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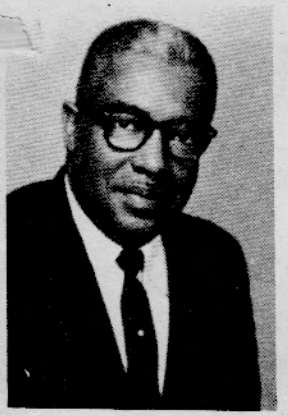

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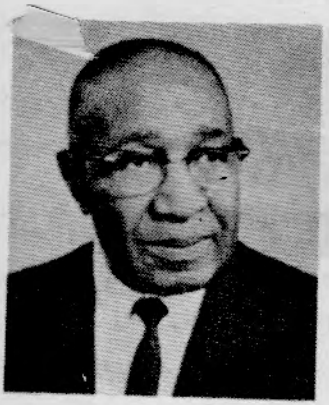

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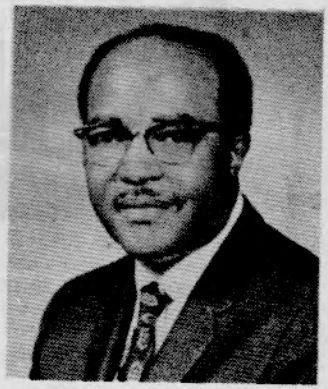

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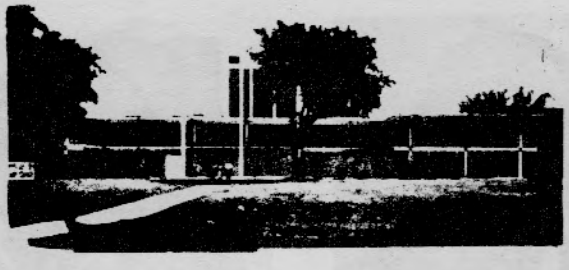

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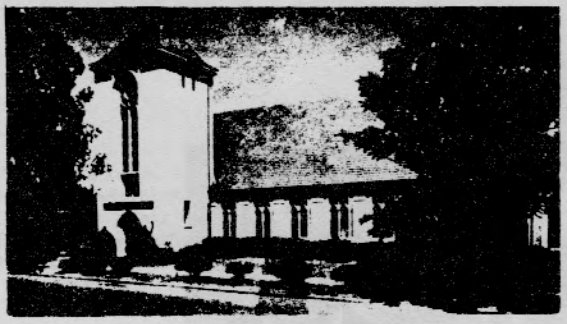

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PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY - June 1, 1970

2:00 p.m. -- Pre-Conference Session with District Superintendents and Committee Meetings.

7:30 p.m. -- COMMUNION SERVICE
Bishop Paul V. Galloway, the District Superintendents and Host Pastor, Rev. W. D. Lester.
Sermon - The Reverend Negail Riley
Music - Wesley Church Chancel Choir

TUESDAY - June 2, 1970

8:30 a.m. -- DEVOTION - Bishop Paul V. Galloway

First order of Conference business was the election of Assistants Secretaries, Mrs. Lucille Vanzant, and Rev. J. W. Lofton.

Rev. C. C. Hall proposed establishing Bar of Conference as first 7 rows of seats across front of sanctuary.

A. Knox from Arkansas Methodist was introduced to the Conference by the Bishop.

Courtesy Committee members named were:
Lula Tillmon, Mrs. J. M. Love, Georgia Blaine, Homer Winstead and Dr. W. D. Lester.

Program adopted with necessary adaptations.

ROLL CALL

EFFECTIVE ELDERS: The following answered present -

R. B. Brown	E. M. Johnson	J. T. Counts
E. M. Douglass	W. D. Lester	William Robinson
C. C. Hall	J. H. Oliver	C. H. Roe
E. T. Hickman	Clark Preston	Lloyd Smith
J. W. Hobbs	Negail Riley	F. C. Souder
E. L. Stewart	J. H. Thompson	C. G. Tillman
J. C. Tyus	Amos Wamble	

APPROVED SUPPLY:

Connie Davis	T. E. Snow
W. H. Piggee	G. Douglass Waterford

RETIRED:

W. H. D. Bright	L. T. Thompson
G. G. Troupe	H. A. Davie
D. W. Terry	

Bishop Galloway read a telegram from Everett W. Palmer, Board of Education praising support in the area of Ministerial training.

By request of the Board of Ministry, motion carried to reinstate Arthur Robinson, Jr. to full membership, and by request of Bishop Allen to be transferred to Tennessee Conference effective as of June 2, 1970.

District Superintendents Composite report read by Rev. E. L. Stewart. An addition to the report was made by Rev. C. C. Hall, stating that White Memorial UM Church moved to a new location and should be included in the D. S. report. Rev. J. H. Thompson asked for a clarification on the Vinita, Oklahoma property. Mrs. Alice Preston also asked for a clarification. Report adopted with corrections. (See report section)

Statisticians Staff named: Edwina Horton, Wanda Irby, Lloyd Smith. Permission granted to staff to assume duties.

Bishop Galloway presented Mr. R. T. Jenkins from Cokesbury to the Conference. He brought greetings from the Publishing House and invited a review of their display in the church annex.

A check in the amount of $2,325.54 was presented to the Conference as its part of the Publishing House's dividends, which goes into the Conference Pensions' Fund.

Miss Annie Marie Cox, the reserve delegate of Wesley Chapel, was granted permission to move into the bar of the conference in the place of the delegate, Clifton Anderson, who was excused because of illness.

Report of the Board of Missions, read by J. C. Tyus. Report with recommendation was adopted. (See report section)

Report of Committee on Minimum Salary with recommendations read by J. H. Oliver. Report adopted. (See report section)

Rev. J. H. Thompson, treasurer, announced that he had placed in the First National Bank a Golden Passbook Savings in the amount of $600 account number GP 1181. This account is the Minimum Salary Fund.

Board of Laity report by Mr. Homer Winstead. Adopted. (See report section)

Bishop Galloway presented Dr. Roger Burgess, General Secretary of the General Board of Health and Welfare Ministries, Evansville, Ind.

Bishop Galloway presented Dr. C. Ray Hozendorf, Little Rock District Superintendent of the Little Rock Conference to the Conference.

Report from Board of Pensions, C. C. Hall. Adopted. (See report section)

Session recessed at 11:15 by Bishop Galloway.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

11:30 A.M. Presiding ----- Rev. C. G. Tillmon
Sermon ------- Rev. A. S. Wamble
In Memory of - C. C. Mitchell, A. L. Woodward, M. M. Wilburn

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 P.M. - DEVOTION - E. T. Hickman

Report from Board of Evangelism, J. H. Oliver. Adopted (See report section)

Bishop Galloway presented Mr. Phil Hathcock, representing the Wesley Foundation at the University of Arkansas.

Bishop Galloway introduced Mr. Albert Norris from Gammons Theological Seminary in Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Norris gave insights into Gammons history and contributions toward ministerial education.

Adjournment for committee meetings.

TUESDAY EVENING

PHILANDER SMITH COLLEGE NIGHT
June 2, 1970, 7:30 p.m.
Presiding, Mr. Clinton Anderson

PROGRAM

Prelude
Processional
Invocation ---------- The Reverend J. H. Thompson
Hymn ---------- Wesley United Methodist Church Choir
Scripture & Prayer ---------- The Reverend R. C. Preston
Musical Selection ---------- Mr. Herbert Langston
Muscial Department Philander Smith College
Mrs. Grace Eubanks
Associate Professor of Voice in Charge
Mr. George Foster, Accompanist

Introduction of Speaker ---------- Mr. Clinton Anderson
Anthem ---------- Wesley United Methodist Church Choir
Address ---------- Dr. Crawford J. Mims, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Philander Smith College
Anthem ---------- Wesley United Methodist Church Choir
Offering ---------- Mr. H. B. Winstead & The Reverend C. C. Hall
Announcements ---------- Dr. W. D. Lester, Pastor Wesley United Methodist Church
Recessional ----------
Benediction ---------- Dr. W. D. Lester
Evening Offering - $212.00

WEDNESDAY - June 3, 1970

8:30 a.m. - DEVOTION - Rev. G. D. Waterford

Dr. and Mrs. A. Knox were presented to the Conference. Dr. Knox brought greetings from The Arkansas Methodist. A gift was presented to Mrs. C. Mitchell by Dr. Knox in appreciation for her efforts in securing subscriptions for the paper.

It was motioned by Rev. C. G. Tillmon and seconded by Rev. Hickman to transfer the church at Lawton into the Oklahoma Conference. The amendment to the motion made by Rev. Lester was that no other church be allowed to leave the conference until merger.

Voting 45 For 45 Against 0

Committee on Journal - read by Mrs. A. L. Preston, called attention to these errors in the previous Journal:

Page 6 - Officers of the conference:

Conference President of the W.S.C.S., Mrs. Alice L. Preston, P.O. Box 98, Murfreesboro, Ark.

Youth Representative: Should be names of current members. (Repeated on page 8)

Pensions distribution Comm. - Delete G. W. Harper (Repeated on page 8)

Board of Lay Activities - Insert Homer Winstead, Chairman

Page 7 - Board of Pensions - delete Mrs. Zelman Thompson

Board of Trustees - delete I. A. Pointer, C. Mitchel and E. F. Wallace.

The committee on the journal has read the proceedings and suggested corrections. We recommend the adoption after necessary editing, to be included in this is the poem by Rev. E. M. Douglass in memory of Rev. Mitchell, read during the memorial services. Motion carried and adopted.

Report from Program Council - Rev. C. G. Tillmon. Adopted (See report section)

Report from Board of Laity - Mr. Homer Winstead. Names of persons elected to serve on the Board of Lay Activity for 1970-71. Adopted (See report section)

Report from the Ad Hoc Committee on Merger, Dr. Lester and Mrs. A. Preston. (See report section)

Bishop Galloway presented Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Terry, Dist. Supt., Pine Bluff Dist., Little Rock Conference, Dr. John R. Clayton, Dist. Supt., Conway Dist., North Arkansas Conference, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bates, Quitman, Arkansas and Rev. John Miles, Pastor of First U. M. Church, Arkadelphia, Ark.

W.S.C.S. report by Mrs. Alice L. Preston. Report adopted. (See report section)

Nominating Committee report presented by Rev. E. L. Stewart. Adopted (See report section)

12:00 (noon) Sermon - Rev. John P. Miles, First United Methodist Church, Arkadelphia, Arkansas

12:30 p.m. - Adjournment of morning session

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 p.m. - DEVOTION - Rev. Lloyd Smith

Ministers Wives' report, Mrs. W. M. Love and Mrs. C. Mitchell. Adopted. (See report section)

The report from Christian Social Concerns was presented by Mr. H. Johnson and Mrs. L. Tillman. Adopted. (See report section)

Board of Ministry report by Dr. Negail Riley. Adopted. (See report section)

Bishop Galloway presented H. Howard Miller from the General Board of Pensions. Mr. Miller addressed the conference regarding its expectations and related association with the Board of Pensions.

The following retiring members of the conference were called forward by Bishop Galloway to address the conference: Dr. E. L. Stewart, Rev. J. C. Tyus and Rev. E. M. Douglass. Appreciations were extended to these men for their years of service to the U.M. Church. The conference gave a standing ovation to these men.

Rev. C. C. Hall conducted roll call for ministerial contributions to the Pension Fund. (See report section)

4:00 - Adjournment of afternoon session.

7:30 p.m. - WORSHIP SERVICE

Presiding - The Rev. F. C. Souder

Scripture and Prayer - Rev. J. W. Hobbs

Sermon - Dr. W. D. Lester, Pastor, Wesley U.M. Church, Little Rock

Ordination Service - Bishop Paul V. Galloway

Music - Wesley Church Chancel Choir, Mr. Rochell Guinn, Director

Rev. Wm. Robinson and Rev. G. D. Waterford were read into full connection and ordained elders by Bishop Galloway.

Rev. T. E. Snow ordained Deacon by Bishop Galloway.

BENEDICTION.

THURSDAY - June 4, 1970

6:30 a.m. - Morning Watch - Wesley United Methodist Church.

Presiding - Rev. J. H. Oliver

8:30 a.m. - Devotion - Rev. William Robinson

9:00 a.m. - Business - Bishop Galloway - Presiding

Reports continued - all reports not previously completed were made and approved with recommendations (See report section)

Report of the Commission on World Service and Finance - Nigail Riley and staff.

Report of the Statistician by the Statistician - J. W. Hobbs and staff. Received and approved (See report section)

Comments relative to the enjoyment of a successful session of the conference and the appreciation for Bishop and Mrs. Galloway. Report of the Hospitality Committee.

Closing - Bishop Galloway - Reading of the appointments Bishop Galloway.

Doxology - Benediction.

Adjournment.

(See Appointments)

CERTIFICATION

"We hereby certify the foregoing is a correct report of the daily proceedings and reports of the Forty-third Session of the Southwest Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, Incorporated; held at Wesley United Methodist Church and Philander Smith College Little Rock, Arkansas, June 1-4, 1970.

(Signed) Paul V. Galloway - Bishop Presiding
Amos S. Wamble, Sr. - Secretary

THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM COUNCIL

Para. 739. In each Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church an Annual Conference Council shall be organized: provided that such council or any component thereof may be organized on an area basis.

1. Purpose. -- The purpose of the Conference Council shall be: (a) to receive program recommendations from the local churches, the district agencies, the Annual Conference agencies, and the Jurisdictional and General Program Councils; (b) to develope these recommendations into a coordinated program to be recommended to the Annual Conference for consideration, amendment, and adoption as the Annual Conference program, and (c) to provide implementation for and administration of the coordinated program as adopted by the conference.

2. Membership. -- The membership of the Annual Conference Program Council shall consist of the presiding bishop, the district superintendents, representatives of conference agencies as determined by the conference, the conference secretary, two representatives of the conference youth organization, two representatives of the conference Women's Society of Christian Service, one of whom shall be the president, the conference lay leader, one layman from each district, chairmen of age-level departments, and such additional members as the Annual Conference may determine.

The following shall be members of the council without vote: salaried and volunteer Annual Conference staff, the conference treasurer, and one or more members of the Commission on World Service and Finance.

3. Officers. -- The officers of the council shall be a chairman, a vice chairman, a secretary, and a treasurer. They shall be elected by the council.

4. Executive Committee. -- There may be an executive committee consisting of the officers, the bishop, at least one district superintendent chosen by the Cabinet, the director of the council, and other members as the Annual Conference may determine. Approximately one half of the members of the executive committee shall be laymen.

5. Committees, Task Forces, and Consultations. -- The Council shall appoint a committee on Interpretation, it may appoint such other committees, task forces, and consultations as may be deemed essential to the effective discharging of its responsibilities.

6. Age-Level Departments. -- The Council may appoint age-level departments as it deems necessary to the performance of its duties.

7. Director. -- The council shall elect, upon nomination by the bishop and district superintendents, an executive officer, to be known as the conference program director. He shall be in consultative relationship to the conference Cabinet on matters relating to correlation, implementation, and administration of the conference program.

8. Staff. -- All Annual Conference program staff may be employed by, directed by, and amenable to the Annual Conference Program Council. Ordained ministers on the staff are subject to being appointed by the presiding bishop.

9. Relationships. -- The council shall have the following relationships including the amenabilities indicated:

(a) All District and Annual Conference agencies shall submit the elements of program which are to be promoted in, supported by, or implemented by the local churches of the conference to the council for consideration coordinating, and calendaring prior to submission to the local churches. The Council may request District or Annual Conference agencies to emplement a program for the entire conference.

(b) The Council staff shall be responsible, in cooperation with the district superintendents, for the implementation of the conference program.

10. Function. -- The functions of the Annual Conference Program Council are:

(a) To study the mission of the Annual Conference and the local churches of the conference and to determine program emphases which will assist the conference and the local churches to perform their mission.

(b) To describe, coordinate, and organize opportunities to serve within the mission.

(c) To receive program recommendations from the local churches, the District and Annual Conference agencies, and the Jurisdictional and General Program Councils, to evaluate these recommendations, and to formulate a coordinated conference program to be presented to the Annual Conference for consideration.

(d) To provide for implementation and administration of the program adopted by the conference.

(e) To provide program resources and assistance in program-planning and implementation for local churches.

(f) To provide staff personnel for implementing and administering the conference program.

(g) To provide channels of communication between Annual Conference agencies and local churches.

(h) To give leadership in research and planning for the conference and cooperate with other research and planning agencies.

(i) To cooperate in ecumenical projects and events which have been approved by the conference.

(j) To study and coordinate the budget askings of the conference agencies as they relate to conference program and to make recommendations regarding the same to the Commission on World Service and Finance: it being understood that an Annual Conference may direct that the accounting service for the Conference Treasurer shall be provided by a centralized office under the direction of a business manager.

(k) To interpret the conference program to the local churches with a view to gaining the financial support needed in order to implement that program. Para. 740. In each Annual Conference Program Council, chosen by it and amenable to it, there shall be a Committee on Interpretation.

1. Functions. -- It shall, in cooperation with the Council, promote the program of world service and other general benevolence causes in the pastoral charges of the conference in cooperation with the Division of Interpretation of the General Program Council. It shall coordinate the promotion of all approved general and conference benevolence causes, including general and conference Advance specials, the One Great Hour of Sharing, the Television-Radio Ministry Fund, the Fellowship of Suffering and Service, the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund, and other general benevolence causes except as otherwise directed by the General Conference, and shall assign the responsibility for the promotion of approved causes that do not clearly belong to an existing agency.

2. Finance. -- The budget for the committee shall be provided by the conference through its commission on World Service and Finance.

Para. 741. In each Annual Conference Program Council, chosen by it and amenable to it, there shall be a Committee on Television, Radio, and Film Communication, which, in cooperation with the program boards and other agencies in the conference, shall have for its purpose serving the conference in the field of communication by:

(a) Promotion of the principles of good communication.

(b) Promotion of the use of mass-communication methods and materials by the local churches.

(c) Promotion of the Television-Radio Ministry Fund in cooperation with the committee on interpretation (See Para. 780.)

(d) Where necessary establishment of audio-visual libraries and assistance in training audio-visual librarians.

(e) Production and distribution of programs for conference-wide use.

(f) Cooperation with the Conference Board of Education and other conference agencies to provide training opportunities for leaders in the use of audio-visual methods and materials.

(g) Services to other agencies of the conference, and close cooperation with the conference or area public relations office.

(h) Cooperation with other agencies to organize and train local church inter-commission Audio-Visual Committees.

(i) Cooperation with the general Division of Television, Radio, and Film Communication in the promotion and placement of television and radio programs within the conference.

DISTRICT PROGRAM COUNCIL

Para. 742. Where desired a District Program Council may be organized to coordinate programs within the district.

LOCAL CHURCH COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES

Para. 743. There shall be a Council on Ministries in each local church which shall consider, develope, and coordinate proposals for the church's strategy for missions. It shall receive and, where possible, utilize resource for mission provided by the District, Annual, Jurisdictional, and General Conference Program Councils, boards, and agencies, and shall coordinate these resources with the church's plan for ministries in its local and other settings. The Council shall be amenable to the Local Conference to which it shall submit its plans for review and appropriate action. Upon adoption of the program by the Charge Conference, the council shall see that the program plans which are assigned to it are implemented.

Para. 744. The Council on Ministries shall make recommendations to the committee on Finance requesting financial resources needed to undergird the coordinated and comprehensive program which it developes using local and connectional program suggestions and which it recommends to the Charge Conference.

Para. 745. In the local church, the Council on Ministries may organize an Inter-commission Audio Visual Committee, composed of at least one representative from age-level and program agencies. This committee shall give council in the selection, purchase, and use of audio-visual materials and equipment, and in the evaluation and use of radio and television programs related to the program of the church; and it shall serve as the contact group for the Television, Radio, and Film Commission. It shall be responsible for presenting to the Council on Ministries the plans for supporting the Television Radio Ministry Fund through the local-church benevolence budget. It shall develope a library of audio-visual materials (which may be a part of the general church library) and train the librarian responsible for its supervision. It shall report to the Council on Ministries. When it is impractical to have a representative committee, an audio-visual councilor may be appointed by the Council of Ministries.

He shall then be responsible for the duties indicated in this paragraph.

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Southwest Annual Conference held in Little Rock, Arkansas from June 1, 1970, through June 4, 1970; Bishop Paul V. Galloway, Presiding; Date When Organized 1928; Number of this Session, Forty-Second.

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: (Para. 661.6, 909)
   Secretary? Amos S. Wamble, Sr.
   Address - 3004 N. Creston Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111
   Statistician? H. W. Hobbs
   Address - 820 E. Park Place, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
   Treasurer? J. H. Thompson
   Address - 1922 So. Martin, Little Rock, Arkansas 72204
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (Para. 661.1) Yes
3. Bonding and auditing: Yes
   a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? (Para 913, 1508) The Treasurer $15,000.00.
   b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (Para 909, 913, 1508) Yes
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected? Yes
   (Answer Yes or No)
   a) Annual Conference Program Council? Yes
   b) Board of Christian Social Concerns? Yes
   c) Board of Education? Yes
   d) Board of Evangelism? Yes
   e) Board of Health and Welfare Ministries? Yes
   f) Board of Laity? Yes
   g) Board of the Ministry? Yes
   h) Board of Missions? Yes
   i) Board of Pensions? Yes
   j) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes
   k) Commission on Archives and History? Yes
   l) Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations? No
   m) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes
   n) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes
   o) Committee of Investigation? Yes
   p) Committee on Publishing Interest? Yes
   q) Conference Women's Society of Christian Service? Yes
   r) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes
   s) District Committee on the Ministry? Yes
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The United Methodist Church? (Para. 664.6) Yes
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See Composite Report)
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? (Para. 924) (See Report of World Service and Finance)
10. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (Para. 908) (See Report of World Service and Finance)

11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the pension and benefit programs of the Conference? (Para. 1380.4, 6) (See Pensions Report)

12. What are the apportionments to this conference:

a) For the World Service Fund? (See Report Section)

b) For the Episcopal Fund? (See Report Section)

c) For the General Administration Fund? (See Report Section)

d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? (See Report Section)

e) For the Temporary General Aid Fund? (See Report (W/S & F)

f) For the National Ministerial Education Fund? (See Report Section)

g) For the maintenance of our institutions of higher learning? (See Report Section)

13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: (Para. 902) World Service? (See Report) Conference Benevolences? (See Report)

14. What are the reports, recommendations and plans of the conference agencies?

a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions? (Para. 1380) (See Pensions Report)

b) What is the report of the Board of Mission of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (Para 1366) (See Report)

c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (Para. 898, 918) (See Report Section)

d) What is the report of the Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations? (Para. 666)

e) What are the other reports? (See Report Section)

15. What United Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for pension responsibility? (Para. 1379.4g) (See Report Section)

16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? (Para. 1178)

17. Conference lay leader (Para. 1250)

a) Name - Homer B. Winstead Address - 2808 Spring St., Little Rock, Arkansas.

b) What is his report? (See Report)

c) Who are district and associate district lay leaders? (Para. 1264)

18. What local churches have been:

a) Organized? (Para. 142) None

b) Merged (Para. 1547-48) Hugo, Oklahoma and Grant, Oklahoma

1) United Methodist with United Methodist

Name of 1st church	Name of 2nd church	Name of merged church
Water's Chapel - Hugh	St. Paul - Grant	Paul's Chapel United Methodist Church

c) What other changes have taken place in the list of churches? None

19. What changes have been made in district and charge lines? None

PART II PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

20. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes

21. Who constitute the conference Committee on Investigation? (Para. 1740.1) A. S. Wamble, Sr.; C. C. Hall, J. H. Oliver, F. C. Souder

22. Who are eligible to be appointed as:

a) Full-time lay pastors? (Para. 348.1) and what progress has each made in the course of study?

Harold Flowers - (No progress) First Year acceptance (June, 1970)
Joe Hughes - (Completed L to P and Intro Courses of Study)
M. E. Nelson - (Completed 1st, 2nd, and Intro Courses of Study)

b) Part-time lay pastors? (Para. 348.2) and what progress has each made in the course of study? W. H. Piggee (none); Elijah Morgan (none/ Connie Davis (none).

c) Student lay pastors? (Para. 348.3) and in what schools are they enrolled? J. W. Lofton - Arkansas Baptist College; Arthur Parham - Philander Smith College.

23. What lay pastors are granted pension credit on account of approved full-time service during the past year? (Para. 1379.3b) William Robinson, T. E. Snow, J. T. Counts, G. D. Waterford

24. What preachers, coming from other Christian churches, have had their orders recognized?

a) As deacons? None

b) As elders? None

NOTE: If your conference has admitted or ordained persons to accommodate another conference, list these persons in Question 35 only. If persons have been admitted or ordained by another annual conference to accommodate your conference, list these persons in Questions 25-34, whichever are appropriate, giving the date and name of the accommodating conference.

25. Who have been admitted from other Christian churches? (Para. 375-375.3)

a) As Associate Members? None

b) As Probationary Members? None

c) As Members in Full Connection? None

26. Who have been admitted as Associate Members? (Para. 323) None

27. Who are admitted as Probationary Members?

a) With degrees from accredited or approved colleges and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (Para. 327.1-327.2) None

b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (Para 328.1) None

c) With degrees from accredited or approved college or university, 2 yrs. advanced study beyond requirement for Associate Membership and 2 years of service as an Associate Member. (Para. 328.2) None

28. Who are continued as Probationary Members and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies? (Para. 329)

a) As students in approved schools of theology? None

b) As graduates of approved schools of theology? None

c) In the advanced ministerial course of study?

29. Who are discontinued as Probationary Members?

30. Who are admitted into full connection? (Para. 333) William Robinson, G. Douglass Waterford.

31. Who have been elected deacons: (Para. 312)

a) Lay pastors received into Associate Membership? (Para. 312.1)

b) Theological students? (Para. 312.2) None

32. Who have been ordained deacons? (Para. 314) None

33. Who have been elected elders: (Para. 314)

a) Theological graduates? (Para. 314.1) None

b) Probationary Members previously Associate Members? (Para. 314.2) William Robinson, G. Douglas Waterford

34. Who have been ordained elders? William Robinson, G. Douglass Waterford.

35. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:

a) Admitted: None

As Associate Members? None

As Probationary Members? None

As Members in Full Connection? None

b) Ordained after election by this conference:

Deacons?

Elders? G. Douglass Waterford, William Robinson.

c) Ordained after election by other conferences:

Deacons? None

Elders? None

36. Who are readmitted? (Para. 367)
   a) As Associate members?
   b) As Members in Full Connection? Arthur Robinson
37. What retired members have been made effective:
   a) As Associate Members? None
   b) As Members in Full Connection? None
38. Who have been received by transfer? None
39. Who have been transferred out? None
40. Who have had their conference membership terminated? (If an Associate Member, so indicate. Give date when this action became effective)
   a) By voluntary location? (Para. 366) None
   b) By involuntary location? (Para. 368) None
   c) By Surrender of Ministerial Office? (Para. 371) None
   d) By withdrawal? (Para. 372) None
   e) By judicial procedure (expelled)? (Para. 1740.5) None
41. Deceased
   a) What Associate members have died during the year? None
      Retired? None
   b) What Probationary Members have died during the year? None
   c) What Members in Full Connection have died during the year?
      Effective: None

Retired:	Date Received into Full Connection
Clifton Mitchell	1945
M. M. Wilbun	1927
A. L. Woodward	1927

   d) What lay pastors have died during the year? None
42. Who are the supernumerary ministers and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (Para. 358) None
43. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (Para. 356) (Give date when this relation became effective) None
44. What actions have been taken concerning disabled ministers and lay pastors?
   a) Who were granted disability leave since the last Annual Conference session? (Para. 357.2) (Give effective dates and indicate if Probationary Member or Associate Member) None
   b) Who have had their disability leave terminated since the last conference session? (Para. 357.5) (Give effective date of terminations.) None
   c) Who are granted disability leave at this session? (If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate.) None
   d) What lay pastors have been recommended by the Joint Committee on Disability for disability benefits during the ensuing year? (To be answered by the Board of Pensions.) None
45. What members in Full Connection have been retired?
   a) This year? J. C. Tyus, E. L. Stewart, E. M. Douglass
   b) Previously? W. H. D. Bright, H. A. Davie, B. F. Littlejohn, Ira A. Pointer, L. T. Thompson, G. G. Troups, C. L. Watson, Patrick H. Myers, J. Murray Smith, Anthony L. Woodward, Fay Norman, Clifton Mitchell.
46. What Associate Members have been retired:
   a) This year? None
   b) Previously?
47. What lay pastors have been retired?
   a) This year? Clifton Banks
   b) Previously? D. W. Terry
48. Who are appointed to attend school? (Para. 352.7) (List alphabetically all those whose prime appointment is to attend school)
   a) Associate Member? None
   b) Probationary Member? None
   c) Members in Full Connection? None

49. What is the number of:

Pastoral charges? -----	41	Readmitted? ----------	None
Lay pastors ----------	4	Discontinued? ---------	0
Received as Associate Members? ---------	0	Withdrawn? ----------	0
Received as Probationary Members? ----------	0	Expelled? ----------	0
Received into Full Connection? --------	2	Located? ----------	0
Transferred In? -------	1	Deceased? ----------	3
Transferred Out? ------	2	Retired made effective? --	0
Received from other evangelical churches?-	1		

50. What is the number of ministers?-45

Categories	Members in Full Connection	Probationary Members	Associate Members
Pastors and District Superintendents --------	18	0	4
Special Appointments --------	7	0	0
Appointed to Attend School ----	0	0	0
On Sabbatical Leave ---------	0	0	0
Disability Leave ----------	0	0	0
Supernumerary ----------	0	0	0
Retired ----------	4	0	0
Total Number Ministers ------	45	0	0
Grand Total All Ministers ----	55	0	0

51. What other personal notation should be made? None

PART III CONCLUDING BUSINESS

52. Where shall the next Conference Session be held? To be announced.
53. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? None
54. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See Appointments)

APPOINTMENTS

Southwest Conference	J. H. Thompson
Little Rock District	District Superintendent
Conway Larger Parish ----------	L. T. Thompson
Associate ----------	M. D. Nelson
Cotton Plant Larger Parish ----------	W. Harold Flowers
Duncan Circuit ----------	J. H. Oliver
Fordyce Circuit ----------	T. E. Snow
Hot Springs ----------	R. B. Brown
Johnsville Circuit ----------	C. H. Roe
Little Rock Wesley ----------	W. D. Lester
Little Rock White Memorial ----------	C. C. Hall
Marianna Enlarged Charge ----------	Joseph Hughes
North Little Rock Enlarged Charge ----------	Lloyd Smith
Newport and Hensley ----------	Arthur Parham
Maumelle - Pankey ----------	W. M. Robinson
Pine Bluff Enlarged Charge ----------	J. W. Lofton

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Director, Program Council and Board of Education ----------	E. M. Johnson
Board of Missions ----------	Negail Riley (Without Annuity)

District Secretary of Missions	W. M. Robinson
District Secretary of Social Concerns	J. W. Lofton
District Secretary of Evangelism	J. H. Oliver
District Secretary of Town and Country	Lloyd Smith
District Secretary of Christian Vocations	Mrs. Parnetha Barber

Southwest Conference Oklahoma District	A. S. Wamble, Sr. District Superintendent
Anadarko - St. Paul	Connie Davis
Wewoka - Park United Methodist Church	
Seminole - Bethel	
Ardmore - Warren Memorial	E. T. Hickman
Colbert - Lee's Chapel	
Wynnewood - Reeds Chapel	
Crescent - Mt. Vernon	J. W. Hobbs
Langston - Oak Grove	
Guthrie - St. Paul	G. D. Waterford
Hugo - Watts Chapel	To be supplied
Muskogee - Spencer's Memorial	To be supplied
Oklahoma City - Quayle	F. C. Souder
Purcell - Bowman Chapel	To be supplied
Tulsa - Wesley	C. G. Tillmon
Fayetteville - St. James	To be supplied
Fort Smith - Mallilieu	R. C. Preston
Van Buren	
Danville	
Hope	W. H. D. Bright
Horatio and DeQueen	To be supplied
Lockesburg	H. A. Davis
Nashville	J. T. Counts
Clow	
Murfreesboro	
Center Point	
Texarkana - Paraloma	J. C. Tyus

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Conference Director - Evangelism	R. B. Brown
Conference Director - Missions	C. C. Hall
District Director of Evangelism	R. C. Preston
District Director of Missions	F. C. Souder
Christian Social Concerns	Lucille Vanzant
District Director of Town and Country	J. W. Hobbs
District Director of Family Life	Mrs. G. D. Waterford

TRANSFERS OUT:

E. M. Douglas to Oklahoma Conference

Arthur L. Robinson, Jr. to Holston Conference

TRANSFERED IN:

None

REPORTS

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Bishop Galloway, members and friends of the 3rd Session of the Southwest Conference in the United Methodist Church.

The Hospitality Committee extend our appreciation to the many visitors and friends who've helped to make this conference a mountaintop experience. We wish first to give special recognition to Bishop and Mrs. Gallaway for the dynamic leadership.

We're always happy to have the Representatives of the various General Boards, and Agencies:

Dr. Negail Riley, of the Board of Missions
Dr. Roger Burgess of the Board of Health and Welfare
Dr. H. H. Miller of the Board of Pension
Mr. R. T. Jenkins from Cokesbury Publishing House
Mr. Albert Norris from Gammon Theological Seminary
Mr. Phil Hacthcook representative from the Wesley Foundation at the University of Arkansas.
Rev. Alfred Knox of Arkansas Methodist Church
District Superintendents, Pastors, and members from North Arkansas and Little Rock Conference.
Dr. John Ralph Clayton
Dr. and Mrs. Author Terry
Dr. John P. Miles
Dr. Ray C. Hozendorf
Rev. Tom Adkinsom
Rev. John Conyers
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bates

We extend gratitude to our host pastor, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Lester and the members of Wesley United Methodist, and to Pres. and Mrs. W. J. Hazzard and faculty for the comfort and courtesy shown us. We are grateful to the members of conference boards, committees and local churches, pastors, and wives, and widows association, women's societies and every one for their loyal support during this conference year.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Willa Love, Mrs. Georgia Blaine,
Mrs. Lula Tillmon, Mr. Homer Winstead

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT COMPOSITE

Bishop Galloway, Ministers and lay members of the Southwest Conference and visitors. It is a mild expression to say that we are pleased to present this our sixth (6) annual report as district superintendents in the Southwest Conference.

We are deeply grateful to God for his many blessings and to the ministers and laymen for their cooperative efforts in the conference and especially am I grateful to the district superintendents and pastors of the Oklahoma and North Arkansas Conferences for their efforts in assisting me with the work of the Oklahoma District serving as district superintendent and pastor especially during my illness since November, 1969, I shall ever be grateful to each of them.

In this conference year, we have lost by death one (1) minister, one (1) minister's wife and one (1) minister's widow -- Rev. Clifton Mitchell, Mrs. J. C. Tyus and Mrs. Buchanan. May we pause for a moment in remembrance of their service in the conference.

(Accuracy of this report) May we point out the fact that there are several items in the report of which we would like to have been more accurate but for reasons over which we had no control, the report is not what we wish it to be.

I. CHURCHES - CHARGES and MEMBERSHIP

In the conference there are twenty-seven (27) charges consisting of seventy-nine (79) churches with three thousand, four hundred eighty-four (3, 484) members served by twenty (20) conference members and twelve (12) lay pastors. There are three (3) charges on the Oklahoma District consisting of seven (7) churches which does not have a pastor assigned because we do not have conference members or lay pastors to serve them. We are in serious trouble from a ministerial view point.

II. PHYSICAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CONFERENCE STRUCTURE

New Church Buildings; 3 New Buildings

A new church building at Lawton, (Johnson Memorial) under the pastorate of E. M. Douglass at a cost of $20, 000. 00.

Another new church building at Anadarko at a cost of $18, 000. 00, St. Paul. Another new building nearing completion, Purcell, Bowman Chapel - $6, 000. 00. A. S. Wamble is the Pastor of Both Churches.

Building and Renovations - Three (3) churches renovated at the cost of $25, 000. 00. Two (2) churches abandoned.

The church at Vinita, Oklahoma has been abandoned and the membership transferred to the Wesley United Methodist Church at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Recommend: The sale of said property and the proceeds be invested in a worthy project on the Oklahoma District.

The members of the Saint Paul Church at Grant, Oklahoma have voted to move their membership to the Waters Chapel United Methodist Church at Hugo, Oklahoma. Plans for a new church building to better serve the religious - social - economic - spiritual and educational needs of the whole community at Hugo, Oklahoma.

EVANGELISM

The pastors reports do not indicate the growth in membership that a well cultivated evangelistic program should reveal. The business of the church in the world to every Christian is to follow the echo of the voice of the master to the Galilean fishermen - follow me and I will show you how to catch men. We should be deeply concerned about our church, school and public worship attendance.

EDUCATION

Philander Smith College - For several years, we have talked about higher education as it relates to Philander Smith and its financial needs but we have failed to meet the financial needs according to our blessings. We just talk - talk - talk. If we are going to comply with the recent general conference decision with regards to our the Negro colleges of the United Methodist church, we must definitely improve on financial givings to education. If the United Methodist Church is to produce $5, 000, 000 during 1971-72 for scholarships and operating expenses, it is imperative that we increase our giving to higher education. We must have a trained ministry in the days ahead if the church is to lead a trained lay membership within the church.

SOCIAL CONCERN

In the area of social concern, we are in need of more dedicated laymen Christianly concerned with regards to the social, educational, spiritual and economical needs for which the church can render. However, we are very grateful for what has been done. The church must find the people and administer to their needs if we expect to attract them to the church.

STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE

Christians must ever be mindful of their stewardship of time - life - service and money toward the acceptance of God in the hearts of men -- times like these we need to tithe our time - ability - and our financial resources to the stability and progress of the Church in the world.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE and MINISTERS WIVES

We commend the Woman's Society of Christian Service, conference and district-wise. Across the conference and district, the societies have been busily engaged in meetings keeping their programs moving forward. Without their efforts, the conference would not be a success. And without the organization of the ministers wives and their financial contributions to the Pension Fund of the conference, the annuity would not be $45.00. Indeed, we are grateful to the women of the conference.

MINISTERIAL AND LAY LEADERSHIP IN THE CONFERENCE

We commend our pastors and laymen for their leadership during this year. And yet, there is space for improvement in several areas of leadership in the conference on the part of pastors and laymen. There is an old adage, like priest - like people. It has been my experience that people will give vent to their leadership. We are very much disturbed with some of our ministerial leadership for a better church in a better world. We will not be able to produce a better church so long as we support case systems of black-indian - white - spanish and other races in the church. If the church is of God, then under God there is no respect of race or nationality.

Respectively committed, E. M. Johnson, E. L. Stewart

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE PROGRAM COUNCIL

The constant changes in today's world, emphasizes the great mission of the church. Jesus Christ, the head of the church, gave this command, "Go therefore, and make disciples of nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age." Matt. 28:19, 20.

These words involve the church in mission, (you and me) which includes commitment of life.

As we assume responsibilities, we can expect opposition, and even persecution, but take courage my friends, we are not alone, for we have assurance that (He) Jesus Christ is with us always to the close of the age.

As we look at the brochure, please note two necessary changes in the Program Council membership: Corrections----C. C. Hall represents the board of Pensions instead of E. T. Hickman. James B. Porter on World Service and Finance instead of L. T. Thompson.

The council has held two meetings this conference year. At each we have had representatives from the general boards and agencies, in the person of Negail Riley, Elex Porteus, Warren Jenkins and the new pastor of Wesley--W. D. Lester.

These men have been a source of information and inspiration as we sought to become better acquainted with the councils responsibility.

At the May meeting each board recommended actions and the necessary budget as follows:

Evangelism		$ 600.00
Travel	$ 300.00	
Promotion	300.00	

(Continued)

Pensions ---------- $ 300.00
Two District meetings
Pension Fund Drive
Lay Activities ---------- 600.00
Lay Leaders Travel ---------- $ 150.00
Teaching lay speakers ---------- 120.00
Two workshops
Two Lay retreats
Training of Lay Speakers ---------- 330.00
Missions ---------- Increased from 300.00 to 600.00
Deficit for Inter-conference
Cooperative School of Christian
Mission ---------- 100.00
1970's pledge to School ---------- 100.00
Travel to General Meetings
Two Schools at Mt. Sequoyah
Conference Meetings ---------- 400.00
Christian Social Concerns ---------- 500.00
a. Two or more delegates to the Briefing Conference at Mt. Sequoyah.
b. One Board meeting
c. Travel to cultivation meetings where needed.
d. Resource material
Publishing Conference Journal and Periodical Committee -------- 1,000.00
It was moved met and carried that a strong committee with Southwest Conference historical knowledge be appointed to edit the journal before it goes to press.
TRAFCO Motion seconded and carried that this budget be increased from $100.00 to ---------- 300.00
Ad Hoc Committee ---------- 600.00
Board of Education ---------- 4,500.00
I. Executive Secretary Salary - $2,400
Office and house expense ---- 300
Supplies and secretarial help - 200
Travel expense (Exec. Sec.) - 500
Volunteer Staff Travel ------- 300
II. Camp Ministry ---------- 200
III. Leadership Training
Area Leadership Conf. Staff -- 200
MCCE ---------- 200
IV. Resource Material
Books and Visual Aids ------- 100
V. Delegate to Family Life Conf. -- 100
Total ---------- $4,500.00
Prospective Income
General Board ---------- $ 400.00
Church School Rally ---------- 400.00
Conference Benevolence ---- 3,600.00
Other possible sources (MSC) - 100.00
Total ---------- $4,500.00

The World Service and Finance Committee altered this proposed budget to the best of their ability. See committees report.

At the April meeting of this Council, a Task Force Committee was named for the purpose of exploring ways and means to develop a program and leadership to meet needs of the conference and local churches in all areas of the church's program.

After much study and consultation, local church needs in order of priorities were listed and assignments to Boards and Agencies to assist are as follows:

A. Revive the inactive
Meet Spiritual need -------- Evangelism

B. Leadership Training
Program of the United
Methodist Church -------- Lay Activities

C. Finance ---------- Stewardship & Finance

D. Young Adult Program------- Education (Adult Coordinator)

E. Employment Need
Educational Need
Available Resources-------- Christian Social Concerns

F. Parsonage and Church
building facilities --------- Trustees

G. Ministerial support
More efficient ministers ---- Personnel

H. Outreach
Community Action
a. Who are the people we serve?
b. How to change
c. Take church outside walls -- Ecumenical & CSC

I. Concept of The Church.
a. Training in Christian Education
b. Re-study of Values ---- Mission

J. Discover Human Resources - TRAFCO *Communication
Who! What! Where! Concept from New day in Education
Needs
Programs ---------- Response begins where needs and good news form intersection.

We trust that, the Women's Societies will work cooperatively with each Board and Commission at all levels, and that no Board or Commission will work in isolation. Togetherness will get lasting results.

Note the tentative calendar in the brochure and make changes where need arises.

Task Force Committee

Alice Preston, J. H. Oliver, R. B. Brown, H. W. Johnson, **J. C. Tyus, Clinton Anderson, Homer Winstead, C. C. Hall, E. M. Johnson.

Resource Persons:

Alex. Porteus, Negail Riley, W. D. Lester
C. G. Tillmon, Chairman Program Council

CONFERENCE BOARD OF EVANGELISM

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That we continue Lay Renewal of the Church in keeping with the General Board of Evangelism.
2. That each District hold an Evangelistic Institute.
3. That we hold Four Night - For God in each Local Church.
4. That we emphasize the study of the Sermon on the Mount in every local church.
5. That the youth Christian Witness Mission be continued month, November Under the Sponsorship of Conference Board of Evangelism, and the Board of Education.
6. That we continue the Evangelistic emphasis through Seminars on General Church Evangelistic Emphasis Month, October.

7. We recommend, $300 for general and Annual Conference Travel Expense, $300 for Conference Cultivation. $300 for District Cultivation.

J. H. Oliver, Chairman & R. C. Preston, Vice Chairman; R. B. Brown, Secretary

Southwest Conference Program Council Members

OFFICERS:

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REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE LAY LEADER

To: Bishop Galloway and Members of the Southwest Annual Conference

Besides my regular report, enclosed is a letter and some resolutions to be proposed to all United Methodist in this jurisdiction and will you include most of the letters and Resolutions in my report so that the whole conference will be in the know on the problems of the way in which the problems are to be solved financially. You will note our conference is being asked $2,000.00 per year for 2 years, 1971-72.

The program council that met in Little Rock, April 1-2, approved the recommendations and Budget of the Board of Laity.

The South West Conference had two representatives in attendance for a 3-day Work Shop sponsored by South Central Jurisdiction at Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Ark., June 1969, W. H. McCain and Winstead were the Representatives.

Then in July the Conference and Churches sponsored several men to the National United Men's Conference, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana. Then on February 7th and 8th, this Conference sponsored 12 Representatives to a Board (general) of Laity Seminar at the Lafayette Hotel in Little Rock. Work Shop on United Methodist men, Lay Speaking, Lay Leader and Lay Work in the Church.

The conference Lay Leader has been active in visiting some of the smaller changes of the Conference encouraging more Lay participation, Stewardship, Involvement in the mission of the Church and Spiritual Growth.

We ask the Conference to approve the following:

1. Authority to recruit interested Laymen for Lay Speaking.

2. That these persons be requested to take a 10 hour Lay Speaker Course to be taught by qualified ministers and teachers from colleges and Secondary Schools.

3. That a fee of not more than $5.00 per hour be authorized for a teaching fee.

4. That travel expense be allowed for trainees and that the training facility be as close as possible to trainees home.

5. That Laymen who can qualify as Lay Speaker be used where possible and feasible.

6. That as far as possible, the Conference fill all of the Lay Boards, Vacancies according to the General Boards requirements. We do not have a Little Rock District Lay Leader and Director of Lay activities in the Conference.

7. That 2 (two) retreats for laymen be held each year. One for the Little Rock District be held at Aldersgate Camp in August, 1970, and that one be held in Oklahoma for the Oklahoma District in August or September. Dates and place for the Oklahoma retreat to be set by that District.

The purpose of these retreats would be to study the General Church as it relates to the Laity. This would include the Basic needs of the Local Churches and Ways to Cultivate better Stewardship.

8. The final three recommendations are:

a. That this Annual Conference appoint a Task Force to study Basic needs of the Church and develop methods of cultivation of its members toward more Stewardship.

b. That we be granted a Budget of $600.00 this year, to be used as follows:

1. Fee for training Lay Speakers	$200.00
2. Travel for Lay trainees	100.00
3. Lay Leader Cultivation (Conference)	150.00
4. Lay Retreats	150.00
	$600.00

c. That an 8¢ per mile be the standard for travel by car, conference wide, for conference business. This would be the standard regardless of the 2nd, 3rd or more riders in the same car. NO addition for the extra riders.

This concludes my reports. Thanks for allowing me to be your Conference Lay Leader,

Reported by, Homer B. Winstead, 2808 Spring Street, Little Rock, Ark. 72206 Phone 372-1521

April 10, 1970

Dear Mr. Winstead:

On Tuesday, April 7th distinguished United Methodists participated in The President's Consultation Meeting with Conference Lay Leaders and other Churchmen. "We had a wonderful fellowship and experience which included an informal meeting in the President's Home at 2:00 p.m., tour of the campus to observe the various educational activities, student life, etc.; dinner at the President's Home, and the "Consultation Meeting" at 7:30 p.m.

Participants in the Consultation Meeting voted unanimously:

1. That the annual conference be urged to approve the United Methodists' Campaign to raise $2,000,000 as outlined in the resolution (1) to help Philander Smith College make necessary preparation for the continuance of its accreditation with the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools after the 1971 Review, and (2) to help the College fulfill its educational ministry to the "disadvantaged student" as well as the "well-qualified scholar."

2. That the Conference Lay Leader be asked to convene the Conference Board of the Laity, or the Executive Committee of the Board, to consider the "crisis experience of Philander Smith during the period of the NCA Review" and to assure conference approval of the United Campaign for Philander Smith as out-lined in the resolution.

We are asking you to do three things:

1. Pray for Philander Smith College, including the President.
2. Do all you can to secure the Annual Conference's approval of the United Methodists' Campaign for Philander Smith College.
3. Let me know what you think the President of the College may do to facilitate the promotion of this cause in your Conference.

You will be interested to know that Philander Smith is having a good year. It has not been necessary for us to borrow money since the beginning of the first semester to meet current obligations. With a successful campaign, we shall liquidate "old debts" and forge ahead with an unprecedented program of quality Christian higher education.

Sincerely yours,
Walter R. Hazzard, President

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RESOLUTION TO PROPOSE THE UNITED METHODISTS' CAMPAIGN
FOR
PHILANDER SMITH COLLEGE -- LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

Whereas, Philander Smith College has been notified by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools to be ready for review in 1971,

Whereas, the loss of accreditation would disqualify the College for participation in the United Negro College Fund, which provides more than $100,000.00 per year, and the loss of the accreditation would reduce or eliminate our Federal Support which may be more than $740,000.00 in the ensuing year,

Whereas, we need "more stable income" for operational purposes, more adequate educational facilities (Talent Development Center and Science Hall), and

Whereas, the College needs "Trustee developed funds in increasing amounts for annual support, building debt interest and retirement, and general endowment,"

Be it, therefore, resolved that the Board of Trustees of Philander Smith College approve the following proposal for the United Methodists' Capital Funds Campaign to raise $2,000,000 within two years (January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1972) for the following purposes:

Debt Liquidation	$ 350,000
Faculty Enrichment	350,000
Endowed Scholarships	300,000
Library Books and Equipment	50,000
Capital Improvements	150,000
Talent Development Center and Science Hall	800,000
TOTAL	$2,000,000

Be it further resolved that the Board of Trustees shall ask the participating Annual Conferences, the Businessmen of the Greater Little Rock Area, and other friends to support the Campaign as follows:

Kansas East	$ 77,066
Kansas West	104,137
Missouri East	89,609
Missouri West	107,866
Nebraska	94,566
Oklahoma	188,566
Indian Mission	4,766
(Sub-total $666,666)	
North Arkansas	121,138
Little Rock	110,196
Southwest	2,000
Methodist in Arkansas by special solicitation	100,000
(Sub-Total $333,334)	
TOTAL	$1,000,000

Be it further resolved that the supporting Annual Conferences be asked to accept the suggested "fair share" of the $2,000,000 at their next official session and establish a special committee to develop and implement plans and programs to achieve their respective goals for the Capital Funds Campaign,

Be it further resolved that a "three-pronged approach" be developed to raise the second $1,000,000 to reach the proposed goal by December 31, 1972, involving:

a. An intensvie campaign in the Greater Little Rock Area for $400,000 (Pulaski, Salina, Faulkner, and Lonoke Counties).

b. A request for a gift of $200,000 from the Board of Education of the United Methodist Church.

c. Solicitation of $400,000 from other Corporations, Foundations, Alumni, and other friends of Philander Smith College,

Be it further resolved that the Development Committee be enlarged, including the Bishop and/or a representative of each supporting conference, to develop the proposal in detail and to implement the Capital Funds Campaign between January 1, 1971 and December 31, 1972,

Be it finally resolved that the Development Committee shall be asked to make a progress report at each subsequent session of the Board of Trustees until December 1972.

NOTE:

1. Debt liquidation is first on the priority list.

2. The Talent Development Center and Science Hall will be the Center for our regular curricular offerings in science and special programs that are or will be funded through the Department of Health, Education and Welfare:

* IPI (Individually Prescribed Instruction) for all first year students who need totorial services.

* Talent Search and Development Programs for regular and unclassified students of the college to prepare them for greater specialized services in business enterprises, community agencies, law enforcement, and leadership in the Church and state.

* Money from the Federal Agency for instruction purposes and "indirect cost" will help to defray the expenses involved and facilitate the operation of the Talent Development Center.

3. The erection of a new building will not be undertaken until sufficient money is available and plans are developed for the amortization of any debt that might be necessary for the completion of the project.

4. The Talent Development Center and Science Hall will help a significant number of students to discover "self" and develop their greatest potential.

5. The Talent Development Center and Science Hall will have a vital place in our plan for the State of Arkansas -- to provide skillfully trained leaders for many clearly defined jobs.

***WITHOUT A VISION THE COLLEGE WILL VANISH. If we love one another and seek first the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness, God will open the hearts of friends and make a way for Philander to become a greater Four Year College.

INAUGURAL RESPONSE

"The Future Academic Community:
Continuity and Change"
March 11, 1970

Walter Raphael Hazzard, S. T. D.

Seventh President of
Philander Smith College

Mr. Chairman, Distinguished Guests, Faculty, Students, and other Friends:

Words are inadequate to express my deep sense of gratitude for your expressions of concern and kindness to me and to my family . . . . Some of you have laid aside your business responsibilities to participate in this inaugural service. Some of you have traveled from cities as far away as Detroit, Michigan; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Washington, D. C.; Atlanta, Georgia; and Los Angeles, California to be involved in the inauguration of the Seventh President of Philander Smith College, who is now having a "Mountain Top Experience." Again, may I say "thank you -- trustees, students, faculty, and friends -- for your genuine friendship and warm fellowship."

The selected subject, "The Future Academic Community: Continuity and Change," is appropriate for this auspicious, momentous occasion. When a new president is about to be inaugurated for his official duties, he is bound to review the history of the institution -- its purposes, its progress, and its plans for the future . . . Philander Smith College was created in 1877 by The Methodist Episcopal Church for five good reasons:

1. To help freedmen face the vexing experiences of "conflict and social change."
2. To develop black leadership.
3. To educate and help disadvantaged persons.
4. To enhance the dignity of man.
5. To facilitate the execution of justice and to advance human welfare.

These distinctive aims of the founding fathers are still intrinsic guidelines in the planning of curricular offerings for students of all races and classes who enter the College with a hunger for knowledge, a quest for truth, and a desire for a better life. During the early stages of development of Philander Smith College, higher education was restricted by orthodoxy, conformity, and religious constraint. Today, our college community is characterized by academic freedom and responsibility, critical analysis and creativ research, meaningful dialogue and free communication of ideas and information that may help each person develop his greatest potential.

What Philander Smith Proposes

What does Philander Smith College propose to do for her students? This College is a "student centered institution" that aims to help each student:

1. To use the best psychological and logical methods of thinking and learning to understand his heritage and gain a good perspective of his time and place in the world.
2. To develop a sound moral and spiritual foundation for his personal life, social involvement, and responsible living in a democratic society.
3. To develop his greatest potential as a human being, a citizen and a child of God.
4. To be a workman who is not ashamed of his work.

John W. Gardner was right when he said: "What we must reach for is a conception of perpetual self-discovery, perpetual reshaping to realize one's best self, to be the person one can be. This is a conception which includes not only the intellect but the emotions, character and personality. It involves not only the surface but deeper layers of thought and action . . . . And it involves moral and spiritual growth."

Every educator is willing to invite the brilliant "A" or "B" student to participate in the learning process, but Philander will also welcome the "C" student who struggles to keep his academic average. Our full evaluation of a student is not based solely on his report card or what he may be at the moment. In addition to these factors the president, the faculty and staff consider what each student may become if given a "fair chance" for growth and development. Philander Smith is committed to give each student every possible opportunity to develop his talents and become a well-rounded person and a useful citizen.

The future academic community will be determined by the components of the College, the board of trustees, philanthropic corporations and other benevolent friends who support the College with their good will and generous gifts. The components of the College include the faculty, the students, the administrator, and the staff. If these important components share their "better ideas" and work together as a "professional team" the college community will develop greater unity and strength. The morale of the campus will be lifted. Student enrollment will be increased. Faculty cooperation in areas of academic concentration and independent study will enhance the quality of higher education.

If the trustees and the philanthropic friends of the College provide adequate financial support for debt liquidation, faculty enrichment, endowed scholarships, essential capital improvements, and talent development, the academic community will move forward in higher education as swiftly as the world advanced from the atomic age to the lunar age.

We are building the future academic community today. In our present and future academic community:

* The chief administrator will make definite promises only when they can be made with sound reason and good faith, but he will do his best to help each person, to protect the teaching-learning process, and to perform his duties with understanding love and good will.

* Students will be given more recognition and more opportunities for significant involvement in the process of improving the policies, programs, and the administration of the College.

* The faculty will play a major, vital role in determining the structure and strength of the academic community.

* Channels of communication will be kept open to assure better understanding, more meaningful relationships, and greater cooperation.

* Leaders of the academic community will not struggle to keep the status quo, but they will demand the best in culture, the finest in scholarship, and the highest wisdom. The President will be courageous but charitable, firm but forgiving, fearless but fair, progressive but patient, uncompromising but cooperative. We shall go forward together.

The time for doing business as usual has passed. "The dogmas of the quiet past are inadequate to the stormy present. The occasion is piled high with difficulty, and we must rise to the occasion. As our case is new, so we must think and act anew. We must disenthrall ourselves, and then we shall save our country." These words of President Abraham Lincoln are just as true today as they were in December 1862.

In the future academic community there will be a struggle for revision of the curriculum, demands for general use of the newest and best methods of teaching, and a battle to eliminate the in loco parentis policies of the College. The administrators will endeavor to link form with function, freedom with responsibility, promises with performance. This is a great time to live and to be actively involved in shaping and determining the future academic community that will be characterized by both continuity and change. The change that comes from higher education will bridge the gap between what a student is and what he is capable of becoming.

CONCLUDING REMARKS -

Rousseau was right when he said, "If men appear unequal it is probably due to inequalities in their education." The challenge we face is to offer students not simply equal opportunity to attend college but also equal education at every level of achievement . . . .

Education is the "master key" to selfawareness, self-fulfillment, and success in a complex world of human experience. Horace Mann assorted, "Education beyond all other devices of human origin is the great equalizer of the conditions of men -- the balance wheel of the social machinery."

Every man ought to be considered in terms not only of what he is now but in the light of what he might become if given favorable opportunities for growth and development. With this broad philosophical view of human possibilities, we shall do our best to maintain a wholesome academic community for the present Philanderian family and for other students who will pass this way.

The Bridge Builder

We are reminded of the old man who was building a bridge one day when a by-passer stopped and said to him, "Old man why are you building this bridge? You are old, wrinkled and gray . . . . You will never again pass this way." The old bridge builder paused and said, "Sir, you may be right. I will never pass again this way; but there is a youth who will pass this way, I am building the bridge for him."

When the founding fathers created Philander Smith in 1877, they built a bridge for us. What shall we do for others? Do not say, "What can Philander Smith do for me, but what can I do for Philander Smith to make it a bigger and better college."

We shall emulate the good example of the founding fathers and the former presidents of Philander Smith College. We shall make this institution of Christian higher education a bigger and better bridge for the youth who will pass this way.

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TRUSTEE REPORT

To the Southwest Annual Conference the Trustees wish to make the following report.

There are twelve pieces of property in the Southwest Conference that is abandoned and are for sale. Seven in Arkansas and four in Oklahoma. In Oklahoma we have Boley, Depew, Chelsea, McAllister and Grant. In Arkansas we have Solgohatchia, Bentonville, Natural Steps, Scruggs, Altheimer, Caldwell and Nashville.

Wheatley and Hozen have been sold to Mr. Homer Winstead. The proceeds are now in the Conference treasury. The property at Boley, Oklahoma is in the process of being sold to Mrs. E. J. Paxton who has since deceased. The transaction is now with her daughter Mrs. Laura Cato of Detroit, Michigan. A down payment of $200.00 has been paid. The $200.00 less the expenses is now in the Oklahoma District treasury.

The property at Roland Arkansas also is in the process of being sold by Trustee, Homer Winstead.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. We recommend that the following property be sold and the proceeds be sent to the conference treasurer, Solgohatchia, Bentonville, Natural Steps, Caldwell, Altheimer, Nashville, Scruggs, Depew, Chelsea and Grant, the Treasurer is requested to disburse the monies to the proper District Treasurer.

2. We also recommend that the building at Union Grove be moved to Brinkley.

This is the report and recommendations of the Trustees of the Southwest Conference, June, 1970.

We are requesting the cabinet to name three persons to replace two deceased members and 1 member who has transferred. There should be 12 persons on the Trustee Board, 6 ministers and 6 laymen.

1970 Classes

1. C. C. Hall	1. E. T. Hickman	1. G. James Washington
2. Charles Norwood	2. Homer Winstead	2.
3. J. H. Thompson	3.	3.
4.	4.	4.

Rev. C. C. Hall, Chairman; G. James Washington, Secretary

THE BOARD OF PENSIONS

April 1, 1970

The session was called to order by the Chairman, Rev. C. C. Hall at 2:30 p.m. in Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church. Mr. N. R. Coulter offered the prayer. The following persons were present:

C. C. Hall	Alice L. Preston
R. B. Brown	W. H. McCane
R. C. Preston	W. H. Flowers
J. H. Oliver	J. H. Thompson (ex-officio)

After checking the roll and finding the number of laymen larger than the ministerial, Mrs. Zelma Thompson was dropped from the roll.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. The annuity rate be set at $45 (forty-five dollars) with the aid of TGAF.
2. That $17,000 be raised to aid in providing the recommended $45.
3. That the apportionment to the local churches be the amount equivalent to 18% of the pastor's cash salary for distribution and $2 (two dollars) for each full member of the local churches for reserve pension fund.
4. Every church be urged (by regular communication) to pay its apportionment in full.
5. That every pastor be assessed a minimum of 2% of his cash salary for pension funds. That each pastor who can be urged to pay $100 (one-hundred dollars).
6. That the order of the day the second day of the Annual Conference Session (2 P.M. June 2, 1970) be roll call for pastors and local churches. ($2 per member local churches) and (2% or $100 each pastor).
7. That a special Pension Round-up be set for October 30, 31, 1970, involving all United Methodist of Southwest Conference. The session to begin Friday, October 30 10 A.M. closing with an address by our bishop.

SERVICE RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. J. H. Thompson's service years be corrected as follows:
   Supply 1953 - 1955
   Deacon 1956 - 1963
   Elder 1964 -
2. Roy Brown 29 years Oct. 1969 (to retire Aug. 19, 1970)
3. C. C. Hall 40 years (to retire Nov. 5, 1970)
4. E. L. Stewart (retiring June 1, 1970)
5. J. C. Tyus 35 years (retiring June 1, 1970)
6. J. H. Oliver 48 years, June 1, 1970 (not retiring)
7. C. G. Tilmon 42 years June 1, 1970 (not retiring)
8. W. H. Flowers (lay pastor 1969 be recommended for annuity as of June 1969.

Budget requested; $200

On proper motion and second and session adjourned.

Alice Preston, Sec.; C. C. Hall, Chairman

MINISTERS WIVES' ASSOCIATION REPORT

Bishop Galloway, Dr. Lester, district superintendents, ministers, delegates of the second session of the Southwest Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church and friends.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude that I am privileged with the opportunity to submit to you this my second annual report as conference president of the United Methodist Church, Ministers Wives Association.

We have been affected by several types of human emotions. We have moved or changed residence, had our ups and downs, our joy and sorrows, however, by the help of our "Lord", we have continued to carry on.

We have contacted each minister's wife by correspondence throughout the district and southwest conference. The ministers' wives have worked faithfully and made excellent reports. We are expecting all financial reports on or by the opening session of the annual conference.

The Ministers Wives Association attempted a "Retreat" at camp Aldersgate, Little Rock, August 20, 22, 1969. Due to the vacation period, our group was small and we didn't carry through on the full plans. The evening was very enjoyable; our Bishop's wife, Mrs. Galloway shared the fun and fellowship with us.

The Minister's Wives Fellowship Club of the Little Rock district held their April meeting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Hall, 2807 Wolfe Street, Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. E. M. Johnson presided. Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Worship Chairman conducted devotion and gave the meditation, followed a recorded song, "God Gives his People Strength". Plans will be made for the conference and summer activities in the May meeting, which will be held in the home of Mrs. C. Mitchell. The high light of the evening included a "share-in experience", All expressions were interesting. We were very impressed with a report given by Mrs. G. G. Troupe from a training session for the Spiritual Life and Wesleyan Service Guild, held in Cincinnatii, Ohio.

Refreshments were served, with Rev. and Mrs. Hall serving as host and hostess. It was a very enjoyable evening. Mrs. Johnson gave expression of appreciation to Rev. and Mrs. Hall for their gracious hospitality. Those present were as follows, Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mrs. C. Mitchell, Mrs. M. M. Wilbun, Mrs. E. F. Wallace, Mrs. G. G. Troupe and Mrs. J.M. Love. Ministers present: Rev. C. C. Hall and Rev. J. H. Thompson.

Some of the activities for the spring session included: Teas, candy and napkins sale and saving monies for our pension fund.

We are very happy to welcome to our fellowship, Mrs. W. H. Hazzard, who is a member of the National Ministers' Wives and a board member. We hope to have a meeting and dinner together of the ministers wives during the annual conference.

In the midst of our joy and happiness, we were saddened by the visit of death to our group. It took one of our dear sisters, Mrs. J. C. Tyus.

We have tried to spread joy where there were sadness or illness, by sending cards and letters to our sick and shut-ins. We acknowledge the following persons who are now on the sick list: Mrs. E. T. Hickman, Mrs. E. L. Stewart, Mrs. F. G. Sounder and Mrs. J. J. Davis. May they continue to improve.

We wish to thank each of you for your cooperation given to us during "these times" of change. May God bless you and keep you always. As we come to the close of this conference year, may we be aware of the many changes which may confront us in the seventies. Let us keep the faith, love one another, take courage and walk together in "A newness of life".

Respectfully submitted, Willie Mae Love, Mrs. John M. Love, Conference President; Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Little Rock District, President; Mrs. E. L. Stewart, Oklahoma District, President

OKLAHOMA DISTRICT
MINISTERS WIVES' REPORT

Mrs. E. L. Stewart	$ 100.00	Mrs. B. F. Littlejohn	$ 10.00
Mrs. W. H. D. Bright	10.00	Mrs. Ella Miller	30.00
Mrs. J. T. Counts	10.00	Mrs. Fay Norman	35.00
Mrs. Connie Davis	20.00	Mrs. Clark Preston	25.00
Mrs. H. A. Davie	5.00	Mrs. Isabell Scott	100.00
Mrs. E. M. Douglass	10.00	Mrs. F. C. Souder	10.00
Mrs. E. T. Hickman	100.00	Mrs. Amos Wamble	50.00
Mrs. Berthrine Hobbs	25.00	Mrs. G. T. Waterford	42.00

(Continued)

Mrs. C. L. Watson	$ 100.00
Mrs. Lloyd Smith	15.00
Mrs. Estella Thomas	35.00
Mrs. D. W. Terry	17.00
Mrs. C. G. Tillmon	100.00
TOTAL	$ 849.00

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT

Mrs. E. M. Johnson	$ 100.00
Mrs. Clifton Banks	10.00
Mrs. R. B. Brown	106.00
Mrs. A. C. Cabean	100.00
Mrs. J. I. Davis	30.00
Mrs. Margaret Flowers	25.00
Mrs. Walter Hazzard	10.00
Mrs. C. C. Hall	50.00
Mrs. Joe Hughes, Jr.	3.00
Mrs. W. D. Lester	100.00
Mrs. Willie Mae Love	25.00
Mrs. Clifton Mitchell	50.00
Mrs. M. D. Nelson	25.00
Mrs. J. H. Oliver	45.00
Mrs. W. H. Piggee	5.00
Mrs. Negail Riley	25.00
Mrs. W. M. Robinson	20.00
Mrs. C. H. Roe	10.00
Mrs. Frank Sanders	
Mrs. E. V. Scruggs	1.00
Mrs. T. E. Snow	20.00
Mrs. Edith Strong	100.00
Mrs. J. H. Thompson	25.00
Mrs. L. T. Thompson	25.00
Mrs. Hortense Tipton	100.00
Mrs. Pauline Troupe	100.00
Mrs. E. F. Wallace	30.00
Mrs. M. M. Wilbun	20.00
Mrs. J. W. Winston	30.00
TOTAL	$1,190.00
Oklahoma District	$ 749.00
Little Rock District	1,190.00
Others (Mrs. Paul V. Galloway)	100.00
GRAND TOTAL	$2,139.00

THE COMMITTEE ON MINIMUM SALARY

The Committee on Minimum Salary organized and developed a program, the conference is responding to this great need for ministerial support, slowly. To this date we have over $600, toward this effort. It was our hope that at least $6,000 would have been raised by this time (two years later). However, we rejoice that a significant beginning has been made in this right direction. It is in part because of the low income of this fund that we are unable to begin (as we had hoped) the distribution of this fund by 1970. But we feel that, in time, the funds will mature to the point that we can use them to increase the salary of the ministers to an equitable minimum salary.

I would like to correct a statement that was made in the report of last conference-we did not have at that time the $1,000, we thought we had. It was my understanding that late, E. F. Wallace reported that we had raised $600, but I was incorrect, as of now we do have in the Bank on savings, $650., this does not include, whatever we have raised this conference year.

We make the following recommendations:

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That the minimum salary for all full-time lay pastors be $3,000.00; that the salary, travel expense, mission aid and minimum salary aid for any full-time supply pastor not to exceed $3,600.00.

2. That the minimum Salary for all full-time conference members be $4,500.00, that the salary, travel expense, mission aid and minimum salary aid for any full-time pastor not exceed $5,000.00.

3. That a supplement of $125.00 per child will be provided up to $500.00.

4. That a Minimum Salary Aid Fund be continued and that all churches be asked to pay into the Minimum Salary Fund according to the following schedule;

That all churches not to fail to pay in full .3% OF THE CASH SALARY, as of now only a very few churches paying into this fund. I pray that all of us will see that this be a must. That every time a church pay $100.00 for salary, it will also raise $3 for the Minimum Fund.

5. That the minimum salary Aid Fund not be used before 1971 (It may not feasible to use these funds until a few years after.

6. That the Committee on Minimum Salary continue to study the needs of charges and develop requirements for charge to become eligible to receive salary aid for the pastor from the Minimum Salary Aid Fund; that a progress report on this study be made at the Annual Conference;

7. That the Committee on Minimum Salary work closely with the Commission on Town and Country in the promotion of the Larger Parish program throughout the Conference.

8. That the treasurer be instructed to put the minimum salary in a special savings and loan account to secure as much interest as is possible until the fund is authorized to be distributed by committee-not until 1971 or later)

Respectfully submitted, J. H. Oliver, Chairman; Mrs. H. H. Torrence, Negail R. Riley, H. W. Johnson

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE - WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

Bishop, Paul V. Galloway, members of the forty-second session of the Southwest Annual Conference and friends:

I take pride in making this second report of my work as Conference President. Much has been accomplished, yet great things lie ahead to be done. With much concern, I have worked with the following boards and committees.

1. Conference Boards and committees
   - a. Board of Pensions (Secretary)
   - b. Board of Missions
   - c. Board of Education
   - d. Christian Higher Education
   - e. Merger Committee (Annual Conference) Secretary
   - f. Merger Committee (Woman's Society of Christian Service)
   - g. Advisory Committee Church and Community Work (Secretary)
   - h. Aldersgate Board
2. Inter-conference

   School of Christian Missions Planning Committee

   Policy Committee
3. Training and Enrichment

   June 7-13 Southwest Conference Mission Study School, Mt. Sequoyah, representing the Church Women United in Arkansas.

   June 16-20 West Gulf School, Mt. Sequoyah, Southwest Conference Officer.

   Board of Missions Workshop, Little Rock, Ark.

WSCS Merger Committee, Arkadelphia
School of Christian Missions Handrick College, Conway
Leadership Training Experience with Dr. Louis R. Mobley, St. Paul's School of Theology, Kansas City, Mo.
Governor Winthrop Rockefellow' Committee for White House Conference on Children and Youth.
St. Paul's School of Theology-Kansas City (The President's Convocation).
Black Methodist for Church Renewal, Kansas City, Kansas with Madame President of the United Nations, Angie Brooks and other notables, giving addresses.
The special feature for the year is the Assembly in Houston, Texas where more than 10,000 Women assembled.

4. Contacts, visits and promotions

Little Rock District Conference, Hot Springs (participated on panel)
Oklahoma Dist. Conference, Tulsa, Oklahoma.
Speaking engagement North Little Rock, MaCabe United Methodist Women.
Fort Smith District WSCS, Booneville
Little Rock Conference Executive Committee, Little Rock, Ark.
Arkadelphia District Executive Committee, Arkadelphia.
Inaugural of Philander Smith College's new president, Dr. Walter R. Hazzard, Little Rock, Arkansas.
Annual Meeting Oklahoma District WSCS, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Annual Meeting Arkadelphia District, Arkadelphia, Ark., working with Little Rock Conference Team.
Annual Meeting of Little Rock District, Marianna, Ark., May 16, 1970.
The Conference (Southwest Conference) is set for October 16, 17, 1970.
Enrichment Workshop for Conference officers, Fort Smith, Arkansas.

5. My grave Concern

The Communication Breakdown
Lag in Activities of Wesleyan Service Guilds

Although much has been accomplished through the cooperation of members of the executive committee and the two district presidents plus the fine spirit of the local churches we look forward to greater things.

Alice L. Preston
Southwest Conference President

YOUR CONFERENCE OFFICERS 1968-1972

President ---------- Alice L. Preston, P.O. Box 98, Murfreesboro, Ark. 71958
Vice-President ------- Fannie Gordon, 720 North "O", Ft. Smith, Ark. 72901
Secretary ---------- Willie Mae Love, 1813 Schiller, Little Rock, Ark. 72204
Treasurer ---------- Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, 2208 S. Monroe St., Little Rock 72204
Christian So. Rel. ---- Davie Anderson, 2917 Spring Street, Little Rock
Miss. Ed. ---------- C. G. Washington, 1216 No. 8th St., Ft. Smith, Ark. 72901
Spiritual Growth ------ Pauline Troupe, 2801 Scull, Pine Bluff, Ark. 71602
Program Materials---- F. C. Souder, 2801 N. Missouri, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73111
Nominating ---------- Mattie Smith, 543 N. 7th, Muskogee, Okla. 74401
Policy ---------- Henrietta Foster, 704 N.E. 3rd, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73104

Please let me thank you for two very pleasant years. Will you join me and let us together make the remaining years greater than any previous years.

MAY THE LORD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU. . . AND GRANT YOU HIS PEACE.

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS
of the
SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE
BOARD OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

Little Rock, Arkansas April 1, 2, 1970

Mr. Chairman, Ministers and Laymen: We appreciate the opportunity of bringing to this Council a report on the actions of the conference board of Christian Social Concerns.

We regret not having held a board meeting this year, but members of the board have been involved in various types of meetings. May we call your attention to the statement in February Interpreter? "Social Concerns is not a separate kind of emphasis. It never was. But now, more than in the former denominations a unified program is intended which required continual relationship between social concerns and all other work areas." This idea has been demonstrated throughout the conference this year.

Three were in attendance at the Christian Social Concerns Jurisdiction Briefing Conference at Mt. Sequoyah July 18-20, 1969.

Four members along with District Superintendent Stewart, met with the associate Executive Secretary from the General Commission on Religion and Race in consultation on Conference Mergers, Oklahoma City, December.

The Ad-Hoc Committee (a task group from this board) has held two meetings and their report will show progress in plans for merger.

Two members were present at the Consultation on Social Principles at the Highland United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas, February 5, 6, 1970.

Members conference wide have shown greater interest in all types of Social problems; but let it be remembered we are now living in an age of change and that means we can no longer follow the trend of isolation as Board activities, but we need to concentrate our efforts, apply new ways of tackling the problems and issues of the N O W Age.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Board recommends:

* A continuation of the Ad Hoc committee with necessary changes to meet the needs, and that the committee speaks to the point of vital questions, seeking definite answers. (See Questions and Answers on the Plan of Merger of Alabama-West Florida, Central Alabama and North Alabama Annual Conferences.)
* That we (the church) should join in effort of all agencies in its fight against environmental pollution (physically-morally); Population explosion and the continuation of Family planning.
* To the Board of Higher Education: we recommend that all supporting Conferences will support Philander Smith College in its present Capital Fund Drive with gifts, grants, contributions by means of local programs, etc.
* Foreign Policies:

Statements on Crisis in Middle East:

Our government along with major governments have created this crisis. We believe our government should support U.N. and all its efforts to arrive at a solution that would be agreeable to all, and insure against threatened aggression and territory expansion. And we strongly recommend that Israel withdraw from the territories gained by the previous wars and access to all holy places both in Israel and Palestine be granted.

* We agree with the statement of the General Board of C S C October 6-9, 1969 meeting regarding the seating of the People Republic of China in the U N.
* We further recommend a wider distribution of Resources listed in the March issue of The Interpreter under work area in Social Concerns, Persons, Places and Printed Materials.
* Observance in all local churches of the Church Calendar days and conforming with the General Church decision by including Youth on all boards and Commissions dealing with Policy making.
* That we take advantage of conference and jurisdiction Leadership training opportunities and share this experience wherever requested on local district and/or conference levels.
* We ask that the budget remain the same - $500.00

Henry W. Johnson, Chairman
Lula M. Tillmon, Secretary

PS We hope you will take under consideration that this board has been working with these and other concerns in workshops, briefing conferences, consultations and panel discussions.

THE BOARD OF MISSIONS REPORT

To the Bishop, District Superintendent, Members, Delegates, Friends and Visitors of the Southwest Annual Conference:

With a sense of gratitude I am permitted to make my thirteenth annual report.

The Board of Missions met October 7, 1969 at White's Memorial United Methodist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas with Dr. J. H. Graham Director of Town and Country work of the general Board of Mission of the United Methodist Church. The mission program was worked out, the Board of Missions sent three persons to Mt. Sequoyah July 23, 1969, to the School of Missions; also five members of the Board attended the W. S. C. S. School of Missions in July, 1969 at Hendrix College, Conway, Arkansas.

On December 2, 1968, I attended a meeting of the W. S. C. S. at the First United Methodist Church, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Board of Missions met April 1 and 2, 1970 at Wesley United Methodist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The first order of business to perfect the named and addresses of the Board with the Journal in hand the members of the Board was revised:

RECOMMENDATIONS:

We recommend that the Chairman of the Board of Missions of the Southwest Conference meet with the Cabinet in working out the disbursement coming to the Southwest Conference.

FINANCIAL REPORT 1969-70

Little Rock District ---------- $5,000.00
Oklahoma District ---------- $4,300.00

Respectfully submitted, J. C. Tyus, Chairman;
C. C. Hall, Missionary Secretary

We recommend that the $200.00 being held in the office of the Board of Missions be released to the Southwest Conference to Reverend Hall.

The recommendation from the Commission on Town and Country make the following: That the Board of Mission meet with the cabinet to study the report and make recommendation to the next session of the Annual Conference.

REPORT OF
TELEVISION, RADIO AND FILM COMMUNICATION CHAIRMAN

To the Southwest Annual Conference:

Herewith is a summary of efforts to promote the work of Television, Radio and Film Communication for this Southwest Conference for the year 1970.

(a) Cooperating with other Agencies through the Program Council to organize and train local church and Audio-visual Committees.

(b) Cooperate with the General Division of TRAFCO within the Conference.

(1) Prepared bibliography Audio-visual resources for Mission Study theme - "Reconciliation in a Broken World", Toward Understanding China and the Chinese People", and Bible Emphasis for the Quadrennium" for the Southwest Conference.

(2) Assisted in promoting studies in Oklahoma District where invited.

(3) Evaluated a series of four Cassette News Tape, reporting the issue actions and sounds of 1970 session of the United Methodist General Conference held in St. Louis, April 20-24.

(4) A special effort was made to bring to this Annual meeting the film "Alternative for Alienation" which projects a new venture in sound as well as alerting us to new dimensions in world understanding as it focus on a world issue: the Issue of poverty in world development, and the challenge and responsibility it presents us. I regret this opportunity for TRAFCO to serve our Conference was not a reality.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the series of four Cassette News Tape, reporting the issues, actions and sounds of 1970 sessions of the United Methodist General Conference held in St. Louis be purchased for the Southwest Conference.

Address: United Methodist News Briefs
1910 Main Street
Dallas, Texas 75201

Respectfully submitted, Henrietta B. Foster

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

JUNE

1- 4	Southwest Annual Conference
4	United Methodist Student Day
15-19	West Gulf Region School of Mission, South Central Jurisdiction Mt. Sequoyah
15-26	Communication Seminar - SMU, Dallas
21	Fathers Day

JULY

10-12	Conference on Christian Education Concerns - Mt. Sequoyah
13-17	Conference Youth Camp - Aldersgate, Little Rock
15-17	Cooperative Inter-Conference School of Christian Mission - Hendrix College, Conway
17-19	Weekend Coop. Inter-Conference School at Hendrix
17-19	Christian Social Concern Briefing Conference, Mt. Sequoyah and Health and Welfare Minister's Workshop

AUGUST

3-18	United Methodist Youth Regional - Mt. Sequoyah
22-23	Lay Retreat, Aldersgate -
?	District Conferences

SEPTEMBER

7	Labor Sunday
27	Christian Education Sunday
27-Oct. 3	Christian Education Week

OCTOBER

4	World Wide Communion Sunday
8-11	Family Life Conference - Chicago
11	Laymans Day
16-17	Conference Women's Society Annual Meeting - Muskogee, Okla.
18	World Order Sunday
22-23	Evangelistic Retreat
30-31	Pension Round Up
25-Nov. 1	Youth Week

NOVEMBER

8	Drug and Alcohol Sunday
22	National Bible Sunday
26	Thanksgiving Day
27-29	Youth Christian Witness Mission - Little Rock
29	First Sunday in Advent

DECEMBER

18-19	Lay Renewal
25	Christmas Day
27	Student Recognition Day
31	Watch Night

JANUARY

3	Covenant Sunday
17-24	Church and Economy Life Week
18-25	Week of Prayer

FEBRUARY

14	Race Relations Sunday
24	Ash Wednesday

MARCH

?	Board of Mission Workshop
5	World Day of Prayer
21	One Great Hour of Sharing

APRIL

4-10	Holy Week
11	Easter

MAY (Senior Citizens Month)

2- 9	National Family Week
30	Pentecost

COMMITTEE

J. W. Hobbs (Chairman) -820 N.E. Park, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73104
C. C. Hall ----------280 Walnut, Hot Springs, Arkansas 71901
G. W. Harper ----------2801 N. Missouri, Oklahoma City, Okla.73111
R. B. Brown ----------4916 Rightsell, Little Rock, Arkansas 72207
Homer B. Winstead------2808 Spring St., Little Rock, Arkansas 72206
Fannie Gordon ----------720 N. O St., Ft. Smith, Arkansas 72101
J. H. Oliver ----------314 Poplar, Ft. Smith, Ark. 71601 (by request of Church)
Mrs. C. G. Tillmon -----P.O. Box 355, Hensley, Ark. 72065
Lucille Vanzant ---------P.O. Box 67, Wynnewood, Okla. 73098

MINISTERS RETIRED

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT:

Myers, Patrick H.
Bright, W. H. D., Little Rock, Arkansas
Troupe, G. G., 1821 Scull Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
Watson, C. L., Little Rock Arkansas
Terry, D. W., General Delivery, Morilton, Arkansas
Banks, Clifton, P.O. Box 257, Marianna, Arkansas

OKLAHOMA DISTRICT:

Smith, J. Murray, 628 S. 3rd St., Muskogee, Oklahoma
Norman, Fay, 331 W. Cedar, Wewoka, Oklahoma
Davie, H. A., 7 N. Willow, Fayetteville, Arkansas
Watson, C. L., 711 "I" St., Ft. Smith, Arkansas
Pointer, Ira A., 713 Elgin Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Thompson, L. T., 902 Pemmel Street, New Port, Arkansas

PASTORAL RECORD

Indicates (Supply)
*Retired

Received into Full Membership	Name and Address
1950	Bass, W. H., 1113 State Street, Little Rock, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Banks, Clifton, P.O. Box 257, Marianna, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Bright, W. H. D., P.O. Box 3045, Little Rock, Arkansas
1943	Brown, R. B., 249 Walnut, Hot Springs, Arkansas
1969	Counts, J. T., Rt. 1, Box 199, Nashville, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Davie, H. A., 7 N. Willow, Fayetteville, Arkansas
(Supply)	Davis, Connie, Rt., Box 111a, Purcell, Oklahoma
1932	Hall, C. C., 102 Robin Street, Hot Springs, Arkansas
1943	Hickman, E. T., 39 "G" Street, S. E. Ardmore, Oklahoma
1953	Hobbs, Joseph W., 820 E. Park, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
1935	Johnson, E. M., 3424 W. 14th St., Little Rock, Arkansas
1927	Lester, W. D., 1411 Villa Place, Nashville, Tennessee
*(Supply)	Littlejohn, B. F., 532 Broadway, Hugo, Oklahoma
1926	Oliver, John H., 314 S. Poplar Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
(Supply)	Piggee, W. H., Rt. 5, Box 369, Little Rock, Arkansas
1968	Preston, Clark, 1113 9th Street, Fort Smith, Arkansas
1958	Riley, Negail R., 475 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.
1970	Robinson, William, R.F.D. 5, Box 571-A, Little Rock, Ark.
1944	Roe, C. H., Route, Box 234, Minden, Louisiana
1954	Smith, Lloyd

(Supply)	Snow, T. E. (Address Unknown)
1952	Souder, F. C., 2801 N. Missouri, Oklahoma City, Okla.
1933	Stewart, E. L., 2746 N. Boulder, Tulsa, Oklahoma
1964	Thompson, J. H., 1922 So. Martin, Little Rock, Arkansas
*	Thompson, L. T., 902 Pemmel Street, New Port, Ark.
1932	Tillmon, C. G., 507 E. Ute Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma
(Supply)	Troupe, G. G., 121 Scull Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Tyus, J. C., Post Office, P.O. Box, Locksburg, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Terry, D. W.
1948	Wamble, Amos S., Sr., 3004 N. Creston Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
(Supply)	Doss, Franklin, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
1970	Waterford, G. D., 4809 Everest, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL - EFFECTIVE ELDERS

Name	On Trial	Deacon	Elder	Years of Service
Lester, W. D. ---------	(1921-1923)	1924	1927	48
Oliver, John H. --------	(1921-1923)	1923	1926	49
Hall, C. C. ----------	1930	1930	1932	40
Tillmon, C. G.---------	1930	1930	1932	40
Johnson, E. M. --------	1933	1933	1935	37
Brown, R. B. ----------	1941	1941	1943	28
Hickman, E. T. -------			1943	27
Roe, C. H. ----------	1939	1939	1944	26
Bass, W. H. ----------	1949		1950	20
Wamble, Amos S., Sr.---	1948	1940	1960	23
Hobbs, Joseph W. ------	1953	1955	1962	17
Souder, Franklin C. ----			1953	17
Smith, Lloyd ----------	1954	1954	1967	17
Thompson, J. H. ------		1958	1964	6
Preston, Clark --------			1968	3
Robinson, William -----		1969	1970	
Waterford, G. D. ------		1969	1970	

ENABLING ACT

Whereas the Little Rock Conference and the Southwest portion of the Lincoln Conference, comprising the state of Oklahoma, were merged to form what is now known as the Southwest Conference, November 28, 1928, at McGehee, Arkansas.

Be it resolved that: The notation of the Annual Session be dated from the time of origin of the Little Rock Conference, February 21, 1879, at Van Buren, Arkansas.

Be it further resolved that: That all times, during the existence of the said Southwest Conference or in consideration of further mergers, recognition of the contribution of the former Lincoln Conference be duly reflected.

The foregoing instrument expresses the desire of the Cabinet and members of the Southwest Conference in session at Ardmore, Oklahoma, June 23, 1956.

- Edwin C. Sanders, Secretary

IN THE PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Re: Incorporation of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church"
#44296

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION

Come Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr., Edwin C. Sanders, Ira A. Pointer, Eustace F. Wallace, Joyce G. Dozier and others, in their articles of association, states:

1. That the name of this organization shall be and is "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church" with temporary headquarters at 1418 Chester Street in Little Rock, Arkansas.

2. That the objects and purposes of this organization are strictly outlined upon a benevolent basis, for the mutual benefit of its members, for the promotion of religious activities and for such other purposes as may be consistent with the laws of Arkansas governing the operation and conduct of such benevolent associations.

3. That a list of the officers and members are as follows:

Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr.	President
Edwin C. Sanders	Secretary
G. James Washington and Ernestine Miller	Assistant Secretaries
Ira A. Pointer	Statistician
J. H. Thompson and Clifton Mitchell	Assistant Statisticians
Eustace F. Wallace	Treasurer
Joyce G. Dozier	Registrar

Members of the Board of Trustees are as follows:

Faye Norman, Chairman	A. L. Woodard
Ernest English	B. F. Littlejohn
Clifton Mitchell	Frank A. Young
C. C. Hall	W. H. Bass
W. Harold Flowers	

A list of the members are as follows: Garfield F. Tipton, Phamous H. Kelley, Benjamin F. Neal, General G. Troupe, Anthony L. Woodard, John H. Oliver, Benjamin F. Littlejohn, William H. D. Bright, Cortelyou C. Hall, Frank Sanders, Cleveland G. Tillmon, Daniel D. Hawkins, Ira A. Pointer, Emanuel M. Johnson, E. L. Stewart, Fay Norman, J. I. Davis, Eustace F. Wallace, James C. Tyus, Simmie P. Holland, Elliott M. Douglas, Roy B. Brown, Elizah T. Hickman, Clifton C. Mitchell, Charles H. Roe, Edwin C. Sanders, Joyce G. Dozier, Lewis T. Thompson, Hilliard A. Davie, Carter L. Watson, Oliver W. Gibson, William H. Bass, Jr., E. L. Lloyd, Franklin C. Souder, Ralph G. Nathan, and others.

4. That attached hereto is a copy of the constitution which is made a part and parcel of this petition for incorporation.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray that they be declared a body politic under the name and style of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church", with temporary situs in the city of Little Rock, Arkansas, as provided under Section 2252-2261 inclusive of Pope's Digest of the laws of Arkansas, providing for incorporation of benevolent association, and for all further and proper relief.

Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr., Edwin C. Sanders, Ira A. Pointer, Eustace F. Wallace, Joyce C. Dozier

By: Thad D. Williams, their attorney

CONSTITUTION

First. The name of said corporation shall be "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church."

Second. The object of said corporation shall be to receive, hold and administer any and all moneys, funds, and property, real and personal, that may from time to time come into its hands by donation gift, devise, bequest or otherwise for any of the uses, purposes and needs of the Southwest Conference, particularly funds and property for the use and benefit of superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of deceased preachers of said conference.

Third. Said Board is authorized to invest or place at interest any and all funds that may come into its hands for the use and benefit of the said Conference and shall make a full and complete report of its acts and doings in that behalf to the annual meetings of the said Southwest Conference for its approval, showing disposition of the interest and funds so received, provided always the Board shall carry out the wishes of the donors of said funds or property.

Fourth. That all vacancies in said Board shall be filled by the said Southwest Conference, but in the interim such vacancies may be filled by the remainder of said Board, and the persons so appointed to fill vacancies shall hold until the next meeting of the said conference.

Fifth. That the regular meeting of said Board shall be on the first day of the annual session of the said Conference and at same place as the conference is held.

Provided also the President of the Board may call a meeting of the Board whenever deemed necessary.

Sixth. That the officers of said Board shall consist of a President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected every two years, provided those elected at the first meeting shall hold until the regular annual meeting.

Seventh. Four members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

IN THE PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Re: Incorporation of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church"
#44296

ORDER

On this 22nd day of May, 1957, is presented a petition asking that "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church" be declared a body politic under Sections 2252-2261 inclusive of Pope's Digest of the laws of Arkansas.

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the petition is granted and the Clerk of this Court is directed to issue a charter accordingly.

- Guy Amsler, Circuit Judge

SESSIONS OF THE LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1879 Feb. 21	Van Buren	Andrews	I.G. Pollard
1880 Feb. 11	Jacksonport	Merrill	I.G. Pollard
1881 Feb. 3	Hot Springs	Foss	I.G. Pollard
1882 Feb. 9	Little Rock	Peck	I.G. Pollard
1883 Feb. 8	Pine Bluff	Hurst	I.G. Pollard
1884 Feb. 13	Little Rock	Wiley	W. O. Emory
1885 Feb. 19	Van Buren	Mallilieu	Thomas Mason
1886 Feb. 11	Little Rock	Bowman	W. O. Emory
1887 Feb. 17	Hot Springs	Fitzgerald	Thomas Mason
1888 Feb. 15	Little Rock	Warren	Thomas Mason
1889 Feb. 7	Hot Springs	Fitzgerald	Thomas Mason
1890 Feb. 13	Fort Smith	Vincent	Thomas Mason
1891 Feb. 22	Texarkana	Newman	Thomas Mason
1892 Feb. 3	Van Buren	Mallalieu	Thomas Mason
1893 Feb. 9	Little Rock	Newman	Thomas Mason
1894 Feb. 7	Hot Springs	Bowman	Thomas Mason
1895 Feb. 2	Pine Bluff	Walden	W. R. Duncan
1896 Jan. 22	Batesville	Ninde	Thomas Mason
1897 Jan. 28	Forrest City	Andrews	Thomas Mason
1898 Jan. 27	Van Buren	Merrill	W. R. Duncan
1899 Feb. 3	Hot Springs	Joyce	H. P. Strong
1900 Jan. 1	Little Rock	Goodsell	H. P. Strong
1901 Feb. 7	Brinkley	Warren	H. P. Strong
1902 Feb. 6	Fort Smith	Fowler	H. P. Strong
1903 Jan. 22	Clow	Walden	H. P. Strong
1904 Feb. 21	Pine Bluff	McCage	J. W. Reed
1905 Jan. 19	Fordyce	McDowell	J. W. Jackson
1906 Jan. 11	Fayetteville	Fitzgerald	J. W. Jackson
1907 Jan. 17	Cotton Plant	Warren	J. W. Jackson
1908 Jan. 23	Little Rock	Berry	J. L. Wilson
1909 Jan. 28	Clow	Neulson	J. L. Wilson
1910 Feb. 10	Van Buren	Smith	J. L. Wilson
1911 Feb. 1	Marianna	Quayle	M. N. Langston
1912 Feb. 29	Pine Bluff	Moore	M. N. Langston
1913 Jan. 29	Newport	Quayle	D. W. Boatner
1914 Jan. 29	Texarkana	McIntyre	D. W. Boatner
1915 Jan. 28	Cotton Plant	Leete	L. G. Hodges
1916 Jan. 26	Fort Smith	Bristol	S. J. Saxon
1917 Jan. 17	Little Rock	Stuntz	S. J. Saxon
1917 Dec. 6	Stamps	Quayle	S. J. Saxon
1918 Dec. 4	Batesville	M. S. Hughes	J. W. Jackson
1919 Dec. 17	Hot Springs	Quayle	J. W. Jackson
1920 Dec. 8	Cotton Plant	Quayle	B. F. Neal
1921 Dec. 14	Fort Smith	Quayle	B. F. Neal
1922 Dec. 6	Helena	Clair	B. F. Neal
1923 Dec. 5	Little Rock	Stuntz	B. F. Neal
1924 Dec. 3	Fayetteville	Clair	B. F. Neal
1925 Dec. 17	Texarkana	Jones	B. F. Neal
1926 Dec.	Batesville	Clair	B. F. Neal
1927 Dec.	Little Rock	Clair	L. C. Williams
1928 Nov. 28	McGehee	Clair	J. M. Smith
1929 Dec. 3	Muskogee	Clair	J. M. Smith
1930 Nov. 5	Little Rock	Clair	J. M. Smith
1931 Dec. 28	Fort Smith	Clair	P. W. Webb

SESSIONS OF THE SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE - CONT:

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1932 Oct. 26	Muskogee	Clair	W. D. Lester
1933 Oct. 28	Hot Springs	Clair	W. D. Lester
1934 Oct. 29	Tulsa	Clair	W. D. Lester
1935 Oct. 30	Little Rock	Cushman	W. D. Lester
1936 Oct. 28	Oklahoma City	Jones	W. Louder
1937 Oct. 20	Pine Bluff	Jones	J. N. Wallace
1938 Oct. 19	Hot Springs	Meade	J. N. Wallace
1939 Oct. 25	Muskogee	Jones	C. K. Brown
1940 Oct. 30	Texarkana	Shaw	C. K. Brown
1941 Oct. 1	Ardmore	Jones	Chas. F. Golden
1942 Oct. 14	Little Rock	Jones	T. J. Griffin
1943 Oct. 10	Fort Smith	Jones	T. J. Griffin
1944 Oct. 11	Tulsa	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1945 Oct. 25	Texarkana	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1946 Oct. 30	Muskogee	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1947 Oct. 22	Little Rock	Kelly	E. F. Wallace
1948 Oct. 20	Oklahoma City	Kelly	E. F. Wallace
1949 Nov. 9-13	Fort Smith	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1950 Nov. 1-5	Muskogee	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1951 Oct. 23-28	Little Rock	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1952 Oct. 15-19	Tulsa	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1953 Oct. 14-18	Hot Springs	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1954 June 2-6	Muskogee	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1955 June 9-12	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1956 June 20-24	Ardmore	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1957 Juen 13-16	Fort Smith	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1958 June 12-15	Oklahoma City	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1959 June 10-14	Pine Bluff	Clair, Jr.	H. Reeves Washington
1960 June 15-19	Tulsa	Clair, Jr.	H. Reeves Washington
1961 June 14-18	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1962 June 13-17	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1963 June 12-16	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1964 June 3-7	Oklahoma City	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1965 June 2-6	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1966 June 1-5	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1967 June 5-8	Tulsa	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1968 June 3-6	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1969 June 2-5	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1970 June 1-4	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.

In Memoriam

"Servant of God, well done! Thy glorious warfar's past;
The battle's fought, the race is won, And thou art crowned at last"
- Charles Wesley, 1707-1788

Name - Born	Entered Ministry	Died
Williamson, J. W.	----	Jan. 20, 1884
Tate, Albert	1884	July 7, 1887
McDonald, Henry - Nov. 27, 1857	1872	March 6, 1888
Speers, Alexander - January 1, 1858	1883	Dec. 31, 1889
Lemons, June - 1859	----	May, 1891
Sama, George - 1844	1886	Dec. 1, 1891
Lacy, M. L.	1889	1895
Peele, Jefferson A. - February 3, 1851	1879	Feb. 3, 1897
Bailey, Thomas J. - February 12, 1862	1882	July 5, 1897
Spencer, E. D. - August 2, 1851	1889	Nov. 15, 1897
Fletcher, A. J. - September 27, 1853	1888	
Crawley, A. C. - February 25, 1858	1876	Jan. 3, 1898
Phillips, A. J. - October 10, 1848	1879	Jan. 31, 1898
Hamilton, J. A. - December 14, 1860	1892	Oct. 22, 1898
Henry, J. H.	----	Oct. 5, 1899
Todd, W. M. - February 3, 1858	1897	March 30, 1902
Crump, H. G.	1890	Aug. 2, 1902
Thompson, J. G. - 1852	1875	March 20, 1903
Crawford, W. H.	1879	1905
Jackson, G. W.	1897	February 6, 1905
Taylor, G. W. - 1832	1872	1906
Davis, S. B.	1872	1906
Brooks, Washington	----	Feb. 17, 1907
Johnston, D. W.	1896	April 3, 1907
Ivard, G. W. - 1858	1883	1907
Fuller, William	1883	1907
Higgins, W. S.	1899	March 2, 1908
Witherspoon, S. B.	1891	April 1, 1908
Scruggs, P. F.	1880	April 3, 1908
Strong, H. P. - February 14, 1860	1887	Dec. 20, 1908
Johnson, John D. - April 24, 1860	1874	1908
Clark, J. M.	1892	May 22, 1909
Thompson, T. J.	1889	Feb. 10, 1910
Kitchens, U. S.	1880	1910
Burns, U. W.	1882	1910
Auston, J. H.	----	1910
Duncan, W. R. R.	1884	1914
Fagin, R. B.	1897	1912
Morris, W. H.	1881	May 23, 1913
Barnes, J. B.	1884	May 24, 1913
Dunlap, H. C.	1897	Nov. 1, 1914
Johnson, B. H.	1888	April 27, 1915
Duncey, G. B.	1888	1916
Griffin, B. J.	1887	Nov. 30, 1917
Evans, W. D.	1914	1917
Owens, Phillip	1887	March 3, 1918
Hall, David	----	1918
Roberts, Ezra	1876	Dec. 22, 1919
Smith, S. N.	----	May 10, 1920
Hines, J. H.	1904	March 20, 1920

Foster, M. H.	1888	1920
Whitehead, C. W. - February 9, 1863	1887	April 4, 1921
Cain, S. M.	1890	Feb. 28, 1923
Smith, Nathaniel	1883	March 7, 1923
Hawkins, J. T.	1892	July 4, 1923
Wilson, J. R.	1900	Aug. 31, 1923
Watson, Z. K.	1904	Nov. 2, 1923
Taylor, C. F. - May 4, 1856	1911	1923
Washington, E.	1911	1923
Lamar, C. E.	1909	May, 1924
Cain, M. B. A.	1897	Sept. 7, 1924
Sampson, C. W.	1907	Oct. 4, 1924
Swift, J. A.	1884	Sept. 1925
Jackson, J. W.	1922	1925
Bryant, J. L.	1904	1927
Cunningham, W. J.	1923	1927
Baxter, James	1884	1928
Coulter, H. P. - September 11, 1867	1889	Aug. 18, 1929
Stokes, S. M.	1814	1928
Hatchett, J. H.	1909	1930
Simpson, W. H. - 1865	1897	Nov. 18, 1930
Rivers, W. C.	1914	1931
Kyles, C. L.	1907	1932
Johnson, S. T.	1894	June 13, 1932
Preston, L. G. - 1843	1891	Oct. 26, 1932
Harris, D. H. E.	1891	Oct. 26, 1932
Byrd, K. T.	1926	1932
Stephens, A. T.	1895	1933
Johnson, J. W.	1914	1933
Gibson, J. D.	1896	1933
Smith, Fletcher	1921	1933
Nelson, W. - 1884	----	June 1, 1934
Qualls, John - June 1, 1858	1878	July 5, 1897
Hall, G. A.	1892	Sept. 2, 1934
Miller, April S.	1904	Aug. 29, 1935
Johnson, G. N.	1881	1935
Taber, Charles - April 6, 1861	1897	Oct. 6, 1936
Speed, William	1894	1937
Neal, L. E.	1919	1937
Nelson, J. L.	1925	1938
Bright, Haywood	1895	1939
Hodges, L. G.	1896	1939
Jordan, B. J.	1912	1939
Howell, C. H.	1912	1939
Cobbel, J. P.	1929	1939
Prewitt, Paul	1894	1940
Harston, D. G.	1896	1940
Adams, J. C.	1894	1941
Brown, J. W.	1902	1941
Turner, E. J. - December 18, 1871	1902	Jan. 2, 1942
Coburn, Dudley	----	1943
Clark, F. J.	1926	1943
Nunn, E. A.	----	1943
Ray, A. R.	1900	July 7, 1943
Sherrill, W. S. - 1860	1894	March 1, 1944
Maxwell, R. B.	1894	April 5, 1944
Tucker, B. T.	1918	1944
Thompson, C. W. - 1912	----	Jan. 2, 1945
Scott, Benjamin F. - May 18, 1888	1916	July 15, 1945
Moses, Bennie	----	Aug. 14, 1945

McIntosh, Waters	1891	Oct. 16, 1945
Langford, W. S. - 1855	1875	April, 1946
Fields, Z. R. - 1901	----	Sept. 27, 1946
Henry, Joseph	1910	April 16, 1946
Williams, L. C. - 1911	----	June, 1946
Dorsby, C. H.	----	1946
Wallace, J. N.	1907	Oct. 22, 1947
Cabean, A. C. - March 17, 1878	1915	May 30, 1947
Strong, M. F. - April 4, 1875	1897	Feb. 8, 1948
Cox, J. W.	----	1948
Richardson, J. H.	1916	April 26, 1948
Moore, William M.	----	1948
Young, B. F.	----	----
McDonald, Silas	----	----
Harris, Archie - May 25, 1875	----	Dec. 25, 1949
Edwards, T. H. - January 1, 1896	1917	July 13, 1950
Franklin, D. G. - April 5, 1869	1892	Sept. 19, 1950
Coburn, Nathan - August 20, 1883	1914	1951
Smith, W. A. - October 1, 1865	1902	Oct. 18, 1952
Johnson, S. E. - December 1, 1884	1931	1952
Tolbert, R. J., Sr. - February 17, 1890	1923	Nov. 22, 1953
Moss, Oscar G. - March 3, 1869	1921	1954
Stokes, J. S. - February 9, 1876	1907	1954
Nelson, Lee - October 15, 1858	1898	Sept. 28, 1954
Smith, Dudley - March 14, 1867	1898	Aug. 8, 1955
Roe, D. J. - January 9, 1882	1904	Dec. 16, 1955
Johnson, I. G. P. - July 21, 1907	1933	April 16, 1956
Taylor, S. S. - November 21, 1886	1933	May 18, 1956
Brooks, Charles	1913	Oct. 26, 1957
Tipton, Garfield F.	1910	Nov. 20, 1957
Kelley, Phamous H. - June 25, 1884	1911	May 8, 1958
Johnson, Willis D.	1919	May 11, 1958
Douglas, L. E.	----	----
Sanders, Edwin C.	1944	Feb. 12, 1959
Allbright, H.	----	----
Moore, C. E.	----	----
Neal, B. F.	----	----
Thomas, S. N.	----	----
Winston, John W.	----	1960
Perry, E. W.	----	1960
Bochanan, A. L.	----	1962
Parker, Isaac P.	----	1962
Davis, J. I.	1938	1963
Hill, B. Moore	----	Dec. 22, 1960
Tolfree, M. P.	----	Aug. 15, 1963
Marbly, E. S.	----	1963
Lloyd, E. L.		1965
Hawkins, D. D.		1965
Hannah, William		1965
Sanders, Frank		1965
Sims, Andrew		1967
Shaw, Love S.		1967
Holland, Needham		1968
Wallace, E. F.		1969
Love, J. M.		1969
Mitchell, Clifton		1970
Woodward, A. L.		1970
Wilburn, M. M.		1970

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GENERAL BOARD OF PENSIONS OF THE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE PENSION PAYMENTS

FINAL CONFERENCE
SOUTHWEST

CONFERENCE YEAR
1969-70

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	RETIRED MINISTERS SOUTHWEST YEARS	RETIRED MINISTERS SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	RETIRED MINISTERS OUTSIDE YEARS	RETIRED MINISTERS OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Bright, Wm. Henry O. Box 3045 Little Rock, Ark 72203	39.50	$1,580.04			39.50	$1,580.04
2	Davie, Hillard A. 7 No. Willow St. Fayetteville, Ark.	21.50	860.04			21.50	860.04
3	Littlejohn, Benjamin 536 2nd Ave. S.E. Ardmore, Okla. 73401	39.50	1,580.04			39.50	1,580.04
4	Myers, Patrick, H. 7611 Essex Chicago, Ill 60649	41.75	1,670.04			41.75	1,670.04
5	Norman, Fay 316, W. Cedar St. Wewoka, Okla 74884	29.50	1,180.08			29.50	1,180.08
6	Pointer, Ira A. 713 N. Elgin Road Tulsa, Oklahoma	29.50	1,180.08	8.00	320.04	37.50	1,500.12
7	Smith, J. Murray 628 S. Third St. Muskogee, Oklahoma	29.00	1,160.04			29.00	1,160.04

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
8	Thompson, Lewis T.	23.50	$ 940.08			23.50	$ 940.08
9	Troupe, General G. 1821 Scull St. Pine Bluff, Ark	49.50	1,980.00			49.50	1,980.00
10	Watson, Carter L. 711 N. "I" St. Fort Smith, Ark. 72901	20.50	820.08			20.50	820.08
	RETIRED TOTAL	415.75	$16,630.56	13.75	$ 653.64	429.50	$17,284.20

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE PENSION PAYMENTS

WIDOWS

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Albright, Lillie P.O. Box 87 Carthage, Ark. 71725	11.00	$ 308.04			11.00	$ 308.04
2	Buchanan, Sarah P.O. Box 127 Fayetteville, Ark	35.50	994.08			35.50	994.08
3	Cabean, Daisy M. 1218 B. Street Wilmington 1, Dela.	12.75	357.00			12.75	357.00
4	Coburn, Willie 1207 South 11th St. Ponca City, Oklahoma	36.25	1,015.08			36.25	1,015.08
5	Davis, Elsie 1821 S. Brown Little Rock, Ark.	21.50	$ 602.04			21.50	$ 602.04

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST WIDOWS YEARS	SOUTHWEST WIDOWS ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
6	Edwards, Mattie M. 1035 W. Lee Dr. Santa Maria, Calif. 93454	4.75	133.08	28.00	$ 784.08	32.75	917.16
7	Greene, Jessie 2003 N. Estelle Wichita, Kansas 67214	56.50	1,382.08			56.50	1,582.08
8	Henry, Elizabeth 3118 W. Short 13 Pine Bluff, Arkansas	23.75	665.04			23.75	665.04
9	Holland, Cordelia 1244 Oakland Ave. Kansas City, Kansas 66102	14.00	392.04			14.00	392.04
10	Kelley, Maude 2234 Larchwood S W Atlanta, Ga. 30310	19.50	546.00	28.00	784.08	47.50	1,330.08
11	Miller, Ella 607 North 7th St. Muskogee, Oklahoma	31.25	875.04			31.25	875.04
12	Sanders, Alice M. 817 East 15th St. N Little Rock, Ark.	32.75	917.04	.50	17.52	33.25	934.56
13	Scott, Isabel 1717 N E Ninth St. Oklahoma City, Okla.	29.50	826.08			29.50	826.08
14	Sherrill, Laura 403 W. Bennett St. Morrilton, Ark.	10.00	280.08			10.00	280.08
15	Strong, Edith 1806 Valmar Street Little Rock, Arkansas	48.75	1,365.00			48.75	1,365.00

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
16	Thomas, Estell	10.00	$ 280.08			10.00	$ 280.08

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
16	Thomas, Estell 2217 Washington St. Texarkana, Ark 75501	10.00	$ 280.08			10.00	$ 280.08
17	Tipton, Hortense 1404 Partridge Ave. St. Louis, Mo. 63130	12.75	357.00	32.50	$1,550.28	45.25	1,907.28
18	Tipton, Hortense 1404 Partridge Ave. St. Louis, Mo. 63130						
19	Wallace, Mamie S. 3215 Arch Little Rock, Arkansas 72200	30.25	847.08			30.25	847.08
20	Williamson, H. 503 Pine St. Conway Ark.	10.00	280.08			10.00	280.08
21	Winston, Ora B. Route 2, Box 332 N Little Rock, Ark	34.75	973.08			34.75	973.08
	WIDOW TOTAL	485.50	$13,595.04	89.00	$3,135.96	574.50	$16,731.00

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE PENSION PAYMENTS
CHILDREN

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Wallace, Leroy *Dora Sullivan For 1912 N. 13th St. Ft. Smith, Ark	18.75	$ 187.56	22.75	$ 260.28	41.50	$ 447.84
	CHILDREN TOTAL	18.75	$ 187.56	22.75	$ 260.28	41.50	$ 447.84

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE PENSION PAYMENTS

SPL CONF CLAIMANTS RETIRED

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Terry, David W. 1307 1/2 Olive St. North Little Rock, Ark. 72114	10.00	$ 400.08			10.00	$ 400.08
	SPL CC RETIRED TOTAL	10.00	$ 400.08			10.00	$ 400.08

SPL CONF CLAIMANTS WIDOWS

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Douglas, Dorothy 4212 Armour Ave. Fort Smith, Ark	10.00	$ 280.08			10.00	$ 280.08
2	Hill, Katie 437 West 67th St. Los Angeles 3, Calif.		75.00				75.00
3	Love, Willa P.O. Box 153 Cotton Plant, Ark 72036	12.75	357.00			12.75	357.00
4	Moore, Emma 2314 S. Robertson St. New Orleans, La. 70117	4.00	112.08	6.25	$175.08	10.25	287.16
	SPL CC WIDOWS TOTAL	26.75	$ 824.16	6.25	$ 175.08	33.00	$ 999.24

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE PENSION PAYMENTS

SPL CONF CLAIMANTS CHILDREN

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE REGIONAL APPORTIONMENT

SPL CONF CLAIMANTS CHILDREN

NBR	NAME/ADDRESS	SOUTHWEST YEARS	SOUTHWEST ANNUITY	OUTSIDE YEARS	OUTSIDE ANNUITY	TOTAL YEARS	TOTAL ANNUITY
1	Douglas, Jerlyndia *Mrs. D. Douglas For 4212 Armour Ave. Fort Smith, Ark.	11.00	$ 110.04			11.00	$ 110.04
2	Love, Cleveland *Willa M. Love for P. O. Box 153 Cotton Plant, Ark 72036	12.75	127.56			12.75	127.56
3	Love, Willie C. *Willa M. Love For P. O. Box 153 Cotton Plant, Ark. 72036	12.75	127.56			12.75	127.56
4	Marbly, Marshall E. *Methodist Hme For Versailles, Ky. 40383	10.00	100.08			10.00	100.08
5	Marbly Jr., Everett *Methodist Hme For Versailles, Ky. 40383	10.00	100.08			10.00	100.08
6	Marbly, Mayme A. *Methodist Hme For Versailles, Ky. 40383	10.00	100.08			10.00	100.08
	SPL CC CHILDREN TOTAL	66.50	$ 665.40			66.50	$ 665.40
	CONFERENCE TOTAL	1,023.25	$32,302.80	131.75	$4,224.96	1,155.00	$36,527.76

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The Southwest Conference
South Central Jurisdiction
June, 1969 - December 1969

	CHURCH AND CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	LOCAL CHURCH EXPENDITURES: Principal & int. on Indebtedness, loans, Mortgages etc.	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed)	Church School: Lesson Materials Supplies Adm. etc.	Other Current Expenses, etc.	W.S.C.S.	Miscellaneous Benevolences	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT: PASTOR'S SALARY: Amount Set	Amount Paid	ASSOCIATE'S SALARY: Amount Set	Amount Paid	Total Paid 36b - 37b	TRAVEL ALLOWANCE PAID: Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	UTILITIES PAID: Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	DISTRICT SUPT. FUND: Apportioned	Paid	EPISCOPAL FUND: Apportioned	Paid	CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS: Apportioned
	LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT		30	31	32	33	34	35	36a	36b	37a	37b	37c	38a	38b	38c	39a	39b	39c	40a	40b	41a	41b	42a
1	Duncan			$300	$ 52	$190	$	$	$	$1,740	$	$	$ 1,740	$	$	$	$	$	$56	$	$ 130	$	$ 12	
2	Sweet Home	J. H. Thompson		200	20	40				300			300								55		5	
3	Fordyce-Carthage				50	25			180	180			180								40			
4	Fordyce Bethel				25				180	180			180								30			
5	Fordyce Mt. Olive	T. E. Snow		1,500	25	150	50		360	360			360								100			
6	Mt. Moriah			103	30	30	33		800	800			800	50		50				80	80	10	10	120
7	St. Francis			1,500	17	110	17		1,300	1,300			1,300							80	80	20	20	120
8	Wilson Chapel			700	16	383		15	525	525			525							80	80	10	10	29
9	Johnsville	C. H. Roe																						
10	Conway-Marshe			70	35	50			385	385			385			10					40		10	
11	Conway Ebenezer	L. T. Thompson		600	32	67				385			385						80		20		5	
12	Conway Union Chapel				30				500	275			275	75		75				40	40	20	20	
13	Conway Zion Chapel	M. D. Nelson		250	40	20			500	300			300							60	60	10	10	40
14	White Memorial	C. C. Hall		750	120	72			2,100	2,100			2,100								79		20	
15	Wesley Chapel	J. O. Ervin		1,000	67	120			3,000	3,000			3,000				127				350		50	
16	Dermott Gould	G. G. Troupe							300	300			300								15		5	
17	Lonoke St. James				32	125		20		353			353	49		49				25	25			
18	McCabe			150	25	295		50	1,277	1,277			1,277	70		70		43	43		170			
19	Hensley	J. W. Lofton																						
20	Cotton Plant Scruggs																							
21	Forest City	E. L. Morgan		170	20	40			350	350			350								10		3	
22	Taylor Chapel				41	35			930	930			930								90		11	
23	Wesley Chapel	W. H. Flowers			22	21			630	630			630								110		13	
24	St. James Pine Bluff			1,850	88	45		64	1,820	1,820			1,820	245		245				235	105			317
25	St. Mark Pine Bluff	J. H. Oliver		4,300	45	62		35	350	300			300	58		10		250		70	21			
26	Livingston Chapel		614	367	50	1,136	135		1,200	1,000			1,000	150		150	20		20	418	50	24	24	216
27	Clarendon	Joe Hughes		18	12	10			600	300			300	100		50	10		10	139	10	12	15	108
28	Kokomo				45				450	350			350				75		75	139		8	5	75
29	Hughes	Joe Hughes			45							500	500		50	50				139		8	5	63
30	Newport	Arthur Parham			20	16			300	300			300								50			
31	Hot Springs Haven	R. B. Brown			64	357	79		2,100	2,100			2,100			60	389		389	385	285	43	43	376
32	Maumelle	W. M. Robinson	1,318	400	500	425	25	206		1,616			1,616			35	103		103	262	262		28	
33	Pankey	W. M. Robinson	1,252	100	150	75	80	100		756			756				70			147	147		15	
		Total	$ 3,184	$14,328	$1,680	$ 2,899	$ 419	$ 484	$20,137	$24,212	$500	$500	$24,212	$797	$50	$854	$ 794	$293	$ 720	$2,203	$2,534	$165	$359	$1,464
		Total Last Year	3,700	16,053	3,240	24,010	1,009	638	53,006	35,517	1,000	900	11,140	1,980	1,547	3,271	1,216		3,482	4,311	3,992	500	978	4,218
		Increase																293						
		Decrease	$ 516	$ 1,725	$1,560	$21,111	$ 590	$ 154	$32,869	$11,305	$500	$400	$13,072	$1,183	$1,497	$2,417	$422	$	$2,762	$2,108	$1,458	$335	$619	$2,753
	OKLAHOMA DISTRICT																							
1	Anadarko		$13,500	$	$ 136	$ 160	$	$	$	$ 920	$	$	$ 920	$	$	$ 46	$	$	$ 46	$	$	$	$	$
2	Purcell	Amos S. Wamble	375	50	136	87				300			300			30			30		45		15	
3	Nashville			55	41	92	58			253			253								23		5	
4	Valley Grove			300	38	120	44			437			437			10			10		26		8	
5	Wiley	J. T. Counts		25	102		36			212			212			50			50		32		8	
6	Center Point	D. W. Terry																						
7	Muskogee		1,500		200			6		1,500			1,500	30		30	165		165		57		30	
8	Eufaula				10	30				136			136										10	
9	Porter				11	29				39			39											
10	Franklin	Lloyd Smith			27	100				390			390											
11	Tulsa Wesley	C. G. Tillmon	5,000	8,163	545	5,685	619	250		2,800			2,800			219			420		700		104	
12	Bethel			88	25	175				1,100			1,000	50		50					45			
13	Seminole																							
14	Wewoka	Connie Davis		150	91					160			160								20		2	
15	Guthrie	G. D. Waterford																						
16	Oklahoma City	F. C. Souder	2,594	235	439	4,091	321		2,952	2,952				181		181				925	515	60	60	537
17	Waters Chapel																							
18	Grant																							
19	Mt. Vernon			1,200	140	60	20	60		1,014			1,014			65					140		10	
20	Oak Grove	Joseph Hobbs		50	40	25	40	35		360			360			35					40		7	
21	Johnson Memorial	E. M. Douglass	350	2,500	50	200				960			288										40	
22	Turner Memorial																							
23	Macadonia																							
24	Mt. Zion																							
25	New Hope																							
26	Mt. Carmel																							
27	Warren Memorial		1,776	1,149	375	1,167	70			3,600			3,600			400			250		357		75	
28	Reed Chapel	E. T. Hickman																						
29	Davis Chapel	W.H.D.Bright		300	9	120				225											16		5	
30	Mallieu		1,700	600	60	200				2,800			2,800						180		472		68	
31	Trinity			100	54	122				233			233			44			28		112		8	
32	Mt. Olive	R. C. Preston		487	16	78				280			280			28					50		4	
33	St. James																							
34	Texarkana Hall			1,235	175	134				200			200			75					165			
35	Paraloma	J. C. Tyus																						
		Total	$26,795	$ 16,687	$2,720	$12,675	$1,208	$ 351	$2,952	$20,871	$	$	$61,922	$261	$	$1,263	$165		$1,179	$925	$2,815	$60	$459	$537
		Total Last Year	327,629	12,816	83,215	25,002	3,803	665	2,593	27,642			27,642	2,178		382	7,693		1,583	4,831	4,797	477	515	3,737
		Increase		4,871					359				34,280			881								
		Decrease	$300,834	$	$80,495	$12,327	$2,595	$314	$	$5,771	$	$	$	$2,017	$	$	$7,528		$ 404	$3,906	$1,982	$417	$ 56	$3,200
	RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 2																							
1	Oklahoma	E. L. Stewart	$26,795	$16,687	$2,720	$12,675	$1,208	$351	$2,952	$20,871	$	$	$61,922	$261	$	$1,263	$ 165		$1,179	$ 925	$2,815	$ 60	$459	$537
2	Arkansas Little Rock	E. M. Johnson	$3,184	$14,328	$1,680	$2,897	$ 419	$484	$20,137	$24,212	$500	$500	$24,212	$797	$ 50	$ 854	$ 794	$293	$ 720	$2,203	$2,534	$165	$359	$1,464
		Total	$29,979	$31,015	$4,400	$15,574	$1,627	$ 835	$23,089	$45,143	$500	$500	$86,134	$1,058	$ 50	$1,117	$ 959	$293	$1,899	$3,128	$5,349	$225	$818	$2,001
		Total Last Year	31,329	28,169	6,455	49,012	4,812	1,303	85,599	63,199	1120	1002	38,782	4,158	1,929	10,966	1,951	245	5,065	4,311	8,823	5,297	1425	4,738
		Increase		2,846									47,352					48						
		Decrease	$1,350	$	$2,055	$73,438	$3,185	$ 468	$12,510	$18,056	$620	$502	$	$3,100	$1,879	$9,849	$992	$	$3,166	$1,183	$3,474	$5,072	$607	$2,736

Financial Report

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT													CONNECTIONAL FUND										BENEVOLENCES																
													General Jurisdictional Adminstration Fund		Area Conference, District Administration		Interdenominational Cooperation Fund		Temporary General Aid Fund		Total Connectional Funds		World Service & Ministerial Conf. Benvolences Ed. Fund																
UTILITIES PAID			DISTRICT SUPT. FUND		EPISCOPAL FUND		CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S FUND		MINIMUM SALARY FUND		TOTAL SUPPORT OTHER THAN LOCAL CHURCH																												
Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering & Serv	United Methodist Student Day	Youth Service Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Fund for Reconciliation	Christian Education Sunday	Higher Education
39a	39b	39c	40a	40b	41a	41b	42a	42b	43a	43b	44a	44b	45a	45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a	51b	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61
$	$	$56	$	$ 130	$	$ 12		$ 50	$	$	$	$ 192	$	$	$	$ 20	$	$	$	$ 20	$	$ 40	$	$	$ 45	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 30	$	$
				55		5		15				75													10										5		
				40								40																									
				30								30																									
				100								100																									
			80	80	10	10	120	58				148			15	15						15	14		14												
			80	80	20	20	120	120				220				20							50		50											25	
			80	80	10	10	29	29				119																									
				40		10		40				90				40				10				20											10		
		80		20		5		20				45				20				5				10											5		
			40	40	20	20		30				90								5		5	30	30											8		
			60	60	10	10	40	40	8	8		118				10				10		20	50	50						5	5					10	
				79		20		156				255				5						5		158					20								
127				350		50						400				190									100							60					
				15		5						20													26												
			25	25				25				50																									
	43	43		170				115				285		10		50						60			80			7									
				10		3		10				23													20				10	10	10				10		
				90		11		40				141													30												
				110		13		17				140		16		5						21			20				10	19							
			235	105			317	63				168		45		60				3		108			40											8	
	250		70	21								21				4						4								3							
20		20	418	50	24	24	216	26	18	18		118		10		30				50		90			6												5
10		10	139	10	12	15	108	15	8	8		48		5		19		6		5		35			15												
75		75	139		8	5	75		10	10		15		3		10				3		16															
			139		8	5	63	3	8	8		16		5		17		3				25			30										2	10	
				50								50													30												
389		389	385	285	43	43	376	376				604											221		221			15		6	8						
103		103	262	262		28				42		342	35	35	155	155						380	229	229	229			2	2	2	2	2					
70			147	147		15		142		23		327		19		66						85			128				10	2	20	2	2		10		
$ 794	$293	$ 720	$2,203	$2,534	$165	$359	$1,464	$1,390	$52	$117		$4,290	$35	$148	$170	$716	$	$ 9	$	$111	$	$ 909	$594	$497	$1,094	$	$	$24	$62	$47	$45	$64	$ 2	$	$80	$58	$
1,216		3,482	4,311	3,992	500	978	4,216	4,477	259	581		2,503	80	136	5021	2,466	50	83	57	111	195	5735	1,430	2075	2,774	29	42	160	64	95	151	84	24	71	255	98	497
	293											1,787		12						111																	
$422	$	$2,762	$2,108	$1,458	$335	$619	$2,752	$3,087	$207	$464		$	$45	$	$485	1$1,750	$50	$74	$57	$	1955	$4826	$ 846	$1588	$1,680	$29	$ 42	$126	$2	$48	$106	$20	$22	$71	$175	$40	$
$	$	$ 46	$	$	$	$	$	$ 85	$	$		$ 85	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
		30		45		15						60				10						10															
				23		5		45				73		12		21						33		17	17												
		10		26		8		11				45		12		38						50		40	40				1			4				4	
		50		32		8		8				48		12		23						35		15	15												
165		165		57		30		80				167				8						8		70	70				5	5							
						10		50				60				5						5		10	10												
																3						3															
		420		700		104		300				1,104		84		272						356		600	600		5		16	25					25		
				45								45												55	33												
				20		2				14		36		6		22						28		88	88												
			925	515	60	60	537	537								100							400	400	400						15	25				30	
				140		10		50		20		220		60		65		2	2			129			45		5	8	10	6	5	5	4		8	5	
				40		7		22		30		99		100		38		1		2	1	141			25			3		3	1	3	1	4	4	4	
						40						40												12	12												
		250		357		75		356				1,088		7						5		12			227												
																5						5			19												
				16		5		15				36		1		1						2			7		1		1	1	1	1	1				
		180		472		68		351				891		58		74						132			184				10								
		28		112		8		42				162		15		50						65			48												
				50		4		10				64		7		27						34			22												
				165				63				228				26						26			93			27	5						10		
$165		$1,179	$925	$2,815	$60	$459	$537	$2325		$ 68		$4,551	$	$374		$688	$	$3	$2	$ 7	$1	1072	$400	$1317	$1,955	$	$11	$38	$52	$40	$22	$38	$ 6	$ 4	$47	$43	$
7,693		1,583	4,831	4,797	477	515	3,737	4459		226				462		1,476		44	17	31	5	2401	591	189	3,533		8	22	20	31	57	23	34	97	148	71	
												4,551															3	16	32	11		15					
$7,528		$ 404	$3,906	$1,982	$417	$ 56	$3,200	$2134		$158		$	$	$88		$ 788	$	$37	$15	$ 24	$ 4	$1328	$191	$1128	$1,579	$	$	$	$	$	$35	$	$28	$ 93	$101	$28	$
$ 165		$1,179	$ 925	$2,815	$ 60	$459	$537	$2325		$68		$4,551	$	$374		$688	$	$ 3	$ 2	$ 7	$1	1072	$400	$1317	$1955	$	$11	$38	$52	$40	$22	$38	$6	$4	$47	$43	$
$ 794	$293	$ 720	$2,203	$2,534	$165	$359	$1,464	$1390	$52	$117		$4,290	$35	$148	$170	$ 716	$	$ 9	$111	$	$	$909	$594	$ 497	$1094	$	$	$24	$62	$47	$45	$64	$2	$	$80	$58	$
$ 959	$293	$1,899	$3,128	$5,349	$225	$818	$2,001	$3715	$ 52	$185		$8,841	$35	$ 522	$170	$1,404	$	$12	$113	$ 7	$1	1981	$994	$1814	$3049	$	$11	$62	$ 114	$87	$67	$102	$8	$4	$127	$101	$
1,951	245	5,065	4,311	8,823	5,297	1425	4,731	8204	4,718	807		807	151	400	5627	3,912	118	127	74	142	200	8136	1,021	3264	6307	7	50	182	84	126	881	701	58	168	203	169	
	48											8,034							39										30								
$992	$	$3,166	$1,183	$3,474	$5,072	$607	$2,730	$4489	$4,666	$622		$	$180	$122	$5457	$2,508	$118	$115	$	$135	$199	$6155	$ 27	$1450	$3758	$ 7	$39	$120	$	$39	814	$599	$50	$164	$ 76	$68	

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FOR THAN RCH	CONNECTIONAL FUND: General Jurisdictional Administration Fund		Area Conference, District Administration		Interdenominational Cooperation Fund		Temporary General Aid Fund		Total Connectional Funds		BENEVOLENCES: World Service & Ministerial Conf. Benvolences Ed. Fund					Other Conference Benevolences																		
Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering & Serv	United Methodist Student Day	Youth Service Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Fund for Reconciliation	Christian Education Sunday	Higher Education	Conference Advance Specials	Hospitals and Golden Cross	Homes for Children Youth and Aged	Reserve Pension			All Other Benevolences	Grand Total Paid (lines 30-68)
44b	45a	45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a	51b	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
$ 192	$	$	$	$ 20	$	$	$	$ 20	$	$ 40	$	$	$ 45	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 30	$	$ 65	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 13	$ 2,723
75													10										5		5							10	675
40																																	295
30																																	235
100																																	2,165
148			15	15						15	14		14																15				1,386
220				20							50		50											25									3,239
119																																	1,758
90				40				10				20											10		10							20	750
45				20				5				10											5		5							10	1,264
90								5		5	30	30											8		20				10				543
118				10				10		20	50	50						5	5					10	20								828
255				5						5		158					20								50							3	3,333
400				190									100							60												92	2,029
20													26																			20	
50																									5					5			639
285		10		50						60			80			7									20				5	25	25		2,417
23													20				10	10	10				10		22							35	720
141													30												40							51	1,268
140		16		5						21			20				10	19														53	936
168		45		60				3		108			40											8							35		4,478
21				4						4									3														4,785
118		10		30				50		90			6											5									3,691
48		5		19		6		5		35			15																				508
15		3		10				3		16																							401
16		5		17		3				25			30										2	10	5	1						15	699
50													30												20								436
604											221		221			15		6	8						36	18			5	7			4,969
342	35	35	155	155						380	229	229	229			2	2	2	2	2													5,573
327		19		66						85			128				10	2	20	2	2		10										3,169
4,290	$35	$148	$170	$716	$	$ 9	$	$111	$	$ 909	$594	$497	$1,094	$	$	$24	$62	$47	$45	$64	$ 2	$	$80	$58	$323	$19	$	$	$40	$37	$60	$322	$55,912
2,503	80	136	5021	2,466	50	83	57	111	195	5735	1,430	2075	2,774	29	42	160	64	95	151	84	24	71	255	98	497	10	2	9	318	690	690	335	193,123
1,787		12						111																		9							
	$45	$	$485	$1,750	$50	$74	$57	$	$195	$4826	$ 846	$1588	$1,680	$29	$ 42	$126	$2	$48	$106	$20	$22	$71	$175	$40	$174	$	$2	$9	$278	$653	$630	$13	$137,211
$ 85	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 14,847
60				10						10																			5	5	6	10	1,084
73		12		21						33		17	17																				450
45		12		38						50		40	40				1			4				4									1,093
48		12		23						35		15	15																3	3			544
167				8						8		70	70				5	5											5	5			3,656
60				5						5		10	10																10				261
				3						3																							82
1,104		84		272						356		600	600		5		16	25					25		100						300		517
45												55	33																				25,977
36		6		22						28		88	88																				481
				100							400	400	400						15	25				30									553
220		60		65		2	2			129			45		5	8	10	6	5	5	4		8	5	15		2	3					12,496
99		100		38		1		2	1	141			25			3		3	1	3	1	4	4	4	15	30	3	3			10		
40												12	12																				
1,088		7						5		12			227												82				10	70			
				5						5			19																				
36		1		1						2			7		1		1	1	1	1	1				7								
891		58		74						132			184				10								200				15		121		7,093
162		15		50						65			48												32				32				
64		7		27						34			22													20							
228				26						26			93			27	5						10						18	22	5		
$4,551	$	$374		$688	$	$3	$2	$ 7	$1	$1072	$400	$1317	$1,955	$	$11	$38	$52	$40	$22	$38	$ 6	$ 4	$47	$43	$451	$50	$5	$6	$98	$105	$442	$10	$69,134
		462		1,476		44	17	31	5	2401	591	189	3,533		8	22	20	31	57	23	34	97	148	71	281	24	5	3				1,004	10,009
															3	16	32	11		15					170	26		3	98	105	442		59,125
4,551																																	
$	$	$88		$ 788	$	$37	$15	$ 24	$ 4	$1328	$191	$1128	$1,579	$	$	$	$	$	$35	$	$28	$ 93	$101	$28	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$994	$
$4,551	$	$374		$688	$	$ 3	$ 2	$ 7	$1	1072	$400	$1317	$1955	$	$11	$38	$52	$40	$22	$38	$6	$4	$47	$43	$451	$50	$5	$6	$98	$105	$442	$10	$69,134
$4,290	$35	$148	$170	$ 716	$	$ 9	$111	$	$	$909	$594	$ 497	$1094	$	$	$24	$62	$47	$45	$64	$2	$	$80	$58	$323	$19	$	$	$40	$ 37	$60	$322	$55,912
$8,841	$35	$ 522	$170	$1,404	$	$12	$113	$ 7	$1	$1981	$994	$1814	$3049	$	$11	$62	$ 114	$87	$67	$102	$8	$4	$127	$101	$774	$69	$5	$6	$138	$142	$502	$332	$125,046
807	151	400	5627	3,912	118	127	74	142	200	8136	1,021	3264	6307	7	50	182	84	126	881	701	58	168	203	169	778	52	7	12	321	690	690	1,339	355,132
8,034							39										30									17							
$	$186	$122	$5457	$2,508	$118	$115	$	$135	$199	$6155	$ 27	$1450	$3758	$ 7	$39	$120	$	$39	814	$599	$50	$164	$ 76	$68	$4	$	$2	$6	$183	$548	$188	$13007	$240,086

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Southwest Conference
South Central Jurisdiction
June 1969 - June 1970

	CHURCH AND CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Received This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	Received from other United Meth. Churches	Received from other Denominations	Removed by Charge Conf. Action or Withdrawn	Removed by Transfer to other United Meth. Ch.	Removed by Transfer to other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Members at close of this year	Average Attendance of the Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number of Persons Baptized this year (all ages)	Preparatory Members Now on roll (all baptized children under 18)	CHURCH SCHOOL: Number of Leaders	Children (birth through sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups	Youth	Adults	Total Church-School Membership	Average Attendance	Number of Ongoing Classes and Groups Learning	Number of Short-term Classes and Groups for Learning	W. S. C. S.: Membership of Society (including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	Men Group
	ARKANSAS LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1	Fordyce Charge	Snow, T. E																							
2	Bethel		20							1	19	25		15	3	15	20	10	13	15	15	10			
3	Plami Chapel		15								15	15		15	3	12	8	15	20	5	5				
4	Mt. Olive		60							1	59	40		20	12	30	15	8	23	20	3		22	25	
5	Brown, Chapel	Troupe, G. G.	13								13				3				8	5			5		
6	Scott Chapel		10								10	6			1			10							
7	Bailey Chapel		60	3							63	25			4				25				18	35	
8	Mt. Mariah (Cir)	Roe, C. H.	47			1				1	48		12	11	7	5	11		23	25			12	42	
9	St. France		165	2							167		4	38	7	13	9		7	29			21	17	
10	Ebenezer	Thompson, L. T.	30		1						31			4	6	6	4	8							
11	White Memorial	Hall, C. C.	150	8	2	1	6	2		6	147				14								31		
12	Haven	Brown, R. B.	109	1		1				2	109	40	1	20	13	17	3	109	142	50			16	139	
13	St. James	Oliver, J. H.	110	1	2	2		10	2		103	65	1	18	7	1	9	10	64	35	9		30		
14	St. Mark		102	1	3	1		2			104	65	1		10	20	21	11	61	42	5	2	5	250	
15	Scruggs	Morgan, Elijah	34									33	5	16	10	10	6	20	46	39	3		10	40	
16	Kermit		34	3							34	25		3		5	5	6	25	25					
17	Wilson Chapel	Roe, C. H.	19	3				1	1		22	12	1	2	7	5	1	3	10	10	3				
18	Union Chapel	Nelson, M. D.	30							1	29	19		8	5	8	8	21					10	50	
19	Zion Chapel		28								28	20			5	10	1	8	24				8	47	
20	St. James	Lofton, I. W.	32						1	31		25		7	6	5	5	9	25	20	2				
21	McCabe		60	2			10				52	45	2	6	6	11	6	8	31	25	4	5	15	130	
22	Cornerstone Chapel	Hughes, Joseph, Jr.	11								11	7													
23	Mt. Zion	Banks	7	4							11	11			3			8	11	11	11		4		
24	Smith Chapel		7								7	7		2	3	3	1	15	7	7			3		
25	Livingston Chapel		51							1	50	40	1	10	4	4	6	50	40	23			15	60	
26	St. Paul	Robinson, W. H. Jr.	111	2						1	112	80		42	6	20	15	20	61	20	5	1	10	200	
27	Marks Chapel		60	5							65	30	7	20	6	24	15	10	55	15	4	1	10	100	
28	Wesley	Lester, W. D.	297	13	1	2		3	1	4	305	170	3	20	15	15	35	34	99	45	12	8	121	150	
		Total (or Carried Forward	1,672	41	16	8	16	18	5	49	1,614	805	38	278	166	239	204	393	820	466	81	27	366	1,305	1
		Total Last Year	1,757	64	54	9	9	27	7	45	1,742	1,160	41	409	186	523	359	278	1264	586	137	146	382	3,397	
		Increase					7			4								115							
		Decrease	85	23	38	1		9	2		128	355	3	131	20	284	155		344	120	56	119	16	2,092	
	OKLAHOMA DISTRICT																								
1	Franklin Memorial	Smith, Lloyd	10						1		9	8			3			4	5	3	1				
2	Jackson Chapel		5							1	4	4		9	2	3		5	14	8	2				
3	Norris Chapel		11								11	4			3		3	3	9	6	2	1			
4	Spencer		129	2	2			7			126	54	3	24	9	15	8	6	38	32	4	1	18	221	
5	Hall's Memorial	Tyus, J. C.	102						1	1	100	47	5	10	9	10	4	4	47				6	12	
6	New Hope		27							1	21	15		2	9	5	4	2	20	15			5	110	
7	Mt. Zion		19								19	14		8	9		3		25	3			3	43	
8	Johnson Memorial	Douglass, E. M.	38							2	38	24		12	6	16	7	10	39	21			9		
9	Quayle	Souder, F. C.	304	8	8	2	6			5	311	150	5	89	17	53	33	28	131	60	11		70	50	
10	Parks	Davis, Connie	13								13	8			1	10			12	7					
11	Bethel		16								15	15		3	4	12	8	2	25	25			8	18	
12	Mt. Vernon	Hobbs, J. W.	53			7				1	48	45	4	26	12	14	14	11	51	26	8	4	21	150	
13	Oak Grove		9							1	8	8		12	2	7	3	6	18	5	2		5	22	
14	Wesley	Tillmon, C. G.	298	4	15	2	4	2		4	309	120	3	77	15	72	28	14	129	97	14	6	37	60	
15	Warren Memorial	Hickman, E. T.	103		2	2				2	105	40		4	10	31	32	5	78	30	40	2	23		
16	Reed Chapel		10			1					11	8		2	2	2		7	11	15					
17	St. Paul	Waterford, G. D.	12						2	2	8	20		18	4		10	5	19				6		
18	Bable Chapel	Davie, H. A.	8								8				3	2			10	8			4		
19	Wiley Chapel	Counts, James T.	32							1	31	28		3	7	2	6	12					12		
20	Ebenezer		25								25	21		2	7	4	7	10	28	17			10		
21	Valley Grove		32								32	28		10	7	8	7	10					10		
22	Wesley Chapel	D. W. Terry	41	1	1						43	25	1	16	3	8	6	6	23	12	4	14		25	
23	Mallalieu Cir.	Preston, R. C.	129				8				124				20	28		9	29				34	315	
24	Bowman	Wamble, A. S.	12						1		12	20		22	3	18	10	3	34	25				18	
25	St. Paul		96								96	15	4	4	8	25	10	11	54	43	5	2	12		
		Total (or Carried Forward)	1,534	13	28	14	18	9	5	21	1,527	721	25	353	175	345	203	173	849	458	93	32	293	1,044	
		Total Last Year	1,727	23	6	22	18	18	7	29	1,839	1,048	75	383	229	461	276	330	1102	583	84	100	336	1,946	
		Increase				8									34	116					9				
		Decrease	193	10	22			9	2	8	312	327	50	30			73	157	233	125		68	43	902	
	RECAPITUALTION TABLE NO. 1																								
1	Arkansas Little Rock	E. M. Johnson	1,672	41	16	8	16	18	5	49	1,614	805	38	278	166	239	204	393	820	466	81	27	366	1,305	1
2	Oklahoma	E. L. Stewart	1,534	13	28	14	18	9	5	21	1,527	791	25	353	175	345	203	173	849	458	93	32	293	1,044	
		Total (or Carried Forward)	3,206	54	44	22	34	27	10	70	3,141	1,596	63	631	341	584	407	566	1669	924	174	59	659	2,349	1
		Total Last Year	3,484	87	60	31	27	45	14	74	3,581	2,208	116	792	415	984	633	608	2366	1169	221	246	718	5,342	1
		Increase					7																		
		Decrease	278	33	26	9		18	4	4	440	612	53	161	74	400	226	42	697	245	47	187	59	2,993	

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CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL								W. S. C. S.			PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS					
Received This Year on United Meth. Churches	Received from other Denominations	Received from other Action or Withdrawn	Removed by Charge Conf.	Removed by Transfer to other United Meth. Ch.	Removed by Transfer to other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Members at close of this year	Average Attendance of the Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Baptized this year (all ages)	Number of Persons children under 18)	Preparatory Members Now on roll(all baptized	Number of Leaders	Classes and Groups	Children (birth through sixth grade) in All	Youth	Adults	Total Church-School Membership	Average Attendance	Learning	Number of Ongoing Classes and Groups for Learning	Number of Short-term Classes and Groups	Membership of Society (including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Community Work	Amount Paid for Local Church and	United Methodist Men Group	Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture	Value of Other Assets (cash, bonds, other property, etc.)	Unpaid Balance on Indebtedness on items 24, 25, 26	Balance of Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.)	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
					1	19	25		15	3	15	20	10	13	15	15	10				$1,000	$	$	$	$	1
						15	15		15	3	12	8	15	20	5	5					1,000					2
					1	59	40		20	12	30	15	8	23	20	3		22	25	1	15,000		3,000			3
						13				3				8	5			5			10,000					4
						10	6			1			10								9,000					5
						63	25			4				25				18	35	1	9,000					6
	1				1	48		12	11	7	5	11		23	25			12	42		5,600					7
						167		4	39	7	13	9		7	29			21	17		5,000			350		8
1						31			4	6	6	4	8							1	25,000		1,000		167	9
2	1	6	2		6	147				14								31		1	107,500	19,000		1,037	740	10
	1				2	109	40	1	20	13	17	3	109	142	50			16	139	1	100,000				101	11
2	2		10	2		103	65	1	18	7	1	9	10	64	35	9		30		1	120,000			120		12
3	1		2			104	65	1		10	20	21	11	61	42	5	2	5	250	1	100,000	15,000		4,700	3,000	13
							33	5	16	10	10	6	20	46	39	3		10	40		25,000					14
						34	25		3		5	5	6	25	25							1,000				15
			1	1		22	12	1	2	7	5	1	3	10	10	3					5,000					16
					1	29	19		8	5	8	8	21					10	50		30,000		1,785			17
						28	20			5	10	1	8	24				8	47	1	6,000					18
				1	31		25		7	6	5	5	9	25	20	2				1	2,000		1,600			19
		10				52	45	2	6	6	11	6	8	31	25	4	5	15	130	1	17,000		161			20
						11	7														27,000	3,000				21
						11	11			3			8	11	11	11		4			4,500					22
						7	7		2	3	3	1	15	7	7			3			6,000	2,000				23
					1	50	40	1	10	4	4	6	50	40	23			15	60	1	17,500	2,500		24,956	200	24
					1	112	80		42	6	20	15	20	61	20	5	1	10	200	1	26,000	12,000		10,000	50,000	25
						65	30	7	20	6	24	15	10	55	15	4	1	10	100		20,000	2,000				26
1	2		3	1	4	305	170	3	20	15	15	35	34	99	45	12	8	121	150	1	130,000					27
16	8	16	18	5	49	1,614	805	38	278	166	239	204	393	820	466	81	27	366	1,305	13	$1,957,985	$112,500	$7,546	$31163	$54,438	28
54	9	9	27	7	45	1,742	1,160	41	409	186	523	359	278	1264	586	137	146	382	3,397	7	719,070	154,300	13,129	1,540	850	
		7			4								115							6	1,238,915					
38	1		9	2		128	355	3	131	20	284	155		344	120	56	119	16	2,092		$	$42,800	$5,583	$29623	$53,588	
				1		9	8			3			4	5	3	1					$ 11,000	$5,500	$	$ $		1
					1	4	4		9	2	3		5	14	8	2					11,000	6,200				2
						11	4			3		3	3	9	6	2	1				5,000					3
2			7			126	54	3	24	9	15	8	6	38	32	4	1	18	221	1	65,000	11,000		6,000		4
				1	1	100	47	5	10	9	10	4	4	47				6	12		8,000	4,000			1,345	5
					1	21	15		2	9	5	4	2	20	15			5	110		6,000	2,000		1,500		6
						19	14		8	9		3		25	3			3	43		6,000	2,000				7
					2	38	24		12	6	16	7	10	39	21			9								8
8	2	6			5	311	150	5	89	17	53	33	28	131	60	11		70	50	1	83,000	9,000				9
						13	8			1	10			12	7						25,000	10				10
						15	15		3	4	12	8	2	25	25			8	18		35,000					11
	7				1	48	45	4	26	12	14	14	11	51	26	8	4	21	150	1	30,000	19,500				12
					1	8	8		12	2	7	3	6	18	5	2		5	22		15,000					13
15	2	4	2		4	309	120	3	77	15	72	28	14	129	97	14	6	37	60	1	10,500	12,100	8,432	16,674		14
2	2				2	105	40		4	10	31	32	5	78	30	40	2	23			30,000	11,000				15
	1					11	8		2	2	2		7	11	15											16
				2	2	8	20		18	4		10	5	19				6			15,000	5,000				17
						8				3	2			10	8			4			500					18
					1	31	28		3	7	2	6	12					12			10,000					19
						25	21		2	7	4	7	10	28	17			10			5,575					20
						32	28		10	7	8	7	10					10			17,000					21
1						43	25	1	16	3	8	6	6	23	12	4	14		25		10,000	14,000	4,000	2,100		22
		8				124				20	28		9	29				34	315	1	46,380					23
				1		12	20		22	3	18	10	3	34	25				18		8,000		300		300	24
						96	15	4	4	8	25	10	11	54	43	5	2	12			19,600	3,000		10,450	120	25
28	14	18	9	5	21	1,527	721	25	353	175	345	203	173	849	458	93	32	293	1,044	5	$567,055	$104,310	$12,732	$36,724	$1,765	
6	22	18	18	7	29	1,839	1,048	75	383	229	461	276	330	1102	583	84	100	336	1,946	7	742,025	117,950	9,400	35,635	18597	
	8									34	116					9								1,089		
22			9	2	8	312	327	50	30			73	157	233	125		68	43	902	2	$ 174,970	$13,640	$3,332	$	16832	
16	8	16	18	5	49	1,614	805	38	278	166	239	204	393	820	466	81	27	366	1,305	13	$1,957,985	$112,500	$7,546	$31,163	$54438	1
28	14	18	9	5	21	1,527	791	25	353	175	345	203	173	849	458	93	32	293	1,044	5	$567,055	$104,310	$12,732	$36,724	$1,765	2
44	22	34	27	10	70	3,141	1,596	63	631	341	584	407	566	1669	924	174	59	659	2,349	18	$2,525,040	$216,810	$20,278	$67,887	$6203	
60	31	27	45	14	74	3,581	2,208	116	792	415	984	633	608	2366	1169	221	246	718	5,342	14	1,461,095	272,250	22,529	37,175	19447	
		7																		4	1,063,945			30,712	16756	
26	9		18	4	4	440	612	53	161	74	400	226	42	697	245	47	187	59	2,993		$	$55,440	$2,251	$	$	