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SESSIONS OF THE FLORIDA CONFERENCE.

NO.	PLACE	CONVENED	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1	Tallahassee..... Fla..	February 6..... 1845..	Bishop J. Soule.....	T. C. Benning
2	Monticello..... "	February 9..... 1846..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	P. P. Smith
3	Quincy..... "	February 10..... 1847..	Bishop W. Capers.....	" "
4	Waynesville..... Ga..	February 9..... 1848..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	" "
5	Albany..... "	January 3..... 1849..	Bishop W. Capers.....	" "
6	Madison..... Fla..	February 6..... 1850..	Ira L. Potter.....	" "
7	Thomasville..... Ga..	January 22..... 1851..	Bishop R. Paine.....	" "
8	Tallahassee..... Fla..	January 28..... 1852..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	" "
9	Quincy..... "	January —..... 1853..	Bishop W. Capers.....	" "
10	Monticello..... "	December —..... 1853..	R. A. Howren.....	" "
11	Madison..... "	December —..... 1854..	Bishop W. Capers.....	" "
12	Bainbridge..... Ga..	December —..... 1855..	S. P. Richardson..... } Bishop J. O. Andrew..... }	T. N. Gardner
13	Alligator..... Fla..	December 24..... 1856..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	P. P. Smith
14	Thomasville..... Ga..	December —..... 1857..	Bishop J. Earley.....	" "
15	Jacksonville..... Fla..	December 15..... 1858..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	J. C. Ley
16	Micanopy..... "	December 28..... 1859..	Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh.....	P. P. Smith
17	Monticello..... "	December 12..... 1860..	Bishop G. F. Pierce.....	" "
18	Quincy..... "	December 12..... 1861..	Bishop G. F. Pierce.....	" "
19	Tallahassee..... "	December 11..... 1862..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	" "
20	Thomasville..... Ga..	December 16..... 1863..	Bishop J. O. Andrew.....	F. A. Branch
21	Monticello..... Fla..	December 14..... 1864..	S. P. Richardson.....	" "
22	Madison..... "	November 29..... 1865..	Bishop G. F. Pierce.....	" "
23	Quincy..... "	December 13..... 1866..	Bishop H. N. McTyeire.....	" "
24	Monticello..... "	December 6..... 1867..	Bishop G. F. Pierce.....	" "

25	Jacksonville	“	January 13	1869	Bishop W. M. Wightman	F. A. Branch
26	Lake City	“	December 20	1869	Bishop D. S. Doggett	J. P. DePass
27	Tallahassee	“	January 4	1871	Bishop W. M. Wightman	U. S. Bird
28	Madison	“	January —	1872	Bishop W. M. Wightman	“
29	Fernandina	“	January 8	1873	Bishop E. M. Marvin	“
30	Jacksonville	“	January 7	1874	Bishop G. F. Pierce	Frederick Pasco
31	Live Oak	“	December 16	1874	Bishop W. M. Wightman	“
32	Quincy	“	January 5	1876	Bishop W. M. Wightman	“
33	Monticello	“	January 11	1877	Bishop G. F. Pierce	“
34	Tampa	“	November 15	1877	Bishop G. F. Pierce	“
35	Gainesville	“	November 13	1878	Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh	“
36	Tallahassee	“	December 17	1879	Bishop D. S. Doggett	“
37	Ocala	“	December 16	1880	Bishop G. F. Pierce	“
38	Monticello	“	January 18	1882	Bishop H. N. McTyeire	“
39	Jacksonville	“	January 3	1883	Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh	“
40	Madison	“	January 8	1884	Bishop J. C. Keener	“
41	Gainesville	“	January 7	1885	Bishop Linus Parker	“
42	Orlando	“	January 6	1886	Bishop R. K. Hargrove	“
43	Tallahassee	“	December 16	1886	Bishop E. R. Hendrix	“
44	Leesburg	“	December 14	1887	Bishop J. S. Key	“
45	Bartow	“	January 9	1889	Bishop C. B. Galloway	“
46	Gainesville	“	January 8	1890	Bishop J. C. Keener	“
47	Monticello	“	January 7	1891	Bishop W. W. Duncan	“
48	Tampa	“	January 6	1892	Bishop J. C. Granbery	“
49	Ocala	“	January 4	1893	Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald	“
50	Palatka	“	January 3	1894	Bishop A. G. Haygood	“
51	Jacksonville	“	January 9	1895	Bishop W. W. Duncan	“
52	Oriando	“	December 18	1895	Bishop J. C. Granbery	“
53	Tallahassee	“	December 9	1893	Bishop C. B. Galloway	“
54	Tampa	“	December 17	1897	Bishop W. W. Duncan	“
55	Gainesville	“	December 14	1898	Bishop W. A. Candler	“
56	Monticello	“	December 13	1899	Bishop W. A. Candler	“

CONFERENCE REGISTER.

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CLASS OF SECOND YEAR.

F. E. Steinmeyer.....	Webster
T. I. Hess.....	Moultrie
J. T. Mitchell.....	Wauchula
L. D. Lowe.....	Green Cove

CLASS OF FIRST YEAR.

J. S. Tilley.....	Nashville, Tenn
J. N. Weatherford.....	Alva
D. L. Switzer.....	Bristol
Joseph B. Trotter.....	Lady Lake
Austin H. Cole.....	Fort Bassenger
O. C. Tigner.....	Kissimmee
H. G. Bardwell.....	Leesburg

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PRESENT AT CONFERENCE.

Tallahassee District—W. N. Sheats, C. T. Carroll, R. I. Williams.

Live Oak District—A. W. McLeran, C. E. Brinkley, D. M. Gornto.

Gainesville District—E. J. M. Paget, W. K. Zewadski, H. W. Long

Orlando District—W. M. Boswell, V. G. Wilson.

Tampa District—J. C. Carter, R. S. Webb.

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R. L. Honiker, C. A. Fulwood, B. K. Thower.

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W. H. Steinmeyer, R. H. Barnett, E. H. Giles, T. Bishop, S. E. Phillips, G. W. Mitchell, H. Hice, B. F. Mason, S. Scott.

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Second Year—F. R. Bridges, I. S. Patterson, W. J. Carpenter.

Third Year—F. E. Shipp, T. G. Lang, D. A. Cole.

Fourth Year—L. W. Moore, F. Pasco, E. J. Gates;

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District Conference Records—F. R. Bridges, J. C. Carter, A. B. Burry, A. M. Mann, H. S. Miller, H. Dutil, E. J. Hardee.

Epworth Leagues—W. J. Carpenter, G. N. MacDonnell, I. S. Patterson, S. W. Lawler, Smith Harden, J. E. Mickler, H. Hice.

Books and Periodicals—T. W. Moore, E. J. Gates, W. N. Sheats, R. V. Atkisson, J. P. DePass, W. M. Boswell, H. W. Long.

VISITING COMMITTEES.

To Florida Conference College—F. E. Shipp, R. V. Atkisson, F. R. Bridges, W. K. Zewadski.

To Emory College—T. J. Nixon, T. W. Tomkies, W. N. Sheats.

To Wesleyan Female College—J. P. Hilburn, R. L. Honiker, A. O. MacDonnell.

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Journal of Proceedings.

First Day.

The fifty-sixth session of the Florida Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in the Methodist Church, Monticello, Fla., at 9:00 A. M., December 13th, 1899, Bishop W. A. Candler in the chair.

Opened with singing, prayer by the Bishop, and reading an exposition of Acts, I chapter.

The roll was called and seventy-four preachers and nine lay delegates responded present.

Organization was completed by the election, for the twenty-seventh time, of Frederick Pasco secretary. C. F. Blackburn, E. F. Ley and S. W. Lawler were elected assistants.

C. T. Carroll and J. E. Mickler were elected assistants to the Financial Secretary, J. B. Ley, appointed by the last Conference.

The presiding elders nominated the usual standing committees and, on motion, they were appointed. (See committees.)

Hon. D. H. Mays delivered an address of welcome in behalf of the Church and citizens of Monticello, to which the Bishop responded in behalf of the Conference.

Sundry communications were read and referred.

Question 20 was taken up.

The presiding elders were called. They represented their districts, and their characters passed, viz: A. E. Householder, Tallahassee District; L. W. Moore, Live Oak District; C. A. Saunders, Jacksonville District; T. W. Tomkies, Orlando District; J. P. Hilburn, Tampa District; C. A. Fulwood, Key West Mission.

J. C. Sale was announced as having died during the year, and his district was represented by T. J. Nixon, in charge after his death.

The call of elders was resumed and their characters passed.

Dr. J. H. Pritchett, Junior Missionary Secretary, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Dr. T. H. Law, District Superintendent of the American Bible Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

A committee of trial was appointed in the case of T. G. Blue, with T. J. Phillips as president and E. F. Ley secretary.

The committee on Conference Relations appointed last year, on motion was made permanent for four years. (See Committees)

Vacancies on boards and committees were filled, and sundry visiting brethren introduced

W. S. Richardson was announced as having died during the year.

After various announcements, Conference adjourned, with the doxology and benediction by J. Anderson

Second Day.

Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., Bishop Candler in the chair. J. C. Ley conducted the opening religious service.

The roll was called and six additional preachers and three lay members responded present.

Minutes read and approved.

Sundry communications were read and referred.

The Board of Education presented the following resolution which was adopted:

“The Board of Education having carefully considered the importance of the twentieth century movement in our church, request that Thursday night be designated as the time for an educational rally in the interest of this enterprise.”

The Trustees of the Florida Conference College joined in presenting the above.

Question 2 was taken up, and Francis E. Steinmeyer, Thos. I. Hess and Jas. T. Mitchell, having stood an approved examination, their characters passed and they were continued on trial.

Japheth N. Weatherford not having been before the Examining Committee, his character passed, and he was left in the class of the first year.

Question 4 was taken up:

Middleton T. Bell, George H. York, Eugene A. Harrison, Emanuel DeLofeu having stood an approved examination, their characters passed and they were advanced to the class of the third year.

Question 5 was taken up, and Benjamin T. Rape and Thomas J. Evans were re-admitted, being duly recommended.

Question 7 was taken up: W. A. Wier, James L. Pattillo, C. W. White, having stood an approved examination, their characters passed, and they were advanced to the class of the fourth year. R. R. Sprinkle, having failed in one study, his character passed and he was left in the class of the third year. Also J. R. Walker, I. Barredo, H. W. Baker, E. Diaz, R. L. Sumner, not having been before the Examining Committee.

J. Beers, not having been before the Examining Committee, his character passed and he was left in the class of the fourth year.

Joseph B. Trotter, John M. Mitchell, local preachers, duly recommended, were elected deacons.

Sundry brethren were introduced.

S. W. Lawler was added to the Committee on Temperance.

Jesse C. Green, duly recommended and having sent his certificate of adherence to our doctrines and discipline, was recognized as an elder from the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The call of elders was resumed, and their characters passed under Question 20.

After announcements, Conference adjourned, with the doxology and benediction by J. C. Ley.

Third Day.

Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., Bishop Candler in the chair. Opened with religious services, conducted by T. W. Moore.

Minutes read and approved.

R. A. Edmondson, having stood an approved examination, his character passed and he was elected elder.

The call of elders was resumed under Question 20 and their characters passed.

Thos. Griffith and G. W. Gatewood were located at their own request.

The following, duly recommended, having stood an approved examination, were admitted on trial, under Question 1: Daniel L. Sintzer, Joseph B. Trotter, John S. Tilley, Austin H. Cole, Oscar C. Tigner, Harry G. Barlowell.

The call of elders was completed under Question 2).

J. D. Hammond, Secretary of Education, addressed the Conference.

E. A. Harrison, M. T. Bell, E. DeLoeu, G. H. York were called before the Bishop and, having answered the usual disciplinary questions and been addressed by him, were admitted into full connection.

J. D. Owens surrendered his credentials as a preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

A letter from J. D. Rogers, superannuated preacher, was read and the Secretary was instructed to make a suitable reply.

On motion, resolutions of previous Conferences, fixing Wednesday night for administration of sacrament and Thursday for meeting of Conference Brotherhood, were rescinded.

Reports of Committee on Books and Periodicals and Editor of Conference Minutes were read and adopted. (See Reports.)

Vacancies were filled on Boards and Committees.

W. A. Huckabee, Agent of the Orphan's Home, addressed the Conference.

F. A. Branch, former member of this body, now of the South Georgia Conference, was introduced.

After announcements, Conference adjourned, with the doxology and benediction by F. A. Branch.

Fourth Day.

Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., Bishop Candler in the chair.

D. H. Giles conducted the opening religious service.

Minutes read and approved.

The Bishop appointed a committee of nine to confer with W. A. Huckabee on Orphanage. (See Committees.)

The report of the Committee on Conference Relations was read and adopted, giving names of Supernumerary and Superannuated preachers. (See General Minutes.)

Rev. B. L. Baker, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Monticello, was introduced.

Report of J. B. Ley, Financial Secretary, was read, and ordered spread upon the Minutes.

The Committee of Trial, in the case of T. G. Blue, made their report, and he was declared suspended from the ministry for one year.

J. O. Branch, a former member of this Conference, now of the South Georgia, was introduced, and Dr. Price, President of the Columbia Female College.

Reports of Board of Education, Committees on Bible Cause, Temperance and of Board of Church Extension, read and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Bishop addressed the Conference touching Church Extension work, and Mrs. T. Griffith, Corresponding Secretary of the Woma's Home Missionary Society, spoke of the work done by that body.

A resolution was adopted requesting the Bishops to appoint Thursday instead of Wednesday for the opening day of Conference.

Dr. Dowman, President of Emory College, T. G. Lang, President of Florida Conference College and J. P. DePass addressed the Conference.

After announcements, Conference adjourned, with the doxology and benediction by C. E. Dowman, to meet Sunday night in the Memorial Service.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

After a sermon by C. E. Dowman, Conference convened with C. A. Fulwood in the chair, by appointment of the Bishop

After singing and prayer by T. W. Moore, Question 19 was taken up: What preachers have died during the past year?

R. L. Honiker of the Committee on Memoirs read the memoirs of W. S. Richardson, who died at his post in Key West of yellow fever. J. C. Sale, the presiding elder of the Gainesville District and Mrs. Mattie J. Carpenter, wife of W. J. Carpenter, of Tallahassee.

Announcements were made of the death of Mrs. L. M. Rhodes, widow of one of our deceased preachers, and of the wife C. A. Saunders, presiding elder of the Jacksonville District.

Remarks were made by many of the brethren in memory of those so loved.

Conference joined in singing "Sweet Bye and Bye," and after prayer by B. K. Thrower, Conference adjourned with the doxology and benediction by C. E. Dowman.

Fifth Day.

Conference convened at 9 A. M., Bishop Candler in the chair.

H. W. Baker conducted the opening religious service.

Minutes were read and approved.

The Bishop announced the ordinations yesterday. (See General Minutes.)

Question 6 was taken up, and the Bishop announced those transferred to this Conference. (See General Minutes.)

Question 2 was resumed and L. D. Lowe called, and the Examining Committee reporting favorably, his character passed and he was advanced to the class of the second year.

J. P. Pillsbury, being duly recommended and having sent his certificate of adherence to our doctrines and discipline, was recognized as an elder from the M. E. Church.

H. O. Moore was announced as withdrawn from the church.

James B. Roach, being duly recommended and having sent the proper certificate, was elected elder under Question 14.

Reports of No. 3 Board of Education, joint Board of Finance, Committees on Epworth Leagues, District Conference Records and Orphanage read and adopted. (See Reports.)

By motion, the secretaries of the various boards were required to furnish assessments to the districts to the Florida Christian Advocate for publication in the first edition issued after adjournment.

Questions 21-44 taken up and answered. (See General Minutes)

Reports of treasurers of Board of Education and of Sunday School Board read and adopted.

Report of Trustees of Preachers' Relief Fund read and ordered spread upon the minutes. (See Reports.)

J. B. Ley was re-appointed Financial Secretary and F. Pasco Editor of the Minutes.

A resolution, condemning the seating of B. H. Roberts, congressman elect from Utah, was read and adopted, the secretary being instructed to forward a copy to our representatives in Congress.

On motion, the Bishop was requested to re-appoint R. H. Barnett Colporteur.

A. D. Penny and G. D. Turner were located at their own request.

The following resolution was adopted :

Resolved. That, as a Conference, we re-affirm our action taken at the last session, in which the methods used by our agents in collecting the war claim were condemned, and that we leave the matter to be adjusted by the next General Conference.

A resolution was adopted requesting the membership in the various charges to purchase their literature through the Conference Colporteur.

The usual resolution of thanks was adopted.

On motion the editor was requested to publish the journal of proceedings in the minutes.

The Bishop proceeded to the ordination of James B. Roach as elder.

Minutes were read and approved.

The Joint Board of Finance and the Visiting Committees were announced.

After singing and prayer by W. M. Poage Question 46 was taken up and the appointments read. (See Appointments.)

Conference then adjourned sine die with the doxology and the benediction by the Bishop.



Appointments for 1900.

[The figures indicate Consecutive Appointments of Incumbent to the Charge.]

TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT.

A. E. HOUSEHOLDER, P. E. 3

Tallahassee.....	W. J. Carpenter	2
Monticello.....	W. M. Poage	1
Leon Circuit.....	T. J. Coleman	2
Quincy.....	W. E. H. Mabry	2
Gadsden Circuit.....	H. S. Miller	2
Waukeenah Circuit.....	J. R. Taylor	1
Midway Mission.....	W. S. McMannen	3
Concord Circuit.....	W. C. Collins	2
Liberty Mission.....	D. L. Switzer	2
Aucilla Circuit.....	G. H. York	1
Madison.....	R. A. Edmonson	2
Madison Circuit.....	To be supplied by G. P. Parker	1
Taylor Mission.....	B. T. Rape	2
Apalachicola.....	J. F. Bell	3
Carrabelle Mission.....	C. S. Claridy, 1 W. J. Gray, Supernumerary	
Woodville Mission.....	J. S. Barnett	2

LIVE OAK DISTRICT.

L. W. MOORE, P. E. 4.

Live Oak.....	J. P. DePass	1
Jasper.....	T. C. Bradford	2
Hamilton Mission.....	To be supplied	
White Springs Mission.....	R. J. Wells	1
Branford Mission.....	W. A. Wier	
Fort White and High Springs.....	R. C. Wier.	1
	W. H. F. Robarts, Supernumerary	
Lafayette Mission.....	A. M. Daiger	3
Old Town Mission.....	To be supplied	
Newnansville Circuit.....	C. W. Inman	3
Columbia Circuit.....	T. Bishop	2
Lake City.....	T. W. Moore	2
Lake Butler Mission.....	J. S. Collier	1
McClenny Mission.....	To be supplied by J. E. Dodd	1

Starke and LaCrosse.....	E. H. Giles	1
Waldo.....	F. A. Taylor	1
Melrose.....	S. W. Lawler	3
Worthington Mission.....	To be supplied by W. A. Brown	1

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

C. A. SAUNDERS, P. E. 1.

Gainesville.....	B. K. Thrower	4
Bronson.....	W. F. Norton	1
Rochelle.....	W. C. Norton	1
Citra.....	H. A. Hodges	1
Micanopy Circuit.....	J. Beers	1
Marion Circuit.....	I. A. Vernon	1
Ocala.....	T. J. Nixon	2
Summerfield Mission.....	To be supplied	
Cotton Plant Circuit.....	W. J. Kennelly	4
Wildwood Circuit.....	R. M. Evans	1
Anthony.....	T. S. Armistead	2
Inverness Circuit.....	S. Scott	1
Sumter Circuit.....	T. J. Evans	1
Webster Circuit.....	F. E. Steinmeyer	1
Brooksville.....	J. H. D. McCrae	1
Hernando Mission.....	To be supplied	
Leesburg.....	F. Pixton	3
Tavares.....	J. B. Trotter	1
Citronelle Mission.....	To be supplied by C. D. Parkerson	2
Lavy Mission.....	T. M. White	1
Editor Florida Christian Advocate.....	J. Anderson	13
Conference Colporteur.....	R. H. Barnett	9
Florida Conference College.....	T. G. Lang, President	3
	H. B. Bardwell, Professor. 1. J. R. Walker, Student	1
Secretary of Education.....	T. G. Lang	2

JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT.

C. A. FULWOOD, P. E. 1.

Jacksonville—McTyeire Memorial.....	R. V. Atkisson	2
Riverside.....	I. Ryder	1
St. Matthew's.....	J. Dodwell	1
Fernandina.....	E. F. Ley	1
King's Ferry Circuit.....	J. M. Sewell	1
Callahan.....	J. L. Jones	1
Green Cove Springs and Middleburg.....	L. D. Lowe	2
Mandarin Mission.....	E. Wilson	2
St. Augustine Mission.....	T. I. Hess	3

Palatka	R. L. Honiker	2
Fruitland and Volusia Circuit... To be supplied by J. H. McDowell		1
New Smyrna Mission	J. L. Pattillo	1
Sanford	R. M. Williams	2
Oviedo	T. J. Phillips	1
Titusville and Cocoa	J. E. Mickler	1
Fort Pierce Circuit	To be supplied by W. T. Laine	3
DeLand Mission	E. A. Harrison	4
Miami	C. F. Rlackburn	3
Biscayne Bay Mission	To be supplied	
West Palm Beach	W. J. Nease	1
Student at Vanderbilt University	J. S. Tilley	1
Superintendent of State Institute for the Blind and Deaf ..	F. Pasco	3

ORLANDO DISTRICT.

T. W. TOMKIES, P. E. 3.

Orlando	F. R. Bridges	1
Apopka	J. C. Pace	1
Umatilla	J. L. Crandall	1
Kissimmee Mission	W. H. Steinmeyer, 1. O. C. Tigner	1
Maitland Mission	E. J. Hardee	3
Bartow and Mission	H. E. Partridge	3
	One to be supplied by W. J. J. Whidden	1
Fort Meade and Homeland	W. H. Parker	1
Bowlong Circuit and Mission	R. L. Sumner, 2 J. T. Mitchell	2
Arcadia	D. A. Cole	2
DeSoto Circuit	R. L. Sprinkle	2
Myers	J. F. Shands	3
Caloosahatchie	J. N. Weatherford	1
Fort Bassenger	A. H. Cole	1
Punta Gorda and Charlotte Harbor	S. Hardin	1
Lakeland and Mission	J. A. Hendry	2
	One to be supplied by R. P. Owen	1
Chuckaluskie and San Moreo Mission	To be supplied	
Seminole Mission	To be supplied by D. W. Black	1

TAMPA DISTRICT.

J. P. HILBURN, P. E. 2.

Tampa	J. B. Ley, 2. W. F. Alexander, Super umerary	1
Hyde Park and Tampa Heights	H. Hice	1
	One to be supplied by J. A. Giddens	1
Seffner	T. H. Sistrunk	2
Hillsboro Mission	To be supplied by J. M. Dieffenwerth	1
Alafia	F. L. Stokes	1

Manatee and Braidentown.....	I. S. Patterson	2
Palmetto and Mission.....	G. W. Mitchell	1
	One to be supplied by J. M. Mitchell	1
Sarasota.....	M. H. Outland	1
Clear Water Circuit.....	W. B. Tresca	1
St. Petersburg.....	H. Duthill	1
Largo Circuit.....	H. B. Frazee	1
Blanton Circuit.....	M. T. Bell	1
Dade City Circuit.....	B. F. Mason	1
Plant City and Port Tampa.....	E. J. Gates	2
Ybor City and West Tampa Cuban Mission.....	M. DeLofeu	2
Key Largo.....	To be supplied	
Key West—First Charge.....	J. A. Howland	1
Sparks Chapel ..	J. P. Durrence	1
Memorial Church.....	C. W. White	2
La Trinidad, Cuban Church.....	Eladio Diaz	1
Missionaries in Cuba ...	Geo. N. MacDonnel	2
	H. B. Someillan	2
	H. W. Baker	2
	I. E. Barredo	2
	H. W. Penny	2

TRANSFERRED.

G. W. Sellers.....	North Alabama Conference
F. E. Shipp.....	Virginia Conference
M. F. Dukes.....	South Carolina Conference
R. C. Cleckler.....	North Georgia Conference
G. K. Heydrick.....	Baltimore Conference

General Minutes.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? Japheth N. Weatherford, Daniel L. Switzer, Joseph B. Trotter, John S. Tilley, Austin H. Cole, Oscar C. Tigner, Harry G. Bardwell.

QUESTION 2. Who remain on trial? Francis E. Steinmeyer, Thos. I. Hess, Jas. T. Mitchell.

QUESTION 3. Who are discontinued? None.

QUESTION 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Middleton T. Bell, Eugene A. Harrison, Emanuel DeLofeu, Geo. H. York, J. R. Walker, I. Barredo, H. W. Baker, Eladio Diaz, R. L. Sumner, R. L. Spinkle.

QUESTION 5. Who are readmitted? Benjamin T. Rape, Thos. J. Evans.

QUESTION 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. J. Nease, L. D. Lowe, from South Georgia Conference; H. O. Hodges, J. M. Sewell, North Georgia Conference; M. H. Outland, Indian Mission Conference; J. L. Jones, W. S. Tabor, North Alabama Conference; H. O. Moore, J. D. Crandall, Louisville Conference; A. C. Holden, Memphis Conference.

QUESTION 7. Who are the deacons for one year? Wm. A. Wier, James L. Patillo, C. W. White, J. Beers.

QUESTION 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Middleton T. Bell, George H. York.

QUESTION 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? M. T. Bell, George H. York.

QUESTION 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Joseph B. Trotter, Jesse M. Mitchell.

QUESTION 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Joseph B. Trotter, Jesse M. Mitchell.

QUESTION 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? R. A. Edmonson.

QUESTION 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? R. A. Edmonson, H. W. Baker.

QUESTION 14. What local preachers are elected elders? James B. Roach.

QUESTION 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? James B. Roach.

QUESTION 16. Who are located this year? Thomas Griffith, Sam'l E. Phillips, Arthur D. Penny, G. D. Turner.

QUESTION 17. Who are supernumerary? W. J. Gray, W. F. Alexander, W. H. F. Robarts.

QUESTION 18. Who are superannuated? A. Johnson, J. C. Lay, J. D. Rogers, E. F. Gates, J. T. Waters, E. J. Holmes, W. F. Shoemaker

QUESTION 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Wm. S Richardson, Joseph C. Sale. (See Memoirs.)

QUESTION 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one and their characters passed, except Thos. R. Blue, suspended from the ministry for one year. J. D. Owens surrendered his credentials. H. O. Moore withdrew from the church.

QUESTION 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 132; members, 20,892.

QUESTION 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 607.

QUESTION 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 568.

QUESTION 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 94.

QUESTION 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,734.

QUESTION 26. What is the number of Sunday-schools? 297.

QUESTION 27. What is the number of Sunday-school teachers? 1,870.

QUESTION 28. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars? 13,265.

QUESTION 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,000 00.

QUESTION 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$2,175.59, and distributed among claimants. (See report of Joint Boards.)

QUESTION 31. What has been contributed for missions? Foreign, \$2,572.62; domestic, \$2,630.33.

QUESTION 32. What has been contributed for church extension? \$738.75.

QUESTION 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? \$101.72.

QUESTION 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$6,144.58; Preachers in charge, \$44,015.13.

QUESTION 35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$585.60.

QUESTION 36. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of societies, 369; number of houses of worship, 304.

QUESTION 37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$392,092.00; indebtedness, \$11,974.53.

QUESTION 38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, —; number of parsonages, 94.

QUESTION 39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$77,768.00; indebtedness, \$——.

QUESTION 40. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of districts, 6; number of district parsonages, 5.

QUESTION 41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$10,000 00; indebtedness, \$400 00.

QUESTION 42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Number of churches damaged, 3; amount of damage, \$2,700.00.

QUESTION 43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$49,650 00; premiums paid, \$502.50.

QUESTION 44. What are the educational statistics? Florida Conference College, Emory College, Wesleyan Female College. Endowment, \$245,000.00. Pupils, 440; teachers, 36; value of property, \$214,000 00.

QUESTION 45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Bartow.

QUESTION 46. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See appointments.

NOTE—I have taken the figures from the report of the assistant secretary, C. F. Blackburn, corrected by the financial secretary, J. B. Ley. F. P., Editor.

Reports.

COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We record our profound gratitude to Almighty God for His presence in and His blessings upon, the educational enterprises of our Church and Conference. During the year now closing our institutions of learning have been, as of yore, fountains from whence have issued healing and blessing both for those in contact with their gracious opportunities as well as for those within the sphere of their influence. The Bible and the text book constitute the palladium of both mental and spiritual enfranchisement, and only as we are true to the purpose of Jesus Christ in these may we hope for the results for which our prayers are offered, our labors given, and our means laid upon this altar of devotion.

The report from Emory College shows gratifying results. This institution has been more fortunate in securing men eminently qualified in head and in heart to fill the various professorships. With the best equipments and a constituency of over 200,000 Methodists, it commands the admiration of all our people. We are glad to learn from the report of the President that the enrollment for the Fall Session is 236. Of this number thirty five are sons of ministers of the gospel, who are receiving without charge for tuition, the advantages of this school of uncorrupted learning. We commend this institution for its adherence to this honorable tradition, and trust our people will patronize, more and more, this generous institution which has done so much for our Methodism and for the spread of the gospel around the world. Those who feel constrained to educate their sons out of our State will find unsurpassed advantages at Emory College.

We note with pleasure from the report of the President of Wesleyan Female College that this grand old foundation is in a prosperous condition. Its usefulness increases with its years, and a long honorable past is the guarantee of still greater efficiency in the years to come. The pressing need of the Wesleyan College is an ample endowment; this once secured, the way will be open to perfect the plans which are in abeyance until this shall have been secured. This institution is to be congratulated that it owes no floating debts—the total amount of its indebtedness (which is in bonds,) being only \$14,000. The assets of the College, stated in round numbers, are \$259,000. This is most encouraging, and we congratulate the Trustees upon this excellent showing.

To those Florida Methodists who feel that they must educate their children out of this State, we suggest, may recommend, that under such stress of conditions which may make this an imperative, that they give their patronage to our own approved institutions. They want and need the best education to be had for their children—then let them see that their patronage and influence are given where the best results are to be secured. Long may this venerable foundation of learning remain among us to bless our land with its labors in behalf of a consecrated and fully equipped womanhood.

The Florida Conference College, our own institution, and specially dear to our hearts because of the value of its work to our Conference and people, commends itself to the Methodists of Florida, as well as to Christians of other communities. At this fountain of knowledge the youth of our State, as well as those from the more rigorous climate of the northern portion of our country, may receive a full equipment for the serious and practical duties of life. The Faculty has been selected with care and discrimination, and the work done at this institution is self evidencing by its reality and thoroughness. Hampered by a lack of endowment and by a meagre patronage, it has, nevertheless, gone on from the day of its beginning with increased usefulness. Just how such splendid results have been secured as mark its history only God and the faithful men and women know who have wrought in the heat and burden of the day of its necessity. Nevertheless, we congratulate the Conference and the College that, despite the disasters of the past year, the patronage has gratifyingly increased, and the release of all claims against the institution has been secured. Our thanks are due President Lang for his efficient and successful work in bringing this result to pass.

With feelings of pardonable pride we note the opportunity afforded our people to give expression of their appreciation of the best and highest and most productive education by the Twentieth Century Thank-offering Fund. As yet, the returns from this providential movement have been below the dignity and resources of our great Church, but we are constrained to believe that the signs are favorable for awakening to the value and importance of this enterprise which shall fill our treasuries with the means so much desired and so greatly needed.

We request the Bishop presiding at this Conference to appoint T. G. Lang and H. A. Bardwell to The Florida Conference College; F. Pasco to the State Institute for Deaf and Dumb Children; J. R. Walker and J. S. Tilley, students in the Conference College and in Vanderbilt University and Rev. T. G. Lang Conference Secretary of Education.

The following resolution is published for the information and benefit of all concerned:

Resolved, That we look to each presiding elder for a thorough canvas of his district early in the year in the interest of the 20th century

educational movement, and suggest the appointment by him of one or more men in his district to co-operate with him in distributing literature and arranging for educational meetings within the district.

That we especially recommend to our pastors the holding of circuit or inter-circuit educational mass-meetings.

That we look to our College President to arrange for educational mass meetings in our centres; for suggestions as to plans and methods as to carrying out our part of the movement; for literature to be used in forwarding the movement; and we will welcome him among us as far as he can visit us to help us in this work.

J. DODWELL, President.

COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Your committee on temperance notes with pleasure that the Methodist Church is relentless in her warfare upon strong drink, the enemy of God, the Church of his Son, our homes and civilization.

Since our last Conference the saloons in some places have been closed, but in their places have sprung up the domestic wine shop, which wine under our present law is manufactured and sold without restraint.

So great is this evil becoming, so potent upon the morals of our state, be it ordained—

1st. That as pastors we will be more diligent in the administration of the Discipline at this point.

2nd. That we will preach at least once during the year upon this subject and in any other way possible endeavor to create public sentiment against the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating liquors.

3rd. That we hereby request the pastors and laymen of our Church to circulate among the people for the purpose of getting as many signatures thereto as possible, a petition directed to the Legislature of the State of Florida requesting such legislation as will place domestic wine under the same class as other intoxicating liquors.

S. W. LAWLER, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Never has there been such wide-spread and deep interest in the Book of God as we now find among his people; and as also is shown by those who, hitherto, have been blind to its truths and unmoved by its wonderful power. While the Christian preacher and teacher go forth using it as the sword of the Spirit, the sin-sick soul among the heathen and lost sinner at home are finding it to be the balm of Gilead, which restores them to life and health. In the plentiful and cheap supply to us of the Word, we are apt to forget that millions are yet without it and strangers to its blessed teachings. The printed Word is a necessary instrument in all successful Christian work, lies at the base and is the source of all Gospel preaching and teaching; and no missionary effort can succeed or be permanent where it is not disseminated, read and obeyed. This turns our thoughts to the human agency which is, to us, the source of supply for the Book—that great fountain from which is pouring the streams that are refreshing and gladdenning the world—The American Bible Society.

We have not time to recount the blessings it has brought the world and the help it has given the churches in its nearly sixty six millions of books put in the hands of the people, often free of cost; in the thousands of destitute homes visited, supplied and helped by its workers, and its efficient corps of colporteurs and missionaries sent into cheerless home and foreign fields during its eighty-three years' existence. This past year alone, it issued 1,380,000 copies of the Word, and to foreign fields made grants amounting to \$156,509. What would missionary effort be without this help? Especially would we call attention to its work in the recently opened fields of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Phillipines, where its past and present efforts have made missionary success possible. Do we, as a church or conference, appreciate this great institution and are we helping it in any fitting degree in supplying the needy with the Word of Life? This year, in the Florida Conference, only fifty pastors have reported amounts raised for the Bible Cause, and only \$23.21 contributed. Do we let our people know of its work and give them opportunity to help it?

The Field Agent, Rev. T. H. Law, D.D., Spartanburg, S. C., stands ready to supply pastors with literature concerning the work of the Society; to aid in securing grants of books to supply destitute persons, and assist in putting a Bible in the hands of every Sunday School pupil at half the regular price. Shall we not put ourselves in communication with him and the Society, and thus not only help him and it, but let them help us? Shall we not inform our people as to the work of the Society and give them opportunity to contribute to it? In order to

further this great cause we present for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we rejoice in the increasing prosperity and continued usefulness of the American Bible Society;

Resolved, That we will heartily co-operate with it in its efforts to supply the destitute with the Word of Life by bringing the cause prominently and specially before our people; by taking annual collections for the Society, and by hunting out and supplying with the Word those who are without it.

Resolved, That we constitute the present committee as a permanent one for four years, to consist of one from each district, the chairman, Rev. H. E. Partridge, being authorized to fill vacancies during the year, so that each district be represented, said committee to do all in its power to promote the interests of this great cause during the year.

H. E. PARTRIDGE, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The report of the General Secretary shows a most encouraging condition of this department of the work of the Church. Five hundred and eighty new chapters have been organized this year, adding 24,440 new members, which bring the aggregated membership to about 300,000. With proper attention to this work and more activity upon the part of the ministry this membership could be increased another 100,000.

We would recommend that the pastors use their Leagues to aid them in securing any deficits that may occur in their Conference collections. This is known as the "Holsten plan," and commends itself to our judgment. This matter will doubtless receive further attention at the State Conference.

The Epworth Era has a circulation of nearly 14,000. It is a clean, well-edited and deservedly popular paper, and should be in the hands of all our young people. The paper occupies a large place in our work and is almost a necessity to the advance which we should make in our work with the young.

It is the judgment of the committee that a Southern conference of our League would insure to a better understanding of the work and to any advance movement that may be enterprised.

We would respectfully urge our presiding elders to co-operate with the district chairmen in holding and magnifying the district

League meetings. Experience has clearly shown that these meetings are the most important of any we hold. In this connection the committee would take special pleasure in commending the State Conference and ask the hearty co operation and attendance of our pastors and presiding elders.

W. J. CARPENTER, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON ORPHANAGE.

We, the committee on Orphanage work in the Florida Conference, beg leave to submit the following report:

That we have at present six orphans in the Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., from Florida

That the sum of \$65.40 has been contributed by this Conference this year for the Orphan's Home above referred to, by the following charges:

DeLand Mission	\$7.15
Miccanopy	7.85
Largo	8.76
Manatee and Braidentown	8.00
Lake Butler Circuit	3.75
Sarasota Circuit	5.00
Clear Water and St. Petersburg	6.62
Orlando	2.25
Key Largo	30
Leon Circuit	36
Midway Mission	1.00
Palmetto	4.39
Punta Gorda	1.00
Inverness	6.27
Madison Circuit	1.75
Brooksville	70
From a Little Girl	25
Total	65.40

This amount has been paid to Rev. W. A. Huckabee, Agent.

We have adopted the following as the basis of operations for the committee:

First—This committee shall be known as the Orphanage Committee of the Florida Conference.

Second—This committee shall consist of the following members: R. M. Evans, H. Hice, W. N. Sheats, I. S. Patterson, B. F. Mason, J. A.

Hendry, E. A. Harrison, H. E. Partridge, W. B. Fresca, and their successors in office, all vacancies being filled by the Conference, on the nomination of this committee.

Third—The officers of this committee shall be president, vice president secretary and treasurer, to be elected annually by the committee.

Fourth—Five members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Fifth—It shall be the duty of this committee to look after the orphans between the ages of two and ten years old, getting the helpless ones, if possible, into our home, and devise means for the collections of funds for their support. They shall also study the interests of the hundreds of helpless orphans in Cuba, and as soon as possible devise means whereby they may be helped. They shall also have in view the establishment of a home in Florida whenever practicable.

Sixth—This committee shall make an annual report to the Conference of their work during the year.

R. M. EVANS, President.

COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The records of the Tallahassee, Gainesville, Jacksonville, Orlando, Tampa and Live Oak District Conferences have been submitted to the committee, as the law requires and it affords us pleasure to report that they have been well kept. The record of the Key West District Conference has not been recorded, neither has it been recopied.

F. R. BRIDGES, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Inasmuch as our people are thirsting for knowledge, and whereas there is such a vast amount of light and trashy literature, calculated to poison the minds of our young people, filling them with false and dangerous conceptions of life, we hail with gladness the interest that is being manifested in the church to supply this want in books and periodicals suited to sowing the seeds of gospel grace in the hearts and consciences of our young people.

And inasmuch as oftentimes the poison is concealed under the adornment of beautiful language and rounded periods, we your committee, would urge our brethren to press the use of our own publications which have passed under the critical eye of our own book editor, that our children may not be poisoned.

We note with pleasure the fact, that the Publishing House, amid so many disturbing circumstances, shows such a good financial balance and also for the hopeful prospects for the incoming year.

In this connection we note with great pleasure the vast good done by our worthy colporteur, Rev. R. H. Barnett, in distributing so many good books from our Publishing House, by his untiring zeal in this worthy cause.

We would suggest, if it be possible, that our publications be reduced in price, so as not only to compete with the cheap literature of the day, but even at a lower price, as christian character is of far more value than money.

In view of the fact, that our business men are so engrossed in this fast age with worldly affairs that they do not take time to read good and useful books, but use the daily papers and magazines for their mental food, and consequently carry to their homes some of the secular dailies filled with scandals and sensational items, which ought not to be published, your committee thinks if the central organ of our Methodism could be made a daily, it would overcome this evil, and we would cease to see our homes defiled with these instruments of death.

We would especially call your attention to our central publications: The Christian Advocate, carrying the news from all our connections; the Methodist Reviews, devoted to religion and philosophy, science and literature, which should be read by our preachers and laymen that they may keep abreast with the times; the Review of Missions, which we can not see how a Methodist preacher can do without; the Epworth Era, which should be in the hands of all our young people.

And above all, we would call your attention to our Sunday school literature, so fully adapted to the wants of our children, and especially the Sunday School Magazine, as being the best of its class.

We come now to notice that publication which is dearest to the hearts to our Florida christians. Somehow or other we always appreciate the most the touch of the gentle hand of our dear ones at home, so we think the Florida Christian Advocate is the best paper of all the papers for the Florida conferenceman, and we heartily endorse and submit the editor's own report, as follows:

"To the Bishop and Members of the Florida Conference:

"Dear Brethren—As the Publisher of 'The Florida Christian Advocate,' which is your paper, it is my duty to submit to you an annual re-

port, and I do so now with special gratitude to the great Head of the Church for grace and providential help through the year. It is a great privilege to work for my Lord, and it is with thankfulness that I record His blessing upon my labors. The testimonies of a great many show how greatly the "Advocate" has been blessed to their souls.

"This has been a year of much financial depression in this state, Many have left the state and many have have moved from one place to another. the result of disappointed hopes in business; and it was feared that the 'Adocate' would suffer more than in former years But on the contrary collections have been better, and the "Advocate" stands higher than for some time past.

"In July a serious illness. brought on by excessive labor, prostrated the Editor, but it pleased God to raise him up and restore him to health, and the paper has continued to make its weekly visits. There is an increase of new subscribers and renewals, and a considerable falling off in discontinuances. The receipts since December 9, 1898 from subscriptions and advertising have been \$2,888.15; and the expense of getting out the paper and mailing it has been \$2,312.36, making a net gain of \$575.79, which is the salary of the editor and publisher for the year; a better result than was obtained last year, but still small.

"In conclusion, your servant, the publisher, begs leave to remind you and the Church of that part of the contract which promises moral support and working assistance in obtaining subscribers and looking after the interests of the paper. Let this be fulfilled and the Advocate will succeed.

"Respectfully submitted,

"J. ANDERSON, Editor and Publisher."

T. W. MOORE, Chairman.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

We are glad to report some increase in the amount collected the present conference year for church extension.

The demands upon our board have not been so great this year as usual. We have made the following appropriations from the funds at our disposal:

Carrabelle, Leon county.....	\$100
Perry, Taylor county.....	100
Woodlawn, Hillsboro county.....	50
Total.....	250

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At our March meeting, in Citra, our Conference Board made the following recommendations:

PARSONAGES.

Ocala, donation	\$500		
Miami, "	500		
Port Tampa City, donati'n	500		
Alachua, donation	350		
Sebastian, "	150		
Bartow, "		Loan	\$275

CHURCHES.

Port Tampa City, donati'n	600	Loan	400
Braidentown, donation...	500	Loan	500
Miami, " ...	500	Loan	500
Ocala, " ...	1000	Loan .....	.....
Alachua, " ...	200	Loan .....	.....

We feel thankful to the brethren for the interest manifest in this great interest of the church and beg for an advance the coming year.

IRA S. PATTERSON, Secretary.



Financial Reports.

CONFERENCE SECRETARY OF FINANCE.

Debtor to cash from charges as follows:

Cause of Missions.....	\$3178 89	
Joint Board of Finance.....	2832 96	
Board of Church Extension.....	738 66	
Board of Education.....	1728 50	
Sunday School Board.....	62 54	
Bible Cause.....	101 72	
		<u>\$8643 27</u>

DISBURSED.

To F. Pasco, Treasurer Board of Missions:

Account Foreign missions.....	\$1328 04	
“ Domestic Missions.....	1557 19	
“ Sunday School Special	293 66	
		<u>3178 89</u>

To C. S. Carroll, Treasurer Joint Board:

For Conference Collections.....	\$2175 59	
“ Bishops.....	553 20	
“ Paine and Lane.....	101 17	
“ Delegates to General Conference..	3 00	
		<u>2832 96</u>

To R. L. Honiker, Treasurer:

Account Education.....	\$1728 50	
“ Children's Day	62 54	
		<u>1791 04</u>

To C. W. White, Treasurer;

Account Church Extension....	\$ 738 66	738 66
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To T. H. Law, Treasurer:

Account Bible Cause.....	\$ 101 72	101 72
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\$8643 27

J. B. LEY, Secretary.

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CONFERENCE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

1899.		DR.		
Dec.	To amount from Charges.....	\$1236	31	
	“ “ Sunday School Rally Day	13	10	
	“ “ Anniversary Collection..	36	00	
	“ “ Financial Sect'y J. B. Ley	1328	04	
				<u>\$2613 45</u>
1899.		CR.		
Dec.	By amount to J. D. Hamilton, Treasurer..	2627	45	
	“ “ “ Bishop Candler for Cuba...	36	00	
	“ “ “ Editor of Minutes.....	50	00	
				<u>\$2613 45</u>

NOTE—\$10 50 are yet due on Anniversary Collection.—F. P.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

1898.		DR.		
Dec.	To amount of balance.....	\$1094	00	
	“ 10 per cent. dividend Merchants' Nat'l.	126	76	
				<u>\$1220 76</u>
		CR.		
	By drafts of Presiding Elders, 3 quarters .	1808	75	
	“ amount to Editor of Minutes.....	60	00	
				<u>1868 75</u>
	Deficit.....	\$647	99	
1899.		DR.		
Dec.	To amount from charges and J. B. Ley ...	2293	77	
	“ “ “ Sunday school special....	323	68	
				<u>2617 45</u>
1899.		CR.		
Dec.	By amount over.....	647	99	
	“ “ to Editor of Minutes	50	00	
	“ “ “ Presiding Elders, 1st quarter	720	00	
				<u>1417 99</u>
1900				
Jan.	Balance on hand.....	1199	46	

APPROPRIATIONS

By Conference Board of Missions for 1900:

TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT.

Midway.....	\$ 50 00
Liberty.....	50 00
Taylor.....	70 00
Carrabelle.....	150 00
Woodville.....	50 00

\$370 00

LIVE OAK DISTRICT.

Presiding Elder.....	100 00
Hamilton.....	40 00
Branford.....	50 00
Old Town.....	40 00
Lake Butler.....	60 00
McClenny.....	40 00
Worthington.....	40 00
Lafayette.....	50 00
Waldo.....	50 00

470 00

JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT

Mandarin.....	25 00
St. Augustine.....	50 00
New Smyrna.....	50 00
DeLand.....	200 00
Biscayne Bay.....	125 00
Miami.....	250 00
West Palm Beach.....	50 00

750 00

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

Summerfield.....	40 00
Hernando.....	60 00
Citronelle.....	40 00
Levy.....	60 00
Tavares.....	40 00

240 00

Amount carried forward.....

1830 00

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Amount brought forward		\$1830 00
ORLANDO DISTRICT.		
Kissimmee.....	\$ 75 00	
Maitland.....	50 00	
Bowling Green and Mission.....	50 00	
Bassenger	100 00	
Lake Butler and Mission.....	50 00	
Chockaluskie.....	50 00	
		375 00
TAMPA DISTRICT.		
Hyde Park.....	300 00	
Hillsboro	50 00	
St. Petersburg.....	150 00	
Palmetto.....	50 00	
Key West Memorial.....	125 00	
		675 00
Total		2880 00

T. W. TOMKIES, Secretary.

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Dr.		
To amounts from charges for Conference Claim'ts	\$2175 50	
“ “ “ Colom Fund “	12 00	
		\$2187 50
Cr.		
By amounts to Claimants...	1985 00	
“ Minutes	60 00	
“ Balance ...	142 50	
		2187 50
For Rishops.....	553 20	
By checks to B. & S.		553 20
For Paine and Lane	101 17	
By checks to Chas. Goodrich		101 17
For Delegates to General Conference.....	3 00	
By check to Barbee & Smith.....		3 00
Balance forward for Conference claimants.....	142 50	

J. B. LEY, Secretary.

APPORTIONMENTS.

Mrs. E. L. T. Blake	\$ 150 00
J. D. Rogers	75 00
A. Johnson	40 00
Mrs T. W. Cooper	80 00
" Wm. Scott	20 00
" L. B. Robinson	25 00
" A. E. Munden	80 00
" C. E. Pelot	10 00
" T. Taylor	10 00
" J. M. Stokes	60 00
" G. C. Leavel	90 00
" O. Eady	65 00
" Wm. Davies	50 00
" W. J. Morris	50 00
" R. M. Tydings	75 00
" T. H. Capers	65 00
" S. A. McCork	150 00
" A. A. Barnett	50 00
" J. M. Sweatt	135 00
" M. Williams	50 00
" J. E. Penny	90 00
J. R. Sharpe	10 00
Rev. J. C. Ley	200 00
" E. F. Gates	25 00
" W. F. Shoemaker	25 00
" E. J. Holmes	100 00
" J. T. Waters	55 00
" Ed. Wilson	50 00
Mrs S. E. Boothe	25 00
" U. S. Bird	25 00
Children of Mrs. Stork	20 00
" " Martin	30 00
Total	\$1985 00

J. B. LEY, Secretary.

TREASURER BOARD OF EDUCATION.

1899.		DR.		
Jan. 1.	To amount on hand		\$ 47 00	
"	" to Treas. Mar. 14-Nov. 15...		444 43	
"	" " Dec. 18.....		1727 50	
				\$2218 93
		CR.		
	By amount expended May 22-Nov. 15....		419 45	
"	" " Cash on hand Dec. 18		1727 50	
				\$2218 95

Twentieth Century Fund.

1899		DR.		
	To amount collected by charges.....		219 51	
"	" " cash from special collections..		36 36	
				\$ 255 87
		CR.		
	By Cash on hand.....			255 87

J. E. MICKLER, Treasurer.

TREASURER OF THE PREACHERS' RELIEF FUND.

1899.		DR.		
	To interest on 2 Madison county bonds		\$12 00	
Dec. 15	" " Jas. DePass' note to Dec. 1st.....		21 00	
"	" " E. F. Ley's " " "		4 00	
"	" " J. B. Ley's " " 21st.....		5 73	
"	" " J. C. Ley's " to Jan. 3, 1900.....		24 00	
"	" " C. T. Carroll's note to Jan. 1. "		4 00	
"	" " A. E. Householder's note to Dec. 26....		11 00	
	Total.....			\$81 73
		CR.		
July	By express on package from C. T. Carroll.....		50	
	" exchange interests on Madison county bonds		15	
Dec. 15	" amount donated to Mrs. Sweat		28 50	
"	" " " Rev. J. C. Ley		24 00	
"	" " " Mrs. S. A. McCook		28 50	
"	" Cash on hand.....		08	
				\$81 73

H. W. LONG, Treasurer.

ASSETS OF TRUSTEES FUND

Received by Treasurer from C. T. Carroll.

1899	Rev. C. T. Carroll's note at 8 per cent. per annum	\$ 50 00
	" E. L. T. Blake's note at 6 per cent. per annum	25 18
	" J. R. Ley's note at 8 per cent. per annum	50 00
	" E. F. Ley's note at 8 per cent. per annum	50 00
	" A. E. Householder's note at 8 per cent per annum	150 00
	" J. C. Ley's note at 8 per cent. per annum	300 00
	" Jos. P. DePass' note at 8 per cent. per annum	300 00
	Madison County bonds at 6 per cent. per annum	200 00
	Cash	156 02
Dec. 15.	Annual donation of Jno F. White	100 00
	Available assets in hand	<u>\$1379 20</u>

Notes supposed to be insolvent:

C. M. Brown's note	\$1000 00
S. A. Jones' note	50 00
D. B. Givens' note	25 00
Total	<u>\$1075 00</u>

Other assets:

Deed from J. T. Leslie for 40 acres of land near Tampa.
 Deed from W. B. Henderson for 20 acres of land near Tampa.

H. W. LONG, Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF FREDERICK PASCO, PUBLISHER
 FLORIDA CONFERENCE MINUTES.

1898	Dr.		
Dec. 17	To Board of Missions	\$120 00	
	Joint Board of Finance	60 00	
	Board of Church Extension	10 00	
	Total		<u>\$190 00</u>
	Cr.		
Dec. 17	By deficit	15 10	
29	Voucher No. 1	3 25	
1899			
Jan. 6	" 2	3 16	
26	" 3	18 35	
Mch 10	" 4	80 00	
May 20	" 5	25 12	
Dec. 1	" 6	5 98	
	Total		<u>150 96</u>
	Balance on hand		<u>39 04</u>

FLORIDA CONFERENCE BROTHERHOOD.

The Florida Conference Brotherhood met at Monticello, Fla., Dec. 15, 1899, at 3:00 p.m., President J. B. Ley in the chair.

Opened with devotional exercises by the president.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The secretary read his report. (See report).

Some of the members having failed to pay their Mortuary Fee after the death of Rev W. S. Richardson, within the prescribed time, it was ordered that they be allowed the privilege of paying the same, and the amount thus paid into the treasury shall be paid to Mrs. Annie C. Sale

The president, secretary and treasurer were appointed a committee to amend our rules to cover defects under which we have labored in the past in regard to the payment of fees after the time expires.

The treasurer read his report. (See report).

The treasurer of the Hampton Reserve Fund read his report. (See report).

It was ordered that the treasurer pay the interest accruing from the Hampton Reserve Fund only by order of the Brotherhood at its annual meeting.

B. F. Mason and A. M. Maon were appointed to solicit members during the Conference session.

J. C. Ley was authorized to cast the ballot for the re-election of the present officers, which he proceeded to do, with the following result: J. B. Ley, President; C. W. Inman, 1st Vice President; D. A. Cole, 2d Vice-President; F. Pasco, Treasurer; F. R. Bridges, Secretary; G. W. Mitchell, I. S. Patterson, B. F. Masou, Executive Committee.

The president was authorized to appoint a preacher in each district to represent the Brotherhood.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the president be requested to appoint competent persons to write articles in the interests of the Brotherhood for publication in the "Florida Christian Advocate."

The secretary was requested to send the minutes of this meeting to the editor of the "Florida Conference Journal" for publication.

On motion the meeting adjourned, with the benediction by the president.

F. R. BRIDGES, Secretary.

*Frederick Pasco. Treasurer, in account with Florida
Conference Brotherhood:*

1899.	DR.		
Dec. 1	To cash from Secretary F. R. Bridges..	\$309 00	
			<u>\$309 00</u>
1899.	CR.		
Nov. 20	By am't paid Mrs. W. S. Richardson ...	175 00	
	" Mrs. J. C. Sale.....	134 00	
			<u>309 00</u>
1900.	DR.		
Jan. 1	To am't from Secretary.....	\$141 00	
	CR.		
	By am't paid by request to Mrs. Sale...	10 00	
	Balance in treasury		<u>\$131 00</u>

HAMPTON RESERVE FUND.

Report of Frederick Pasco Treasurer:

1897.	DR.		
April 5	Balance on hand	\$394 00	
	Interest to Dec. 18, 1899.	51 64	
			<u>\$445 64</u>
1899.	CR.		
Oct. 28	By am't paid Mrs. W. S. Richardson....	25 00	
Dec. 9	" Mrs. J. C. Sale	17 00	
			<u>42 00</u>
Dec. 18	Balance on hand		<u>403 64</u>





MEMOIRS



Memoirs.

REV. W. S. RICHARDSON.

Rev. W. S. Richardson was born on Cape Fear River, Bladen Co., N. C., January 21, 1833, and finished his earthly pilgrimage at Key West, Florida, Sept. 14, 1899. In early life he was deeply impressed on the subject of religion, and, while yet in his boyhood, he was much given to private meditation and prayer. Of this period he writes:

“I was from childhood strongly impressed on the subject of religion. I have distinct remembrance of the conviction for sin, and earnest desire to be a Christian. I felt a mysterious tendency or drawing toward the Christian ministry.”

When, in the presence of God, death invades our circle and removes a friend, our thoughts naturally turn back upon the life that is closed, and contemplating that life across the chasm of the grave, we are likely to see its characteristic in a clear and truth revealing light. This fact may have given currency to the poetic aphorism—“Blessings brighten as they fly.” There are, however, some lives of such noble mould, and transparent purity as to compel recognition and elicit the commendation of all good men. Such a life was that of your late pastor, Rev. W. S. Richardson.

His supreme desire was to be and do good; and through riches of grace in Christ Jesus, this desire was fulfilled in large measure. He was distinctively referred to among his brethren—both clerical and lay—as “eminently pious, thoroughly consecrated; a man full of faith and the Holy Ghost.”

He was fortunate in being sent, at a critical period in life, to Bingham school, in Orange county, N. C., where he was surrounded with excellent educational and religious influences. It was here, when nineteen years of age, at a revival meeting that he found pardon and peace in believing. Of this experience he says:

“I retired to a grove near by before school hours, and while engaged in prayer, a holy calm filled my soul, and peace reigned within. All nature seemed touched with supreme beauty and all praised God. While sitting quietly and peacefully contemplating the scene, I realized a dis-

tinct and unmistakable call to preach the gospel. How glad I would have been to have responded obediently to the Divine call; but being very timid—excessively and painfully so—also possessing no confidence in my ability. I kept the knowledge of the call to myself alone. I felt it would be presumptuous even to acknowledge it to any one. 'The idea of my preaching was too much for my bashful, self-distrusting nature.'

After the lapse of thirty-eight years and in the full maturity of his ministerial life and usefulness he recurs to his first distinct call to the ministry. Of it he writes:

"Looking back to that happy morning, I am filled with regret that I was not obedient to the call. Every advantage lay before me. All to gain and nothing to lose—if I could have so seen it."

And then adds this reflection: "How much better for the young—the old—all—to submit their all ways to Divine guidance."

Failing to get full consent to avow his call to the ministry and commit himself to the work of preparation, he gradually drifted back to a worldly life.

A few years later an event occurred which, under God, settled his future course. He was married to Miss Annie E. Foxworth, of Sumpter county, South Carolina, a woman of superior qualities of mind and heart, and withal, devotedly pious. It was not long after this union before, at a gracious revival meeting, he was wonderfully reclaimed and the joy of salvation restored. With restoration to the conscious favor of God there came a distinct renewal of the call to preach the gospel; and now again, as the first instance, he was involved in a conflict—a struggle. His exalted conception of the sacred office and the work of the Christian ministry on the one hand, and the humble views which he entertained for himself and his abilities on the other, greatly discouraged and depressed him. Nevertheless, he was firm in adherence to the purpose formed—to follow what seemed to be the guiding hand of Divine Providence. He at once fell into line of such church work as came to hand. He rendered efficient service as steward, class-leader and Sunday-school superintendent and meanwhile thought, studied and prayed with reference to that broader field of Christian activity and usefulness which he was destined to occupy.

In due time he was licensed to preach. As a local preacher he was earnest, diligent and faithful. Having been (as he considered it) tardy in beginning the work to which he was divinely called, it appeared as though he would, if possible, make amends for mis-spent time and lost opportunities by extraordinary zeal and activity. A year or two in the ranks of the local ministry convinced that in that relation he could not make full proof of his ministry. He could not preach effectively and at the same time give attention to secular business, and besides, he felt

that his call was to the work of pastor as well as preacher. After prayerful consideration he decided to seek the pastoral relation, and it seems to have been his original purpose to apply to the South Carolina Conference for admission into the traveling connection, but that body was overcrowded at the time, and in the good providence of the great head of the church, his attention was turned to Florida.

His first wife having died in 1892, he married Miss Mattie Blalock, July 31, 1895, with whom he lived in an ideal union until the close of his useful and devoted life.

Learning that Florida was a field "white unto the harvest" and that more laborers were needed, he responded with eager haste and a burning zeal, and took his place as one of the preachers of the Florida Conference.

He was admitted on trial into the Florida Conference at Gainesville, Nov. 15, 1878. Having stood approved examinations on the courses of study from year to year, he was duly elected and ordained to the eldership in 1882.

From the time of his admission on trial into the Florida Conference in 1878 to the close of his life as a pastor, his walk and conversation were in harmony with the sacredness and dignity of the ministerial office. His pastorate—first and last—embraced a large number of charges. They all with one accord bear testimony to his worth as a man and Christian minister. In every field in which he labored believers were won to Christ. The church where he is known will honor his name and cherish his memory.

C. A. FULWOOD.

LAURINDA McCLARY RHODES

Mrs. Laurinda McClary Rhodes was born in Yorkville, S. C., August 26, 1822, and died in Jefferson county, Florida, April 16, 1899.

During the second year of her residence in Monticello her husband, pastor of that charge, passed from earth to the joys of the redeemed in heaven. A stranger, widowed and alone, God raised up friends to her and her children, and she realized the fulfillment of the promise that the righteous should not be forsaken, nor should their seed beg bread.

A friend who knew her long and intimately writes: "Truly sister Rhodes was a blessing to every one that knew her, and her loyalty to her friends, her church and her God was beautiful beyond description.

Blessed with devoted friends and loving children, her last days were crowned with many marked blessings—special outpourings of the Holy Spirit which were foretastes of the home beyond where she fondly hoped to meet the loved ones gone before.”

This brief record portrays but feebly the worth of this pious life on earth. It is the prerogative of nobler natures that their departure to higher realms exercises a no less blessed influence than did their abode in the flesh. They shine upon us from above like stars, by which we steer our course to the heaven of the good on high. Of this departed saint it may well be said, she pleased God and was beloved of him. When the obscurity of death shall be done away we shall awake and remember and understand that we shall be ever with the Lord. Those who have gone from us in the faith that saves have planted the seed of future harvests, and in the glad day of resurrection their labors shall appear in the souls won by their patient continuance in well-doing. And they, for a time, rest from their labors, and their works shall follow them and abide.

MAGGIE B. CARPENTER.

Mrs. Maggie B. Carpenter was born at Quincy, Missouri, April 13, 1858, and died at the Methodist parsonage in Orlando, Florida, December 20, 1898.

She was converted to God in her eighteenth year, and became a member of her mother's church, commonly the New Light church. She was married to Rev. W. J. Carpenter, August 20, 1880, and for more than eighteen years shared with him the burdens, hardships, privations and pleasures incident to an itinerant minister's wife.

As a wife, mother, friend and neighbor she was tender, loving, affectionate and kind, beautifully illustrating in her daily life the religion which she professed.

She was a useful worker in the church, and a faithful follower of the Lord. Out of the fulness of her motherly heart she expressed a desire that her children be not separated, and that they might be raised for the Lord, that they might make an unbroken family in heaven.

(The foregoing tribute to the memory of Mrs. W. J. Carpenter was prepared by one who had known her since her coming to this State, and who was also present at her funeral.)





STATISTICS



STATISTICAL

NAME OF CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP								
	Local Preachers	Members	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Addition on Prof. of Faith	Addition by Certif. Etc	Removals by Death, Etc	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized
TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT									
Tallahassee.....	1	330	330	351	5	17	43	8	3
Monticello.....	..	202	202	210	..	7	15	1	..
Leon Circuit.....	..	213	213	202	21	2	9	1	5
Quincy.....	2	137	137	135	7	12	17	4	1
Gadsden Circuit.....	3	312	312	410	1	6	5	..	..
Waukeenah Circuit.....	2	335	335	300	45	14	24	3	19
Midway Mission.....	..	171	171	157	34	14	24	12	25
Concord Circuit.....	1	319	319	309	9	4	6	5	3
Liberty Mission.....	..	131	131	139	2	1	17	6	2
Aucilla Circuit.....	2	253	253	240	16	9	12	5	8
Madison.....	3	445	445	428	42	7	25	10	31
Madison Circuit.....	2	283	283	280	6	11	14	4	1
Taylor Mission.....	1	245	245	205	31	11	3	11	12
Apalachicola.....	..	188	188	157	35	13	17	15	14
Carrabelle and Crawfordville.....	2	220	220	225	3	3	11	..	..
Woodville Mission.....	..	122	122	90	24	8	..	3	72
Total.....	19	3906	3906	3838	281	139	242	88	196
LIVE OAK DISTRICT									
Live Oak.....	1	163	163	147	..	16	..	..	..
Jasper.....	2	171	171	176	7	13	25	1	1
Hamilton Mission.....	1	141	141	141	..	..	..	..	..
White Springs Circuit.....	1	226	226	240	8	16	12	2	1
Welborn Circuit.....	4	333	333	345	5	6	17	2	2
Pine Mount Mission.....	1	230	230	224	7	3	4	3	5
Fort White Circuit.....	1	148	148	200	1	4	57	1	1
Lafayette Mission.....	2	211	211	200	14	4	7	..	10
Newnansville Circuit.....	3	250	250	234	8	11	1	5	4
Columbia Circuit.....	1	446	446	458	..	3	12	8	..
Lake City.....	..	178	178	174	4	32	32	0	2
Lake Butler Circuit.....	2	231	231	238	7	4	18	..	5
McClenney Mission.....	1	96	96	85	7	5	1	4	7
Starke.....	2	123	123	118	5	6	6	1	..
Waldo.....	4	87	87	40	..	7	10	1	..
High Springs.....	..	164	164	184	1	22	40	1	..
Melrose.....	1	326	326	330	..	3	13	3	..
Total.....	27	3524	3524	3584	74	155	255	39	38
JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT									
Jacksonville McTyeire Memorial.....	1	325	325	282	8	58	20	8	2
" Riverside.....	..	206	206	112	66	28	10	10	3
" St. Matthews.....	..	133	133	122	42	18	29	..	6
Fernandina.....	1	117	117	121	3	7	14	5	2
King's Ferry Circuit.....	..	91	91	79	12	..	3	2	3
Callahan.....	1	170	170	168	7	1	6	12	2
Green Cove and Middleburg.....	2	92	92	78	23	1	2	9	11
Mandarin.....	..	72	72	77	4	..	9	3	2
St. Augustine Mission.....	..	114	114	114	1	5	6	..	..
Palatka.....	1	199	199	260	7	10	18	4	1
Interlachen.....	1	76	76	74	..	3	1	..	..
Volusia Circuit.....	..	142	142	166	4	..	22	3	2
Fruitland Circuit.....	..	157	157	153	4	14	14	..	1
New Smyrna Mission.....	2	100	100	106	5	5	16	21	2
Santof.....	..	158	158	170	2	14	28	..	..
Oviedo.....	..	111	111	163	..	3	77	2	..
Titusville and Cocoa.....	..	102	102	118	..	..	16	..	..
Fort Pierce Circuit.....	2	86	86	57	19	10	3	12	16
DeLand Mission.....	..	73	73	76	2	9	14	2	1
Total.....	11	2530	2530	2436	209	186	308	94	54

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CHURCH PROPERTY													
Nc. of Societies in Charge	CHURCH PROPERTY												
	Nc. Churches	Value of Churches	Indebtedness thereon	Nc. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness thereon	Value of Dist. Par'gs	Indebtedness thereon	Value of other Ch'h Prop'y	Money expended on Churches & Parsonages	Ch'h's Damag'd or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Insurance Carried
1	1	\$ 15000		2	\$ 4000							\$ 4500	41 50
1	1	10000		1	2500							6500	
3	3	3000		1	800					500 00			
1	1	6500		1	1200					60 10		1000	
5	5	2500		1	350					150 00			
5	5	1700		1	500					113 00			
6	3	1100		1	500								
1	1	2000		1	500								
9	6	1400		1	325								
7	7	3500		1	500					31 50			
4	4	3600		1	1000							600	12 00
5	5	2800		1	250					60 00			
5	3	600		1	300			75 00	200 00				
1	1	3000		1	1000				45 00				
5	3	850		2	250			100 00	175 00	2	2000		
5	3	625		1	300			47 50	250 00				
64	54	58475		18	14335			222 50	1584 00	2	2000	12600	53 50
1	1	3000		1	2500				2000 00				
1	1	1250		1	1000								
7	7	2450		1	450				141 00				
5	5	2000		1	700			600 00	455 00			350	15 00
6	5	1800		1	500				65 00				
4	3	2000	35 00	1	1250	165 00			51 00				
6	4	875		1	440			400 00	450 00				
5	5	4100		1	1000			300 00	1048 00			750	
6	7	1700		1	400			225 00	5 45				
1	1	2000		1	1000				95 00				
5	7	2000		1	150				132 00	1	700		
4	3	800											
2	1	1000		1	900			300 00	32 00			750	14 00
3	3	1000		1	350	66 66		200 00	316 84			350	
3	3	1700	50 00						150 00				
5	5	4300		1	1600				304 00				
64	57	33170	85 00	14	12240	231 66		2035 00	5245 29	1	700	2150	29 00
1	1	40000	5000 00	1	4000				265 00			7000	86 00
1	1	5000	500 00	1	1800			150 00	140 00			2000	
1	1	2500		1	2500			200 00	234 00				
1	1	3000		1	1800				219 08			1500	
4	3	1500		1	500				70 00				
4	4	2000		1	300				90 00				
2	2	3600	20 00	1	200			50 00	18 00				
2	2	1000											
3	3	1400							27 50				
1	1	5000		1	1000			1000 00	233 60			3000	60 00
5	3	3500											
4	4	1800											
4	4	2070		1	500			500 00					
4	2	1000							125 00				
1	1	4150	1321 00	1	1500			110 00	193 00			3500	30 00
3	3	2000		1	1200				50 00				
3	3	4000							50 00				
4	3	1100		1	525	48 00			57 85				
2	2	2800	289 00		6	20 82		200 00	478 40			1000	
50	44	87350	7150 00	12	15895	68 82		2425 00	2595 83			18000	176 00

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NAME OF CHARGE	Local Preachers	MEMBERSHIP						Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized
		Members	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Addition on Prof. of Faith	Addition by Certif. Etc	Removals by Death, Etc		
GAINESVILLE DISTRICT									
Gainesville.....	1	301	301	297	17	37	50	2	8
Bronson.....	1	259	259	247	2	9	4	1	...
Rochelle and Orange Springs.....	1	144	144	200	5	3	7	6	1
Citra.....	...	90	90	97	1	3	11	1	...
Micanopy.....	...	150	150	156	10	1	13	1	4
Marvin Circuit.....	...	133	133	147	...	7	21	1	...
Ocala.....	1	221	221	205	11	43	38	2	3
Sumter Circuit.....	...	103	103	108	1	4	36	...	1
Cotton Plant Circuit.....	2	213	213	204	1	15	8	3	...
Wildwood	2	217	217	302	1	7	85	10	...
Anthony	2	272	272	288	5	15	36	6	3
Inverness .....	...	147	147	150	...	11	14	1	...
Summerfield Mission.....	...	115	115	117	2	9	13	1	...
Steward's Chapel Circuit.....	...	188	188	171	6	18	8	10	2
Brooksville and Mission.....	2	208	208	150	8	5	56	1	1
Leesburg.....	8	180	180	195	7	22	44	7	2
Cedar Grove Mission.....	...	94	94	84	10	4	4	8	5
Levy Mission.....	4	251	251	256	19	6	30	7	8
Lady Lake and Tavares.....	1	75	75	90	...	2	15	...	...
Total.....	25	3361	3361	3464	106	221	493	50	38
ORLANDO DISTRICT									
Orlando and Fairview.....	1	307	307	327	...	19	20	...	...
Apopka.....	2	112	112	190	1	8	65	2	1
Umatilla.....	...	286	286	250	29	7	10	3	8
Kissimmee and Mission.....	1	116	116	124	4	15	19	3	...
Maitland Mission.....	...	147	147	124	17	9	24	6	9
Bartow.....	...	220	220	226	...	11	17	4	...
Fort Meade and Homeland.....	1	134	134	118	5	6	27	...	3
Bowling Green Circuit and Mission.....	4	217	217	250	11	2	33	...	4
Arcadia.....	2	170	170	162	2	23	17	6	...
DeSoto Circuit.....	1	196	196	182	7	25	6	4	3
Meyers.....	1	103	103	91	9	16	1	1	1
Caloosahatchie.....	...	93	93	112	...	...	19	4	...
Fort Bassinger.....	...	61	61	62	1	...	2	...	...
Punta Gorda and Charlotte Harbor.....	...	159	159	44	8	7	3	1	3
Lakeland.....	1	180	180	167	5	21	13	5	3
Chualuskie and San Marco Mission.....	1	52	52	37	14	1	...	7	3
Wauchula Mission.....	2	126	126	104	11	16	5	7	8
Total.....	17	2679	2679	2570	124	186	281	55	46
TAMPA DISTRICT									
Tampa.....	6	694	694	625	25	84	46	13	10
Port Tampa City Mission.....	...	33	33	37	5	13	22	3	1
Seffner.....	...	257	257	193	5	66	17	5	1
Hillsborough Mission.....	...	48	4	60	...	...	12	...	...
Alafia.....	1	385	385	396	8	4	23	4	5
Manatee and Braidentown.....	1	174	174	151	22	17	16	10	7
Palmetto Station.....	2	119	119	125	11	12	29	1	...
Sarasota.....	4	138	138	119	11	8	9	4	6
Clear Water and St. Petersburg.....	1	157	157	115	3	53	10	4	1
Largo Circuit.....	2	338	338	279	52	19	12	10	10
Blanton.....	1	224	224	239	2	3	20	3	...
Pasco Mission.....	3	147	147	136	13	2	4	2	3
Dade City.....	1	222	222	214	19	7	18	...	8
Plant City.....	3	143	143	143	11	14	25	1	7
Kathleen Mission.....	2	154	154	142	5	12	...	1	4
Palmetto Mission.....	1	97	97	74	6	21	4	2	...
Cuba Mission of Tampa.....	...	77	77	30	14	7	17	65	26
Total.....	28	3407	3407	3191	212	342	284	128	89

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CHURCH PROPERTY														
No. of Societies in Charge	No. Churches	Value of Churches	Indebtedness thereon	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness thereon	Value of Dist. Pars'g	Indebtedness thereon	Value of other Ch'h Prop'y	Money expended on Churches & Parsonages	Ch'ns Damag'd or Destroyed	Amount of Damage	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid
1	1	\$ 1500		2	5000	1200			250 00				\$ 2200	22 00
2	4	4000		1	250									
4	4	2900		1	1200					600 00				
1	1	10000		1	1500	350							1000	20 00
4	4	2250	25 00	1	800				200 00	500 00				
4	3	3950		1	250	30				38 50				
1	1	10000	3150 00	1	2000				2000 00	2500 00			3000	
3	3	2000		1	500				25 00					
4	2	3000		1	1000				500 00	64 50				
4	3	2500	562 53	1	800					37 00				
5	4	4900		1	500				200 00	4 80				
4	4	3650		1	500					380 50			800	30 00
4	3	450								20 00				
5	3	2572		1	600				200 00	312 00				
6	4	6500	17 00	1	250									
1	1	3000		1	1000					22 45				
2	2	800								22 00				
6	6	1300												
4	4	3660		1	600	250			400 00					
65	57	72,72	3754 53	17	16750	1830			3775 00	4501 75			7000	72 00
...	1	4000		1	2500					225 00				
7	5	3500		1	300					30 00				
8	5	4500		1	150				150 00	35 00				
1	1	2500		1	1000					306 40			1000	
6	5	2500		1	500					150 97				
1	1	2000		2	2000		1500	400		137 40			1000	
2	2	3000		1	800					80 00				
4	3	2000		1	700					60 00				
1	1	5000		1	700					60 00			1000	25 00
5	2	950								112 00				
1	1	1000		1	600					125 00				
4	1	500								365 00				
3	1	250												
2	2	2000		1	600					50 00				
2	2	2675		1	500					215 00			1400	35 00
1	1			1	250									
1	1								200 00	35 00				
5	1	300												
53	34	36075		14	8660		1500	400	350 00	1986 77			4400	60 00
1	1	20000		1	5000					655 00				
1	1	1300	780 00							80 00			1000	5 00
6	5	2900		1	600				200 00	82 55				
...														
7	7	2900		1	700				400 00	100 00				
2	2	4500		1	600				250 00	1802 29			500	
1	1	12000		1	800					341 70				
5	3	1800		1	300				80 00	80 00				
3	2	3000		2	1000					41 20				
6	6	4600		1	500					72 00				
7	5	1750		1	250					450 00				
5	5	1200							50 00	251 90				
3	3	3000		2	2000				100 00	644 00			3000	87 00
1	1	1000							200 00	58 00				
4	4	1400		1	600				50 00					
5	1	300												
4	2	4200												
61	49	65850	780 00	13	12350				1370 00	4658 64			4500	92 00

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NAME OF CHARGE	MEMBERSHIP							Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized
	Local Preachers	Members	Total Members this year	Total Members last year	Addition on Prof. of Faith	Addition by Certif. Etc	Removals by Death, Etc		
KEY WEST DISTRICT									
Key West, First Charge.....		311	311	321	1	4	17	13	....
“ Spark’s Chapel.....		400	400	397	6	3	6	43	....
“ Memorial.....		158	158	148	5	15	5	29	....
“ LaTrinidad, Cuban.....	1	41	41	72	13	7	21	29	3
Key Largo.....		86	86	83	2	....	1	10	....
Miami.....		67	67	40	5	31	9	2	....
Biscayne Bay.....	1	63	63	52	3	8	2	1	....
West Palm Beach.....	1	59	59	50	10	9	10	....	6
Cuba, Havana, American.....	2	16	16	....	2	17	3	6	....
“ Havana, Cuban.....		153	153	38	29	16	....	10	29
“ Matanzas.....		80	80	....	62	18	5	12	62
“ Cienfuegos.....		13	13	....	7	6	....	....	7
“ Santiago.....		38	38	....	....	6	2	....	....
Total.....	5	1485	1485	1201	145	140	81	155	107

RECAPITUL

NAME OF DISTRICT									
Tallahassee.....	19	3906	3906	3838	281	139	242	88	196
Live Oak.....	27	3524	3524	3584	74	155	255	39	38
Jacksonville.....	11	2590	2590	2436	209	186	308	94	54
Gainesville.....	25	3361	3361	3464	106	221	493	50	38
Orlando.....	17	2679	2679	2570	124	186	281	53	46
Tampa.....	28	3407	3407	3191	212	342	284	128	89
Key West.....	5	1485	1485	1201	145	140	81	155	107
Total.....	132	20892	20892	20284	1151	1369	1944	607	568
Total last year.....	136	20294	20284	972	1185	1703	645	410
Increase.....	...	608	608	179	184	241	158
Decrease.....	4	38

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CHURCH PROPERTY														
No. of Societies in Charge														
	No Churches	Value of Churches	Indebtedness thereon	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Indebtedness thereon	Value of Dist. Par'gs	Indebtedness thereon	Value of other Ch'h Prop'y	Money expend- ed on Churches & Parsonages	Ch'h's Damag'd or Destroyed	Amount of Damag't	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid
1	1	28500	.....	1	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	35 37	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	1	500	.....	1	1500	.....	.....	6500 00	.....	23 75	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	1	1500	.....	1	800	.....	.....	500 00	.....	525 50	.....	.....	500	.....
1	1	3000	1	1900	4 50	500	20
3	2	1000	1	250
1	1	1	100	1200 00	180 00
2	2	1500	225 00	30 00
.....	1	1800	2000 00
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1	843 95
.....
.....
12	9	37800	225 00	6	7550	11043 95	859 12	1000	20

LATION.

64	54	58475	18	14325	222 50	1584 60	2	2000	12600	53 50
64	57	33170	85 00	14	12240	231 66	.....	2035 00	5245 29	1	700	2150	29 00	.....
50	44	87350	7130 00	12	15890	68 82	.....	2435 00	2595 83	.....	.....	18000	176 00	.....
65	57	72772	3754 53	17	16750	1830 00	.....	3775 00	4501 75	.....	.....	7000	72 00	.....
53	34	36675	.....	14	8660	.....	400	350 00	1986 77	.....	.....	4400	60 00	.....
61	49	65850	780 00	13	2350	.....	.....	1370 00	4658 64	.....	.....	4500	92 00	.....
12	9	37800	225 00	6	7550	.....	.....	11043 00	859 12	.....	.....	1000	20 00	.....
369	304	392092	11974 53	94	77768	.....	10000	400	21230 50	21432 00	3	2700	49650	502 50
358	289	375841	15533 60	90	88825	14483 00	17005 00	3	522	58850	715 07
11	15	16251	4	6747 50	4427 00	2178
.....	4558 93	11057	9200	212 57

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NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preachers in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed
TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT									
Tallahassee.....	230 00	230 00	1260 00	1200 00	21 00	21 00	86 00	86 00	111 00
Monticello.....	200 00	200 00	900 00	900 00	20 00	20 00	73 00	73 00	54 00
Leon Circuit.....	55 00	46 34	400 00	298 87	6 00	4 00	25 00	10 00	27 00
Quincy.....	100 00	100 00	800 00	821 10	12 00	12 00	46 00	38 00	62 00
Gadsden Circuit.....	75 00	48 70	500 00	343 80	11 00	4 00	46 00	10 00	55 00
Waukeenah Circuit...	55 00	50 81	400 00	365 00	6 00	4 00	26 00	20 00	33 00
Midway Mission.....	45 00	31 07	370 00	255 41	6 00	2 00	16 00	7 60	32 00
Concord Circuit.....	70 00	45 00	430 00	306 00	10 00	8 00	33 00	10 00	49 00
Liberty Mission.....	40 00	38 63	220 00	192 38	5 00	5 00	24 00	5 00	27 00
Aucilla Circuit.....	55 00	40 44	350 00	257 32	5 00	1 00	19 00	14 00	33 00
Madison.....	100 00	100 00	700 00	700 00	11 00	11 00	46 00	46 00	55 00
Madison Circuit.....	65 00	46 00	410 00	295 00	11 09	4 50	46 00	21 53	55 00
Taylor Mission.....	45 00	30 00	235 00	175 00	6 00	1 00	13 00	3 00	32 00
Apalachicola.....	70 00	72 35	475 00	484 64	10 00	5 00	44 00	20 00	51 00
Carrabelle & Crawford	50 00	28 00	400 00	242 10	5 00	5 00	25 00	11 00	27 00
Woodville.....	39 00	20 00	200 00	158 00	3 00	2 00	15 00	5 00	18 00
Total.....	1294 00	1127 20	7990 00	6998 63	148 00	109 50	588 00	350 13	766 00
LIVE OAK DISTRICT									
Live Oak.....	100 00	76 00	700 00	534 24	10 00	10 00	40 70	40 70	45 50
Jasper.....	78 00	78 00	600 00	615 00	9 30	5 00	34 30	24 00	39 50
Hamilton Mission.....	32 50	18 15	250 00	146 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 80
White Springs Circuit..	53 30	45 35	412 00	350 51	6 35	5 20	23 75	21 60	26 50
Welborn Circuit.....	65 00	55 51	500 00	422 94	7 75	7 75	28 85	23 85	32 55
Pine Mount Mission...	39 00	31 50	300 00	191 30	4 65	.....	17 00	5 40	19 25
Fort White Circuit....	75 00	45 90	500 00	337 85	.....	4 00	.....	10 00	.....
Lafayette Mission.....	26 00	20 00	260 00	150 00	3 10	2 00	11 35	11 35	12 80
Newnansville Circuit...	87 75	74 57	675 00	575 4	10 45	7 00	32 50	29 00	38 25
Columbia Circuit.....	75 00	69 35	525 00	485 50	8 20	5 25	30 50	21 00	34 65
Lake City.....	84 56	77 00	650 00	600 00	10 05	10 05	37 85	37 85	42 50
Lake Butler Circuit...	46 80	31 40	360 00	259 44	5 60	1 00	20 40	2 16	23 05
McClenny Mission.....	30 55	15 01	250 00	99 24	3 65	1 00	13 00	1 00	15 00
Starke.....	78 00	70 00	600 00	536 53	9 30	4 50	34 55	17 00	38 75
Waldo.....	39 00	28 81	300 00	221 72	4 65	1 25	17 00	3 00	19 25
High Springs.....	43 75	48 75	395 00	405 00	5 80	5 80	21 25	21 25	24 50
Melrose.....	82 55	82 55	635 00	635 00	10 10	6 10	36 50	36 50	41 50
Total.....	1041 70	867 97	7852 00	6565 80	103 95	75 70	399 50	310 60	437 35
JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT									
McTyiere Memorial...	170 00	170 00	1200 00	1200 00	20 86	20 86	74 50	74 50	104 30
Riverside.....	85 00	42 00	720 00	575 00	11 00	2 00	39 50	9 00	55 00
St. Matthews.....	60 00	34 50	500 00	277 00	7 36	4 00	26 30	11 00	36 82
Fernandina.....	85 00	85 00	725 00	725 37	10 60	10 00	37 00	37 00	52 00
King's Ferry Circuit..	60 00	53 05	375 00	344 50	7 36	7 36	26 30	26 30	36 82
Callahan.....	35 00	30 75	275 00	244 00	4 30	2 00	15 35	10 00	21 49
Green Cove & Mid'b'g	40 00	34 65	240 00	258 32	4 00	4 00	17 00	16 05	24 50
Mandarin Mission.....	35 00	24 00	200 00	137 30	4 30	30	15 35	1 85	21 49
St. Augustine Mission.	35 00	31 00	200 00	190 47	4 67	2 50	16 65	8 00	23 31
Palatka.....	115 00	77 05	850 00	571 35	15 00	10 00	47 00	35 00	67 00
Interlachen.....	30 00	23 10	250 00	196 27	3 68	1 00	13 15	2 50	18 41
Volusia Circuit.....	50 00	25 00	400 00	203 00	5 60	.....	20 00	2 00	20 00
Fruitland Circuit.....	50 00	40 22	400 00	269 18	6 15	.....	21 92	4 00	30 73
New Smyrna Mission.	40 00	40 00	400 00	300 00	4 00	2 00	17 50	2 00	24 50
Sanford.....	80 00	80 00	600 00	561 12	9 30	9 00	35 00	23 00	49 00
Oviedo.....	50 00	41 90	425 00	400 38	6 15	5 00	21 95	14 58	30 73
Titusville & Cocoa....	50 00	41 50	350 00	222 77	6 15	.....	21 95	12 75	30 73
Fort Pierce Circuit....	30 00	30 00	420 00	420 00	3 68	3 68	13 50	13 50	18 40
DeLand Mission.....	25 00	25 00	200 00	243 32	3 08	3 08	11 00	11 00	15 40
Total.....	1145 00	930 76	8739 00	7335 05	137 00	86 78	490 95	314 05	680 33

TABLE No. 2

Foreign Miss'ns	Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		W F Mission-Society	W H Mission-Society	Am. Bible Society	Other Objects	Total from all Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid					
111 00	97 00	112 00	36 00	36 00	80 00	80 00	84 44	66 39	3 70	63 48	2276 91
98 46	82 00	93 00	30 00	30 00	70 00	70 00	253 03	125 75	9 00	56 80	1228 24
6 06	28 00	10 00	19 00	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	368 21
50 00	53 00	50 00	20 00	15 00	45 00	35 50	70 00	.....	2 50	280 85	1465 45
10 00	50 00	8 00	18 00	3 00	44 00	6 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	580 10
11 00	34 00	25 00	12 00	4 00	25 00	20 00	29 20	.....	.....	.....	692 61
12 00	28 00	15 00	11 00	1 00	16 00	1 50	.....	.....	3 00	3 00	328 00
15 25	44 00	15 00	18 06	5 00	15 00	7 00	.....	.....	.....	2 00	426 25
5 00	26 00	5 00	9 00	3 00	19 00	3 99	.....	.....	.....	2 00	258 55
16 08	30 00	16 00	11 00	3 00	17 00	6 35	35 72	.....	.....	250 50	634 07
55 00	51 00	58 00	18 00	18 00	43 00	43 00	45 00	82 20	2 51	181 00	1337 77
25 00	50 00	22 00	18 00	9 00	43 00	18 50	.....	.....	1 00	5 75	448 28
3 60	28 00	2 00	11 00	3 00	17 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217 00
27 00	25 00	15 00	14 00	6 00	40 00	20 00	75 45	10 00	1 00	344 00	1080 47
10 00	26 00	9 00	9 00	7 00	19 00	2 00	.....	.....	50	1 50	316 00
5 00	15 00	5 00	3 00	1 00	2 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	262 70
477 79	665 00	461 55	257 00	144 00	495 00	317 44	596 84	284 34	23 21	1190 88	11921 21
46 50	36 40	45 40	13 00	13 00	34 00	34 00	102 00	.....	.....	1 33	894 67
40 00	31 70	33 05	11 40	7 00	41 05	25 00	.....	.....	.....	11 05	830 05
6 00	10 40	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180 15
17 65	21 80	15 35	7 70	7 00	28 05	28 05	.....	.....	1 00	194 90	685 69
32 55	26 50	30 50	9 30	9 30	34 20	34 20	11 10	.....	1 00	7 82	679 12
6 50	15 60	7 55	5 45	1 75	20 50	17 25	.....	.....	.....	1 35	252 80
20 80	.....	20 00	.....	4 00	.....	8 00	.....	.....	1 76	.....	524 65
8 00	10 40	7 00	3 65	2 25	13 70	8 50	.....	.....	1 00	37 00	700 00
20 00	29 10	20 00	8 80	4 00	46 15	25 00	13 00	.....	.....	.....	749 98
22 17	28 55	22 68	10 15	6 40	36 25	23 20	.....	.....	.....	140 48	791 62
47 50	34 50	44 55	12 35	12 35	44 45	31 00	.....	.....	10 00	376 00	1245 00
10 00	18 70	10 00	6 55	1 00	24 60	10 25	.....	.....	.....	177 00	504 60
1 15	15 30	1 40	4 25	.....	10 05	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	121 80
15 00	32 20	19 74	11 15	3 00	41 05	10 00	45 24	43 76	76	80 74	873 59
7 00	15 60	10 93	5 45	1 50	20 50	2 00	.....	.....	.....	8 28	276 27
24 50	20 00	25 15	7 30	7 30	25 55	25 55	7 00	50 00	1 00	160 95	777 05
28 34	33 50	39 00	11 80	4 00	43 45	49 00	6 00	.....	.....	4 02	1219 39
353 56	389 50	352 30	128 30	83 85	463 55	334 00	184 34	93 76	16 52	1200 92	11306 43
83 30	96 85	111 75	18 63	18 63	91 19	46 80	144 00	1043 43	1 00	720 31	4061 00
10 00	48 00	8 00	9 87	8 00	48 00	8 00	22 00	49 77	1 00	1 00	1093 08
12 00	34 19	11 00	6 58	1 00	32 19	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	620 65
30 00	43 00	36 00	9 00	8 00	45 00	9 00	15 45	218 89	.....	91 59	1371 34
36 82	34 19	39 45	6 58	6 58	32 19	32 19	.....	.....	.....	7 10	550 09
5 20	19 96	9 00	3 83	2 00	18 79	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	420 95
2 50	22 75	3 50	4 30	.....	21 40	19 95	.....	.....	.....	.....	363 73
1 10	19 96	6 15	3 83	60	18 79	70	.....	.....	55	12 07	201 35
7 00	19 95	7 50	5 00	2 50	11 66	5 50	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	302 58
30 00	50 00	26 00	15 00	9 00	33 00	25 00	26 10	233 50	.....	241 62	1349 75
4 00	17 07	2 50	3 61	.....	16 09	.....	.....	.....	1 00	4 56	234 43
4 00	25 00	1 00	6 00	1 00	15 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	243 00
2 00	28 54	3 50	5 48	50	26 86	7 35	6 00	4 20	50	.....	367 96
5 00	22 74	5 00	4 32	1 00	21 42	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	409 00
20 00	45 50	22 00	8 75	8 00	42 34	8 00	28 00	.....	.....	156 20	1185 07
15 00	28 54	22 00	5 48	2 00	26 86	39 50	.....	.....	.....	27 50	541 36
10 00	28 54	5 00	5 48	.....	26 86	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	292 02
18 40	17 00	19 08	3 39	3 39	16 09	16 09	.....	.....	.....	3 40	75 66
15 40	14 30	16 50	2 75	2 75	13 46	13 46	.....	56 15	1 97	26 71	943 32
311 72	616 11	355 53	127 88	74 95	557 19	248 54	243 55	1605 94	7 02	1293 06	14628 34

STATISTICAL

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preachers in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Forei'n Miss'ns
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed
GAINESVILLE DIST.									
Gainesville.....	150 00	150 00	1000 00	1000 00	15 00	15 00	65 00	65 00	50 00
Brouson.....	95 00	53 29	700 00	498 92	10 00	10 00	35 00	35 00	20 00
Rochelle & Orange S'g	60 00	50 00	410 00	330 00	...	3 00	...	8 00	25 00
Uitra.....	78 00	56 00	600 00	430 00	8 00	4 88	35 00	21 35	35 00
Micanopy Circuit.....	53 00	33 80	400 00	276 55	8 00	6 60	25 00	20 14	20 00
Marvin Circuit.....	60 00	60 00	470 00	430 41	8 00	8 00	25 00	25 00	25 00
Ocala.....	117 00	102 86	900 00	796 95	12 00	12 00	35 00	35 00	40 00
Summerfield Mission..	40 00	30 31	285 00	215 53	5 00	3 00	15 00	12 00	15 00
Cotton Plant Circuit..	60 00	55 00	475 00	435 37	8 00	4 00	25 00	13 00	25 00
Wildwood Circuit.....	60 00	42 92	450 00	327 02	8 00	5 25	25 00	25 00	35 00
Anthony Circuit.....	60 00	46 87	450 00	343 77	8 00	4 76	25 00	15 50	25 00
Inverness Circuit.....	50 00	33 73	400 00	269 85	5 00	1 55	20 00	11 05	20 00
Sumterville Circuit...	50 00	38 85	450 00	300 55	5 00	3 00	20 00	13 00	20 00
Stewart's Chapel Circ't	50 00	31 81	350 00	222 55	5 00	5 00	26 00	20 25	20 00
Brooksville & Mission.	65 00	31 50	500 00	328 50	...	4 00	30 00	20 28	35 00
Leesburg.....	80 00	80 00	611 00	611 00	8 00	8 00	35 00	44 80	40 00
Lady Lake & Tavares.	25 00	8 75	.....	113 23	2 00	1 00	15 00	5 00	20 00
Cedar Grove Mission..	30 00	30 00	190 00	190 00	5 00	.....	15 00	.....	20 00
Levy Mission.....	25 00	18 00	200 00	148 75	2 00	2 00	10 00	2 75	15 00
Total.....	1210 00	953 69	8841 00	7268 95	122 00	101 04	481 00	392 12	505 00
ORLANDO DISTRICT									
Orlando & Fairview...	175 00	145 00	1200 00	1000 00	21 00	21 00	71 00	71 00	101 00
Apopka.....	65 00	40 00	600 00	325 00	8 00	3 00	30 00	10 00	35 00
Unatilla.....	50 00	50 00	400 00	400 00	7 00	7 00	24 00	24 00	34 00
Kissimmee.....	60 00	53 78	500 00	448 22	10 00	10 00	31 00	28 50	43 00
Maitland Misssion....	42 00	39 00	300 00	278 00	5 00	3 25	18 00	13 50	25 00
Bartow.....	82 00	83 00	720 00	720 00	13 00	5 00	42 00	23 00	60 00
Fort Meade & Hom'l'd	50 50	41 30	350 50	288 00	4 00	4 00	22 00	22 00	30 00
Bowling Green C & M.	50 00	30 15	325 00	235 00	5 00	.....	11 00	8 25	16 00
Arcadia.....	62 50	62 50	600 00	600 00	9 00	9 00	31 00	32 00	45 00
DeSoto Circuit.....	50 00	44 43	350 00	305 57	6 00	6 00	21 00	21 00	30 00
Myers.....	75 00	75 00	600 00	600 00	12 00	10 00	36 00	25 00	51 00
Caloosahatchee.....	44 00	40 60	360 00	271 05	5 00	3 55	18 00	12 78	25 00
Fort Bassenger.....	50 00	39 26	150 00	120 35	3 00	2 00	12 00	5 00	17 00
Punta Gorda C Harb'r	75 00	40 00	650 00	400 00	9 00	4 00	31 00	15 00	43 00
Lakeland.....	62 50	67 50	525 00	574 00	9 00	9 00	31 00	31 00	45 00
Chuckaluskie S Marco	38 00	45 00	60 00	24 00	2 00	.....	10 00	2 00	10 00
Wauchula Mission....	25 00	27 55	150 00	166 65	3 00	3 00	9 00	9 00	13 00
Kissimmee Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	1 00	6 00	3 00	9 00
Bartow Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 00	1 50	11 00	5 00	17 00
Total.....	1056 50	924 07	8380 50	6745 84	131 00	102 30	448 00	361 03	623 00
TAMPA DISTRICT									
Tampa.....	250 00	250 00	1500 00	1500 00	26 00	26 00	95 00	95 00	137 00
Port Tampa City Miss	35 00	30 09	250 00	215 04	4 50	3 00	15 00	8 00	22 00
Seffner.....	52 00	47 13	405 00	326 57	6 50	5 00	24 00	18 00	35 00
Hillsboro Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	40 00	.....	50	.....	3 00	.....
Alafia.....	60 00	45 41	365 00	274 99	6 00	4 00	27 00	9 00	40 00
Manatee & Braident'n	84 00	85 50	800 00	807 50	10 50	10 50	35 00	35 00	55 00
Palmetto & Mission...	70 00	70 00	500 00	500 00	8 50	2 55	30 00	8 00	45 00
Sarasota.....	45 00	45 00	325 00	336 00	5 50	5 50	21 00	21 40	28 00
Clear W & St.Peters'g	70 00	70 00	575 00	575 00	8 50	8 50	30 00	30 00	45 00
Largo Circuit.....	70 00	70 00	500 00	500 00	7 50	7 50	28 00	30 00	42 00
Blanton.....	42 00	19 60	300 00	141 00	5 00	2 50	20 00	8 40	26 00
Pasco Mission.....	24 00	22 00	165 00	147 76	2 50	1 98	11 00	8 75	15 00
Dade City.....	70 00	63 39	500 00	452 80	8 50	5 25	30 00	17 25	45 00
Plant City.....	67 00	56 91	480 00	406 54	8 50	7 00	30 00	18 25	45 00
Kathleen Mission.....	25 00	25 00	180 00	122 58	3 00	.....	11 00	3 00	15 00
Palmetto Mission.....	25 00	15 69	265 00	115 09	3 00	.....	11 00	2 75	.....
Cuban Mission-Tampa	.....	24 00	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	2 00	.....
Total.....	989 00	930 72	7110 00	6460 87	114 00	90 78	409 75	317 78	595 00

TABLE No. 2—CON.

Forei'n Miss'ns	Domestic Missions		Church Extension		Education		W F Mission- Society	W H Mission- Society	Am. Bible Society	Other Objects	Total from all Sources
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid		
50 00	55 00	65 00	25 00	25 00	54 00	54 00	35 75	83 60	2 00	387 00	1932 35
20 00	20 00	41 00	15 00	8 00	40 00	40 00	.....	.....	.....	21 30	646 21
8 00	20 00	8 00	10 00	5 00	.....	3 00	20 50	19 55	1 00	.....	465 05
21 35	30 00	21 35	10 00	10 00	35 00	21 35	56 01	12 30	1 00	19 05	674 41
19 62	18 00	20 66	10 00	7 78	20 00	18 40	.....	39 83	.....	68 29	972 46
25 00	20 00	25 00	10 00	10 00	25 00	25 00	29 80	.....	.....	1 00	715 35
47 09	40 00	55 00	20 00	20 00	40 00	40 00	18 00	160 00	2 12	175 00	1416 12
12 00	15 00	17 00	8 00	1 00	20 00	5 00	18 00	.....	.....	25 00	336 84
12 50	20 00	15 00	10 00	5 50	25 00	12 50	.....	.....	25	5 25	553 37
27 00	30 00	31 00	8 00	5 00	25 00	20 00	15 00	.....	1 03	130 23	732 31
14 50	20 00	11 90	10 00	5 80	25 00	14 50	.....	.....	.....	124 20	617 88
18 02	18 00	7 90	10 00	1 80	20 00	11 42	.....	83 49	.....	60	483 11
12 00	18 00	18 00	10 00	5 00	20 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	4 00	392 40
9 60	18 00	29 80	10 00	10 10	20 00	21 00	58 18	.....	1 50	1 00	410 79
18 39	30 00	22 00	10 00	6 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	2 85	2 00	443 52
53 67	30 00	48 00	10 00	12 00	35 00	194 50	41 37	14 15	2 00	7 00	1298 98
7 00	10 00	6 00	.....	1 50	10 00	.....	.....	.....	1 62	3 00	144 10
5 00	10 00	5 00	10 00	3 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	277 50
6 95	10 00	2 15	5 00	1 45	10 00	2 75	.....	.....	.....	3 00	202 65
386 67	432 00	444 76	201 00	143 93	444 00	503 42	292 61	412 92	15 37	978 92	2755 40
101 00	87 00	87 00	26 00	26 00	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	7 25	2001 34
10 00	30 00	10 00	9 00	2 50	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	450 50
34 00	25 00	28 00	9 00	9 00	30 00	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	589 00
43 50	37 00	42 00	12 00	9 00	.....	35 25	31 59	58 87	75	69 90	1132 76
18 50	20 00	17 00	6 00	4 50	30 00	22 50	7 71	.....	1 04	2 7	588 52
30 00	46 00	30 00	16 00	8 00	.....	7 50	143 23	15 00	1 00	128 00	1377 35
30 00	26 00	30 25	8 00	8 00	25 00	25 00	.....	.....	5 00	2 00	451 30
7 75	16 00	16 00	7 00	5 00	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	297 15
45 00	32 00	39 00	12 00	12 00	30 00	32 00	17 70	141 05	2 00	2 00	1591 65
30 00	26 00	29 00	8 00	8 00	25 00	25 00	18 00	.....	.....	.....	489 00
25 00	38 00	25 00	14 00	7 00	15 00	16 00	32 00	150 00	.....	72 00	1043 00
17 75	20 00	14 20	6 00	4 26	15 00	10 65	.....	.....	1 00	4 00	774 94
6 50	14 00	6 00	4 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	182 11
15 00	32 00	12 00	12 00	4 00	20 00	5 00	.....	27 50	1 00	3 00	523 50
45 00	35 00	40 00	11 00	11 00	15 00	15 00	6 05	7 65	2 10	91 00	894 30
2 00	10 00	1 00	2 00	.....	2 00	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	24 70
13 00	10 00	12 00	3 00	3 00	16 60	23 00	10 36	.....	1 00	15 00	281 56
3 00	7 00	3 00	2 00	1 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4 50	14 00	5 00	4 00	1 00	.....	3 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
481 50	504 00	459 45	165 00	125 26	223 60	310 80	266 64	400 07	14 89	396 90	12242 70
137 00	133 00	133 00	40 00	40 00	115 00	115 00	93 00	425 00	2 00	.....	.....
8 00	18 00	11 00	6 00	3 00	18 00	6 00	.....	46 85	3 00	.....	.....
20 00	28 00	24 00	10 00	8 00	28 00	18 00	10 35	18 80	.....	.....	.....
1 00	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15 00	32 00	10 00	16 00	5 00	20 00	10 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....
55 00	45 00	51 00	14 00	14 00	45 00	45 00	36 20	530 03	5 00	.....	.....
5 35	35 00	5 23	14 00	2 00	35 00	15 00	.....	15 00	.....	.....	.....
23 00	23 00	26 50	7 50	7 50	23 50	53 50	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....
45 00	35 00	40 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	35 00	.....	30 00	.....	.....	.....
47 00	33 00	40 00	14 00	12 00	33 00	33 00	.....	.....	4 96	.....	.....
10 00	22 00	10 00	7 00	1 50	22 00	4 50	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....
11 90	12 00	11 28	4 00	3 17	12 00	9 70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18 00	35 00	17 00	14 00	6 00	35 00	7 50	6 15	22 85	1 00	.....	.....
30 75	35 00	27 50	12 00	10 00	35 00	32 50	.....	8 10	.....	.....	.....
6 48	12 00	1 93	4 00	.....	12 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10 00	10 00	2 00	2 00	1 00
448 48	498 40	399 84	174 50	128 17	468 50	386 70	145 70	1096 63	20 96

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NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder		Preachers in Charge		Bishops		Conference Claimants		Foreign Miss'ns
	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed	Paid	Assessed
KEY WEST DISTRICT									
Key West, 1st Charge.	\$145 00	\$115 01	\$1000 00	\$793 43	.....	\$6 50	.....	\$50 00	.....
Spark's Chapel....	125 00	125 00	800 00	570 00	.....	3 00	.....	20 00	.....
Memorial "	40 00	40 00	400 00	400 00	.....	3 00	.....	5 00	.....
LaTrinidad, Cuban	20 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	\$1 00	\$3 00	3 00	\$5 00
Key Largo.....	40 00	30 00	360 00	265 65	4 00	4 00	20 00	21 00	20 00
Miami.....	40 00	33 00	300 00	230 00	2 10	.....	7 50	75	10 50
Biscayne Bay.....	35 00	17 00	200 00	130 85	1 40	.....	5 00	.....	7 00
West Palm Beach.....	35 00	25 00	215 00	250 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cuba—Havana, Ame'n	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Havana, Cuban....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Matanzas.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cienfuegos.....
Santiago.....
Total.....	480 00	410 01	3275 00	2639 93	8 50	19 50	35 50	99 75	42 50

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NAME OF DIST.									
Tallahassee.....	1294 00	1127 36	7990 00	6994 63	148 00	109 50	588 00	380 13	766 00
Live Oak.....	1041 70	867 97	7852 00	6565 86	108 95	75 70	599 50	310 66	467 35
Jacksonville.....	1145 00	930 76	8730 00	7339 05	137 00	86 78	490 95	314 03	680 63
Gainesville.....	1210 00	953 69	8841 00	7268 95	122 00	101 04	481 00	392 12	505 00
Orlando.....	1056 50	924 07	8380 50	6745 84	131 00	132 30	448 00	361 03	623 00
Tampa.....	989 00	930 72	7110 00	6460 87	114 00	90 78	409 75	317 78	595 00
Key West.....	480 00	410 01	3275 00	2639 93	8 50	19 50	35 50	99 75	42 50
Total.....	7216 20	6144 58	52178 00	44015 13	769 45	615 60	2852 70	2175 50	3679 48
Total Last Year.....	6874 75	5661 58	50440 96	41208 61	798 16	528 50	2839 07	1866 56	3715 43
Increase.....	341 45	483 00	1637 04	3807 52	.....	.....	13 63	308 94	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28 71	112 90	.....	.....	35 95

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 3

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Epworth Leagues		No. Epworth League Mem'rs		No. Sunday School's		No. Officers and Teachers		No. Scholars	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools	Amount Collected for Missions	Amount Collected on Children's Day	Amount Collected for Other Objects	Total Amount Raised in Sunday Schools
	No.	Leagues	No.	Mem'rs	No.	School's	No.	Officers and Teachers						
TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT														
Tallahassee.....	1	46	1	33				163	119 99	43 56	15 18			124 17
Monticello.....	1	18	1	19				95	30 00	59 73	7 35	10 00		99 73
Leon Circuit.....	1	17									2 00			2 00
Quincy.....	1	30		9				51	30 00	8 00				38 00
Gadsden Circuit.....			3	15				110	33 50		3 00			36 50
Waukeelah Circuit.....	1	20	3	18				100	15 00	20 00		10 00		45 00
Midway Mission.....			2	8				30	250 00	75 00				325 00
Concord Circuit.....			4	9				75	15 00	2 00				17 00
Liberty Mission.....	1	21	2	10				61	2 00	7 00				9 00
Aucilla Circuit.....	2	45	7	21				200	18 00					18 00
Madison.....	1	36	2	18				79	50 00	7 00	3 55			60 55
Madison Circuit.....			1	6				53	14 28			51 00		65 28
Taylor Mission.....			2	50				45	5 00					5 00
Apalachicola.....	1	39	1	14				75	41 77	21 41				63 17
Carrabelle & Crawfordville.....			3	18				120	23 00					23 00
Woodville.....			3	12				103	14 50		3 20			17 70
Total.....	10	272	36	260				1360	669 94	244 29	34 28	71 00		948 70
LIVE OAK DISTRICT														
Live Oak.....			1	19				68	50 00	8 50				58 50
Jasper.....	1	35	1	13				113	38 39	8 05	4 00			50 41
Hamilton Mission.....			4	19				117						
White Springs Circuit.....	1	24	6	37				240	29 00					29 00
Welborn Circuit.....	1	20	6	30				250	36 00	3 67				39 67
Pine Mount Mission.....			3	17				83	7 39		1 35			8 74
Fort White Circuit.....			2	12				99	21 30					21 30
Lafayette Mission.....			1	6				36	3 50					3 50
Newnansville Circuit.....			3	17				127	45 12		2 00			47 12
Columbia Circuit.....			3	17				75	14 87					14 87
Lake City.....	1	25	1	18				100	52 00	13 00	2 50	25 00		109 50
Lake Butler Circuit.....	1	25	2	14				82	5 00					5 00
McCleenny Mission.....	1		3	5				75						
Starke.....	1	35	1	8				65	20 00	8 56		5 00		33 56
Waldo.....	1	30	3	10				80	14 53	4 68	3 00			22 81
High Springs.....	1	15	3	25				175	70 00	20 00	3 53			95 53
Melrose.....	3	85	5	35				220	60 00	8 67	4 40	5 00		78 00
Total.....	12	294	48	306				1969	467 10	75 00	23 38	35 00		617 51
JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT														
McTyiere Memorial.....	2	75	1	19				175	150 20	25 00	8 10			183 30
Riverside.....	2	45	1	18				160	40 50	10 00				50 50
St. Matthews.....	1	20	1	7				62	22 00	8 00	2 15			32 15
Fernandina.....			1	13				85	96 68	10 75				107 41
King's Ferry Circuit.....	1	21	4	17				100	14 00					14 00
Callahan.....	1	18	3	20				65	16 00					16 00
Green Cove & Mid'b'g.....	2	40	2	18				85	25 00	3 50	2 20			5 70
Mandarin Mission.....			1	6				47	7 75	4 55	2 75			15 05
St. Augustine Mission.....	2	44	2	8				50	9 61		5 00			14 61
Palatka.....			1	17				105	54 47	3 12	4 54			63 13
Interlachen.....			3	10				38		3 46	1 10			4 56
Volusia Circuit.....			4	10				44	6 00	1 00				7 00
Fruitland Circuit.....	1	15	4	13				94	16 54		4 58			21 12
New Smyrna Mission.....			3	16				125	4 00	3 00	2 00			45 00
Sanford.....	2	50	1	9				60	52 87			35 00		77 87
Oviedo.....			2	10				60	15 75	8 43		2 04		26 22
Titusville & Cocoa.....	2	38	3	13				62						
Fort Pierce Circuit.....	1	18	5	25				127	40 48					40 48
DeLand Mission.....	2	48	2	6				40	12 92	5 08	1 88	13 95		33 8
Total.....	19	432	44	255				1584	584 77	83 87	34 30	40 97		757 51

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 3—CON.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Epworth Leagues	No. Epworth League Mem'rs	No. Sunday Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools	Amount Collected for Missions	Amount Collected on Children's Day	Amount Collected for Other Objects	Total Amount Raised in Sunday Schools
GAINESVILLE DIST.										
Gainesville.....	1	43	1	11	131	22 58	20 00	.....	.....	42 58
Bronson.....	.....	.....	4	20	250	75 00	21 00	2 30	.....	98 30
Rochele & Orange S'g....	2	63	4	20	150	.....	6 00	.....	.....	6 00
Citra.....	1	25	1	9	41	15 00	7 50	2 03	.....	24 53
Micanopy Circuit.....	1	43	1	9	69	11 01	5 98	2 35	4 50	13 84
Marvin Circuit.....	.....	.....	2	16	126	30 28	24 07	7 36	.....	61 71
Ocala.....	2	101	1	18	166	54 00	24 32	2 00	.....	80 32
Summerfield Mission.....	1	20	2	7	37	15 00	4 60	.....	.....	19 60
Cotton Plant Circuit.....	1	30	2	9	90	10 00	5 76	3 26	7 00	26 02
Wildwood Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	27	163	67 70	8 11	2 00	.....	77 81
Anthony Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	27	146	35 07	3 82	3 03	6 00	47 92
Inverness Circuit.....	2	30	4	20	185	75 00	13 72	2 75	.....	91 47
Sumterville Circuit.....	.....	.....	2	10	70	20 00	3 00	.....	.....	23 00
Stewart's Chapel Circ't....	2	22	5	35	170	33 74	11 75	5 21	16 79	67 50
Brooksville & Mission.....	1	38	1	16	105	17 84	11 53	1 48	.....	30 85
Leesburg.....	1	52	1	17	144	52 48	40 11	.....	.....	92 59
Lady Lake & Tavares.....	.....	.....	3	12	60	8 14	1 62	.....	.....	9 76
Cedar Grove Mission.....	.....	.....	2	13	100	18 00	.....	.....	5 00	23 00
Levy Mission.....	.....	.....	4	18	138	14 25	1 84	.....	.....	16 69
Total.....	15	467	48	314	2341	575 09	214 73	33 77	39 29	853 49
ORLANDO DISTRICT										
Orlando & Fairview.....	2	130	1	24	194	149 32	157 69	5 34	.....	312 35
Apopka.....	1	8	4	15	50	10 00	5 00	.....	.....	15 00
Umatilla.....	2	76	6	22	190	20 00	13 00	1 00	.....	34 29
Kissimmee.....	1	25	1	12	110	24 06	10 20	1 30	.....	35 56
Maitland Mission.....	1	21	5	18	83	30 00	6 00	.....	.....	36 00
Bartow.....	1	20	1	12	115	40 22	16 60	.....	.....	56 82
Fort Meade & Hom'ld....	2	57	3	16	107	18 63	6 00	.....	.....	24 63
Bowling Green C & M.....	1	18	6	17	225	20 00	.....	.....	.....	20 00
Arcadia.....	1	46	1	12	112	45 59	61 25	3 50	.....	110 34
DeSoto Circuit.....	1	35	3	18	110	38 00	13 27	4 04	.....	55 31
Myers.....	.....	.....	1	15	130	102 00	13 00	6 00	.....	121 00
Calcoosahatchee.....	.....	.....	4	17	120	90 00	3 00	.....	.....	93 00
Fort Bassenger.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Punta Gorda C Harb'r.....	.....	.....	2	15	150	.....	20 00	.....	.....	20 00
Lakeland.....	2	80	2	22	170	20 12	29 25	4 01	.....	53 36
Chuckaluskie S Marco.....	.....	.....	5	15	129	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wauchula Mission.....	1	14	2	10	72	10 85	.....	5 10	.....	15 95
Kissimmee Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bartow Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	16	540	47	260	2067	618 79	354 24	30 28	.....	1003 61
TAMPA DISTRICT										
Tampa.....	2	103	3	35	379	205 00	25 00	5 00	.....	223 00
Port Tampa City Miss.....	.....	.....	2	14	160	72 00	12 80	.....	.....	94 40
Seffner.....	1	12	6	33	189	35 17	5 60	2 65	.....	45 27
Hillsboro Mission.....	.....	.....	2	6	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alafia.....	.....	.....	5	30	175	30 00	6 00	.....	.....	36 00
Manatee & Braident'n....	2	79	2	24	141	75 07	41 36	9 51	.....	190 81
Palmetto & Mission.....	1	15	1	8	64	17 75	2 77	2 50	.....	23 02
Sarasota.....	.....	.....	3	16	65	14 00	3 50	.....	.....	47 50
Clear W & St. Peters'g....	1	14	2	16	146	40 86	10 20	.....	.....	57 62
Largo Circuit.....	3	65	9	37	298	68 97	28 26	1 72	.....	98 95
Bantou.....	2	44	4	23	138	31 56	95 00	4 98	.....	37 41
Pasco Mission.....	.....	.....	4	21	75	18 00	.....	1 00	.....	19 00
Dade City.....	1	30	3	22	144	22 35	6 80	2 54	.....	38 38
Plant City.....	1	25	1	10	110	.....	21 50	.....	.....	56 50
Kathleen Mission.....	.....	.....	2	8	60	8 00	.....	.....	.....	8 00
Palmetto Mission.....	.....	.....	2	10	105	10 76	.....	.....	.....	12 66
Cuban Mission-Tampa....	1	31	2	15	193	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 97
Total.....	15	418	53	327	2503	649 53	258 79	29 82	362 59	969 49

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 3—CON.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. Epworth Leagues	No. Epworth League Mem'rs	No. Sunday Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools	Amount Collected for Missions	Amount Collected on Children's Day	Amount Collected for Other Objects	Total Amount Raised in Sunday Schools
KEY WEST DISTRICT										
Key West, 1st Charge.....	1	44	1	47	230	72 25	30 35	4 73	.....	102 60
Spark's Chapel.....	1	77	1	.....	225	121 28	18 80	6 20	.....	148 28
Memorial	1	65	1	23	165	61 85	19 05	4 16	48 00	111 01
LaTrinidad, Cuban.....	.....	.....	2	6	75	3 00	.....	.....	.....	3 00
Key Largo.....	.....	.....	4	18	70	6 00	5 90	.....	.....	11 90
Miami.....	1	30	1	7	30	13 00	1 50	4 33	.....	18 83
Biscayne Bay.....	.....	.....	3	14	125	60 00	.....	.....	20 00	80 00
West Palm Beach.....	1	45	1	9	46	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00
Cuba—Havana, Amc'n.....	.....	.....	1	5	85	1 00	28 00	.....	.....	29 00
Havana, Cuban.....	.....	.....	3	9	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Matanzas.....	2	50	3	10	160	.....	.....	.....	3 14	3 14
Cienfuegos.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Santiago.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	7	311	21	148	1441	388 38	103 60	19 42	71 14	555 76

RECAPITULATION

NAME OF DIST.										
Tallahassee.....	10	272	36	260	1360	669 94	244 29	34 28	71 00	948 70
Live Oak.....	12	294	48	306	1969	467 10	75 06	23 38	35 00	617 51
Jacksonville.....	19	432	44	255	1584	584 77	83 87	34 30	40 97	757 91
Gainesville.....	15	467	48	314	2341	575 09	214 73	33 77	39 29	853 49
Orlando.....	16	540	47	260	2067	618 79	354 24	30 29	.....	1003 61
Tampa.....	15	418	53	327	2503	649 53	258 79	29 82	362 59	999 49
Key West.....	7	311	21	148	1441	388 38	103 60	19 42	71 14	555 76
Total.....	94	2734	297	1870	13265	3953 60	1334 58	205 26	619 99	5736 47
Total Last Year.....	88	2557	279	1725	12164	3191 63	1117 09	157 63	783 48	4931 42
Increase.....	6	177	18	145	1101	761 97	217 49	47 63	.....	805 05
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163 49	.....

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1900

DISTRICTS	Foreign Miss'ns	Domestic Miss'ns	S S Special	Conf. Claimants	Bishops	Church Extension	Education	Paine & Lane Inst.	Conf. Expenses	Delegates to General Conf.
Tallahassee.....	740 00	540 00	100 00	523 00	148 00	226 00	450 00	37 50	25 00	109 00
Live Oak.....	660 00	500 00	100 00	420 00	119 00	175 00	400 00	32 50	25 00	88 00
Gainesville.....	740 00	640 00	100 00	580 00	164 00	205 00	425 00	32 50	25 00	121 00
Jacksonville.....	740 00	640 00	100 00	541 00	154 00	200 00	350 00	27 50	25 00	113 00
Orlando.....	640 00	540 00	100 00	439 00	125 00	180 00	375 00	27 50	25 00	92 00
Tampa.....	740 00	640 00	100 00	510 00	145 00	220 00	500 00	37 50	25 00	110 00
Total.....	4200 00	3600 00	600 00	3013 00	855 00	1200 00	2500 00	205 00	150 00	633 00

