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OF THE

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

OF THE

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HELD AT

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## SESSIONS OF THE LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

NO.	YEAR.	DATE.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.
1	1879	Feb. 21st	Van Buren	Andrews	I. G. Pollard
2	1880	Feb. 11th	Jacksonport	Merrill	I. G. Pollard
3	1881	Feb. 3rd	Hot Springs	Foss	I. G. Pollard
4	1882	Feb. 9th	Little Rock	Peck	I. G. Pollard
5	1883	Feb. 8th	Pine Bluff	Hurst	I. G. Pollard
6	1884	Feb. 13th	Little Rock	Wiley	W. O. Emory
7	1885	Feb. 19th	Van Buren	Mallalieu	Thos. Mason
8	1886	Feb. 11th	Pine Bluff	Bowman	W. O. Emory
9	1887	Feb. 17th	Fayetteville	Merrill	Thos. Mason
10	1888	Feb. 15th	Little Rock	Warren	Thos. Mason
11	1889	Feb. 7th	Hot Springs	FitzGerald	Thos. Mason
12	1890	Feb. 13th	Fort Smith	Vincent	Thos. Mason
13	1891	Jan. 22nd	Texarkana	Newman	Thos. Mason
14	1892	Feb. 3rd	Van Buren	Mallalieu	Thos. Mason

Serials

## CONFERENCE ROLL.

NO.	NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS	CONF. RELAT'N	WHEN BORN.	BIRTH PLACE.	COM'NCE'D TRAVELING
1	Aerhart, James M	Gurdon	Effective	Dec 1, 1857	South C	1889
2	Baber, George W	Texarkana	Effective	May 16, 1844	Arkansas	1878
3	Brooks, Washington	Locksburg	Effective			
4	Coulter, Henry P	Bearden	Effective	Sept 11, 1863	Arkansas	1886
5	Crawford, W H	Hope	Effective	Sept 13, 1853	Arkansas	1869
6	Crawley, J C	New Gascony	Effective	Feb 25, 1858	Mississippi	1888
7	Cunningham, W J	Conway	Effective			
8	Duncan, W R R	Little Rock	Effective	Jan 27, 1857		
9	Dunlap, H C	Texarkana	Effective	Feb 8, 1849	Tennessee	1882
10	Emory, W O	Hot Springs	Super'y	Aug 2, 1852	Missouri	1878
11	Fletcher, A J	Nashville, Tenn.	Effective	Sept 27, 1853	South C	1876
12	Foster, M H	Fulton	Effective	July 4, 1852	Columbia	1876
13	Fuller, W M	Texarkana	Super'y	Jan, 1846	Georgia	1884
14	Griffin, B J	Fort Smith	Effective	Oct 14, 1852	South C	1852
15	Hanna, Thos	Cleveland, Ark.	Effective		Arkansas	1886
16	Hardeman, Alex	Rison	Effective			
17	Higgins, W H	Batesville	Effective	Aug 25, 1851	Maryland	1879
18	Hulett, J J	Hazen	Effective	Feb 10, 1849	Tennessee	1888
19	Jackson, J W	Van Buren	Effective	June 8, 1850	Arkansas	1886
20	Johnson, B H	Hot Springs	Effective	Jan 8, 1853	Virginia	1880
21	Johnson, G N	Little Rock	Effective	Dec 25, 1856	Tennessee	1882
22	Kitchens, U S	Fayetteville	Effective			
23	Lacey, G W	Pine Bluff	Effective	March 4, 1853	Louisiana	1876
24	Langston, M N	Little Rock	Effective	Mar 18, 1866	Mississippi	1890
25	Lemons, June	Lonoke	Effective	Aug 2, 1851	Tennessee	1889
26	Mason, Thos	Little Rock	Effective	Oct 4, 1850	Indiana	1874
27	Morris, W H	Little Rock	Effective	Aug 29, 1852	North C	1883
28	McDonald, P B	Lewisville	Effective	June 10, 1857	Mississippi	1888
29	McDonald, Silas	Johnsville	Effective	Dec 9, 1865		1889
30	Neal, Seth	Fayetteville	Effective	Oct 26, 1852	Georgia	1881
31	Phillips, A J	Little Rock	Effective	Oct 28, 1845	Alabama	1870
32	Qualls, John	Pine Bluff	Effective			
33	Renfro, H M	Jacksonport	Effective	Dec 30, 1850	Tennessee	1888
34	Roberts, Elza	Little Rock	Super'te	July 24, 1840	Virginia	1870
35	Sherrell, J C	Cotton Plant	Effective	Nov 4, 1863	Tennessee	1889
36	Spencer, Edward	Mariana	Effective	Feb 12, 1862	Mississippi	1882
37	Spears, Alex	Center Point	Effective	Jan 10, 1832	Louisiana	1873
38	Stokes, S M	Forrest City	Effective	Aug 15, 1850	Tennessee	1886
39	Strong, H P	Forrest City	Effective	Jan 2, 1868	Georgia	1890
40	Taylor, C A	Marche	Effective	May 4, 1855	Louisiana	1883
41	Taylor, G W	Sweet Home	Effective		Arkansas	1872
42	Toombs, J E	Little Rock	Effective		Virginia	1883
43	Wamble, T R	Hensley	Effective	July 28, 1861	Mississippi	1890

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PROBATIONERS: SECOND YEAR.

NO	NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS	CONF. RELAT'N	WHEN BORN.	BIRTH PLACE.	COM. SCD TRAVELING
1	Harris, D H	Bledsoe	Effective	Dec 25, 1867	Mississippi	1891
2	Harston, D B	Brinkley	Effective	Jan 1, 1863	Mississippi	1891
3	Johnson, S J	Camden	Effective			
4	McIntosh, Waters	Argenta	Effective	July 4, 1863	South C	1891
5	Nelson, D W	Plummerville	Effective	June 26, 1861	South C	1891
6	Thompson, G W	Clow	Effective			
7	Thompson, T J	New Edinburg	Effective	Oct 4, 1860	Mississippi	1891

PROBATIONERS: FIRST YEAR.

1	Brooks, C G	Dermott	Effective			
2	Clark, James M	Helena	Effective	Aug 10, 1858	Mississippi	1892
3	Daniels, Laban D	Reedville	Effective	June 1, 1849	North C	1892
4	Freeman, Jeremiah	Newport	Effective			
5	Hall, George H	Cotton Plant	Effective			
6	Lewis, William	Brinkley	Effective			
7	Mack, James P	Morrilton	Effective			
8	Owens, Philip	Conway	Effective	May, 1852	Mississippi	1892

NECROLOGICAL ROLL.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord .....for they rest from their labors."

MINISTERS.	WIVES OF MINISTERS.
Frazier, J. R.	Baber, Mrs. G. W.
Johnson, J. D.	Clardy, Mrs. Clarky.
Langford, W. S.	Coulter, Mrs. H. P.
McDonald, Henry	Crawford, Mrs. W. H.
Peel, J. A.	Fletcher, Mrs. A. J.
Sams, G. W.	Lacy, Mrs. M. E.
Tabor, C. A.	Lemons, Mrs. Georgiana
Tate, A. L.	McCain, Mrs. B.
Thompson, J. G.	McDonald, Mrs. Eliza
Todd, M. W.	Stokes, Mrs. S. M.
	Thompson, Mrs. J. G.

JOURNAL

OF THE

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

FIRST DAY.

VAN BUREN, ARK., February 3, 1892.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION of the Little Rock Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church met in Van Buren, Ark., February 3, 1892. at 9 o'clock a. m., Bishop Mallalieu in the chair.

W. R. R. Duncan announced the 728th hymn:

And are we yet alive  
And see each other's face.

Which was sung by the conference, and Dr. A. B. Leonard led in a comprehensive, fervent prayer. Dr. W. A. Spencer announced the 715th hymn and led the singing, and W. H. Morris and Dr. C. H. Payne led in prayer.

The Secretary of the last session called the roll of the conference, and forty-three members and probationers responded to their names.

Thos. Mason was re-elected Secretary, and upon his nomination M. N. Langston and J. C. Sherrell were elected assistants.

J. W. Jackson was re-elected Statistical Secretary, and nominated as his assistants J. E. Toombs and H. P. Strong, and they were elected.

E. D. Spencer was elected Conference Treasurer, with A. J. Fletcher assistant.

The hour for meeting and adjournment was fixed at 8:30 and 12:30 respectively, the first half hour to be spent in devotional services.

The bar of the Conference was fixed on a line with the front edge of the third window.

The following standing committees were constituted:

*On Public Worship*—The Pastor and Presiding Elder.

*On Education, Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education and Periodicals*—H. P. Coulter, B. H. Johnson, J. E. Toombs, M. N. Langston.

*On Church Extension*—C. A. Taylor, T. J. Thompson, B. J. Griffin, H. P. Strong.

*On Missions*—G. W. Lacey, W. R. R. Duncan, A. J. Philips, W. H. Morris, B. J. Griffin, H. C. Dunlap, W. Brooks, Seth Neal.

*On Bible Cause*—A. Hardeman, J. Aerhart, G. N. Johnson, Seth Neal.

*On Sunday Schools and Tracts*—W. Brooks, M. H. Foster, W. J. Cunningham, S. M. Stokes.

*On Temperance*—T. R. Wamble, H. C. Dunlap, W. McIntosh, D. B. Harston.

*On Auditing Presiding Elders' Accounts*—C. A. Taylor, P. B. McDonald, J. C. Sherrell, H. M. Renfro.

*On Episcopal Fund*—J. C. Crawley, G. W. Babers, S. McDonald, H. E. Harris.

*On Conference Relations*—T. R. Wamble, B. H. Johnson, J. W. Jackson, G. W. Taylor.

*On Book Accounts*—G. N. Johnson.

*On Memoirs*—John Qualls, Seth Neal.

*Stewards*—John Qualls, H. C. Dunlap, A. J. Fletcher, W. H. Higgins.

*Gospel in all Lands, and Methodist Review*—B. H. Johnson.

*On State of the Church*—H. P. Strong, Thos. Mason, H. C. Dunlap, H. P. Coulter.

*Railroad Secretary*—Thos. Mason.

The Bishop presented a draft for \$25 on the chartered fund, and also a draft for \$80, being a balance for the last year's Book Concern Dividend, and these were ordered paid.

The following visiting brethren were introduced to the Conference: Drs. A. B. Leonard, C. H. Payne, W. A. Spencer, and G. W. Gray, of our connectional societies, Revs. W. H. Williams and J. B. McLaughlin, of the Arkansas Conference, Rev. W. H. Burns, Pastor M. E. Church South, of this city, and Prof. J. M. Cox, of Philander Smith College.

Drs. C. H. Payne, W. A. Spencer, and G. W. Gray addressed the Conference in the interests of the societies they represent.

A resolution was presented by M. H. Foster, relating to the reunion of our conferences in the State, which was referred to the Committee on the State of the Church.

The list of Committees was called, announcements were made, and the Conference adjourned, with the benediction by Dr. Payne.

## SECOND DAY.

VAN BUREN, ARK., February 4, 1892.

Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop Mallalieu in the chair. A half hour of song and prayer was conducted by H. C. Dunlap.

The minutes of yesterday's meeting were read and adopted.

A resolution by B. H. Johnson, making the election of General Conference Delegate and our vote on the constitutional question the special order for 10 o'clock Friday, was adopted.

The Twentieth Question was called: "Was the character

of each preacher examined?" W. R. R. Duncan, W. H. Morris, and A. J. Phillips represented the work on their respective districts, and their characters passed. G. W. Lacey was called, his character was held in suspense, and he reported his district.

The following effective elders reported their work, and their characters were passed: Seth Neal, G. W. Taylor, W. H. Higgins, E. D. Spencer, John Qualls, C. A. Taylor, W. Brooks, B. H. Johnson, Alex Spears, M. H. Foster, W. O. Emory, H. C. Dunlap, P. B. McDonald, G. W. Babers, Thos. Mason. Elijah Clark, G. A. Payne, and E. Harrison were announced transferred to the Louisiana Conference.

A. J. Fletcher, having gone to Meharry Medical College, was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Charges were entertained against W. H. Crawford, and his case was referred to a select committee consisting of the following: E. D. Spencer, U. S. Kitchens, Washington Brooks, W. H. Higgins, G. W. Baber, B. H. Johnson, M. H. Foster, C. A. Taylor, H. C. Dunlap.

B. J. Griffin was appointed Counsel for the church, and J. W. Jackson, Counsel for the defense.

Thos. Mason was appointed Chairman, and M. N. Langston, Secretary.

The following were introduced to the Conference: Revs. J. B. Gentry, Pastor of Congregational Church of the city, and D. F. Berry, of the Baptist Church, and Mrs. Col. Springer, of Iowa, representing the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Dr. Leonard gave an inspiring address in the interests of the Missionary Society, followed by a very interesting address from Mrs. Springer.

B. H. Johnson was asked to look after the interests of the Southwestern in the absence of Dr. Albert.

The Third Question was called: "*Who remain on Trial?*" The following were called, represented their work, the committee reported, and they were advanced: Waters McIntosh, D. H. Harris, D. W. Nelson, D. B. Harston, T. J.

Thompson.

C. G. Brooks was continued in the first year. J. W. Burns was referred to the Committee on Church Relations. C. W. Reeves was reported transferred to the Mississippi Conference.

Bishop Mallalieu gave some words of commendation, which were greatly appreciated.

The cases of J. J. Hulett and J. M. Aerhart were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Announcements were made, and the Conference adjourned with benediction by Dr. Leonard.

### THIRD DAY.

VAN BUREN, ARK., February 5, 1892.

Conference met at 8:30 a. m., and was opened with a gracious pentecostal service, conducted by Bishop Mallalieu.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The Fifth Question was called: "*Who are admitted into full connection?*" The class was called forward, and was addressed very plainly and forcibly by the Bishop, and the following were admitted: T. R. Wamble, J. C. Crawley, and H. P. Strong. M. N. Langston was admitted on condition that he gets the books to be read, and report at the next annual session of the Conference.

H. R. Roseman and J. G. Walker were discontinued. G. W. Thompson was continued in the class of second year.

The special committee, in the case of W. H. Crawford, reported, and he was reinstated. (See Reports of Committees.)

The special order of the day was taken up. J. E. Toombs, W. H. Higgins, Ed. Spencer, and B. H. Johnson were appointed tellers. A vote was taken, and the tellers retired.

The Committee on Episcopal Fund presented its report, which was adopted.

The Statistical Secretary called the list of charges from which no reports had been made. The tellers reported, and the Bishop announced no election. Another vote was taken, and the tellers retired.

The Committee on Conference Relations reported. J. J. Hulet, A. J. Fletcher, and James Aehart referred to the Committee, on their recommendation their characters passed. T. H. Hanna was made effective. J. W. Burns was discontinued.

The tellers reported, and the Bishop announced the election of W. R. Duddan.

A vote was then taken for reserve delegate, and the tellers retired.

The Fourteenth Question was called: "What *traveling Deacons* have been elected *Elders*?" The following were elected with the understanding that they bring up the studies indicated: A. Hardeman (Kidder & Butler's Analogy), H. M. Rentro (Butler's Analogy), Simon M. Stokes (Kidder & Butler's Analogy), W. J. Cunningham (Butler's Analogy). The tellers returned, and the Bishop announced the election of T. Mason as reserve delegate.

The Thirteenth Question was called: "Who are the *traveling Deacons* of the second class?" The following were called, the committee reported, and they were advanced to second class: H. P. Coulter, J. C. Sherrill, and June Lemons. J. J. Hulet, S. McDonald, and James Aehart were continued in the first class of Deacons.

Bishop Mallalieu announced the transfer of J. P. Calvin to the Texas Conference.

On motion of J. W. Jackson, a committee consisting of John Qualls and B. J. Griffin was appointed to visit the Lay Conference, and bear our greeting and conduct them into our presence. The committee found the Lay Conference at the door, conducted them in and introduced the President to the Lay delegate elect, Prof. J. M. Cox, was also introduced. Bro. Stummam, from the Laity, addressed the Conference, to

which the Bishop responded.

A. R. Clardy was announced transferred to the Central Missouri Conference.

A vote on the constitutional question was then taken, and the tellers retired.

The Eighteenth Question was called: "Who are the *Superannuated Preachers*?" W. M. Fuller was continued in this relation. A superannuated relation was granted to W. O. Emory.

The Nineteenth Question was called: "Who are the *Superannuated Preachers*?" Eliza Roberts was continued in this relation.

The vote on the constitutional question stood, years, 26; days, 14.

Announcements were made, the doxology was sung, and the Conference adjourned, with the benediction by Rev. W. H. Burns.

#### FOURTH DAY.

VAN BUREN, ARK., February 6, 1892.

Conference met at 8:30, and was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Seth Neal.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The Tenth Question was called: "What *local Preachers* have been elected *Deacons*?" The following were properly recommended, the committee reported, and they were elected: Daniel H. E. Harris, James M. Clark, Phillip Owens, James P. Mack, Jeremiah J. Freeman, James M. Clark, George H. Hall, William Lewis, Laban D. Daniels.

The Sixteenth Question was called: "Who are admitted on *trial*?" The Presiding Elders presented the following, the Committee of Examination reported, and they were admitted: Phillip Owens, James P. Mack, Jeremiah J. Freeman, James M. Clark, George H. Hall, William Lewis, Laban D. Daniels.

The following visiting brethren were introduced: Rev.

A. E. P. Albert, D. D., editor of the *Southwestern Christian Advocate*, Revs. G. E. Cunningham, and O. P. Noble, of the Arkansas Conference.

The following committees presented their reports, which were adopted. (See reports of committees).

On Sunday Schools and Tracts.

On Church Extension.

On Bible Cause.

On Missions.

On Education.

On Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.

On Periodicals and Church Literature.

Dr. Albert addressed the Conference in a very forcible manner on our publishing interests in general, and the Southwestern in particular.

Committee on State of the Church reported, and the report was adopted.

Committee on Memoirs being ready to report, the Conference joined in singing;

"Rock of Ages, clef for me,"

And B. H. Johnson led in prayer. The committee then presented its report, which was adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on Temperance presented its report which was adopted.

The Stewards presented their report, which was recommended.

A resolution was presented by W. R. R. Duncan, relating to the Sunday excursions and the separate car bill, pending the adoption of which, Dr. Albert addressed the Conference along these lines, and the resolution was adopted.

The Stewards being ready to present their revised report, on motion of J. E. Toombs it was ordered that when made it be accepted as final.

The report was then made, and the funds were distributed.

The Conference proceeded to fix the seat of the next ses-

sion. Pine Bluff, Forest City, and Fayetteville were put in nomination, and Pine Bluff was elected.

A resolution presented by G. N. Johnson, complimentary to Mrs. Col. Springer, was adopted.

Announcements were made, and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Albert.

#### FIFTH DAY.

VAN BUREN, ARK., February 8, 1892.

Conference met at 8:30, and was opened with devotional services conducted by the Bishop.

The minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved.

The death of Dr. Fry was announced, and at the suggestion of the Bishop, John Qualls led us in prayer for the family. Resolutions of condolence were adopted, and a cordial sent to the family.

The Statistical Secretary presented his report, which was accepted.

Dr. Albert being called away the Southwestern accounts were placed in the hands of J. E. Toombs.

A resolution presented by J. W. Jackson, touching the publication of the minutes, was adopted.

The Conference Treasurer presented his report, which was approved.

A resolution offered by J. E. Toombs, relating to the establishment of a Book Depository at New Orleans, was adopted.

On motion of A. J. Fletcher, a collection was taken for the Sexton, amounting to \$2.10.

A resolution, complimentary to Bishop Mallalieu, was adopted.

A resolution, offered by G. N. Johnson recommending THE MONITOR, of Philander Smith College, for local news, and adopting the *Southwestern* as our official organ, was adopted.

A resolution was offered by J. E. Toombs, thanking the good people of Van Buren for their generous treatment, which was adopted.

Prof. Bulkley, Superintendent of Carpentry in Philander Smith College addressed the Conference in the interests he represents.

On motion of W. R. R. Duncan the character of G. W. Lacey was passed.

The Bishop presented certificate of ordination of Deacons and Elders.

The Special Committees, the Triers of Appeals, and Conference Board of Church Extension were announced.

The following conference societies were organized: Education and Missionary.

On motion it was ordered that after the reading of the appointments the Conference stand adjourned *sine die*.

Bishop Mallalieu led in a fervent prayer, addressed the Conference, read the appointments, and pronounced the benediction.

W. F. MALLALIEU, President.

THOMAS MASON, Secretary.

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GENERAL MINUTE QUESTIONS.

✓ Question 1. *Who are received by Transfer, and from what Conference?*

None.

2. *Who are Admitted on trial?*

Philip Owens, James P. Mack, Jeremiah J. Freeman, James M. Clark, George H. Hall, William Lewis, Laban D. Daniels, C. G. Brooks ('91).

3. *Who remain on Trial?*

Waters McIntosh, D. H. Harris, D. W. Nelson, D. B. Harston, T. J. Thompson, George W. Thompson ('88), J. Johnson ('90).

4. *Who are Discontinued?*

J. W. Burns, Henry R. Roseman, John G. Walker.

5. *Who are Admitted into Full Connection?*

Thomas R. Wamble, Josiah C. Crowley, Henry P. Strong, Monroe N. Langston.

6. *Who are Re-admitted?*

None.

7. *Who are received on Credentials from other Churches?*

None.

8. *What travelling Preachers have been elected Deacons?*

None.

9. *What Travelling Preachers have been ordained Deacons?*

None.

10. *What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?*

Daniel H. E. Harris, James M. Clark, Phillip Owens, James P. Mack, Jeremiah J. Freeman.

11. *What Local Preachers have been ordained Deacons?*  
Daniel H. E. Harris, James M. Clark, Phillip Owens, and  
P. Mack, Jeremiah J. Freeman.

12. *Who are the Travelling Deacons of the First Class?*  
Jesse J. Hulett, (1890). Silas McDonald, (1891). Jane M.  
Aerhart, (1891). Henry P. Strong, Monroe N. Langston, Josiah  
C. Crowley, Thomas R. Wamble.

13. *Who are the Travelling Deacons of the Second Class?*  
Henry P. Coulter, Joseph C. Sherrill, June Lemons.

14. *What Travelling Deacons have been elected Elders?*  
Alexander Hardiman, Henry M. Renfro, Simon M. Stokes,  
Wesley J. Cunningham.

15. *What Travelling Deacons have been ordained Elders?*  
Alexander Hardiman, Henry M. Renfro, Simon M. Stokes,  
Wesley J. Cunningham.

16. *What Local Deacons have been elected Elders?*  
Simon Mars, James M. Cox.

17. *What Local Deacons have been ordained Elders?*  
Simon Mars, James M. Cox.

18. *Who are Supernumerary Preachers?*  
William M. Fuller, William O. Emery.

19. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*  
Eliza Roberts.

20. *Was the character of each Preacher Examined?*  
This was done in open Conference.

21. *Have any died?*  
None.

22. *Have any been Transferred, and to what Conference?*  
J. P. Calvin to the Texas Conference. Elijah Clark, G. A.  
Payne, and Ephriam Harrison to the Louisiana Conference,  
and A. R. Clardy to the Central Missouri Conference.

23. *Have any Withdrawn?*  
None.

24. *Have any been Located at their own request?*  
John F. Richmond, Harry W. Walton.

25. *Have any been Located?*  
None.

26. *Have any been permitted to Withdraw under charges or complaints?*

None.

28. *Have any been expelled?*

None.

28. *Who are selected to be the Triers of Appeals?*

J. E. Toombs, W. H. Morris, W. H. Higgins, John Qualls, G. N.  
Johnson, W. H. Crawford, A. J. Phillips.

29. *What is the Statistical Report for this Conference year.*  
See Statistics.

30. *What is the Conference Treasurer's report for this Conference year?*

See Statistics.

31. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*

\$540.00.

32. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been applied?*

\$540.00 applied under order of Conference.

33. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

See Appointments.

34. *Where shall the next Conference be held?*

Pine Bluff.

## APPOINTMENTS.

## FOREST CITY DISTRICT.

W. R. R. Duncan, P. E.  
2008 State St. Little Rock, Ark.  
Bledsoe, Daniel M. Harris.  
Brinkley, D. B. Harston.  
Brinkley Circuit, William Lewis.  
Batesville, W. H. Higgins.  
Cotton Plant, J. C. Sherrill.  
Cotton Plant Circuit, G. A. Hall.  
Crawfordsville, To be supplied by  
J. W. Seruggs.  
Forrest City, H. P. Strong.  
Forrest City Circuit, S. M. Stokes.  
Haynes, To be supplied by B. J. Lewis.  
Helena, James M. Clark.  
Jacksonport, H. M. Renfro.  
Marianna, E. D. Spencer.  
Newport, J. J. Freeman.  
Osceola, To be supplied by Robert  
Christial.  
Palestine, To be supplied.  
Park Place, To be supplied by W. H.  
Flowers.  
Spring Creek, To be supplied by David  
Hall.

## HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT.

A. J. Phillips, P. E.  
Hot Springs, Ark.  
Clow, G. W. Thompson.  
Center Point, Alexander Spears.  
Camden, S. J. Johnson.  
Canfield, To be supplied.  
Fulton, M. H. Foster.  
Gurdon, J. M. Aehart.  
Hope and Prescott, W. H. Crawford.  
Hot Springs, Haven Ch., B. H. Johnson.  
Mission, to be supplied.  
Keller circuit, to be supplied.  
Locksburg, Washington Brooks.  
Lewisville, P. B. McDonald.  
Magnolia, To be supplied  
Texarkana, College Hill, G. W. Babers.  
" Wheeler Church, H. C.  
Dunlap.

## PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

G. W. Lacy, P. E.  
Pine Bluff, Ark.  
Alzheimer and Sherrill, to be supplied.  
Bearden and Fordyce, H. P. Coulter.

Dermott and Tillers, C. G. Brooks.  
Hensley T. R. Wanble.  
Jefferson circuit, to be supplied. J. T.  
Hawkins.

Johnsville, Silas McDonald.  
Linwood circuit, to be supplied. H. W.  
Bright.  
New Edinburg, T. J. Thompson.  
New Gascony and Swan Lake, J. C.  
Crowley.  
Pine Bluff, John Qualls.  
Reedville, L. D. Daniels.  
Rison and Sulpher, Spring Alexander  
Hardeman.  
Sweet Home, G. W. Taylor.  
Varner and Choctaw Bayou, to be sup-  
plied J. H. Hayens.  
Wabaseka, To to be supplied by E. W.  
Burley.  
Warren and Monticello, To be sup-  
plied by B. J. Thornton.

## LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

W. H. Morris, P. E.  
Little Rock, Ark.  
Aranta, Waters McIntosh.  
Conway, W. J. Cunningham.  
" Circuit, Phillip Owens.  
Fayetteville, Seth Neal.  
" Circuit, U. S. Kitchens.  
Fort Smith, B. J. Griffin.  
Hazen, J. J. Hulett.  
Little Rock, Wesley Chapel, J. E.  
Toombs.  
Mission, G. N. Johnson.  
Little Rock Circuit, M. N. Langston.  
Lonoke and Richwoods, June Lemons.  
Morrilton, J. P. Mack.  
Marche, C. A. Taylor.  
Plummerville, D. W. Nelson.  
Solgohatchie, Thomas. H. Hanna.  
Van Buren, J. W. Jackson.  
Thomas Mason, President of Philan-  
der Smith College, member of Wes-  
ley Chapel Quarterly Conference.  
J. P. Franklin and A. J. Fletcher left  
without appointment to attend one of  
our schools.

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS:

To Preach the Missionary Sermon: C. A. Taylor.  
Alternate: B. J. Griffin.

## EXAMINING COMMITTEES:

For Admission on Trial: B. J. Griffin, S. M. Stokes, A. Hardeman.  
First Year: G. N. Johnson, H. M. Renfro, Elza Roberts.  
Second Year: Seth Neal, John Qualls, Thomas Mason.  
Third Year: B. H. Johnson, J. E. Toombs, C. A. Taylor.  
Fourth Year: W. H. Higgins, J. W. Jackson, E. D. Spencer.  
For Local Orders: Silas McDonald, M. N. Langston, H. P. Strong.

## BOARD OF CHURCH LOCATION.

Forest City District: J. C. Sherrell, W. H. Higgins, J. C. Hedges, Secretary.  
Little Rock District: J. W. Jackson, J. E. Toombs, S. M. Stokes, G. W. Ingram.  
Hot Springs District: B. H. Johnson, H. C. Dunlap, Miles Wesson, Drayton  
Cattle.  
Pine Bluff District: John Qualls, Silas McDonald, Wm. Neely, C. Fatillo.

## BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

Thos. Mason, President, J. E. Toombs, Secretary.  
A. L. Richmond, Vice-President, Wm. LaPorte, Treasurer.  
G. W. Taylor, M. N. Langston, B. Crumpton.  
G. W. Ingram, C. C. Riley,  
Presiding Elders ex-officio members.

## EDUCATION SOCIETY:

Thos. Mason, Pres. W. H. Morris, Secretary. J. E. Toombs, Treasurer.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY:

W. R. R. Duncan, President, J. C. Sherrell, Secretary,  
J. E. Toombs, Treasurer.  
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## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATIONS.

This is to certify that at Van Buren Ark., Feb 7th. 1892 the undersigned or-  
dained Daniel H. E. Harris, James M. Clark, Phillip Owens, James P. Mack and  
Jeremiah Freeman Deacons.

And at the same place and date assisted by several Elders the undersigned ordain-  
ed Alexander Hardeman, Henry M. Renfro, Simon M. Stokes, Wesley J. Cun-  
ningham, Simon Marrs and, James M. Cox, Elders.

W. F. Mallalieu,

Van Buren, Ark.

Feb. 7th, 1892,

## RESOLUTIONS:

## ON PUBLISHING MINUTES.

Resolved, That the secretaries be requested to publish 1200 copies of the minutes, giving two pages to the Lay Conference, and that, to defray expense of publication each preacher be charged \$1.25, the presiding elders being held responsible for the collection and they are hereby authorized to withhold this amount from each charge to which missionary money is appropriated.

## THE MONITOR AND THE SOUTHWESTERN.

Resolved, That we recommend the Monitor of Philander Smith College as a worthy Journal to be read by our people and that we renew our acceptance of the Southwestern as our official organ.

## NEW ORLEANS DEPOSITORY.

Resolved, that the Little Rock Conference join in the action of the other southern conferences memorializing the General Conference to establish a Book Depository at New Orleans in connection with the southwestern office.

## EXCURSIONS AND SEPERATE CAR.

Resolved, That we pledge anew our hostility to excursions either on Sundays or week days. We regard it not only useless but as a wasteful expenditure of hard earned money.

Resolved, That we express our abhorrence of the seperate car law enacted by the Arkansas Legislature and that we regard it as a shame and a disgrace to our great Commonwealth.

## BISHOP MALLALIEU.

Whereas in the providence of God Bishop Mallalieu has been permitted to return to preside over us after an absence of seven years, therefore

Resolved, That we extend to him a vote of thanks for his fair and impartial ruling, able addresses, and wise counsel and if in the providence of God and the arranging of the episcopal plan he should be sent to us again we will hail his coming with delight.

## REV. B. ST. JAMES FRY, D. D.

Resolved That we extend to Mrs. Benjamin St. James Fry and family our condolence in the following note:

We the members of the Little Rock Conference in session assembled at Van Buren, Arkansas desire to express our deep and heartfelt sympathy to you in this hour of sore bereavement because of the departure of your husband and father and our brother beloved B. St. James Fry, D. D. we know him to be, over and above all the elements that go to make up a broad-minded preacher, editor, and scholar, a true and tried friend of the Negro Race and the whole southern work. May the consolation of our Heavenly Father be your stay and comfort and also that of the afflicted church.

## MRS. COLONEL SPRINGER.

Whereas Mrs. Col. Springer has made the long journey from Iowa at her own expense and our earnest request, therefore

Resolved, That we as Conference give her a rising vote of thanks for her presence and for her earnest, eloquent, and sparkling address, and that we will always hold her in kind and prayerful remembrance.

Resolved, Secondly, That Mrs. Springer is unanimously elected delegate to represent us at the next meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

## PEOPLE AND PASTOR OF VAN BUREN.

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## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

## ON MISSIONS:

Forrest City District, .....	\$420
Brinkley, .....	140
,, Circuit, .....	20
Crawfordsville, .....	20
Forrest City Circuit, .....	20
Helena, .....	40
Haynes, .....	20
Jacksonport, .....	36
Newport, .....	50
Osceola, .....	20
Bledsoe, .....	20
Total, .....	\$826
Hot Springs District, .....	\$400
Texarkana .....	55
College Hill .....	45
Lewisville .....	50
Fulton .....	40
Gurdon, .....	40
Magnolia and Canfield, .....	30
Camden, .....	60
Hope and Prescott, .....	40
Hot Springs Mission, .....	40
Total, .....	\$772.
Little Rock District, .....	\$390
Argenta, .....	30
Conway, .....	60
Little Rock, Simpson's Chapel, .....	80
Morrilton, .....	40
Plummerville, .....	20
Van Buren, .....	200
Hazen, .....	20
Marche, .....	20
Total, .....	\$812.

Pine Bluff District, .....	\$460
Altheimer, .....	25
Dermott, .....	30
Jefferson, .....	20
Fordyce and Bearden, .....	40
Johnsville, .....	45
Linwood, .....	25
New Gascony, .....	56
New Edinburg, .....	30
Reedville, .....	15
Rison and Sulphur Springs, .....	20
Warren and Monticello, .....	30
Wabaseka, .....	20
Hensley, .....	40

Total, .....

Forrest City District - -	746.
Little Rock, ,, - -	826.
Pine Bluff ,, - -	840.

Grand Total, .....\$3250,

A. J. Phillips, *Chairman.*

W. R. R. Duncan, *Secretary.*

I concur in the above appropriations.

W. F. Mallalieu. *Presiding Bishop.*

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

The Conference stewards would submit the following:

RECEIPTS:	
From the chartered Fund, .....	\$ 25
,, Supplement Book Concern Dividend.....	80
,, Dividend, .....	415
,, Collections, .....	20
Total, .....	\$540

## MINUTES OF THE

Disbursed as follows:

CLAIMANT	TO WHOM GIVEN	AMOUNT
Elza Roberts, . . . . .	W. H. Morris, . . . . .	\$50
Mrs. A. L. Tate, . . . . .	W. R. R. Duncan, . . . . .	20
Alexander Spears, . . . . .	Self, . . . . .	15
P. B. McDonald, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
G. W. Thompson, . . . . .	A. J. Phillips, . . . . .	15
B. H. Johnson, . . . . .	Self, . . . . .	20
M. H. Foster, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
G. W. Baber, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
A. J. Fletcher, . . . . .	" . . . . .	30
E. D. Spencer, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
J. C. Crowley, . . . . .	" . . . . .	20
H. C. Dunlap, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
J. W. Jackson, . . . . .	" . . . . .	25
W. H. Higgins, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
D. H. E. Harris, . . . . .	" . . . . .	25
E. B. Harston, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
W. Brooks, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
S. McDonald, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
G. W. Taylor, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
H. P. Strong, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
H. M. Renfro, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
M. N. Langston, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
D. W. Nelson, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
G. N. Johnson, . . . . .	" . . . . .	20
S. Stokes, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
June Lemons, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
T. R. Wamble, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
G. W. Lacey, . . . . .	" . . . . .	50
Waters McIntosh, . . . . .	" . . . . .	10
C. A. Taylor, . . . . .	" . . . . .	15
W. H. Crawford, . . . . .	" . . . . .	20
Total Disbursements, . . . . .		\$540

John Qualls, *Secretary*.

## ON FREEDMEN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

Your committee on Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society beg leave to make the following report:

With great delight we look upon the onward movement of this great agency of the church in providing for the educational needs of our people throughout the south. This society is doing for us what no other is doing and to its credit and our delight it promises to do even more if we will do something

ourselves. When we think of the ignorance and poverty so prevalent throughout the south and more especially in the state of Arkansas and as it were under the shadow of Philander Smith College, we should become more interested in the work of the society. We appreciate the work of our own school, Philander Smith College with its corps of competent teachers and splendid facilities for the training of our boys and girl sin whatever profession they may choose.

More room is the most needed thing at present and we are assured that with two thousand dollars raised within the bounds of the Little Rock conference the new addition now in process of erection can be completed within this next conference year. Seeing the very great needs of the work and the necessity of our speedy action, be it

*Resolved*, That we the Little Rock annual conference accept the proposition of Dr. Gray to make a very strong effort to secure two thousand persons who will give one dollar each for this great cause.

*Resolved*, That the whole week preceding the first Sabbath in May be set apart and denominated the week of prayer for Philander Smith College.

*Resolved*, That the pastors request the people in their various charges to offer special prayer in their several homes and in their weekly church meetings for the financial and spiritual success of the college.

*Resolved*, That the first Sabbath in May be set apart by the conference as Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education day, that a mighty effort be made by every pastor to raise at least his apportionment for the Society and immediately forward same to Dr. Mason.

*Resolved*, That Rev. Thomas Mason, D. D. President of Philander Smith College be requested to travel over the Conference as far as he can in the interest of the college. That the hearts and the homes of the pastors and people be thrown open to him or to whomsoever he sends as his representative that a great work may be accomplished.

J. E. Toombs, *Secretary*.

MINUTES OF THE  
BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Education is one of the greatest institutions of our church and is doing a grand and much needed work in promoting the cause of education throughout the whole church. We heartily approve of the efforts of its secretary Dr. C. H. Payne, to unify the educational interests of the church and trust that the General Conference will adopt in substance the plan that Dr. Payne has presented.

We believe that Children's Day is an important agency in educating our young people and we will endeavor to observe this day in every school and use the exercises prepared by the Board for that day.

Since the Board has loaned liberally to students within the bounds of our conference, we pledge ourselves to try to take good collections on Children's Day in every Sunday-school and we will send the same to the Board of Education, 150, Fifth Avenue, New York.

M. N. Langston, *Sec'y.*

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Whereas the discipline makes it the duty of every presiding elder and minister to take care that each church be supplied with Methodist books and literature, therefore

*Resolved,* That as we share largely in the profits of the Book Concern dividends, we will use our influence in a more thorough canvass for our books and periodicals, especially our conference organ, the Southwestern Christian Advocate.

*Resolved,* That as Dr. A. E. P. Albert, Editor of the Southwestern Christian Advocate has given entire satisfaction during this quadrennium, that we the members of the Little Rock Conference request that he retained as editor, unless in the providence of God he should be elected bishop.

B. H. Johnson, *Secretary.*

ON CHURCH EXTENSION.

We your committee on Church Extension submit the following report;

Whereas the Church Extension Society has done so much for the Little Rock Conference in building churches throughout the conference, therefore

*Resolved,* That we as members of the conference pledge ourselves to collect whatever is apportioned to each charge.

H. P. Strong, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF CONFERENCE SECRETARY.— W. H. M. S.

The report of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Little Rock Conference is not as full as we had desired. The secretary being unable to attend to her duties the work of the society here has grown slowly. Many of the auxiliaries have laid dormant all the year, but our report is not blank and the work hopeful. It has been very difficult to keep the interest in this much needed work alive in this conference. Many good seed have been sown during the past year. Mrs. Colonel Springer of Iowa spent a few days in Little Rock last April in the interest of the work. Her lectures gave new inspiration to the auxiliary at Wesley Chapel and a deal much to its growth. We visited the District Conference at Forrest City, in August, in interest of the society and made an address before a large and appreciative audience and organized a new auxiliary. The society has done excellent work at Scrugg's Chapel and its president Mrs. W. H. Higgins is a lover of the work. By continued labor she has added much to its growth. We hope the day is not far distant when all good women, and especially preachers' wives, will take hold of the work and help those who are doing all they can for the advancement of Christ's cause and the uplifting of humanity. Of course men can give valuable aid but this work rests most heavily on the women. Without the assistance of the pastors we cannot do much and we hope that they will assist in organizing an auxiliary at every charge this year. The auxiliaries at VanBuren and Oak Forest did grand local work by aiding their pastors in erecting new churches. Let others go and do likewise.

The following figures will show the money sent in for this year:

## MINUTES OF THE

Wesley Chapel, Members' Dues,	\$ 7.50
Scrugg's                    "                    "	6.50
Van Buren,                "                "	5.25
Total,	\$19.25

The expenses of the Secretary have been \$8.50. During the year I have written eighty-five letters to auxiliaries, pastors, students, and friends in the interest of the work. Have distributed one box of clothing, and aided several ministers and their families. The Girls Industrial Home under the superintendance of Miss McIntosh is doing a grand work for our girls. Several have been assisted as beneficiaries and seventeen are enjoying the advantages of the Home, and others asking for admittance. The girls are instructed daily in sewing, cooking, and general house-work with credit. The Home is connected with their places in life with credit. The school is on the increase and Philander Smith College. The school is on the increase and its fame is spreading. May God bless our society and His presence guide us in the work of the Little Rock Conference.

Lucy J. Johnson, *Secretary.*

## SPECIAL COMMITTEE

We the special committee appointed in the case of W. H. Crawford find that he pleads guilty of the charge of appropriating \$90 Church Extension funds but we find some palliating circumstances which commend him to the mercy of the conference. We therefore recommend that upon confession in open conference and placing his note in the hands of the Trustees of Thorny Grove church covering the amount he be restored to his standing.

M. N. Lang-ton, *Secretary.*

## AUDITING COMMITTEE

We your committee whose duty it was to examine the Presiding Elders' accounts submit the following report: After carefully examining the accounts as kept by the Presiding El-

ders we find that they are correct.

J. C. Sherrill, *Secretary.*

## ON BIBLE CAUSE

Whereas the American Bible Society has done so much in sending the Gospel to all lands and establishing the truth thus building christian character in the hearts of the children of men, therefore

*Resolved,* That we pledge ourselves to put this book in every home and take the collection.

G. N. Johnson, *Secretary.*

## ON STATE OF CHURCH.

In consideration of the great work already done and the work now being done by the Methodist Episcopal Church, especially among our people, in helping to bury slavery and advocating the causes which tend to give us our rights as citizens and brethren of one family. And as the principle of the M.E. Church has always been to denounce class legislation, intemperance, lottery, and everything that tends to lower the standard of true manhood and womanhood and in their stead cultivate principles which lift us up to a higher state of Christian development, therefore

*Resolved,* That we lose no time in teaching our people the doctrines of our church until we have a society planted in every town and hamlet in this state.

*Resolved,* That we recommend to the General Conference to take steps to bring to account all of her rebellious sons on the color line, especially in this state, until they acknowledge the fatherhood of God and brotherhood of man.

H. P. Strong, *Secretary.*

## ON SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRACTS.

We your committee on Sunday Schools and Tracts submit the following report:  
Whereas it is doing so much in simplifying the gospel

and making the way plain for so many people of all nations and tongues, therefore

*Resolved*, That we make Good Tidings day a success by raising a full collection.

*Resolved*, That we will distribute tracts and papers of various kinds searching all places to put them in the hands of everyone and that we will as far as practicable organize mission Sunday Schools within the bounds of our charges and furnish them with our own publications.

M. H. Foster, *Secretary*,

ON TEMPERANCE.

We beg leave to submit the following:

*Resolved*, That we endorse the action of the General Conference of 1888 on the subject of temperance, that we preach on the subject in all our pulpits and have our people educated to see the evils of the drink traffic that they may be saved from its ravages and the death which follows.

T. R. Wamble, *Secretary*.

## LAY CONFERENCE.

Van Buren, Ark. Feb. 5 1892.

We the Lay electors of the Little Rock Conference met at the hour appointed. On motion W. M. Taylor was elected chairman. Opened with prayer. Nathaniel Darby, Lydie Forest, and J. W. Wilson were appointed as committee on credentials. The following were delegates to the Electoral conference:

J. M. Cox, Todd Dillihay, H. H. Thompson, Mary McFarland, J. W. Wilson, Nathaniel Darby, Phillip Owens, W. Buchanan, J. D. Denson, W. M. Stewman, W. M. Taylor and Lydie Forest.

W. M. Taylor was elected chairman and Nathaniel Darby, secretary. The candidates for General Conference were J. M. Cox and J. D. Denson. J. M. Cox was elected, receiving ten out of twelve votes. J. D. Denson was unanimously elected alternate. The following resolutions were then adopted.

Whereas, The Philander Smith College has been planted in our midst for the purpose of giving to young men and women of the land, and especially of our race that kind of education that will fit them for the battle of life and for the joys of heaven, and whereas this college has already done much in lifting our people to a higher plane of Christian intelligence and is destined to do more as the years come and go, and whereas

the great need of this institution is more room, as well as other facilities that will enable the school to accomplish the best results, therefore

*Resolved*, That we, the laymen of our great Church do assure the worthy president of this institution that we regard him and his co-workers as being indeed friends of the race and that our prayers shall ever be for them and theirs.

*Resolved*, That we enter into hearty co-operation with our pastors in every effort put forth by them to raise money for the completion of the new building and for increasing the facilities of the school in every way possible.

*Resolved*, That we give our hearty support and urge our people to take stand against intemperance and all evils detrimental to their welfare.

*Resolved*, That we return thanks to the people of Van Buren for their kindness to us during our session here.

## MEMOIRS.

MRS. M. E. LACEY.

Sister M. E. Lacey was born in Mansfield La. in 1849. She was converted to God in 1873. She went with her husband as an itinerant for 15 years sharing with him in his sorrows and rejoicing with him in his victories. To know her was to love her.

After 6 months of sickness, alas! May 23 d 1891 at midnight a cry was heard that she was taking her departure. She called her mother and daughter to her bed and said; "I am ready and willing to go, tell my husband to take good care of my daughter and meet me in heaven.

"Servant of God well done,  
Thy glorious warfare's past,  
The battle's fought the victory won,  
And thou art crowned at last."

MRS. ELIZA McDONALD.

Mrs. Eliza McDonald, wife of Rev. Henry McDonald, was born in 1870 in the State of Ark. In dependence, Co. She was converted Dec. 22, nd 1887. In D pa ting from this life she called her sister and said unto her the hours come for me to leave you and I am ready to go. me t me in heaven. She is gone to rest at the age of 22 years. She, leaves one brother and sister and a host of friends to mourn her loss we shall see her again.







STATISTICS NO. II. TEXARKANA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHURCH, NAME OF PASTOR,	PASTORS.		PRESIDING ELDER		BISHOPS.		CONF. CLINTS.	
	Claims, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including House Rent or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Appointed.	Paid.	Appointed.	Paid.	Appointed.
Clow . . . . . T. J. Thompson . . . . .		25.00	295.00	40.00	37.20	1.00	2.00	85
Center Point . . . . . B. H. Johnson . . . . .	450.00	155.00		40.00	36.60	1.00	1.00	1,106
Camden . . . . . P. B. McDonald . . . . .	150.00	38.00	112.00	20.00	18.00	50	1.00	
Caufield . . . . . A. Spears . . . . .	384.00	131.00	258.00	40.00	36.65	20.00	6.00	
Fulton . . . . . M. H. Foster . . . . .	102.00	86.00	20.00	20.00	16.00			
Gurton . . . . . W. O. Emery . . . . .	620.00	527.00	93.00	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	200
Hot Springs . . . . . H. C. Dunlap . . . . .	400.00	258.00	142.00	40.00	37.00	2.00	1.00	100
Locksburg . . . . . P. B. McDonald . . . . .	360.00	265.00	95.00	24.00	22.60	1.00	1.00	
Louisville . . . . . G. W. Thompson . . . . .	150.00	68.00	82.00	20.00	18.65	1.00	1.00	
Magnolia . . . . .								
Texarkana . . . . .								
Wheeler Chapel . . . . . G. W. Baber . . . . .	870.00	280.00	90.00	20.00	20.00	1.00	2.00	100
Hope & Washington . . . . . W. M. Fuller . . . . .	400.00	178.25	231.75	40.00	26.20			
Total . . . . .	3386.00	2011.25	1413.75	54.00	48.90	28.50	5.00	21,00

MINUTES OF THE

FOREST CITY DISTRICT.

Bledsoe . . . . . D. H. E. Harris . . . . .	325.00	135.50	190.00	60.00	22.50	2.00	1.00	
Brinkley & Clarendon . . . . . D. B. Harston . . . . .	276.00	175.00	101.00	41.00	38.00	4.00	1.00	8.00
"Circuit . . . . . D. B. Harston . . . . .	406.00	298.00	108.00	40.00	38.30	2.00	1.00	3.00
Batesville . . . . . S. Neal . . . . .	475.00	297.20	117.80	40.00	40.00	4.00	1.00	4.00
Cotton Plant . . . . . G. W. Taylor . . . . .	385.00	207.00	178.00	24.00	40.00	3.00	1.00	1.60
Forrest City . . . . . H. P. Strong . . . . .	475.00	124.50	202.50	26.00	24.00	2.00	50	2.00
"Circuit . . . . . S. M. Stokes . . . . .		18.00						
Helena . . . . . J. M. Clark . . . . .	415.00	213.00	202.00	38.00	38.00	1.00	2.00	
Jacksonport . . . . . H. N. Renfro . . . . .	200.00	65.00	135.00	24.00	20.00	2.00	2.00	
Marion & Marvell . . . . . H. W. Walton . . . . .	360.00	75.00	285.00	32.00	24.00	1.00	1.00	
New Port . . . . . M. N. Langston . . . . .	424.00	159.00	264.54	40.00	40.00	4.00	1.00	4.00
Oak Forest . . . . . W. H. Higgins . . . . .					1.50			1.00
Yaliscine . . . . . Charley Wright . . . . .								
Wynn & Crawfordville . . . . . S. M. Stokes . . . . .								
Total . . . . .	3741.00	2158.20	1780.35	381.00	330.30	25.00	5.50	22,00

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

Beardon . . . . . H. P. Coulter . . . . .	150.00	52.3	77.67	24.00	1.00	1.00		
Dermo . . . . . C. G. Brooks . . . . .	60.00	150.00	450.00	30.00	19.00	1.00	1.00	
Forde & Little Bay . . . . . H. P. Coulter . . . . .	100.00	117.50	82.50	40.00	10.70	1.00	1.00	
Hensley & Dexter . . . . . T. R. Wamble . . . . .	424.50	100.00	262.50	40.00	38.50	2.00	1.00	
Johnsville & Warren . . . . . E. D. Spencer . . . . .	200.00	25.00	175.00	38.00	28.00	50	10.00	
Monticello . . . . . B. J. Thornton . . . . .	6.00	6.00						
New Edinburg . . . . . J. C. Crawley . . . . .	450.00	84.00	366.00	50.00	50.00	1.00	1.00	2.00
Swan Lake . . . . .								
Portland . . . . . John Qualls . . . . .	760.00	600.00	100.00	50.00	45.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Pine Bluff . . . . . A. Taylor . . . . .	600.00	447.00	213.00	40.00	28.00	1.00	1.00	
Sweet Home . . . . . J. W. Brownlee . . . . .	300.00	100.00	200.00	20.00	20.00	1.00	1.00	
Warner & Noble Lake . . . . . W. Brooks . . . . .	350.00	39.50	317.50	32.00	38.25	4.00	5.00	
Wabbaseka . . . . .								
Total . . . . .	3927.50	1780.35	2244.15	300.00	262.50	13.50	2.50	26,00

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

Argenta . . . . . W. McIntosh . . . . .	10.00	10.00						
Conway . . . . . W. J. Cunningham . . . . .	30.00	30.00	4.00	2.00	1.30	1.00	1.00	1,00
Fayetteville . . . . . J. P. Mack . . . . .	464.30	343.30	121.00	4.00	40.00	1.00	1.00	
"Circuit . . . . . J. S. Kitchens . . . . .	200.00	92.00	108.00	32.00	22.00	2.00	2.00	75
Fort Smith . . . . . B. J. Griffin . . . . .	460.00	372.70	37.30	50.00	50.00	1.00	1.00	
Hazen . . . . . D. W. Nelson . . . . .				24.00	2.75	1.00		
Little Rock . . . . . J. E. Toombs . . . . .	666.00	688.00	60.00	60.00	42.75	5.00	5.00	
Wesley Chapel . . . . . G. N. Johnson . . . . .	320.00	15.25	80.00	40.00	34.10	0.00	1.00	25
Simpson . . . . . J. C. Sherrill . . . . .	225.03	84.00	141.00	24.00	13.00			
Circuit . . . . . A. J. Fletcher . . . . .	170.00	40.00	130.00	20.00	11.30			
Lonoke . . . . . W. H. Crawford . . . . .	225.00	200.00	25.00	32.00	20.20	2.00	60	2.00
Merrillon . . . . . S. McDonald . . . . .	200.00	140.00	60.00	34.00	23.50	1.00	1.00	4.00
Plummerville . . . . . June Lemons . . . . .	372.00	277.00	95.00	20.00	21.00	1.00	1.00	
Richwoods . . . . . T. H. Hanna . . . . .				40.00	27.00	2.00	1.00	
Solgohatchie . . . . . J. W. Jackson . . . . .								
Van Buren . . . . .								
Total . . . . .	3302.30	2571.55	801.30	384.00	311.10	18.00	8.30	19,00
Texarkana District . . . . .	3386.00	2211.25	1413.75	304.00	318.90	28.50	5.00	21,00
Pine Bluff . . . . .	3937.50	1780.25	2244.15	350.00	262.50	13.50	2.50	26,00
Forrest City . . . . .	3741.00	1758.20	1793.84	381.00	336.30	25.00	5.50	22,00
Grand Total . . . . .	14366.80	8321.35	6253.04	1469.00	1228.85	85.00	21.30	88,00



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