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Reports of Districts

REPORT OF BATESVILLE DISTRICT

C. W. LESTER, Presiding Elder.
(Because certain facts were mentioned in the District Special, this is a partial report.)

The pastors' reports show that we have had about 450 conversions with about that number received into the church. Our training work has gone well. Beginning with our district training school and pastors' conference and running through several months a successful program has been carried on. More than half of our pastors attended the Pastors' School at Hendrix, and all of the young preachers are finishing their Conference course.

In finances, the District has made a splendid record. This, in the face of the worst drouth in certain sections, which has been experienced in many years. Salaries will be equal to last year's; may be a little in advance. Our acceptances are 100% paid. All the larger churches have met all the financial obligations in full and many of the smaller ones have done likewise. A foreign mission special of \$1,000 from one of the churches and educational specials amounting to \$1,256, when added to our paid acceptances, make the total collected for benevolent purposes \$7,576. This is doubtless one of the best records for this district in its history. We have through the churches and at large collected money enough on our ministerial scholarship fund to place one young ministerial student in Hendrix College. Substantial improvements have been made on churches and parsonages. The amount spent for this is about \$6000. Improvement has been made on the District parsonage. This has all been paid and also there will be money enough to pay all indebtedness on the same and all outstanding accounts. One new church building is under construction. A fine increase has been made this year over last in the total amounts collected on Church School Day and also the fourth Sunday offering. A good showing has been made on renewals and new subscribers to the ARKANSAS METHODIST, and we are exceedingly proud of the Batesville District Centennial number of that paper.

Mention should be made of another fact. Three of our pastoral charges lost their pastors during the year. It seemed that nobody could be found to take their places. By agreement, the Desha Circuit was taken over by Bro. Cravens and his church. They have made a most remarkable record in taking care of it. They report 89 conversions and 54 additions to the church, and all financial obligations paid in full.

The Charlotte Circuit was likewise taken over by Dr. Goddard and his church. Regular services have been held, mostly by laymen, two meetings held and a substantial amount paid on the financial obligations, with their benevolences paid in full. The laymen of Umsted Memorial have supplied their pulpit with regular services. Rev. W. J. Faust held a good meeting and all their financial obligations have been met in full. They have made a most unusual record as a group of laymen.

REPORT OF CONWAY DISTRICT WILLIAM SHERMAN, P. E.

The boundary lines of this District were so changed at the last Annual Conference as to include the whole of Yell and Perry Counties and to give that part of Lonoke and Cleburne Counties belonging to us to Searcy District.

This arrangement gives us 74 churches, and 26 charges. Twelve are stations and the others having from two to seven preaching places.

The first part of the year was given to consolidating the District. This was done and a fairly good unified District Spirit has been developed.

The preachers and their families, as a rule, have been well and happy, and have had a mind to work.

We have had 269 additions to the church on profession of faith and 445 by certificate and otherwise; a loss by death, certificate and otherwise of 418, leaving us a net gain in membership of 269 for the year. Also 73 infants have been baptized, 24 of these by Rev. A. L. Riggs on the Perry Circuit.

There are 61 church schools, with 784 officers and teachers, and 7182 pupils enrolled, and our people have taken 482 training credits. Our Schools are well supplied with our own church literature.

We have 30 Woman's Missionary Societies, with an enrollment of 1,109. These are a very active force in our churches.

Two new churches, one at Mt. Vernon on Naylor Circuit the other at Levy, are under construction. These churches are to be neat stone-veneer buildings and will be very attractive in appearance. Other improvements have been made in the District.

We have some embarrassing debts on our buildings, but our people are attacking them in a fine way, and expect to pay off as rapidly as possible. The church debt at Russellville has been adjusted by our people there raising \$11,974 cash and borrowing \$15,000 from the Church Extension Board, and we now have a very desirable piece of property with plans to care for the payments as they come due. With this debt provided for, this church should soon become one of the

strongest churches in our Conference.

This District was given a quota on General and Conference work of \$13,493. The several charges accepted \$8,600 of this amount, which was a little more than 64 percent of the askings.

We have paid more than 100 percent of the accepted amount, or about 65 percent of the askings.

We wish that our acceptances had been larger, but rejoice that we are able to report the acceptance paid in full for the third time, in this District.

Our salaries are not all in full, but the 12 stations have paid 100 percent and a number of the circuits have made advances over last year's figures.

There are nearly 600 ARKANSAS METHODISTS taken; a small number of Christian Advocates, and a goodly number of World Outlooks.

REPORT OF FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

J. W. WORKMAN, P. E.

Sixty churches have made the following statistical report: 222 additions on profession of faith, 290 additions by certificate and otherwise, net gain in membership 41; 50 infants were baptized, 26 of them on the Elm Springs charge; 49 General organs and 320 Conference organs are taken; 967 members of 22 Woman's Missionary Societies sent \$1,712 to the Conference treasurer; \$722 was raised for Sunday School Missions; \$4,915 was paid on Benevolences; post Conference payments make our percentage 90 percent of the acceptances.

Thirteen charges paying in full are: Berryville, Cincinnati, Eureka Springs, Fayetteville, Huntsville, Lincoln-Viney Grove, Pea Ridge-Bright Water, Prairie Grove, Rogers, Siloam Springs, Springdale, War Eagle, Winslow-Chester, 90 percent on salaries was paid.

Special help in meetings during the year has been given by the following pastors: W. A. Lindsey, O. M. Campbell, Irl Bridenthal, H. O. Bolin, W. J. Mayhew, Roy E. Bagley, Poe Williams, W. A. Downum. 31 revival meetings were held.

100 Long Course credits, 3 Christian Adventure, and 41 Short Course credits have been earned.

New building projects are under construction at Springdale, Rocky Branch on War Eagle, at Harmon on Elm Springs, and Avoca on Pea Ridge charge.

The work of Miss Hoover on War Eagle Circuit is heroic and fruitful. Each one of the churches held daily vacation schools, 6 in all. Harold Eggensperger, Hendrix student, helped much with this work. Wesley Foundation Work at the University of Arkansas, by Rev. Warren Johnston, the paying off of the debt on Mt. Sequoyah by Rev. Sam

Yancey, and the fine missionary work of Rev. W. J. Mayhew at Huntsville, are features of the year's work.

Good work in paying debts has been done at Winslow, Fayetteville, Prairie Grove, Lincoln, Siloam Springs, Decatur, Rogers, Gentry, Springdale, and a building fund is being collected at Berryville. Eureka Springs has made extensive improvements.

28 churches representing 100 percent contributions to the Fourth Sunday missionary offerings gave \$690.

Eight charges have contributed 700 Methodist Hymnals to the worship of their people. They are Eureka Springs, 75; Harmon, 18; Berryville, 50; Siloam Springs, 150; Fayetteville, 250; Bentonville, 50; Winslow, 50; Gravette, 50.

The District Staff composed of C. W. Harrington, District Lay Leader; Mrs. J. K. Fraser, District Secretary; W. M. S.; Mrs. E. Fay Reed, C. B. Gilliland, Holland King, Christian Education District Director, have helped plan and direct this year's program.

REPORT OF HELENA DISTRICT

A. W. MARTIN, P. E.

The Helena District is closing one of the best years in its history. Under the leadership of Rev. G. G. Davidson, presiding elder for the quadrennium closing a year ago, the District was well organized and splendidly manned. It has been about all the present elder could do to maintain the pace set by his predecessor.

All pastors and churches in the District have worked hard. The Missionary Societies, Church Schools and other organizations have had an excellent year. Church property has been improved at Moro and Rondo on the Aubrey charge, at Clarendon, at Colt, at Earle, at Elaine, at Forrest City, at Haynes and LaGrange on the Haynes Charge, at Harrisburg, the parsonages at Hulbert-West Memphis, at Parkin, at Vanndale, at Wheatley, at Widener. A parsonage has been acquired at Weiner with only \$30 debt. The District parsonage has been repainted and refinished inside and out.

A debt of \$1,100 against the parsonage at Elaine has been paid. Payment for the parsonage built a year ago at Hughes has been practically completed. An old debt for current operating expenses at Helena has been reduced further by some seven or eight hundred dollars, and now stands at only \$1,000. A debt of long standing at Brinkley has been reduced by approximately \$1,000, and is now in much better shape. Wynne has completed payment on the organ debt.

Three years ago when the main
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debt on the church at Earle was re-
financed no provision was made
for a debt of some \$800 on pews and
an account with a lumber company
of more than \$2,000. The women of
the Missionary Society have reduced
the debt on the pews to \$250 and
within the last month the other debt,
including interest, amounting to
\$2,950, has been settled for a cash
consideration of \$1,150.

Our church at Hughes burned last
June. The contract for a new \$12-
0000 building will soon be let. Bro.
Galloway has done magnificent
work raising money for the new
church and the work will proceed on
the "pay as you go" basis.

The District has paid 100% on
the acceptances for the Benevo-
lences. Acceptances totaled ap-
proximately 67% of the Askings.
This percentage, we believe, is the
highest of any district in the Con-
ference. Salaries lack only a few
dollars of being 100%. Two thou-
sand dollars have been raised on the
debt against the District parsonage,
thereby reducing it to \$2,600. \$450
has been raised to assist ministerial
students in Hendrix College. The
District has raised a total of \$89,510,
a gain of approximately \$7,000 over
last year.

Additions on profession of faith,
365; by certificate 412, total 777; net
gain in membership 273; vacation
schools 8; training credits 352; raised
for missions in Church Schools \$735.

Two churches deserve special
mention in the number of additions.
Forrest City, Rev. R. S. Hayden,
pastor, leads the District in the total
number of additions, 119. No re-
vival meeting, in the usual sense,
was held. Personal work by the
pastor and laymen was chiefly re-

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* AND UNDERNEATH ARE THE EVER- *
* LASTING ARMS.—Deut. 33:27. *

REV. H. B. VAUGHT, pastor host of Little Rock
Conference, announces that no meals will be
served until Wednesday evening. No entertain-
ment will be provided unless notice has been
given the pastor.

THE CENTENNIAL COMMISSION, composed
of representatives of both Annual Confer-
ences, is requested to meet at Asbury Church,
Little Rock, at 4:30 p. m., Friday, Nov. 13, to
close up its work. All members are urged to
attend. The exact place of meeting will be an-
nounced at that time.

THE NORTH ARKANSAS CONFERENCE, by
unanimous vote, adopted a resolution advis-
ing that the Annual Conferences vote on Metho-
dist Union in 1937 so that the General Confer-
ence might finish approval in 1938. It was also
voted to join the Missouri Conferences in invit-
ing the Uniting Conference to meet in St. Louis.

THE CONFERENCE AT BATESVILLE

It had been my purpose to comment somewhat
extensively on this session of the North Ar-
kansas Conference at Batesville, but space will
not permit. It was a fine Conference, capably
managed and royally entertained. The Centen-
nial features were presented splendidly by the
local people, and Dr. Jas. A. Anderson's great
address was eloquently delivered. It will ap-

pear in this paper later. Dr. T. D. Ellis, Dr.
W. G. Cram, Dr. J. H. Reynolds, Supt. J. H. Glass,
and others made appropriate addresses. Dr.
Cram, in his address on Africa, by his wit and
graphic descriptions, captured the congregation.
Laymen Stuck and Moore, representing the
Board of Lay Activities, distinguished them-
selves. The brief addresses at the anniversary
of the Board of Christian Education were en-
lightening. Bishop Moore, as always, presided
with carefulness and fairness, and preached and
commented with wit and wisdom. The reports
were good. The fellowship was fine. All went
well. The editor, entertained by Dr. and Mrs.
Goddard, with four elderly preachers, had a
joyous experience.—A. C. M.

CIRCULATION REPORT

RECEIVED as follows: St. Francis Ct., A. Mc-
Kelvey, 1; Vantrease Mem., El Dorado, D. T.
Rowe, 100%, 47; Manila, J. M. Harrison, 3; (at
N. Ark. Conference) Monette, F. M. Sweet, 1;
Pottsville, G. Sutherland, 3; Greenbrier Ct.,
Bates Sturdy, 7; Gentry, B. T. Williams, 2; Poca-
hontas, B. L. Wilford, 1; Springdale, H. O. Bolin,
1; 2nd Church, Ft. Smith, J. E. Lark, 1; Waldron
Station, H. A. Stroup, 1; Mammoth Spring, W. J.
Clark, 1; Pleasant Plains, M. L. Edgington, 1;
Swifton, J. M. Hughes, 1; Cabot, L. E. Mann, 1;
Smithville, J. B. Stewart, 1; Pea Ridge, J. L.
Shelby, 1; Gregory, W. W. Peterson, 1. These
reports are appreciated. Under the instructions
of the N. Arkansas Conference, a large circula-
tion is expected. Let us press on to the ideal,
"ARKANSAS METHODIST in Every Methodist Home
in Arkansas." Why not?

REPORT OF SEARCY DISTRICT

E. H. HOOK, P. E.

We have been actively engaged
in repairing, remodeling and build-
ing during the year. Four church
buildings are about ready to be
dedicated. The buildings at Patter-
son and Fakes Chapel have been
built this year, the buildings at
Augusta and Floyd have been fin-
ished this year. The church build-
ing at Clinton has been remodeled,
redecorated and a basement complet-
ed under the building. The church
at Heber Springs has been reroofed
and a new \$700 heating plant is
now being installed. The church at
Cotton Plant has been redecorated
and new carpets placed on the
floor. Repairs have been made on
the church at Harrison with new
carpets. The church and parsonage
at Beebe have been painted and
plans made to build two additional
rooms to the church. A parsonage
has been built on the Antioch Cir-
cuit free of debt. Plans are made to
begin a new parsonage at McCrory
after Conference. The parsonage at
Cabot has had some splendid im-
provements.

According to reports of pastors
we have had 455 additions to the
church by certificate and 447 on
profession of faith. 44 church
schools observed fourth Sunday as
Missionary Day and paid \$678 to
Missions. 456 Training credits have
been earned. We have 35 W. M. S.
Auxiliaries with 876 members. They
raised \$5,351 for local work and
\$920 sent to the Conference Treas-
urer. Laymen's Day was observed
in several charges. 574 ARKANSAS
METHODISTS and 21 Christian Advo-
cates are taken. 100 per cent of the
amount assumed on Benevolences
has been paid, which exceeds the
amount assumed and paid last year.
95 percent has been paid on pastors'
salaries, which is \$4019 more than
was paid by the same charges last
year. \$429 has been paid on District
work. This has been a very diffi-
cult year, but we are delighted to
report but few complaints either by
laymen or preachers. The brethren
have been kind, faithful and loyal.

sponsible for this success. Harris-
burg, Rev. J. J. Decker, pastor, led
the District in the number of addi-
tions on profession of faith, 80. Bro.
Decker held his own meetings.

The outstanding all-around de-
velopment in a church is at West
Memphis. Under the leadership of
Rev. I. L. Claud, this charge has had
fifty additions and will pay its pas-
tor \$1,800 next year. West Mem-
phis is destined to develop into one
of the strongest churches of the Con-
ference.

REPORT OF JONESBORO
DISTRICT

SAM B. WIGGINS, P. E.

We are closing a most happy
quadrannium on Jonesboro District,
during which time we have receiv-
ed into the church 4950 members,
paid some \$38,000 or more on Bene-
volences, and gained in Woman's
Missionary Society membership
from 755 to 1090. For this year we
received 926; 406 came on profes-
sion of faith, and 542 by letter.

We show an increase of \$2166 on
pastor's salaries, and Claims over-
paid by \$74, with a total of \$10,078.
Raised for churches and parsonages
a total of \$20,638. Osceola has raised
\$4500 of their \$6000 debt, but it can
not be reported this year. The debt
on Blytheville Church can be paid
before Christmas.

Church School enrollment 7555,
and a church membership of over
9800. Paid \$815 on Home and For-
eign Missionary Etenprise.

Ten churches met their payments
for the year on parsonage and
church debts, and twelve churches
made extensive repairs. One new
church has been completed. Jones-
boro First Church raised \$8000 to
purchase a pipe organ which will
be installed before Christmas.

We wish that time and space per-
mitted a separate statement of the
work of each charge. The laymen
have worked hard and the preach-
ers have all been diligent. We thank
God for the privilege of serving
this great district for these four
years.

Condensed Minutes

Condensed Minutes of the One Hun-
dred and First Session of the North
Arkansas Annual Conference, held at the
First Methodist Church, Batesville, Ark-
ansas, beginning October 29th, 1936, and
ending November 1st, 1936.

Bishop John M. Moore, Dallas, Texas,
President. E. T. Wayland, North Little
Rock, Arkansas, Secretary.

I. PROBATIONERS

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial?
Ans.—Harry King.

Question 2. Who else is in the class of
the first year? Ans.—F. M. Dodson.

Question 3. Who remain on trial?
Ans.—Lloyd Milton Conyers, Irl Briden-
thal.

Question 4. Who else is in the class of
the second year? Ans.—No one.

Question 5. Who are discontinued?
Ans.—William S. Erwin.

II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP

Question 6. Who are admitted into full
connection? Ans.—Hubert Edward
Pearce, James Sutherland Upton, Boyd
William Johnson, Clarence Everett Pat-
ton, William Frank Cooley, John Meeks
McCormack, Raymond Lee Franks, Dan-
iel Henry Arney.

Question 7. Who else is in the class of
the third year? Ans.—No one.

Question 8. Who are readmitted?
Ans.—No one.

Question 9. Who are received by trans-
fer from other Conferences? Ans.—W. L.
Russell, an Elder from North Texas Con-
ference, Eugene W. Potter, an Elder
from the Southwest Missouri Conference,
H. M. Fikes, an Elder from the St. Louis
Conference, Robert E. L. Bearden, Jr.,
on trial in the Class of the First year,
from the Little Rock Conference, John
G. Gleck, from the Little Rock Confer-
ence.

Question 10. Who are received from
other churches as traveling preachers?
Ans.—No one.

Question 11. Who are located this
year? Ans.—No one.

Question 12. Who have withdrawn or
have been expelled? Ans.—Withdrawn:
George N. Villines and J. G. Ditterline.

Question 13. Who are transferred to
other Conferences? Ans.—G. R. Ditter-
line to New Mexico Conference, Albea
Godbold to the Little Rock Conference,
W. J. Clark to the Little Rock Confer-
ence, E. L. Boyles to the St. Louis Con-
ference, John M. McCormack to the
North Texas Conference.

Question 14. What preachers have died
during the year? Ans.—Elisha Dyer and
Fred Little.

III. ORDERS

Question 15. Who are deacons of one
year? Ans.—Raymond Arthur Dorman.

Question 16. Who else is in the class of
the fourth year? Ans.—No one.

Question 17. What travelling preachers
and what local preachers have been

elected deacons? Ans.—Hubert Edward Pearce, James Sutherland Upton, Boyd William Johnson, Clarence Everette Patton, Raymond Lee Franks, Daniel Henry Arney. Local Preachers—Donaghey Wallace Duran, Carl Hill Shelton.

Question 18. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons? Hubert Edward Pearce, James Sutherland Upton, Clarence Everette Patton, Boyd William Johnson, Raymond Lee Franks, Daniel Henry Arney. Local Preachers—Donaghey Wallace Duran, Carl Hill Shelton.

Question 19. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders? Ans.—Verlie Fletcher Harris, Thomas Eugene McKnight, Ethan Willard Dodgen, Ray Dean Seals, Martin August Bierbaum, Bates Sturdy, William Claude Hutton, Manford Lee Edgington, Edwin G. Kaetzl, Elmus C. Brown.

Question 20. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders? Ans.—Verlie Fletcher Harris, Thomas Eugene McKnight, Ethan Willard Dodgen, Ray Dean Seals, Martin August Bierbaum, Bates Sturdy, William Claude Hutton, Manford Lee Edgington, Edwin G. Kaetzl, Elmus C. Brown.

Question 21. Who have been recommended by a District Conference for recognition of their orders as local deacons or local elders? Ans.—Local Elders: William Benton Yount, Joseph Cleveland Ritchey.

IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS

Question 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Ans.—Their names were severally called and their characters passed.

Question 23. Who are supernumerary? Ans.—G. A. Burr.

Question 24. Who are superannuated? Ans.—Eli Myers, J. M. McAnally, J. D. Roberts, A. L. Cline, E. N. Hickley, J. B. Andrews, J. H. Cummings, Hoy M. Lewis, E. M. Peters, Jesse M. Williams, W. E. Bishop, E. W. Nelson, J. K. Farrels, C. F. Wilson, D. N. Weaver, J. F. Jernigan, J. T. Hood, Eli Craig, H. H. Hunt, S. H. Blackwell, C. E. Hollifield, A. W. Russell, W. T. Martin, A. T. Gallovey, J. A. Anderson, T. A. Bowen, J. R. Ashmore, T. H. Wright, R. A. Bevis, Charles Edwards, J. F. Carter, S. S. Key, G. M. Barton, V. B. Utey, J. C. Weaver, Henry Hanesworth, I. D. McClure, J. R. Nelson, W. C. Davidson, J. B. Evans, Alonzo McKelvey, B. L. Harris.

V. STATISTICS

Question 25. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges, and of societies in this Conference? Ans.—Districts, 8; Pastoral charges, 200; Societies, 549.

Question 26. What is the number of members, how many have been received this year on profession of faith, how many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers? Ans.—Members, 75,227; decrease, 81; received on profession of faith, 3772; licensed, 12; local preachers, 116.

Question 27. How many infants and how many others have been baptized during the year? Ans.—Infants, 523; others, 1777.

Question 28. How many churches have organized Local Church Boards of Christian Education? Ans.—264.

Question 29. What is the number of Church Schools, officers, and teachers? Ans.—Church Schools, 476; Officers and Teachers, 5,379.

Question 30. What is the number of Church School scholars enrolled? Ans.—In the Children's Division, 17,037; in the Young People's Division, 15,623; in the Adult Division, 15,619; total enrollment, including officers and teachers, 51,292.

Question 31. How many churches have week-day meetings with the children, and how many have vacation schools? Ans.—Churches having week-day meetings with children, 149; Churches having vacation schools, 74.

Question 32. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies and what is the number of members of the same? Societies, 253; Members, 8,180.

Question 33. What is the number of Wesley Brotherhood members? Ans.—Brotherhoods, 3; Members, 120.

Question 34. What is the number of members enrolled in the Fellowship of Stewardship? Ans.—246.

Question 35. What are the educational statistics? Ans.—Institutions, 2; teachers, 35; students, 429; value of property, \$800,000; endowment, \$800,000; indebtedness, \$3,000.

Question 36. What are the orphanage statistics? Ans.—Orphanages, 1; officers and teachers, 4; Children in Orphanage, 33; money expended, \$9,354; value of property, \$100,000.

Question 37. What are the hospital statistics? Ans.—Hospitals, 1, at Memphis; officers and nurses, 115; beds, 200;

patients, 6,333; money expended, \$259,558; value of property, \$851,500; indebtedness, \$237,500.

VI. FINANCES

Question 38. What has been contributed for the following causes? Ans.—American Bible Society, \$346; Assemblies, \$226; Federal Council, \$105; Board of Finance, \$10,700; Christian Education, \$14,334; General Administrative Fund, \$3,462; Lay Activities, \$969; Missions, \$19,211; Negro Work, \$1,114; Theological Schools, \$2,107; By the Woman's Missionary Society for local work, \$41,900; sent to Conference Treasurer, \$16,675; from the Golden Cross Enrollment, \$158.

Question 39. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry? Ans.—Presiding elders, \$29,883; preachers in charge, \$209,287; Conference Claimants, \$9,636; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$196.

Question 40. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year? Ans.—\$651,424.

VII. CHURCH PROPERTY

Question 41. What is the number of houses of worship, their value and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Ans.—Houses of worship, 462; value, \$3,465,330; indebtedness, \$285,610.

Question 42. What is the number of parsonages, their value and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Ans.—District parsonages, 8; value, \$45,500; indebtedness, \$5,109; Parsonages belonging to pastoral charges, 204; value, \$253,100; indebtedness, \$23,910.

Question 43. What amount of insurance is carried on Church property, and what amount has been paid out in premiums? Ans.—Insurance carried, \$3,753,027; premiums paid, \$13,165.

Question 44. How many churches and parsonages have been damaged or destroyed during the year, what is the amount of damage, and what has been collected thereon? Ans.—Churches damaged, 16; parsonages damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$8,537; collected, \$4,066.

Question 45. What is the number of superannuate homes, and what is their value? Ans.—Homes, 2; Value, \$2,000.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS

Question 46. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader? Ans.—Charles A. Stuck, Jonesboro.

Question 47. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Ans.—First Methodist Church, Fort Smith.

Question 48. Where are the preachers stationed this year? Ans.—See list of appointments.

APPOINTMENTS

BATESVILLE DISTRICT

C. W. LESTER, Presiding Elder
Batesville, Central Ave. J. A. Gatlin
Batesville, First Ch. O. E. Goddard
Bethesda-Cushman Lloyd M. Conyers
Calico Rock-Norfolk D. H. Arney
Calico Rock Ct. O. T. Davis (Supply)
Charlotte Ct. Silas Dixon (Supply)
Cotton W. J. Faust
Desha L. R. Ruble (Supply)
Evening Shade Ct. Geo. L. McGhehey
Melbourne Ct. B. A. McKnight
Moorfield-Sulphur Rock W. H. Dunlap (Supply)

Mountain Home A. T. Mays
Mountain View J. W. Johnston
Newark and Oil Trough Ray D. Seals
Newport, First Ch. H. M. Fikes
Newport, Unmited Memorial and
Dowell's Chapel H. E. Pearce
Pleasant Plains Ct. L. L. Langston (Supply)

Salem A. W. Harris
Stranger's Home Ct. W. T. Watson (Supply)

Swifton-Albia J. M. Hughes
Tuckerman C. N. Guice
Viola Ct. T. O. Love (Supply)
We'don-Tupelo M. L. Edgington
Yellville Ct. Boyd Johnston

CONWAY DISTRICT

WILLIAM SHERMAN, Presiding Elder
Atkins F. A. Lark
Belleville-Havana C. J. Wade
Conway, First Ch. Sam B. Wiggins
Conway Ct. D. W. Duran (Supply)
Danville C. W. Good
Dardanelle E. E. Stevenson
Dardanelle Ct. Carl Shelton (Supply)
Houston-Bigelow L. W. Fair
Gravelly Ct. W. M. Adcock
Greenbrier Ct. P. W. Emrah
Lamar-Knoxville V. F. Harris
Levy J. L. Pruitt
Morriton H. M. Lewis
Naylor Ct. Chas. Lewis (Supply)
North Little Rock—

First Church W. V. Womack
Gardner Memorial C. R. Culver
Washington Ave. To be supplied
Ola W. A. Patty
Oppelo Ct. A. E. Goode
Perry Ct. A. L. Riggs
Plumerville Roy E. Bagley (Supply)

Plainview Raymond L. Franks
Pottsville Grover Sutherland
Russellville R. E. L. Bearden
Vilonia Ct. J. J. Clark (Supply)
Waltreak Ct. To be supplied
Executive Sec. Board of Christian
Education Ira A. Brumley
Extension Sec. Board of Christian
Education Glenn F. Sanford
Prof. in Hendrix College

Student Duke University
..... R. E. L. Bearden, Jr.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

E. T. WAYLAND, Presiding Elder
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Berryville W. A. Downum
Centeron Irl Bridenthal
Cincinnati Fred Thompson (Supply)
Elm Springs Poe Williams (Supply)
Eureka Springs J. T. Byrd
Farmington O. D. Peters (Supply)
Fayetteville James W. Workman
Gentry Ben T. Williams
Gravette-Decatur O. M. Campbell
Green Forest Porter Weaver
Huntsville M. Hearne Smith (Supply)
Lincoln-Viney Grove H. K. Steward
Osage To be supplied
Pea Ridge and Bright Water J. M. Fryar
Prairie Grove W. A. Lindsay
Rogers Connor Morehead
Sloam Springs F. R. Hamilton
Springdale H. O. Bollin
Springtown W. C. Hutton
War Eagle J. H. Henson (Supply)
Winslow Kenneth Shambilin (Supply)
Secretary General Board of Missions,
Foreign Work A. W. Wasson
Superintendent Western Methodist
Assembly, Mt. Sequoyah
..... Sam M. Yancey
Director of Wesley Foundation, Uni-
versity of Arkansas
..... James W. Workman

FT. SMITH DISTRICT

WARREN JOHNSTON, Presiding Elder
Alma-Mulberry J. M. Barnett
Altus Harold Eggensberger (Supply)
Booneville W. J. Spicer
Branch Ct. J. C. Cofer (Supply)
Charleston W. L. Russell
Clarksville A. D. Stewart
Clarksville Ct. James R. Chandler (Supply)

Fort Smith—
First Church H. C. Henderson
Dodson Avenue W. Henry Goodloe
Midland Heights S. B. Wilford
Second Church H. F. McDonal
Greenwood John W. Glover
Hackett J. H. Humphreys (Supply)
Hartford Charles Franklin
Hartman-Spadra F. G. Villines
Huntington-Midland J. J. Webb
Kibler Ct. J. L. Shelby
Lavaca Ct. R. A. Dorman
Mansfield J. E. Lark
Magazine J. W. Howard
Ozark A. N. Storey
Ozark Ct. Charles Moss (Supply)
Paris G. G. Davidson
Prairie View-Scranton John G. Gleck
South Fort Smith James S. Upton
Van Buren W. P. Whaley
East Van Buren Elmus C. Brown
Waldron H. A. Stroup
Waldron Ct. B. E. Robertson
Prof. Southern Methodist University
..... James Schorn Senecker

HELENA DISTRICT

A. W. MARTIN, Presiding Elder
Aubrey Ethan Dodgen
Brinkley F. M. Tolleson
Clarendon Paul V. Galloway
Crawfordsville A. E. Holloway
Colt Bates Sturdy
Earle G. C. Johnson
Elaine G. E. Patchell
Forrest City R. S. Hayden
Harrisburg J. J. Decker
Haynes H. W. Jett
Helena J. Wilson Crichtlow
Holly Grove-Marvel C. C. Burton
Hughes J. J. Galloway
Hulbert-West Memphis I. L. Claud
Marianna Jefferson Sherman
Parkin E. K. Sewell
Vandale C. H. Harvison
Weiner Everette Patton
West Helena Lester Weaver
Wheatley H. J. Couchman
Widener-Madison T. E. McKnight
Wynne J. M. Hughey

JONESBORO DISTRICT

EUGENE W. POTTER, Presiding Elder
Blytheville First Ch. H. Lynn Wade
Lake Street M. N. Johnston
Circuit Don C. Holman
Bono Circuit L. F. Lefever
Brookland Ct. C. E. Hollifield (Supply)
Dell-Half Moon M. A. Graves
Dyess To be supplied
Joiner W. F. Cooley
Jonesboro, First Church H. H. Griffin
Fisher Street J. H. Hoggard
Huntington Avenue H. H. Blevins
Lake City Circuit H. C. Minnis
Leachville A. H. DuLaney
Lepanto W. J. LeRoy
Luxora-Kelser James T. Randle
Manilla-St. John's J. M. Harrison

Marion W. W. Albright
Marked Tree John A. Womack
Monette F. M. Sweet
Nettleton-Bay J. W. Moore
Osceola R. C. Morehead
Trumann B. C. Few
Tyronza J. A. Reynolds
Wilson E. W. Faulkner
Secretary Department of the Local
Church, General Board of Chris-
tian Education J. Q. Schisler
Conference Evangelist Norris Greer
Conference Director Superannuate
Endowment H. Lynn Wade

PARAGOULD DISTRICT

E. B. WILLIAMS, Presiding Elder
Ash Flat Ct. Luther Love (Supply)
Biggers J. B. Stewart
Corning J. T. Wilcoxson
Gainesville Olin Findley (Supply)
Hardy W. F. Shell
Hoxie-Portia Harry King
Imboden-Black Rock C. E. Gray
Knobel-Peach Orchard W. E. Benbrook
Lorado-Stanford W. J. Williams
Mammoth Spring M. A. Bierbaum
Marmaduke Eugene H. Hall
Paragould, 1st Church G. W. Pyles
Paragould, East Side Sam G. Watson
Paragould Ct. M. A. Cherry (Supply)
Paragould, E. Side Ct. To be supplied
Piggott Earle Cravens
Pocahontas B. L. Wilford
Rector G. C. Taylor
Smithville Ct. J. C. Richey (Supply)
St. Francis Ct. To be supplied
Walnut Ridge J. L. Rowland
Walnut Ridge Ct. J. H. Mathis (Supply)
Conference Missionary Secretary and
Golden Cross Director, J. L. Rowland

SEARCY DISTRICT

E. H. HOOK, Presiding Elder
Antioch Ira Selby (Supply)
Augusta J. F. Glover
Bald Knob H. J. Harger
Beebe S. O. Patty
Bellefonte C. B. Pace (Supply)
Cato-Bethel Elmo Thompson (Supply)
Clinton E. G. Kaetzell
Clinton Circuit Ervin Hatchett (Supply)
Cabot-Jacksonville L. E. Mann
Cotton Plant V. E. Chalfant
Gregory-McClelland J. M. Talkington (Supply)
Griffithville R. B. Howerton
Harrison F. E. Dodson
Heber Springs C. H. Bumpers
Hunter M. L. Kaylor (Supply)
Judsonia-Bradford C. L. Franks
Kensett R. E. Wilson
Leslie Griffin Hamilton
Marshall T. C. Chambliss
McCrory W. L. Oliver
McCrory Circuit R. A. Robertson
McRae Ray L. McLester
Pangburn J. W. Harger
Quitman Elbert Harger
Rosebud Clarence Wlenand (Supply)
Searcy Aubrey G. Walton
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REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON BUDGET

Your Commission on Budget recommends that the Conference accept \$51,532, asked by General Conference for General Work and a like amount, \$51,532 for Conference Work.

We recommend that the apportionment for Conference Work be divided as follows:

Orphanage	\$ 2,000.00
Board of Christian Literature	3,400.00
Board of Lay Activities	500.00
Board of Finance	15,000.00
Board of Finance Emergency Fund	1,800.00
Board of Christian Education, (Conference Work, \$5,400; Pastor's School, \$750.00; Schools and Colleges, \$9,850)	16,000.00
Board of Church Extension	2,400.00
Board of Missions	10,432.00
Conference Total	51,532.00
General Total	51,532.00
Grand Total	103,064.00

Distributed as follows:

Batesville District	10,453.00
Conway District	13,233.00
Fayetteville District	9,848.00
Fort Smith District	16,764.00
Helena District	13,685.00
Jonesboro District	15,142.00
Paragould District	11,208.00
Searcy District	12,731.00
Total	\$103,064.00

We further recommend that the First National Bank of Fort Smith be designated as depository for Conference funds; Second, the election of Rev. Vance Womack, and Mr. P. E. Cooley as Conference auditors; Third, that the Conference Treasurer be instructed to pay \$675.00 for printing Minutes before dividing the funds for the Conference and General Work. We wish to remind the Treasurer of the various Boards of the order requiring the filing of a bond annually with this Commission.—J. Wilson Crichlow, Chr.; C. N. Gulce, Sec.

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1935-36

Balance last report, Nov. 2, 1935 \$ 3,974.32

Receipts	
Post Conference Receipts, 1934-35	300.00
College Day	4.13
Golden Cross	131.73
Orphanage Special	409.92
General and Conference Benevolences, 1935-36	59,626.31
General and Conference Benevolences, 1936-37	35.00
Total Funds	\$ 64,481.41

Disbursements, General Boards	
Administration Fund	\$ 3,461.50
American Bible Society	216.15
Assemblies	22.75
Federal Council	105.35
Christian Education	4,996.60
Theological Schools	2,107.00
Church Extension	2,167.20
Finance	1,354.50
Lay Activities	677.25
Missions (Including Hospitals)	13,545.00
Negro Work	1,113.70
Total	\$ 30,100.00

Disbursements, Conference Boards	
Christian Education	\$ 9,315.74
Finance	8,761.52
Finance, Emergency	584.25
Christian Literature	2,569.93
Missions	5,665.66
Orphanage	1,168.18
Church Extension	1,401.74
Lay Activities	291.97
Centennial Commission	311.01
Total	\$ 30,100.00

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Less Cent'l Com. Not Disbursed	71.78
(Also \$303.17 Cent'l Com. 1934-35 not yet disbursed)	
	\$ 30,028.22
Golden Cross	131.73
Printing Minutes	615.00
College Day	4.13
Orphanage Special	409.92
Expense, Treasurer's Office	693.81
Loss, Bad Check	106.65
Total Disbursements	\$ 62,089.46
Balance, Oct. 31, 1936	2,391.95
Total	\$ 64,481.41

Benevolences By Districts

District	Amt. Paid	% of Acc.	% of Ask.
Batesville	\$ 5,280.00	100	49.9
Conway	8,617.60	100 plus	63.8
Fayetteville	4,958.80	90.1	48.5
Fort Smith	9,604.00	100 plus	56.6
Helena	9,315.22	100 plus	69.0
Jonesboro	10,079.60	100 plus	67.3
Paragould	5,162.99	95.0	46.5
Searcy	6,608.10	100 plus	53.7
Total	\$59,626.31	98.9%	57.8%

GUY MURPHY, Conference Treasurer.

We have examined the books of the Conference Treasurer and find same in balance. All recorded receipts have been properly accounted for.—P. E. Cooley, W. V. Womack, Auditing Committee.

REPORT NO. 1 OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We submit these facts for your consideration and action, believing them to be of high importance for our progress and power:

1. The inadequate supply of trained ministers in Arkansas in the near future will probably present a serious problem for Methodist administration.
2. The interests and on-going of the Methodist Church in our State is in a large measure bound up with the interests and on-going of Hendrix College. The church has drawn, and will continue to draw, her most efficient ministers and laymen from Hendrix alumni and students. Likewise the College has a right to look to the church through her ministry and laity for patronage and support.
3. While we are glad, because of the increase in the number and quality of young men registering as ministerial students at Hendrix this fall, still their number is inadequate. We need no less than 30 to fill places of men who must very soon leave the active ranks, and 40 really represents our actual judgment.

Therefore your Board recommends:

1. That the plan for Ministerial Supply and Training, initiated at the last Annual Conference, be continued, and that we ask the Methodist congregations of the North Arkansas Conference for \$2,500 for the ensuing year, to be expended in the training of worthy young ministers at Hendrix College.
2. Hendrix College needs and should have from Arkansas Methodists regular, continued, and adequate support. The church needs to look with ever increasing favor toward this institution. We feel that these things can have a fair beginning and reach ultimate success by giving the members of each congregation an opportunity of making contributions monthly or on fifth Sundays for College maintenance.

We ask the Administration and the Board of Trustees of Hendrix College to lead the way, and we pledge the support of the church in these efforts for an adequately trained ministry, for the current budget and for increasing capital account.

4. We nominate Mr. H. C. Couch to succeed himself as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hendrix College.

5. We ask the week of January 3-10 to be designated as Hendrix College Week.—J. Q. Schisler, President; F. M. Tolleson, Secretary.

CHURCH NEWS

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Members of the Centennial Commission, representing both Conferences, are urgently requested to meet in Asbury Church, at 4:30 p. m. Friday, Nov. 13, to close the business of the Commission.—A. C. Miller, Chairman.

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE NOTICES

All Superannuates and Claimants on the Board of Finance: If you have changed your address since last year, please give us your correct address. We are very anxious to have the correct address appear in the Conference Journal.—M. W. Miller, Sec.-Treas.

The Board of Christian Education will meet Wednesday, Nov. 11, at 3:00 p. m., at Asbury Church.—Leland Clegg, Chm.

The Committee and Class of the First Year will meet at Asbury Church, at 2:30 p. m., October 12.—M. W. Miller, Chm.

The Board of Finance will meet at Asbury Church, Nov. 12, at 1:30 p. m. All members are urged to attend.—J. Frank Simmons, Chm.

The Committee on Examination Admission will meet at Asbury Church at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 11.—C. M. Reves, Chairman.

The first meals to be served at the Little Rock Conference will be served Wednesday evening. No meals will be served before that time. A number of preachers' wives have been invited by individuals. They will be notified the latter part of the week. No entertainment will be furnished without notification to pastor.

ARK. METHODIST ORPHANAGE

My week has been one of unusual interest. Last Sunday I spent in Monticello, preaching at First Church in which Rev. J. M. Hamilton, my good friend, is pastor. We had a sweet and precious service, and I felt that good was accomplished.

On Wednesday morning I made my way to Batesville, the seat of the North Arkansas Conference. I do not know when I have enjoyed meeting my brethren, many of whom are my personal friends, more than I did on this visit. I think when we thoroughly understand each other and our work, everything committed to us as a joint undertaking of the two Conferences, will be equitably and properly handled. I enjoyed meeting the Conference Orphanage Board and also enjoyed addressing the Conference. When this was over, I was compelled to

return home where engagements were confronting me.

I never go to Batesville that it does not stir up memories of the past. I have visited the town a number of times and have preached in our beautiful church there, which now has as minister Dr. O. E. Goddard, one of the choicest men we have ever produced.

I was very much impressed with the appearance of the individuals who compose the Cabinet. I never saw a more satisfactory looking group of men in my ministry than the group who have been placed in that position by our good Bishop.

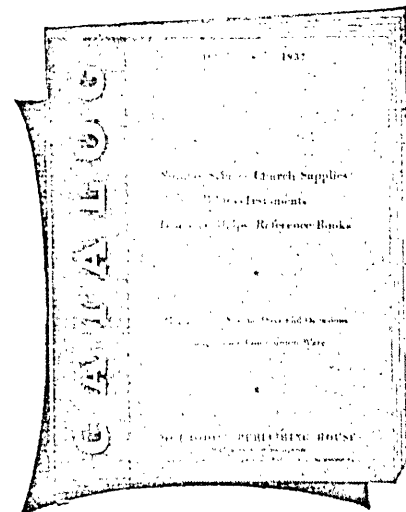
There are some young friends of mine in that Conference in whom I feel a deep interest. Down here in the Little Rock Conference, where they know me best, they say my whole life has been given to the young men of our Conference. They will soon take our places and I am glad that the North Arkansas Conference has such a group of promising men to carry on the great work.

The Orphanage is getting along all right and we are reasonably happy.—James Thomas, Executive Secretary.

THE ORPHANAGE

Received in the Home during October: Business Women's Circle, Lakeside, Pine Bluff, box of clothing for Louise; Princeton Circuit, additional contribution of 32 quarts canned goods, half bushel peas; guests of Mr. Sims at Arkansas

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Theater for "Big Broadcast of 1937"; Mr. Wilson (our vegetable man), one dozen bunches celery; Mrs. Vivian Durham, New Orleans dresses for Margaret and Ann and \$10 for other necessities; W. M. S., New Hope Church, Bryant Circuit, 13 quarts canned peas; W. M. S., Lamar, a quilt; Junior Girls and Boys, First Church, Newport, scrapbook; Ladies of Parker's Chapel, El Dorado, quilt and list of 130 names of those who had contributed a dime to their treasurer; Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Bale, city, 26 nice uniforms; W. M. S., First Church, city, two boxes of delicious sandwiches; Mrs. Chamberlain's S. S. Class, Pulaski Heights, had their Hallowe'en party at our house with our folks. It was one of the best of its kind ever attended. Everyone sat on the living-room floor, around a big blazing fire, with the kettle on, and listened to Mrs. Neill Hart tell the story which was the concluding number. Refreshments were served.

Received one boy and two girls November 1st.—Mrs. S. J. Steed, Matron.

METHODIST ORPHANAGE

During October we received the following cash contributions for the Home: Inez Smith Bible Class, Pulaski Heights, \$2.50; Harmony Church W. M. S., Texarkana Circuit, \$3.63; Junior Department, Hoxie S. S., \$3.50; Mrs. Ernest Wawak, Little Rock, Route No. 5, \$1.00; Streepy-McDonald Class, Pulaski Heights, for September and October, \$5.00; Susanna Wesley Bible Class, First Church, Texarkana, \$5.00; Mrs. Dora Hollabaugh and daughter, Leslie, \$2.00; Mrs. S. M. Turner, Casa, \$1.00; H. E. Bonis, Prescott, \$6.00; True Blue S. S. Class, Ashdown, \$1.00; Atkins S. S., \$1.00; Mr. Jack Barnwell, Jr., Cabot, \$9.00; Mrs. A. C. Terrell, Conway, \$3.00; Belated Christmas offerings: Vandale S. S., Helena Dist., \$1.65; Cherry Valley S. S., Helena Dist., \$1.75; Danville S. S., Conway District, \$3.50; Salem S. S., Batesville District, \$5.00.—James Thomas, Supt.



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HENDRIX COLLEGE STUDENT LOAN FUND

As Treasurer, I report remittances received through October 31, for the Hendrix College Student Loan Fund:

Arkadelphia District
No remittances.

Camden District

Bearden	\$ 10.00
Camden	70.95
El Dorado, First Church	50.00
Vantrease	4.80
Bethel	3.30
Wesley's Chapel	1.00
El Dorado Circuit	13.25
Harrell-Hampton	5.00
Chidister Circuit	5.25
Huttig	5.00
Kingsland Circuit	3.15
Magnolia	40.75
Norphlet	6.50
Smackover	10.00
Stephens	6.32
Strong Circuit—Strong	3.30
Bolding	1.14
Rhodes Chapel	1.00
Taylor Circuit	4.00
Waldo	5.00
Total	\$219.71

Little Rock District

England	\$ 10.00
Hazen	20.00
Little Rock—First Church	200.00
Forest Park	4.75
Henderson	7.00
Highland	15.00
Hunter Memorial	3.77
Winfield Memorial	169.50
Pulaski Heights	25.00
Lonoke	10.00
Mabelvale-Primrose Chapel	5.00
Paron Ct.—Walnut Grove Ch.	.82
Total	\$170.85

Monticello District

Crossett	\$ 20.00
Dermott	10.00
Dumas	4.25
Hermitage Circuit	6.65
Lake Village	5.00
McGehee	10.00
Monticello	20.55
Montrose-Snyder	3.62
Portland	7.50
Tillar	5.00
Warren	25.00
Wilmot	5.00
Total	\$122.57

Pine Bluff District

Althelmer-Wabbaseka	\$ 7.00
DeWitt	6.00
Gillett	5.00
Gould	4.01
Humphrey-Sunshine	2.25
Pine Bluff—First Church	35.00
Carr Memorial	1.30
Lakeside	20.61
Rison	4.00
Roe Ct.—Ulm Church	3.00
Sheridan Station	6.41
Sherrill-Tucker	1.00
St. Charles Ct.	2.10
Stuttgart	11.55
Swan Lake Ct.	5.00
White Hall-Good Faith	6.00
Total	\$130.26

Prescott District

Bingen Ct.	\$ 2.25
Murfreesboro-Delight	2.80
Hope	\$6.00
Washington-Ozan	3.00
Total	\$ 14.05

Texarkana District

Texarkana—College Hill Ch.	\$ 4.00
First Church	50.00
Total	\$ 54.00
Grand Total received to date	\$1,121.44

—C. E. HAYES, Treas.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

As Conference Treasurer of Little Rock Conference, I am making a report of Conference Claims received since the beginning of the Conference year through October 31. (Those marked * are in full).

Arkadelphia District

Arkadelphia Station	\$ 500.00
Benton	100.00
Carthage-Tulip	* 225.00
Dalark Circuit	60.00
Friendship Circuit	* 65.00
Holly Springs Ct.	* 115.00
Hot Springs Circuit	* 85.00
Hot Springs—First Church	450.00
Grand Avenue	437.00
Oaklawn Memorial	* 115.00
Malvern Station	550.00
Malvern Circuit	12.25
Princeton Circuit	77.00
Sparkman-Sardis	135.00
Tigert-Pearcy	40.00
Traskwood Circuit	66.62
Total	\$ 3,032.87

Camden District

Bearden	\$ 100.00
First Church, Camden	242.00
First Church, El Dorado	2,142.00
El Dorado Circuit (plus)	* 165.00
Vantrease Memorial-Wesley	

Chapel-New Bethel Charge	167.30
Huttig	66.13
Kingsland Circuit	86.72
Magnolia Station	* 1,600.00
Smackover	230.00
Strong Circuit	73.50
Stephens-Mt. Prospect	180.25
Taylor Circuit	37.00
Thornton Circuit	50.00
Waldo	51.65
Total	\$ 4,598.55

Little Rock District

Austin Circuit	*\$ 220.00
Bauxite-Sardis	160.00
Bryant Circuit	169.70
Carlisle Station	132.00
Carlisle Circuit (plus)	* 82.03
Des Arc-DeVall's Bluff	100.00
Douglasville-Geyer Spgs.	30.75
England	200.00
Hazen	50.00
Hickory Plains Ct.	61.35
Keo-Tomberlin	195.65
Little Rock—Asbury	1,162.85
First Church	3,150.00
Forest Park	126.55
Henderson Church	111.50
Highland	320.00
Hunter Memorial	81.00
Pulaski Heights	862.50
28th Street	77.00
Mabelvale-Primrose Chapel	273.56
Lonoke	131.50
Paron Circuit	22.00
Roland Circuit	31.66
Total	\$ 7,671.09

Monticello District

Arkansas City-Watson	\$ 46.63
Crossett	500.00
Dermott	100.00
Eudora	30.00
Fountain Hill Ct.	107.65
Hermitage Ct.	11.00
McGehee	100.00
New Edinburg Ct.	100.12
Montrose-Snyder	105.47
Portland-Parkdale	81.00
Tillar-Winchester	50.16
Wilmot Circuit	20.00
Wilmot Ct.—Miller's Chapel	20.00
Total	\$ 1,337.03

Pine Bluff District

Althelmer-Wabbaseka	\$ 260.00
DeWitt	275.90
Gillett Circuit	38.50
Grady-Gould	270.00
Humphrey-Sunshine	115.02
Pine Bluff—Carr Memorial	200.00
First Church	300.00
Hawley Memorial	150.00
Lakeside Church	100.00
Pine Bluff Circuit	30.00
Rison	150.00
Rowell Circuit	95.00
St. Charles Circuit	320.00
Star City Station	45.00
Sheridan Station	142.50
Sheridan Circuit	28.00
Sherrill-Tucker	135.20
Stuttgart	105.00
Swan Lake Circuit	100.00
White Hall and Good Faith	
Charge	* 110.00
Total	\$ 3,540.21

Prescott District

Bingen Circuit	\$ 41.60
Columbus Circuit	25.00
Emmett-Bierne Ct.	174.00
Forester-Mauldin	110.00
Gurdon	275.00
Hope	600.00
Mineral Springs-Center Point	43.57
Mount Ida Circuit	66.35
Murfreesboro-Delight	320.05
Nashville	30.00
Prescott Circuit	39.00
Springhill Circuit	60.00
Washington-Ozan	85.00
Total	\$ 1,951.57

Texarkana District

Ashdown	\$ 175.00
Cherry Hill Ct.	40.00
DeQueen	82.00
Dierks-Green Chapel	10.50
Doddridge-Fouke Ct.	18.50
Gilham Ct.	30.00
Foreman Station	125.00
Hatfield Ct.	110.00
Horatio Circuit	25.00
Lockesburg Ct.	* 200.00
Mena	181.00
Stamps-Garland City	205.00
First Church, Texarkana	1,225.00
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28th Street	2.00
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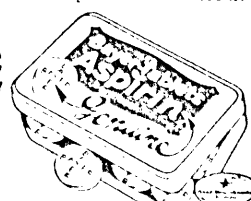
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HENDRIX COLLEGE NEWS

A notable event of the year was the visit and address of Mr. Samuel W. Reyburn of New York City to Hendrix College on October 28. The public interest lay in the fact that Mr. Reyburn is a native of Arkansas, born in Hot Spring county, and laid the foundation for his business career in Little Rock in connection with the founding of what developed into the Union National Bank. The public showed marked interest, and many of the leading business and professional men of the state came to hear him. The President of the college gave a luncheon in honor of Mr. Reyburn's visit to which a number of the notable business and professional friends of Mr. Reyburn were invited. Among the forty present were: Governor Futrell, Ex-Governor G. W. Donaghey, Mr. Harvey C. Couch, Moorhead Wright, Alfred G. Kahn, J. F. Loughborough, George B. Rose, Congressman Terry, W. W. Campbell of Forrest City, J. J. Harrison and Thos. S. Buzbee.

Mr. Reyburn in conversation at the luncheon said that, while Arkansas needs material development, perhaps her greatest need is a genuine revival of religion, registering in the life of the people. He felt that Arkansas was one of the few states where the simple life might be preserved and that religion would promote such a life and would lay the basis in character for permanent prosperity.

The subject of Mr. Reyburn's address was "Leadership."

He presented to the Library the Bible by Ernest Sutherland Bates. "It is designed to be read as living literature, the Old and the New Testaments in the King James Version." Mr. Reyburn himself has been quite a student of the Bible.

Bishop E. H. Hughes addressed the students Monday and Tuesday. He is always interesting and inspiring.—Reporter.

DR. WILLIAMS AT ASHDOWN

Dr. J. M. Williams gave a series of lectures at the high school each morning and at the Baptist church in the evening.

His talks centered around the home and its influence upon youth. In his talk "Courtship", and on "Marriage", he gave wholesome advice to young people. He advised boys and men to hold sacred the womanhood of our land. To treat each girl with whom they associated as a potential wife and mother. He advised girls and women to keep

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ZONE MEETING AT HOLLY SPRINGS

The Dallas County Zone, Arkadelphia District, was entertained at Holly Springs, October 29, with Sparkman, Sardis, Carthage, and Holly Springs represented. Welcome by Mrs. Elise Williams of Holly Springs; Response by Mrs. S. S. Hood of Sparkman. "Review of Mission Study Book" by Mrs. E. L. Richardson and Mrs. E. E. Fohrell of Sparkman. Preparation for "Week of Prayer" by leader. "Extending Our Rural Work," Mrs. E. L. Richardson. "Hearing God's Voice," Miss Floy Smith of Sardis. "Worker's With God," Mrs. E. E. Fohrell of Sparkman. Talks on Inspiration given by Mrs. Will Huie and Mrs. C. A. Evans of Arkadelphia, Rev. Earl Walker of Carthage, and the pastor host, Rev. O. C. Robison. A delicious lunch was served at the noon hour. Afternoon devo-

their standards high and not to be cheap and tawdry. He told them that no man worth marrying wanted a woman who had been slobbered over by all the boys with whom she associated.

In his remarks Friday night, Dr. Williams gave a brief history of great nations of ancient times which had sunk into oblivion. He said that in every case immorality had caused the downfall. He laid the weight of responsibility for checking the tide of immorality upon the home and the church.

He called attention to the fact that 15 years ago a woman who smoked cigarets would have been shunned by respectable men and women. He said that cigaret manufacturers met about that time and deliberately planned a campaign of steady advertising which would lead up to the thing they were planning: making smokers of American women.

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A METHODIST CHURCH IN FAITH AND PRACTICE

Acts XIII, verses 1-4.

1. This Church at Antioch believed in fasting and prayer and practiced it, or both, as a doctrine. So do the Methodists.

2. This Church at Antioch believed in the Personality of the Holy Ghost and in His supervision of church affairs. So do the Methodists.

3. This Church at Antioch believed in a Holy Ghost "called" ministry. So do the Methodists.

4. This Church at Antioch believed in a Holy Ghost "sent" ministry. So do the Methodists.

Therefore the Methodists of today are the true scriptural successors in faith and practice of this church at Antioch.—Jas. F. Jernigan, Walnut Grove, Ark.

tional by Mrs. Will Huie. General business transacted during the business meeting, with each Society accepting a pledge to contact a small rural Society during the coming month to ascertain if a Missionary Society can be organized to function with a sister Society making Circuit workers. Outline of year's work by Mrs. Robison of Holly Springs. Meeting dismissed. Benediction by Mrs. C. A. Evans. Carthage Society won the "Green Ribbon" for highest percentage of attendance. Dalark suggested as next meeting place in December.—Miss Flournoy Fuller, Secretary.

DISTRICT MEETING AT SHERIDAN

The Pine Bluff District Missionary Society met at Sheridan Oct. 14, with 105 guests, Mrs. C. L. O'Daniel, District Secretary, in charge. Miss Julia Reed, rural worker in Camden District, was principal speaker. Her messages were spiritual and uplifting. The opinion was that this was the most spiritual meeting they had ever attended.

Miss Reid brought a great message on Leadership, and gave the dedication at close. All messages were inspiring and spiritual.

We appreciate Miss Reid and the good work she is doing.

Others on program, included Mrs. Coats Mitchell, Sheridan, Mrs. Walter Ryland, Pine Bluff, Mrs. John Gieck, Good Faith, Mrs. L. F. Williams, Rison, Miss Leta Walker, Mrs. Herman Toler, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Edwards, Sheridan. Miss Clara Hodgson of San Francisco was a visitor. She is a friend of Miss Reid.

Several pastors were present. Mrs. Doyle McCoy acted as secretary.—Reporter.

NASHVILLE STUDY CLASS

The Missionary Society, under the capable leadership of Mrs. O. E. Holmes, has completed the fall mission study, "Preface to Racial Understanding," with average attendance of 23.

The first program was an open meeting, which was largely attended. A playlet, portraying the achievements of nationally known negroes, was given, followed by spirituals sung by a group of boys and girls from the negro industrial school at Tollett.

A number of helpful suggestions were presented and a round-table discussion resulted in a decision to collect all old Church School literature, magazines, and quarterlies and send to the local negro churches, and copies of Hygeia Health Magazine to the libraries, sponsored by Parent-Teacher Associations.—Supt. Publicity.

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OAKLAWN, HOT SPRINGS

God has graciously blessed our ministry with this splendid people. We approach the ensuing Annual Conference joyously. Last year it was with great difficulty that we paid the Conference Claims, and it was only just before leaving for Conference that we were able to do so. This year we have already paid them in full. This, we understand, is an all-time record, which makes us glad. Every department of the Church is functioning in a splendid way. This is especially true of the Church School which has had an increase of 40 per cent in attendance. This church has the distinction of being a "Young People's Church." The congregation is composed largely of precious children and lovely young people. We have enjoyed their love and cooperation in a most gracious way and it has been a joy to serve them. This closes our forty-seventh year as a member of the Little Rock Conference, and they have all been gracious, happy years.—Francis N. Brewer, P. C.

HOME-COMING AT PULLMAN HEIGHTS

With Congressman John L. McClellan, of Malvern, and Pres. J. P. Womack, of Henderson State Teachers' College, as principal speakers, the Pullman Heights Methodist Church, under the efficient leadership of her aggressive pastor, Rev. J. L. Tucker, celebrated her second "Home-coming Day" program Sunday, October 18.

All former pastors and members and friends of the church were given special invitations and there was an unusually large attendance. Some coming from as far away as Memphis. All superannuate pastors of the city were special guests and all active pastors of all the different denominations were invited to be present at as many of the services during the day as possible.

The "Home-coming" service began at 10:55, Rev. T. O. Rorie, a former pastor, leading the special prayer. The large choir gave special numbers and President Womack delivered the message. An old-fashioned basket dinner (all of which could not be consumed for its quantity), and hour of fellowship was enjoyed, beginning at 12:30.

From 1:30 to 2:00 a service, commemorating the reduction of the church debt by \$6000.00 during the past two years and the re-financing of the mortgage on the church indebtedness, was held. Rev. F. N. Brewer, pastor of Oaklawn Methodist Church, led the opening prayer; appropriate hymns were sung, and the Hot Springs High School's Girl's Trio rendered special numbers.

At 2:00 p. m. a program of loyalty and patriotism was held. At this service patriotic hymns were sung by the large congregation. The Hot Springs High School Male Quartet, under direction and accompaniment of the superintendent, Mr. H. H. Haley, gave special numbers. Rev. J. L. Dedman, pastor of First Methodist Church, led the prayer and Congressman John L. McClellan, of Malvern, delivered the message, using as his theme "Christian Democracy versus the Isms We Face in America." Dr. J. H. Washington, pastor of the Park Place Baptist Church led the closing prayer.

At 3:00 p. m. a special memorial church proved to be a fitting climax for the day. Suitable hymns, with all participating, and appropriate Scriptures, read responsively, were

enjoyed. Dr. Claude W. Kelley, former pastor of the First Baptist Church, led the opening prayer. Mrs. Violet L. Bennett sang as a solo the "Holy City." The roll of former pastors and deceased members was called, and the Rev. S. K. Burnett, a former pastor, now of Lonoke, delivered a special message, after which present living and active members spoke words of eulogy and thanksgiving in behalf of those who have been called to their reward. The Rev. J. Frank Simmons, pastor of the Grand Avenue Methodist Church, led the closing prayer.

The church was beautifully and appropriately decorated with ferns and the American Flag. It was the largest attendance and perhaps the greatest day in the history of this church.—Reporter.

MRS. A. L. TRENT ON STAFF OF TEXAS SCHOOL

Mrs. Lucy Critz Trent, author of the book, "John Neely Bryan, Founder of Dallas" and wife of A. L. Trent of Fayetteville and a resident of this city for more than ten years, with her husband plans to leave for Texas where they plan to spend the winter.

Mrs. Trent recently was named director of promotion and publicity for the John Campbell Parker School of Speech and Special Education at Dallas. She will spend part of her time in Dallas and part of her time in San Antonio where Mr. Trent will go for special treatment and milder winter weather.

Mrs. Trent's book, just from the press of the Tardy Publishing Company, is a biography of an ancestor who founded Dallas and she received commission for writing the volume which is being sold as a feature of the Texas Centennial, which recently honored Mrs. Trent as the only direct descendant of the Centennial city's founder.

Mrs. Trent is a veteran educator. A native of Olive Branch, Mississippi, she was educated in Tennessee and California, and taught school in several places in Arkansas.

She has attended every Western Methodist Assembly training school at Mount Sequoyah since its opening in 1923. Her book is dedicated to her husband, A. L. Trent, to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Keith H. Carson of McCrory.

"I am delighted to be engaged with educational work again", Mrs. Trent said on preparing to leave for Texas. "I shall maintain my home here and hope to return frequently."—Fayetteville Democrat.

A PREFACE TO PEASANTRY

A Preface to Peasantry, written by Arthur F. Raper, Ph. D., is published by the University of North Carolina Press. The price is \$3.50.

Many persons, disturbed by the widely advertised unrest on the plantations in Arkansas, Alabama, and elsewhere, are deeply perplexed as to the underlying causes. Similar conditions prevail over a very wide area, and much light is shed upon them by Dr. Raper's study of two Black Belt counties in Georgia. Similar inquiries were made in 1927 and 1934, over 300 families being very studiously investigated; the data gathered, and the interpretations which they relentlessly dictate, are embodied in "Preface to Peasantry." Like Dr. Raper's earlier standard work, "The Tragedy of Lynching," this book does its preaching, and that of a very high

moral order, through the medium of facts, presented with a fairness which is compelling and a style that is charming.

If one is interested in race relations, he will see in this study how white people are engulfed by the widening pit in which they have been content to see negroes engulfed, and will understand that two races living and farming together will either help each other cordially, or hold each other back.

If he is interested in economics, he will see that the plantation system has about run its course; it no longer holds the hope of profits for the owner, or plenty and security for the worker. Its break-up, without public intervention, will simply mean a peasantry with a low standard of living.

If education be our concern, we shall note that a good school system can't come out of such an economic morass; there must be drainage, solid matter thrown in, or some intervention from without—some change of the present system. No higher type of people is going to emerge from within the present situation to change it.

If religion commands our interest, we shall note that far from being the salt, the leaven, the church-

es are decaying and must decay under the present system of tenure.

Any citizen must be challenged by the fact, abundantly documented, and by no means an isolated phenomenon in our civilization, that in these Black Belt counties, "the poorest people are those who till the most fertile soil."—Claude Nelson, Decatur, Ga.

CENTENNIAL NUMBER

Pastors who have not settled for Centennial Manuals are asked to report before Nov. 13 so that the Centennial Commission may close its accounts.—A. C. Millar.

AN EXPLANATION

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Women Enjoy Interesting Meetings

The Joint Circle meetings last Monday morning was well attended. Mrs. B. J. Reaves of First Methodist Church was the guest speaker. The afternoon marked the beginning of the Week of Prayer with services through Wednesday. At the opening session Monday afternoon, Miss Julia Reid, who is in charge of rural work in Camden, spoke of rural work throughout Southern Methodism. Many most favorable comments upon her talk have been heard.

Mrs. Steel Honored

Mrs. Eugene Smith's circle was in charge of the luncheon which was served Monday. A large number of women were in attendance. Seated at a special table were members of Mrs. Smith's circle and the honor guests—Mrs. B. J. Reaves, Miss Julia Reid, and Mrs. Marshall Steel. At the close of the luncheon, Mrs. Cannon presented to Mrs. Steel, in the name of the Women of Winfield, four beautiful silver candle holders. The gift was graciously and feelingly acknowledged by Mrs. Steel.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. Ben D. Brickhouse, who has been ill for about two weeks at his home at 453 Midland, is improving.

Mrs. Snow Wilson is convalescing at her home in the Capitol Hill Apartments.

Mrs. M. O. Wesson, Sr., has gone to Atlanta, Georgia to be with her son, Franklin, for about a month.

Mrs. D. W. Gordon is in Oklahoma City where she was called last week because of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Walker.

Dean E. Q. Brothers is at home after another stay of several days at Trinity Hospital.

Miss Irene Ricks left Wednesday for Dallas to attend the Regional Meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club. Her mother, Mrs. J. R. Ricks, will join her at the end of the week for a visit to the Centennial Exposition.

School teachers in Winfield Church (and there are more than 40) and several members of the Board of Education and their wives will attend the State Teachers' Meeting at Hot Springs this weekend.

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Mr. B. F. Lewis on the death of his brother, Mr. Henry Lewis, in Seminole, Oklahoma, on October 27.

CONGRATULATIONS

Louis P. Cryer, Jr., and Miss Theresa Koptert were married on October 28, at the home of the bride. They will live at 4820 Kenyon.

Two of Winfield's young people were married in California last week. They were James P. Moore, Jr., and Miss Betty Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shepherd. They were married on October 21 and will live at 2805 Pearl, Santa Monica, California.

Our congratulations and best wishes to these young people.

NO SERVICES WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Because of Annual Conference there will be no Fellowship Supper or service at Winfield next Wednesday night.

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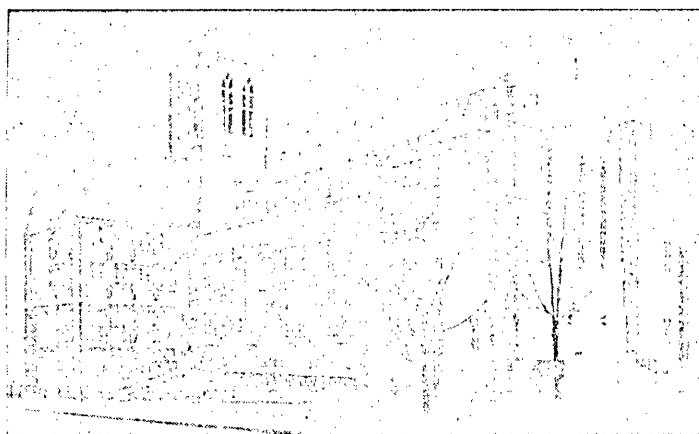
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YOUR CHURCH

Isn't It Beautiful?

Aren't You Proud Of It?



**BUT WINFIELD NEEDS \$5,300
THIS WEEK!**

Could you neglect your church when its needs are great; and be proud of your membership in it?

Those who rejoice most in Winfield are members whose sacrifices have helped make its history noble.

In this emergency every member must respond and prove his love with a sacrificial offering.

Come to Church Sunday

THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

SENATOR NYE TO SPEAK

Senator Gerald P. Nye, of North Dakota, will speak at the High School Auditorium Saturday night of this week at eight o'clock. He will be discussing practical methods of keeping the United States out of War.

His service with the American troops in France has given him a vivid sense of the horrors of war. His research, as head of the Senate Committee to investigate the Munitions Industry, has given him amazing information concerning the causes of war.

I think of him as one of the most attractive, entertaining, and forceful speakers I ever heard. I earnestly hope that Winfield members will hear him in this very important and timely message.

MARSHALL T. STEEL.

Annual Conference Meets Next Week

Bishop John M. Moore will open and organize the Annual Conference which will be held at Asbury Methodist Church beginning Wednesday, November 11. The public is invited to hear Bishop Moore at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night. The morning sessions of the Conference will be devoted largely to Conference details. The afternoon and evening sessions will be specially interesting to the public, with a visiting speaker at each service. Details will be found in the newspapers.

It is hoped that Winfield members will be in frequent attendance at the Conference.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE APPOINTED

The last meeting of the Board of Stewards for the Conference year was held Monday night at the church and was attended by a large number of Stewards. Mr. Cannon, Chairman, appointed a committee to nominate officers for the Board to serve next year. Dr. Paul Day is Chairman of the committee, the other members being J. L. Verhoeff and J. R. Bullington.

A large portion of the meeting was given over to a discussion of finances and the need of raise \$5,300.00 by next Sunday. The annual reports were held over to be given at the Fourth Quarterly Conference Meeting Wednesday night.

CLASS ITEMS

Ghosts and goblins walked and witches rode their brooms last week when two classes in the Church School had Halloween parties. Decorations were made by the children.

The girls in Mrs. Graham's class of the Junior High Department held their party Friday night in their class room.

The children in Miss Lillian Peaslee's Primary Department had their party Saturday afternoon.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Mothers' Bible Class will be held at the church today (Thursday, Nov. 5). A pot-luck luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock. This will be followed by a devotional and business meeting. This class sent in to the church office last week \$130.00 to apply on the Church Building Debt.

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At the business meeting of Mrs. Jenkin's Class, held at the home of Mrs. Ben Lessenberry, it was voted to donate \$15.00 toward the Church Building Debt. The Welfare Committee, of which Mrs. Ben Isgrig is Chairman, made plans for the class to give a Thanksgiving dinner, with clothing and other supplies, to a needy family.

A membership campaign is still on and the class is showing marked signs of growth.

NAMES ON PANEL TO BE ANNOUNCED

Next week we hope to announce in these columns the names of the mothers whose names are being added this month to the names already on the Permanent Panel Honoring our Mothers. If any one else would like to enter a name, please get in touch with the church office right away.