	39	245	42	37	507		50				20			507	3		25	1	108	
Mullins Ct.	60	58	75	27	220	1		221	21	66				19	5	121	344	3			4	49	
Myrtle Beach	84	63	85	17	131	12	8	269	47			15		22	19		288	9			1	79	
Nichols	71	98	95	42	177			136	44					44			136	18		3	4	69	
Waccamaw	47	54	43	20	90		8	171									171				1	29	
Totals	1605	1587	2252	601	2237	182	242	5985	574	315	31	594	69	403	5843	153			112	40	1471		

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—MARION DISTRICT

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice
Aynor: Aynor	575	861	69	69	13	13	23	23	303	125	134	.....	61	34	232	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rehoboth	275	360	33	33	6	6	11	11	145	50	50	.....	.....	2	31	.....	.....	18	.....	14	85	1561
Sandy Plains	300	336	36	36	7	7	12	12	160	60	61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	524
Zoan	150	194	18	18	3	3	6	6	80	40	41	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	115	720
Totals	1300	1751	156	156	29	29	52	52	700	275	286	.....	113	69	342	.....	.....	81	.....	14	227	3120
S. Aynor:																						
Cool Spring	245	277	29	29	6	5	10	10	129	50	53	.....	30	5	91	200	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jordanville	245	280	29	29	5	5	10	10	129	50	50	.....	.....	13	87	50	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pisgah	300	380	36	36	7	8	12	12	166	65	72	.....	.....	22	83	.....	555	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Hill	105	140	13	13	2	2	4	4	58	20	23	.....	146	.....	83	140	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zion	400	438	48	48	9	9	16	16	233	60	65	.....	45	11	100	100	10	.....	.....	22	.....	.....
Totals	1295	1515	155	155	29	29	52	52	650	245	263	.....	221	51	308	390	1052	11	.....	22	.....	4169
Blenheim:																						
Bethlehem	395	401	47	47	9	9	16	16	180	80	80	.....	.....	.....	12	20	.....	.....	.....	5	44	649
Blenheim	135	140	17	17	3	3	6	6	110	25	25	.....	.....	.....	37	5	.....	.....	.....	4	7	244
Parnasus	495	508	59	59	11	11	20	20	236	100	100	.....	.....	.....	54	40	.....	.....	.....	5	59	879
Zion	175	180	21	21	4	4	6	6	68	20	20	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	9	255
Totals	1200	1229	144	144	27	27	48	48	580	225	225	.....	72	.....	113	75	.....	.....	.....	19	119	2099
Bucksville:																						
Hebron	117	117	14	14	3	3	5	5	58	15	25	.....	7	4	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	191
Mineral Springs	150	152	18	18	3	3	6	6	64	18	19	.....	7	4	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	225
Union	372	398	45	45	8	8	15	15	192	47	54	.....	73	9	170	600	.....	.....	.....	48	27	1437
Willow Springs	361	395	43	43	8	8	14	14	181	45	45	.....	19	5	92	650	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	1294
Totals	1000	1062	120	120	22	22	40	40	540	125	143	.....	110	22	280	1250	.....	.....	.....	48	75	3147
Centenary:																						
Centenary	600	600	72	72	13	13	24	24	120	120	120	.....	86	.....	36	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	962
Central	375	375	45	45	8	8	15	15	80	80	80	.....	24	.....	21	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	571
Olivet	175	175	21	21	4	4	7	7	30	30	30	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	253
Soule's Chapel	250	250	30	30	6	6	10	10	50	50	50	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	374
Tabernacle	60	60	7	7	2	2	3	3	20	20	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92
Totals	1460	1460	175	175	33	33	59	59	780	300	300	.....	110	.....	96	.....	.....	19	.....	100	.....	2352
Clio Totals	1800	1800	216	216	41	40	72	72	890	450	450	.....	185	50	485	.....	.....	84	.....	292	344	3636
Conway	3100	3100	372	372	70	70	124	124	1650	1650	1650	.....	2502	196	1963	.....	210	203	.....	1753	867	12043
Conway Ct.:																						
Antioch	255	255	30	30	6	6	10	10	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	22	25	.....	2	.....	90	9	459
Brown Swamp	430	430	52	52	10	10	17	17	50	50	50	.....	340	.....	63	41	.....	3	.....	25	25	1056
El Bethel	280	280	33	33	6	6	12	12	50	50	50	.....	55	14	150	10	.....	2	.....	29	40	621
Poplar	625	635	77	77	14	14	25	25	75	75	75	.....	.....	12	131	53	.....	5	.....	40	41	1108
Totals	1600	1600	192	192	36	36	64	64	860	185	185	.....	395	26	366	129	.....	12	.....	184	115	3304
Dillon	3000	3000	360	360	68	68	120	120	1480	1375	1375	.....	1137	92	992	.....	25	165	.....	865	750	8138
Floydale:																						
Ebenezer	80	80	9	9	2	2	4	4	9	10	10	.....	18	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	136
Mt. Andrew	150	202	19	19	4	4	6	6	19	20	21	.....	26	.....	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	345
Sellers	250	251	30	30	5	5	10	10	21	30	30	.....	51	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	427
Zion	230	232	27	27	5	5	9	9	26	30	30	.....	20	.....	24	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	381
Totals	715	766	86	85	16	16	29	29	380	90	91	.....	115	.....	123	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	1290
Lake View:																						
Lake View	550	550	66	66	12	13	22	22	285	46	46	.....	102	19	99	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	53	.....
Tabernacle	275	275	33	33	6	6	11	11	145	23	23	.....	.....	8	114	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....
Union	550	550	66	66	13	12	22	22	285	45	45	.....	47	26	139	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	.....
Totals	1375	1375	165	165	31	31	55	55	740	114	114	.....	149	54	351	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	2501
Latta	1800	1850	216	216	41	41	72	72	800	500	560	.....	332	65	129	250	.....	89	.....	586	253	4379
Little River:																						
Ebenezer	136	136	17	17	3	3	5	5	70	29	29	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	5	.....
Little River	298	298	36	36	7	7	12	12	138	52	52	.....	100	12	45	32	.....	.....	.....	60	25	.....
Salem	193	193	24	24	5	5	8	8	100	51	51	.....	130	11	45	50	.....	7	.....	5	27	.....
Wampee	198	198	23	23	4	4	8	8	100	39	39	.....	.....	4	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Totals	825	825	100	100	19	19	33	33	400	171	171	.....	230	27	128	82	.....	7	.....	71	67	1722
Little Rock:																						
Bethesda	100	100	12	12	2	2	4	4	50	25	25	.....	.....	.....	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	179
Manning Chapel	200	200	24	24	5	5	8	8	100	15	15	.....	.....	.....	56	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	362
Mt. Pisgah	800	800	96	96	18	18	32	32	400	60	60	.....	73	.....	56	21	.....	.....	.....	1	41	1200
Oakland	1100	1101	132	132	25	25	44	44	680	100	100	.....	73	.....	112	46	.....	.....	.....	2	76	1742

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—MARION DISTRICT (Con.)

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge		District Superintendent		Bishops Appointed	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants		Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
	Appointed	Paid	Appointed	Paid			Appointed	Paid															
Loris:																							
Antioch	65	65	8	8	2	2	2	2	35	8	8	...	...	10	22	...	...	...	4	7	...	110
Camp Swamp	443	558	53	53	10	10	12	12	215	80	80	...	...	15	61	1800	...	...	40	16	...	2620
Iona	310	310	37	37	7	7	13	13	200	60	70	...	21	89	...	...	...	50	32	...	597	
Loris	982	1167	118	118	22	22	39	39	440	180	217	...	74	40	309	...	...	152	132	...	2098	
Totals	1800	2100	216	216	41	41	72	72	860	328	375	...	95	65	481	1800	...	...	246	187	...	5425
Marion	3000	3000	360	360	68	68	120	120	1500	1250	1320	...	1292	188	1275	...	273	...	1895	706	...	9831	
Mullins	2600	2650	312	312	59	52	104	104	1400	1250	1260	...	1194	165	1330	191	230	...	291	639	...	7679	
Mullins Ct.: Hopewell	180	180	22	22	4	4	7	7	95	35	35	...	26	3	74	50	6	...	...	18	...	425
Millers	500	646	60	60	11	11	20	20	255	100	110	...	80	75	325	5000	6	...	...	86	...	6481
Pleasant Hill	225	225	27	27	5	5	9	9	105	50	50	...	5	2	34	75	6	...	10	10	...	468	
Shiloh .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Spring Branch	180	180	21	22	4	4	7	7	95	40	40	...	28	13	31	15	6	...	...	13	...	359
Totals	1085	1231	130	131	24	24	43	43	570	225	235	...	186	93	474	5140	24	...	10	127	...	7733	
Myrtle Beach	2000	2000	240	240	45	45	80	80	860	400	450	...	708	89	342	551	4900	191	...	1315	211	...	9851
Nichols:																							
Center	350	350	42	42	8	8	14	14	190	50	50	...	38	19	148	100	...	...	56	59	...	889
Floyds	460	460	55	55	10	10	18	18	235	75	75	...	20	15	67	35	...	...	66	52	...	876
Nichols	735	735	88	88	17	17	30	30	355	200	200	...	146	24	118	25	30	...	130	181	...	1730	
Tranquil	105	105	13	13	2	2	4	4	45	20	20	...	16	9	20	2	...	...	32	12	...	239
Totals	1650	1650	198	198	37	37	66	66	800	345	345	...	229	67	358	162	30	...	282	304	...	3734	
Waccamaw:																							
Belin Memorial	300	300	36	36	7	7	12	12	120	15	24	...	56	10	61	...	...	...	...	29	...	506
Bethel	40	44	5	5	1	1	2	2	20	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57
Centenary	120	120	14	14	3	3	5	5	50	5	5	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	14	...	180
Socastee	350	558	42	42	8	8	14	14	235	20	28	...	93	21	109	...	...	...	...	39	...	692
Totals	810	1022	97	97	19	19	33	33	430	45	62	...	149	31	189	...	...	...	...	82	...	1435
Totals	34515	35887	4142	4141	780	772	1382	1382	17610	9648	9960	...	9590	1350	10237	10070	6187	1437	...	7895	5486	...	99330

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY					INSURANCE			Loss Collected			
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried		Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage
Allendale	2	1	299	5	5	5	304	...	...	27	1	14000	...	1	5000	...	10925	11000	...	...	8000	...	6250
Bamberg: Trinity .....	...	...	531	12	...	11	540	...	...	44	1	28000	...	1	8000	2500	...	18700	1	...	...	...	...
Bamberg & Orangeburg Mills	33	...	300	8	...	1	307	...	...	26	1	9000	...	1	4000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barnwell	6	...	335	...	15	9	341	...	...	12	1	27500	...	1	3000	...	...	17600	...	...	...	...	...
Bowman	13	6	675	15	11	11	690	...	...	22	4	23900	...	1	5000	1000	...	6500	...	...	...	...	...
Branchville	4	...	593	15	30	30	586	...	...	38	4	35000	...	1	3500	...	...	19300	...	...	...	...	...
Cameron	17	5	482	26	36	36	480	...	...	40	3	14500	...	1	8000	...	...	10000	...	...	...	...	...
Denmark	7	...	365	2	10	7	370	...	1	42	1	40000	...	1	8000	...	...	24500	...	...	...	...	...
Edisto .....	...	...	291	2	6	6	290	...	...	33	3	10000	...	1	3000	1000	...	5500	...	...	...	...	...
Ellenton	1	7	369	7	13	13	364	...	...	43	5	20000	...	1	3000	...	...	4000	...	...	...	...	...
Ellenton-Jerusalem	3	...	545	5	10	10	547	...	...	15	3	26500	...	1	5000	...	...	2300	...	...	...	...	...
Eutawville .....	...	...	202	7	3	8	204	...	...	23	3	8230	...	1	1000	...	...	1000	1	...	1200	...	...
Grover	2	1	328	3	2	10	323	...	...	11	2	4000	...	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Holly Hill	7	...	496	3	11	11	499	...	...	84	3	48000	...	1	15000	1500	...	26000	...	...	...	...	...
North-Limestone	11	...	457	4	11	5	457	...	...	38	2	30000	750	1	5000	...	...	17500	...	...	...	...	...
Norway	4	7	513	8	14	14	515	...	1	34	4	9000	...	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Olar	4	6	389	10	6	3	402	...	2	31	5	17800	...	1	5000	6000	6500	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orange	3	2	579	3	4	5	581	...	...	30	3	12000	...	1	3000	2500	5000	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orangeburg: St. Paul	14	10	1539	35	54	60	1568	...	1	130	1	82000	8400	1	25000	5000	116000	...	...	...	...	...	...
Providence	4	...	351	4	7	5	357	...	...	56	1	50000	...	1	5000	6500	12500	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rowesville .....	...	...	518	2	...	187	333	...	...	11	4	7500	...	1	1000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Matthews	3	9	611	7	11	6	623	...	...	23	2	32000	...	1	5000	...	...	19500	...	...	...	...	...
St. Matthews Ct. .....	...	...	347	...	2	4	345	...	...	11	5	14000	...	1	3000	...	...	1500	...	...	...	...	...
Smoaks .....	...	8	624	33	5	4	658	...	...	15	4	11000	...	1	3000	1500	1000	1	...	45	...	45	...
Springfield	3	8	580	8	2	8	582	...	...	20	4	14300	...	1	5000	...	...	10500	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	114	86	12379	227	199	469	12266	...	3	38	844	67	589130	9150	25	135500	2500	35925	336200	3	...	9245	6295

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CHARGE	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																			Woman's Work	
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance										Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Members Number of Societies		
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2, 3, 4, 5	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Children	Youth	Adults								
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Allendale	12	25	52	12	...	8	12	121	18	...	...	...	...	121	5	...	1	1	48
Bamberg: Trinity	56	155	92	37	135	15	15	370	35	...	25	20	...	370	11	...	13	1	84		
Bamberg & Orangeburg Mills	73	49	45	17	...	...	...	82	...	...	...	...	...	82	...	...	...	2	39
Barnwell	42	22	57	19	...	8	3	151	...	...	...	...	...	151	...	...	...	1	50
Bowman	51	66	133	36	...	15	4	305	25	...	...	...	...	305	12	...	...	4	84
Branchville	76	102	115	49	202	26	33	333	30	...	23	18	...	303	15	...	21	1	65		
Cameron	60	74	105	28	165	16	15	298	62	...	6	...	...	298	25	...	10	3	84
Denmark	59	34	78	14	...	...	...	184	47	...	...	...	...	184	1	...	...	1	52
Edisto	44	34	82	19	...	...	8	187	15	...	...	...	15	202	1	...	...	2	65
Ellenton	37	37	42	14	...	...	...	132	...	...	...	...	...	132	7	...	...	3	54
Elmore-Jerusalem	59	49	87	22	106	21	...	238	25	...	14	8	...	238	2	...	1	2	63		
Eutawville	42	51	32	12	54	15	...	152	35	...	...	23	5	157	7	...	...	1	19
Grover	20	49	63	11	100	...	...	143	60	...	...	20	...	143	1	...	8	1	35
Holly Hill	79	61	169	40	...	23	15	387	25	...	...	...	...	387	3	...	...	3	86
North-Limestone	57	72	166	29	143	26	61	404	60	22	...	22	34	438	4	...	5	2	100		
Norway	64	92	102	33	...	12	8	311	30	...	...	...	...	311	8	...	...	3	66
Olar	32	56	99	21	...	...	...	194	...	...	...	...	...	194	5	...	...	3	59
Orange	49	61	85	24	117	...	...	307	...	...	...	10	2	307	3	...	...	2	61
Orangeburg: St. Paul's	205	207	353	109	...	118	25	1017	123	...	70	35	25	1017	31	...	61	1	244		
Providence	74	76	171	15	130	18	9	262	42	...	...	15	...	421	4	...	...	1	85
Rowesville	25	55	50	12	85	...	...	145	...	...	...	...	...	145	2	...	...	1	22
St. Matthews	42	36	108	29	135	14	...	229	24	...	...	...	...	229	1	...	...	2	110
St. Matthews Ct.	30	42	92	18	...	...	6	188	...	...	...	...	...	188	...	...	...	1	20
Snoaks	80	101	127	37	...	...	11	356	...	...	...	...	...	356	32	...	...	2	37
Springfield	33	79	67	25	128	15	...	204	23	...	12	18	14	204	8	...	...	2	53
Totals	1403	1685	2572	682	1500	350	225	6860	689	28	119	200	61	113	6888	194	...	120	46	1685	

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

CHARGE and CHURCH	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid District Superintendent	District Superintendent Apportioned	Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Beneficences Apportioned	Beneficences Accepted	Beneficences Paid	Judicial Con-ference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
Allendale	1800	1800	198	198	40	40	72	72	810	400	430	...	140	30	149	4738	...	59	...	158	121	...	7905
Bamberg: Trinity	2400	2400	264	264	54	54	96	96	1296	700	700	...	510	75	677	1484	300	...	8	172	313	...	6743
Bamberg-Orangeburg Mills:																							
St. John	330	330	36	36	7	7	13	13	162	75	75	...	49	9	37	...	...	...	9	25	...	...
South Side	330	330	36	36	7	7	13	13	162	75	75	...	115	21	88	1482	...	...	35	25	...	...
Totals	660	660	72	72	14	14	26	26	324	150	150	...	164	30	125	1482	...	...	44	50	...	2823
Barnwell:																							
Barnwell	1500	1500	165	165	34	34	60	60	776	160	160	...	991	29	262	405	2700	205	119	...	6760
Blackville	200	200	22	22	4	4	8	8	103	40	40	...	...	...	85	...	...	...	15	46	...	6421
Totals	1700	1700	187	187	38	38	68	68	880	200	200	...	991	29	347	405	2700	220	165	...	7181
Bowman:																							
Ebenezer	325	325	36	36	7	7	13	13	176	50	72	...	149	22	58	429	...	...	35	125	...	1286
Shiloh	200	200	22	22	5	5	8	8	108	25	25	...	127	13	19	...	...	...	27	22	...	483
White House	325	329	36	36	7	7	13	13	176	50	63	...	122	13	55	...	...	...	37	48	...	744
Wightman	350	362	38	38	8	8	14	14	188	25	28	...	38	3	37	91	...	...	29	28	...	705
Totals	1200	1216	132	132	27	27	48	48	648	150	188	...	436	51	169	520	...	...	128	222	...	3218
Branchville:																							
Branchville	1339	1339	147	147	30	30	53	53	690	378	387	...	603	18	302	295	...	...	377	166	...	3671
McAlbany	177	177	19	19	4	4	8	8	92	90	90	...	...	27	84	...	...	...	25	63	...	497
Prospect	258	258	29	29	6	6	10	10	132	80	80	...	...	15	66	10	...	...	45	30	...	549
Sardis	126	126	14	14	3	3	5	5	65	52	52	6	16	...	222	
Totals	1900	1900	209	209	43	43	76	76	979	600	600	...	603	60	452	305	453	275	...	4939	

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Cameron:																							
Cameron	765	765	84	84	17	17	31	31	413	150	156	169	18	126	25	102	114	1774	
Jericho	585	586	64	64	13	13	23	23	316	125	130	93	24	79	25	77	79	1200	
Shady Grove	450	450	50	50	10	10	18	18	243	175	186	131	4	31	25	174	1134		
Totals	1800	1801	198	198	40	40	72	72	972	450	472	393	46	236	50	204	367	4108	
Denmark:	2100	2100	221	231	47	47	84	84	1087	700	715	501	72	483	422	250	625	178	6227
Edisto:																							
Bethlehem	250	250	27	27	6	6	10	10	135	38	38	17	347	
Union	895	895	99	99	20	20	36	36	483	287	316	271	69	497	310	32	103	172	2821
Wesley Grove	355	355	39	39	8	8	14	14	192	50	50	40	12	67	15	30	56	686	
Totals	1500	1500	165	165	34	34	60	60	810	375	404	311	81	564	310	47	133	246	3854
Ellenton:																							
Cave	275	275	30	30	6	6	11	11	140	40	40	105	282	24	65	838	
Ellenton	330	330	36	36	8	8	13	13	180	60	60	447	
Gilletts	220	220	24	24	5	5	9	9	120	40	40	22	14	119	453	
Siloam	200	200	22	22	4	4	8	8	110	20	20	39	15	13	321	
Speedwell	275	275	31	31	6	6	11	11	140	40	40	13	376	
Totals	1300	1300	143	143	29	29	52	52	690	200	200	166	296	48	39	210	2435	
Elloree-Jerusalem:																							
Elloree	1150	1150	126	126	26	26	46	46	621	193	193	182	45	138	13	2	126	110	2227	
Gerigin	200	200	22	22	4	4	8	8	108	33	33	5	29	13	10	315	
Jerusalem	250	250	28	28	6	6	10	10	135	34	34	42	10	27	3	4	12	417	
Totals	1600	1600	176	176	36	36	64	64	864	260	260	224	60	194	48	16	2	143	132	2959
Eutawville:																							
Eutawville	405	405	45	45	9	9	16	16	213	60	81	128	26	56	3500	25	31	4322	
Black Creek	175	175	19	19	4	4	7	7	92	20	20	8	48	4	286	
Vance	120	120	13	13	3	3	5	5	62	20	20	11	172	
Totals	700	700	77	77	16	16	28	28	367	100	121	128	34	104	3500	25	46	4778	

Grover:																							
Appleby	50	60	6	6	1	1	2	2	25	15	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	90
Grover	850	872	93	93	19	19	34	34	425	110	116	....	92	....	109	1669	150	....	....	102	....	3349
Totals	900	932	99	99	20	20	36	36	450	125	131	....	92	....	109	1669	150	....	....	107	....	3439
Holly Hill:																							
Bethlehem	420	420	46	46	10	10	17	17	227	140	159	82	57	18	30	349	1188
Holly Hill	1260	1260	139	139	28	28	50	50	680	420	474	591	182	1813	54	400	273	5272
Target	420	420	46	46	10	10	17	17	227	140	159	93	147	125	18	30	69	1138
Totals	2100	2100	231	231	48	48	84	84	1134	700	792	766	386	1938	90	460	691	7602
North-Limestone:																							
Beulah	1020	1020	112	112	23	23	41	41	504	420	420	241	76	199	15	34	302	188	2689
Limestone	680	680	75	75	15	15	27	27	336	280	280	125	25	93	120	500	102	231	79	2376
Totals	1700	1700	187	187	38	38	68	68	840	700	700	366	101	292	135	500	136	533	267	5065
Norway:																							
Lebanon	325	325	36	36	7	7	13	13	172	40	40	....	36	11	64	8	....	....	20	27	....	553
Livingston	175	175	19	19	4	4	7	7	93	37	37	....	23	10	54	12	....	....	20	14	....	353
Pine Hill	280	280	31	31	6	6	11	11	149	33	33	....	....	9	58	6	....	....	10	18	....	438
St. John	550	550	60	60	13	13	22	22	293	200	200	....	136	26	166	110	....	....	35	89	....	1292
Totals	1330	1330	146	146	30	30	53	53	708	310	310	....	195	56	342	136	....	....	85	147	....	2696
Olar:																							
Beninger's Chapel	639	639	70	70	14	14	26	26	323	135	139	130	16	66	32	98	20	100	66	1428
Bethel	614	614	68	68	14	14	25	25	310	168	168	243	27	34	823	24	28	76	2150
Kearse	84	84	9	9	2	2	3	3	42	25	28	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	131
Mizpah	331	356	37	37	7	7	13	13	167	57	61	....	77	2	34	15	....	....	8	12	....	623
Salem	277	257	28	28	6	6	10	10	130	65	65	....	....	14	12	10	....	....	3	31	....	438
Totals	1925	1950	212	212	43	43	77	77	972	450	461	450	59	146	880	98	63	139	190	4789
Orange Andrews Chapel:																							
St. John	800	800	88	88	18	18	32	32	408	275	275	....	114	50	162	....	....	....	....	93	....	1402
Trinity	528	528	58	58	12	12	21	21	277	130	130	....	67	96	115	....	....	....	....	35	....	933
Totals	1600	1600	176	176	36	36	64	64	816	500	500	....	181	155	328	....	....	....	....	25	....	465
Orangeburg: St. Paul's:																							
St. Paul's	3600	3600	396	396	81	81	144	144	1890	2250	2300	1836	314	1957	882	1700	177	26	5749	1336	19101
Providence:																							
Providence	1800	1800	184	184	41	41	72	72	980	760	800	548	75	300	488	140	225	410	5142
Rowesville:																							
Bethel	250	250	30	30	5	5	8	8	124	30	30	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....
Cattle Creek	250	250	20	20	2	2	5	5	100	15	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....
New Hope	500	617	50	50	15	15	26	26	300	75	85	....	171	34	55	....	....	....	....	40	....	....
Prospect	200	246	32	32	5	5	9	9	124	30	30	4	
Totals	1200	1363	132	132	27	27	58	58	648	150	160	171	43	83	58	2216	

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St. Matthews:																							
St. Paul's	1705	1705	188	188	39	39	68	68	839	588	588	317	75	216	600	94	378	203	
Wesley Chapel	495	495	54	54	11	11	20	20	241	112	112	12	12	26	36	
Totals	2200	2200	242	242	50	50	88	88	1080	700	700	329	87	242	600	94	378	239	
St. Matthews Ct.:																							
E. Bethel	150	129	16	16	3	3	6	6	75	22	22	46	31	
W. Bethel	275	275	30	30	6	6	11	11	137	40	40	9	73	20	
Beulah	65	48	7	6	1	1	2	2	31	10	10	
Fort Motte	50	50	6	6	1	1	2	2	31	10	10	9	
Mt. Zion	61	10	
Totals	680	627	75	72	14	14	25	25	335	100	100	9	119	200	6	70	
Smoaks:																							
Green Pond	259	289	29	29	6	6	10	10	135	75	75	107	35	80	50	19	51	
Little Swamp	483	534	52	52	12	12	19	19	252	80	80	21	86	24	58	
Mt. Carmel	150	150	17	17	4	4	6	6	78	20	20	7	19	150	9	8	
Trinity	358	362	40	40	9	9	15	15	187	60	60	52	17	61	43	36	
Totals	1250	1335	138	138	31	31	50	50	652	235	235	159	80	246	200	95	153	
Springfield:																							
Neeses	300	300	33	33	8	8	12	12	163	50	50	85	20	55	19	71	94	
Rocky Swamp	
Salley	200	200	22	22	4	4	8	8	109	50	50	50	29	60	35	
Springfield	700	700	77	77	15	15	28	28	380	50	67	133	27	135	25	82	137	
Totals	1200	1200	132	132	27	27	48	48	489	150	167	218	47	240	73	213	266	
Totals	40145	40414	4302	4299	904	904	1613	1613	20594	11515	11796	9887	1619	8550	18252	35936	3591	44	9733	6412	127163

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CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY					INSURANCE			Loss Collected				
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried		Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	
Bethune	1	1	751	4	5	17	743	....	1	35	6	24000	....	1	5000	....	200	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bishopville	6	7	721	16	109	40	797	....	3	47	2	65500	....	1	10000	....	....	31500	....	....	....	....	....
Camden	5	7	488	10	32	38	492	....	7	7	1	30000	....	1	10000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
College Place	20	10	669	15	36	44	676	....	5	40	1	27500	....	1	4500	....	100	....	....	....	....	....	....
Columbia Ct.	3	4	449	4	10	8	455	....	2	39	1	25000	....	1	5000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Heath Springs .....	....	4	390	4	5	12	387	....	1	23	2	4200	....	1	3000	....	1000	....	....	....	....	....	....
Jordan	5	8	326	10	2	25	313	....	....	23	2	7000	....	1	4000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Kershaw	5	7	310	11	5	14	312	....	2	5	4	20000	....	1	3500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lynchburg .....	....	2	404	7	5	9	407	....	1	16	3	12500	....	1	3000	....	3500	....	....	....	....	....	....
Manning	17	1	354	5	16	20	355	....	2	38	1	30000	....	1	7000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Oswego	3	....	660	3	4	5	662	....	1	30	3	13000	....	1	4500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Pinewood .....	....	7	334	8	8	4	346	....	....	9	3	13000	....	1	3500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rembert .....	....	....	316	....	5	4	317	....	1	20	4	8000	....	1	3500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Spring Hill .....	....	2	477	2	3	8	474	....	....	6	3	9300	....	1	1800	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Summerton	3	5	374	24	9	4	403	....	1	30	1	15000	....	1	5000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sumter: Trinity	20	10	1515	30	35	19	1561	....	3	90	1	145000	....	1	12000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Broad St.	3	7	645	7	79	8	723	....	1	1	2	45000	....	1	4500	....	2000	....	....	....	....	....	....
Wesley Chapel & Hebron .....	....	7	645	22	5	5	677	....	1	1	2	7000	....	1	2500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
West Kershaw .....	....	....	251	5	56	3	309	....	....	5	4	8000	....	1	1500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals	91	89	10247	187	420	297	10389	1	2	34	478	50	509000	15600	19	93800	4936	10000	217600	1	40	40

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—SUMTER DISTRICT

CHARGE	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																		Woman's Work	
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance										Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2, 3, 4, 5	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Children	Youth	Adults							
											12	13	14							
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Bethune	82	86	122	53	206	...	343	32	...	...	...	...	...	343	3	...	...	4	57
Bishopville	111	105	196	27	215	12	487	73	...	...	...	35	20	487	15	...	...	2	185
Camden	85	36	125	21	150	15	305	49	...	...	...	...	...	320	9	...	...	1	75
College Place	129	142	154	47	240	45	526	100	...	15	...	...	...	535	11	...	30	1	110
Columbia Ct.	82	88	121	23	177	...	314	22	...	...	...	...	...	314	4	...	...	3	60
Heath Springs	29	50	92	19	164	...	179	12	...	...	...	...	...	179	4	...	6	2	57
Jordan	50	70	87	26	170	21	227	82	...	...	...	...	5	227	19	...	26	3	35
Kershaw	40	32	65	18	120	12	167	32	...	...	...	...	...	167	11	...	10	2	44
Lynchburg	57	60	99	23	146	8	248	65	...	10	...	...	...	248	7	...	...	2	56
Manning	53	24	80	18	108	43	266	50	...	...	...	22	30	266	1	...	31	3	96
Oswego	58	109	87	38	180	...	297	40	...	...	...	...	...	297	2	...	...	2	54
Pinewood	65	59	52	25	115	...	197	...	...	...	...	...	...	197	7	...	...	3	48
Rembert	33	40	48	14	50	...	142	50	...	...	...	...	...	142	...	...	...	3	42
Spring Hill	55	35	81	23	35	...	194	15	...	...	...	...	...	194	2	...	...	3	44
Summertown	48	41	80	16	135	17	214	75	...	30	...	...	...	214	24	...	19	1	77
Sumter:																				
Trinity	276	221	285	106	461	107	1043	125	...	20	...	20	25	1043	25	...	75	1	237	
Broad St.	112	115	100	34	200	63	454	60	...	60	...	40	60	484	7	...	15	1	72	
Wesley Chapel & Hebron	51	48	82	15	80	...	186	45	...	...	...	25	...	186	22	...	...	2	65
West Kershaw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	1365	1261	1871	546	2952	343	5789	933	...	135	...	312	140	5843	173	...	212	37	1414	

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																							23
Bethune: Bethel	950	950	123	123	21	21	38	38	...	100	100	...	197	...	97	85	102	...	1718
Bethany	125	125	16	16	3	3	5	5	...	25	25	...	23	...	17	23	...	236
Concord	75	75	10	10	2	2	3	3	...	20	20	29	14	6	...	159
Lucknow	50	50	6	6	1	1	2	2	...	20	20	...	7	...	18	13	...	109
Sandy Grove	150	150	19	19	4	4	6	6	...	30	30	...	15	...	28	16	...	266
St. Matthews	150	150	20	20	3	3	6	6	...	40	40	39	309	99	165	...	584
Totals	1500	1500	195	195	34	34	60	60	750	235	235	193	309	3072
Bishopville	2200	2400	286	286	50	50	88	88	1000	500	500	...	817	42	589	3250	...	128	...	714	343	...	9307
Camden	2700	2700	351	351	61	61	108	108	1500	875	875	...	367	110	565	500	...	139	...	934	343	...	7123
College Place	2000	2000	260	260	45	45	80	80	900	600	617	...	772	79	1245	75	2577	119	...	1087	324	...	8662
Columbia Ct.:																							
Lebanon	500	510	65	65	11	11	20	20	...	83	83	...	123	31	314	26	1100	46	...	29	44	...	2148
Mill Creek	500	500	65	65	11	11	20	20	...	83	83	...	52	7	205	26	...	7	...	25	11	...	918
McLeods	500	505	65	65	11	11	20	20	...	84	84	...	62	49	289	426	...	17	...	56	72	...	1487
Totals	1500	1515	195	195	33	33	60	60	675	250	250	...	237	87	808	478	1100	70	...	110	127	...	4553
Heath Springs:																							
Hanging Rock	400	415	52	52	9	9	16	16	...	55	55	...	21	21	80	28	35	...	715
Salem	1100	1100	143	143	24	24	44	44	...	200	200	...	155	37	252	856	...	16	...	77	93	...	2941
Totals	1500	1515	195	195	33	33	60	60	750	355	355	...	186	58	342	856	...	16	...	105	128	...	3676
Jordan:																							
Bethlehem	150	175	20	20	6	4	6	7	...	15	15	18	28	...	3	6
Oak Grove	110	125	14	17	2	3	4	5	...	10	10	17	21	...	2	19
Jordan	100	115	13	15	2	2	4	5	...	10	11	15	2	2
Union	200	225	26	20	5	6	8	9	...	15	22	...	21	...	100	28	...	2	25
Totals	560	650	78	86	15	15	22	26	225	50	60	...	21	...	158	...	200	77	...	10	32	...	1556

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Kershaw:																						
Damascus	475	475	62	62	10	10	18	18	900	85	85	...	55	50	63	225	...	97	...	40	28	836
Kershaw	1300	1300	169	169	30	30	54	54	...	250	250	...	222	...	282	175	115	2969	
Shiloh	165	165	21	21	4	4	6	6	...	30	30	15	7	248	
Totals	1940	1940	252	252	44	44	78	78	900	365	365	...	277	50	345	225	...	97	...	230	150	4053
Lynchburg:																						
Lynchburg	660	660	86	86	15	15	27	27	...	89	89	...	88	12	96	...	106	20	...	40	45	1178
St. Luke	420	420	55	55	10	10	16	16	...	74	74	...	77	12	33	20	...	34	48	901
Trinity	320	320	41	41	7	7	13	13	...	55	55	34	1000	...	3	...	31	43	1547
Totals	1400	1400	182	182	32	32	56	56	842	218	218	...	165	24	163	1000	106	43	...	105	136	3626
Manning:																						
Manning	1850	1850	240	240	42	42	74	74	842	400	449	...	1056	49	461	4443	353	110	...	471	210	9443
Oswego:																						
Bethel	1190	1190	155	155	27	27	48	48	...	320	320	105	55	2120	45	200	4265
Lewis Chapel	260	260	34	34	5	5	10	10	...	74	74	109	30	...	10	15	547
Zoar	350	350	45	45	8	8	14	14	...	93	93	161	80	20	40	811
Totals	1800	1800	234	234	40	40	72	72	900	487	487	375	165	2140	55	255	5623
Pinewood:																						
Andrews Chapel	250	256	33	33	6	6	10	10	...	20	20	...	29	...	19	3	367
Paxville	250	272	32	32	6	6	10	10	...	20	20	...	60	5	96	15	32	544
Pinewood	600	690	78	78	13	13	24	24	...	85	85	...	243	21	80	25	53	1292
Totals	1100	1218	143	143	25	25	44	44	600	125	125	...	332	26	195	40	88	2203
Rembert:																						
Bethesda	215	235	28	28	5	5	9	9	...	20	20	...	104	4	16	...
Beulah	335	235	30	30	5	5	9	9	...	16	16	38	13	...
Dalzell	431	431	46	46	10	10	17	17	...	34	34	...	65	...	38	20	49	...
McLeods	469	515	61	61	11	11	18	18	...	40	40	...	50	...	34	62	78	2299
Totals	1350	1410	175	175	31	31	54	54	600	110	110	...	219	...	72	88
Spring Hill:																						
Marshall	390	395	51	51	9	9	16	16	...	40	40	...	22	11	49	15	23	...
Salem	195	203	25	25	4	4	8	8	...	15	15	...	35	3	24	40	13	...
St. John	715	713	93	93	16	16	28	28	...	50	50	...	47	17	85	20	40	...
Totals	1300	1313	169	169	29	29	52	52	650	105	105	...	104	31	158	75	76	2137

Summerton	1500	1800	195	195	34	34	60	60	750	150	175	...	304	68	360	15	...	12	...	232	165	3376
Sumter:																						
Trinity	3600	3600	468	468	81	81	144	144	2000	2000	2000	...	1052	182	1850	4600	1360	363	...	5203	977	21880
Broad St.	1800	1800	234	234	40	40	72	72	...	234	234	...	224	47	273	14000	467	148	...	275	80	18084
St. James	100	100	13	13	2	2	4	4	...	44	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	163
Totals	1900	1900	247	247	42	42	76	76	950	278	278	...	224	47	273	14000	467	148	...	275	80	18247
Wesley Chapel & Hebron:																						
Hebron	450	450	59	59	10	10	18	18	...	78	78	...	38	9	30	...	...	...	...	88	69	...
W. Chapel	900	925	117	117	20	20	36	36	...	155	155	...	70	45	67	...	662	40	...	67	120	...
Totals	1350	1375	176	176	30	30	54	54	675	233	233	...	108	54	97	...	662	40	...	155	189	3203
West Kershaw:																						
Blaney	200	200	26	26	4	4	8	8	...	15	15	...	...	...	...	2859	...	40	...	7	15	3174
Smyrna	200	200	26	26	4	4	8	8	...	15	15	...	...	...	...	70	...	20	...	28	3	355
St. Johns	150	155	19	19	5	5	6	6	...	10	10	...	...	...	...	1500	...	...	...	6	18	1729
Ebenezer	150	154	20	20	4	4	6	6	...	10	10	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	7	10	235
Totals	700	709	91	91	17	17	28	28	200	50	50	...	...	...	...	5104	...	60	...	48	46	6144
Totals	31750	32595	4127	4134	716	719	1270	1274	16292	7386	7487	...	6464	907	8329	35168	9065	1567	...	9915	3933	120463

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—RECAPITULATION

DISTRICT	MEMBERSHIP							Number Licensed to Preach This Year	Total Local Preachers	Subscribers to Christian Advocate	Subscribers to Conference Organ or Paper	CHURCH PROPERTY					INSURANCE						
	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Full Members Reported Last Year	Received on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Otherwise	Removals by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members					Church Buildings	Value of Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Indebtedness on Church	No. of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages, Furnishings, and Land	Indebtedness on Parsonage	Value of Other Church Property, Bonds, Endowments, Etc.	Insurance Carried	Churches Damaged or Destroyed	Parsonages Damaged or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Loss Collected
Charleston	214	136	13337	361	637	514	13811	1	11	47	647	62	602250	5697	26	109850	994	28950	365300	..	..	.....	.....
Florence	100	210	13680	370	307	315	13824	...	...	133	706	63	656300	2750	21	133000	4625	13600	229200	..	..	.....	.....
Kingstree	116	107	10414	232	242	262	10625	1	3	42	546	75	379500	3900	21	86900	.....	2725	132450	1	..	.....	.....
Marion	79	104	10850	195	175	759	10705	...	4	121	497	62	556886	5790	17	104000	1540	18000	269500	3	..	3500	.....
Orangeburg	114	86	12379	227	199	469	12266	...	3	32	844	62	589130	9150	25	135500	2500	35925	336200	3	..	9245	6295
Sumter	91	89	10247	187	420	297	10389	1	2	34	478	50	509000	15600	19	93800	4936	10000	217600	1	..	40	40
Totals	714	732	70907	1578	1980	2616	71620	3	23	415	3718	386	3293366	42887	129	663050	14595	109200	1550250	5	..	12785	6335

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—RECAPITULATION

DISTRICT	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																		Woman's Work	
	Sunday Schools: Enrollment and Attendance								Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Vacation Schools	Methodist Pupils Enrolled in Week-Day Schools	Average Attendance in Such Meetings as: Additional Sessions of Children's Department, Epworth League and Young Adult Meetings			No. Enrolled in 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Not Already Counted in 9	Total Enrollment of Church School (Add 9 and 15)	No. Church School Pupils Joined Church During Year on Profession of Faith	Does Church School Use Any Lesson Materials Not Approved by General Board?	No. Methodist Workers Enrolled in Leadership Schools and Classes	Number of Societies	Members
	Children 4-11	Youth 12-23	Adults, Exclusive of Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Average Attendance 2, 3, 4, 5	Nursery, Birth to 3	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Add 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8			Children	Youth	Adults							
Charleston	2276	1902	2543	758	4357	367	166	7775	936	...	103	393	128	7910	251	.....	256	51	1897
Florence	1847	1963	2806	815	3470	462	540	8350	625	153	50	356	106	8789	247	.....	170	33	1412
Kingstree	1659	1456	1618	524	2663	195	133	5353	863	164	85	236	45	5353	183	.....	25	37	1124
Marion	1605	1587	2252	601	2237	182	242	5985	574	315	31	594	69	5985	153	.....	112	40	1471
Orangeburg	1403	1685	2572	682	1500	350	225	6860	629	28	119	200	61	6885	194	.....	126	46	1685
Sumter	1365	1261	1871	546	2952	343	179	5789	933	...	135	312	140	5843	173	.....	212	37	1414
Totals	10155	9854	13662	3926	17179	1899	1485	40112	4620	660	523	2091	449	40765	1201	.....	895	244	9003

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 3—RECAPITULATION

DISTRICT	Preacher in Charge Apportioned	Preacher in Charge Paid	District Superintendent Apportioned	District Superintendent Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Conference Claimants Apportioned	Conference Claimants Paid	Benevolences Apportioned	Benevolences Accepted	Benevolences Paid	Jurisdictional Conference Expense	Total Raised by Woman's Society of Christian Service	World Service Sundays	Paid by Church School to All Other Causes	Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Indebtedness Not Including Interest	Paid for Insurance Premiums	Golden Cross and Hospitals	Incidentals	Orphanage	Grand Total for Year Less Any Items Reported Twice	
Charleston	43832	45349	4330	4390	980	979	1751	1749	23056	11553	12051	....	10160	1910	15754	26548	1955	1753	2	20211	6774	....	148996
Florence	37793	38146	4512	4479	845	830	1510	1496	20486	11280	11412	....	8589	1410	10847	9469	4932	2238	5	15133	6410	....	125712
Kingtree	32210	32976	3664	3672	711	710	1275	1279	17585	6693	6872	....	6079	1265	6595	7028	2707	1033	11	5528	4098	....	76213
Marion	34515	35887	4142	4141	780	772	1382	1382	17610	9648	9960	....	9590	1350	10237	10070	6187	1437	....	7895	5086	....	99330
Orangeburg	40145	40414	4302	4299	904	904	1613	1613	20394	11515	11796	....	9887	1619	8550	18252	35936	1591	44	5112	6412	....	127163
Sumter	31750	32595	4127	4134	716	719	1270	1274	16292	7386	7487	....	6464	907	8329	35168	9065	1567	....	9915	3933	....	120463
Totals	220245	225367	25127	25115	4936	4914	8801	8793	115623	58075	59578	....	50769	8461	60312	106535	60782	9619	62	63794	32713	....	697877