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# MINUTES.

## BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

HELD AT HARRISONBURG, VA., MARCH 23-28, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; JAMES E. ARMSTRONG, *Secretary*.

QUESTION. 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Linwood Hammond, continued in this class from last year; William Soule Hammond, John T. Kestler, John Henry Schooley, Henry Lee Hout, John W. McNeil. 6.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John L. Grant, William H. Marsh, continued in this class from last year; Robert Lee Fultz, Charles M. Sarver, John C. Hawk, Samuel D. Bennington, Archibald C. Hamill, Oscar W. Lusby, James H. Wells. 9.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Frederick C. Rollman, Charles W. Stump, Henry C. Febrey, Frank L. Day—at their own request. 4.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Jacob M. Eavey, continued in this class from last year; William L. Smith, Alfred B. Sites, Samuel M. Bowman, John W. Beall, William T. Gover, William H. H. Joyce, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Wilhite, Charles A. Scanland. 11.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? George R. Mays. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? William F. Hamner, from the Memphis Conference; Henry I. Stephens, from the St. Louis Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Harry L. Meyerly. 1.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, William T. Gover, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Wilhite, Charles A. Scanland, John W. Beall. 8.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, William T. Gover, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Wilhite, Charles A. Scanland, John W. Beall. 8.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? John W. Reeves, John W. McNeil, Hunter O. Brubaker, Daniel M. Shawen, Leroy F. Snapp. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? John W. Reeves, John W. McNeil, Henry O. Brubaker, Daniel M. Shawen. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Milton M. Long, Thomas J. Miller, William M. Waters, Charles K. Millican, William F. Locke, John K. White, Carleton D. Harris, Charles S. Stanton, Charles M. Bragg, Charles H. Wood. 10.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Milton M. Long, Thomas J. Miller, William M. Waters, Charles K. Millican, William F. Locke, John K. White, Carleton D. Harris, Charles S. Stanton, Charles M. Bragg, Charles H. Wood; George R. Neese received into full connection as an elder. 11.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Augustus Davisson, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. Newman Hank, John W. Boteler, Ephraim L. Kregelo, Joseph J. Engle, Adam P. Boude, Larkin H. Crenshaw, Asbury R. Martin, William A. Wade. 8.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? Francis M. Mills, David Thomas, Nelson Head, George Stevenson, J. Hoffman Waugh, John W. Tongue, Joshua M. Grandin, Robert Smith, John C. Dice, Charles G. Linthicum, Francis A. Mercer, Joseph H. Temple, Aaron Boon, William Hedges, Mabury G. Balthis, Wesley Hammond, Robert Ross, Samuel W. Haddaway, Hamilton W. Kinzer. 19.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Henry Hoffman, John Landstreet, Presley B. Smith, Edward F. Heterick.

HENRY HOFFMAN, son of Henry and Gescha Hoffman, was born in the town of Severn,

kingdom of Hanover, Germany, May 28, 1814. In the year 1831 he left his native country to come to America. For several years he found a home in the city of Baltimore. In the fall of 1833 he was converted, and united with what was then the William Street Church. On May 28, 1839, at the first Quarterly Conference of that Church, he was licensed to exhort, with Rev. Norval Wilson, presiding elder, and Rev. B. N. Brown, pastor in charge. On September 16, 1840, he was licensed to preach. In 1841 he was received on trial by the Baltimore Conference, which met in Baltimore January 16. He was sent that year to Woodstock and Luray Circuit. In 1842 he served Bellefonte Circuit. On March 19, 1843, he was ordained deacon by Bishop Waugh, at Wesley Chapel, Baltimore, and was sent to Clearfield; in 1844, to Warrior's Mark, Pa. On March 16, 1845, at Charles Street Church, Baltimore, he was ordained elder by Bishop Hedding, and that year traveled Franklin Circuit, Virginia; 1846, Springfield Circuit; 1847, Sunbury, Ind.; 1848, Bloodyrun, Pa.; 1849, Frostburg, Ind.; 1850, Bald Eagle, Pa. In the spring of 1851 he was happily united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth P. Huntley, of New London, Conn., who for forty-one years was his faithful helper, adviser, comforter, and companion in all the vicissitudes of life. She survives him, and now mourns his departure. He was sent that year to New Washington, Pa.; 1852-53 to Sinnamahoning, Pa.; 1854-55, Williamsville, Rockingham District, Virginia; 1856-57, Lost River; 1858-59, New Creek; 1860, Lacey Spring; 1861, West Rockingham (all in Rockingham District). In 1862 he was again named for New Creek, which place he could not reach because of the disturbed condition of the country. In 1866 he went from Harrisonburg to New Creek (now Keyser), where there was neither preacher nor house of worship, the churches having all been destroyed during the war. Here he succeeded in securing a building where he preached regularly, as well as in the country surrounding. During the winter of 1868 he had a severe spell of sickness, by which he was much enfeebled. By the advice of his presiding elder, Rev. J. C. Dice, he sought and obtained the following spring a superannuated relation. Yet to him this did not mean a listless life. From this time until 1875, when this charge was made a regular appointment by Rev. Wesley Hammond, Brother Hoffman did much effective work. Soon after his superannuation Brother Hoffman, in connection with a layman, collected together a few children and began a Sunday school. In this work he took a special interest, and here, perhaps, he did some of the best work of his life. From this school he was seldom absent until his last three Sabbaths he spent on earth. Says his pastor, Brother Coe: "His devotion to his Sunday school class, considering his age and feeble-

ness, was something wonderful. He devoured everything accessible that shed light on the lesson, and latterly read nothing besides." As an evidence of the good work he did let the following, from a letter written to his son by a young Jew who was in his Sunday school class for several years testify. The letter speaks in glowing terms of Brother Hoffman's character, and thus concludes: "If there is any reward beyond the grave for well doing here, Mr. Hoffman is certainly reaping that reward now." Let it be borne in mind that Brother Hoffman was by no means strong, but rather a man of delicate constitution, at times suffering intensely; yet when the Master's call came for a workman, his response was: "Here am I; send me." He never missed an appointment when it was possible for him to reach it. His protracted meetings were always the means of good, and resulted in the conversion of many souls. As a man the local paper thus speaks of him: "As a neighbor and friend he was always pleasant and urbane, with a kind greeting for everybody; and we shall greatly miss him." Says his pastor: "His presence in the congregation was a benediction, and his cheering words after the sermon are greatly missed by me." He delighted, too, to go into the homes of the people with his pastor and on errands of mercy. Indeed, he was ready for any good work. On New Year's day he visited his pastor. On the morning of January 2 he arose perceptibly in his usual health. In a little while he complained of being unwell. It was the summons for him to go home. On January 12 he "fell on sleep." During his illness the ministers of the sister Churches of the place visited him, and in response to their inquiries he replied: "It is all well. I have no fears." To his own pastor, Brother Coe, he said: "If I do not meet with you at Harrisonburg, tell my brethren of the Conference that my heart is with them, and give them my love." The morning of the day of his death he requested his youngest son to read to him Psalms cxxi., those beautiful words which set forth the great safety of the godly who put their trust in God's protection. Just before he died, in reply to his wife, he said, "Yes, it is all bright;" and soon after he added, "Meet me in heaven." Then he left on earth the partner in his joys and sorrows, his beloved wife, with her two devoted sons, to join in heaven two sons, a lovely little daughter, and a host of friends, who had preceded him.

JOHN LANDSTREET.—When a man of such acknowledged uniqueness as our departed brother is to be the subject of a paper assuming to be a sketch, however brief, of his life, the task becomes as delicate as the life was interesting. The difficulty of such an undertaking is compensated for, it may be allowed, by the singleness of purpose threading the various events of the career. Born

in Baltimore, Md., April 23, 1818, of parents descended from Huguenot ancestry, Brother Landstreet was in mature life by the time he came to pass through critical periods of civil and ecclesiastical change. In such periods the patriotism and loyalty to conviction peculiar to his lineage were to be put to the thorough test necessary to determine fully a man's moral caliber. Anticipating somewhat the chief line of his life, we may here glance at the peculiar union of courage and humaneness observed in his war record. He no doubt bore in mind that his own race, generations back, had been driven before a relentless power, and so he trained himself to be pitiful as well as brave. A fellow-soldier, who knew him well, says of him: "The history of Stuart's Cavalry during the entire war was replete with many incidents, in which our favorite chaplain was a most conspicuous character: ever ready to lend a helping hand, to administer comfort to the sick and wounded, and to offer consolation to the dying soldier on the field of battle. He never neglected an opportunity to hold divine service in the regiment whenever an opportunity presented itself, and that in an able, zealous, and impressive manner. His services among the wounded and dying soldiers, sons of his old friends and relatives, were of the most affecting character. He would march and fight with our regiment all day, and spend the night administering comfort and consolation in the hospital, or bear the sad tidings of death to the home of afflicted parents." Such piety and philanthropy were the outcome of a religious experience which was clear, decided, and satisfying. He was converted at a camp meeting when a young man, becoming a member of the old Charles Street Church. The natural energy of his temperament soon urged him to great zeal in the Church, and he turned toward the neglected with the gospel. An obituary notice from one of his friends states that with Alfred Cookman, Gresham Broadbent, and others he organized the "Seaman's Bethel." This is one of the best known and most successful of Methodist Home Missions in Baltimore. We find that he was licensed to preach in 1847, and served Bladensburg Circuit, under Presiding Elder J. A. Collins, until March, 1848, when the following became the order of his successive fields of labor: In 1848 he was appointed to Stafford Circuit; in 1849, to Fairfax; in 1850, to Bladensburg; in 1851, to Lexington; in 1852, to Shippensburg; in 1853, to Georgetown; in 1854, to Woodville; in 1852-56, to Warrenton, where occurred under his ministry one of the most gracious revivals ever blessing that community. The years of 1857-58 were his first term at Martinsburg; 1859-60 he was stationed at Leesburg, Loudon County; in 1861 he went to the adjoining circuit of Loudon. He preached here one year, entering the Confederate army as chaplain to the First Vir-

ginia Cavalry under Gen. J. E. B. Stuart. Upon the surrender of Gen. Lee he resumed his work on Loudon Circuit, filling there, in all, five years. Perhaps in none of his charges had he a better chance to show his skill in organizing than in this section, somewhat seriously affected by war. He left the circuit in a fine condition, going in 1869 to Hillsboro, where he successfully passed four years; 1874 he spent in Piedmont, W. Va.; 1875-76 on Baltimore Circuit; in 1877 he was agent for the Wesleyan Female Institute, and zealously did he labor for its highest good. He made friends for it, procured for it the best patronage, and to his death was its loyal friend and champion. In 1878-80 he was in Arlington, Md.; 1881-83 at Martinsburg the second time, making there, as before, the friends who rendered so pleasant his last days; 1884, at Cumberland, and 1885, at Piedmont, were his last years of active service. At Staunton, in 1886, in touching words he asked for a superannuated relation, which he sustained to his death. It was in this apparent routine work that his individuality, so far from being lost, became conspicuous. By nature he was what might be termed a social genius. He never forgot old acquaintances, because always more or less interested in everybody. Intensely magnetic, he drew about him the heterogeneous elements of a congregation or community, attracting peculiarly the young people. With these he proceeded to draw forth their best powers, endeavoring to give every one something to do in the work of the Church. The pastorate was his realm. In it he was a power, because a preacher as well as pastor. He was as striking in appearance as in character. He is said to have resembled Carvosso; he certainly, also, did look very much like Spurgeon. Energy, sympathy, alertness, and significant gestures kept the attention of his audience intact; while quickness in thinking and an earnest presentation of a simple, precious message satisfied his attentive hearers. As he was a most entertaining talker, so he was a most felicitous extempore speaker. In conversation, in writing, in preaching, and in praying he was singularly fluent. Intent upon achieving some purpose in every discourse, he ordinarily disdained the use of a pretentious style, coming by the quicker way of simple and forceful speech to the consciences of the people. His was a mind eager for the possession of facts. The close analysis peculiar to some sermonizing gave place with him to the power to select significant and telling points. He was fond of the vivid imagery of the prophetic parts of the Holy Scriptures. Taking from these texts of startling denunciation or of tenderest comfort, he was able to warn, rebuke, and console his flock according to their various needs. As a result of such preaching his ministry was not without revivals. He was unsatisfied unless the fruit of the word appeared. Of a

courage undoubted, he stood ready to charge to professing Christians at times the lack of effectiveness in the means of grace and a prevalent indifference to the demands of the gospel. At the same time he could be terrible in assailing the consciences of the impenitent. He might take kindly by the hand an unfortunate man, thereby assuring him of his benevolent regard; but if such a one turned not away from his sins, he could hope for no quarter from the pulpit at the hands of this honest preacher. In his views of our system, in his association with his members, in his conduct of services, and in his general style of preaching there was a flavor reminding a younger generation of what the fathers of Methodism in Virginia and Maryland must have been. Turning from this general characterization of the man and minister, we come to the time of his marriage. In 1852, by Rev. Norval Wilson, Brother Landstreet was married to Miss Mary Swink, of Fairfax County, Virginia. To any one observant of this union, more than an allusion is not necessary; yet page upon page might be written in illustration of his domestic happiness. Contented with his lot, it may be that he would have been unmurmuring if he had fared hardly; but it would seem that his well-known generosity was recompensed by an abundance, enabling him bountifully to provide for his own household. The inmates of this parsonage were happy. Surely there were not wanting on his part the affection and watchfulness essential to such happiness. He had the pleasure of seeing several of his children join his Church, in which his bereaved widow is a communicant. This is not the place for a eulogy of her, but at every turn of the pen we think of Sister Landstreet as the helpful sharer of his diversified experience. Knowing him better than any one else, she may be relied upon when telling us that through the hardships of the war, the vicissitudes of the ministry, and the suffering incident to failing health he was uniformly considerate, cheerful, and hopeful. In failing health for years, he at last succumbed to valvular disease of the heart and dropsy, peacefully passing away at his home in Martinsburg, W. Va., November 21, 1891, and was interred in Green Hill Cemetery, of the same city. A friend, writing of his last days, says: "He talked constantly of his home and of the great Conference he would soon join. A few days before he passed away he raised his hands and with a bright smile repeated from Psalm xviii.: 'O sing unto the Lord a new song; for he hath done marvelous things: his right hand, and his holy arm, hath gotten him the victory.' Just before he became unconscious his sons laid him down, when turning to his wife he said, 'Lord, bless my children;' and then repeated the lines, 'On the other side of Jordan, in the sweet fields of Eden;' continuing presently, 'There is rest

for the weary.' The presence of his children was a source of great pleasure to him in the last weeks of his life." It may be added that his pastors tell us of a ripening and sweetening of his experience, as deeply religious as we all know him ever to have been; so that of him, too, it may be said, his last days were his best days. For several sessions of our annual meetings we have missed him from us. At an Annual Conference he seemed as much at home as in his own parlor. He knew so many persons wherever we might assemble, and so thoroughly enjoyed the intercourse with his brethren, that he seemed at his best on such occasions. Though absent, his memory is precious to us. His work remains. In this body to-day, we doubt not, are ministers and laymen who owe to him their first recurring and abiding impressions of religious truth. His truthfulness to conviction, steadfastness and consistency of course, and his earnest wish that we may join him in the life beyond appeal to us to follow him as he followed Christ.

PRESLEY B. SMITH was born in Virginia. He was converted in his youth, and was received on probation into the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, March, 1853. He was abundant in labors until failing health made a change in his relation necessary. He was placed on the supernumerary list at the Conference held at Martinsburg, W. Va., March, 1888; and died in 1891. During his active ministry he served on the following charges: In 1854, St. Mary's; 1855, Glenhope (this year he was ordained deacon); 1856, Warrior's Mark, and in 1857 he was ordained elder; 1857, Rockville, Md.; 1858-59, Warm Springs, Va.; 1860-61, Monroe. In 1862 he met in Conference, in Harrisonburg, Va., with twenty-six others, who were separated from the rest of their brethren by the war, and was appointed to Blackburg, Va. In 1864 he served as chaplain in the Confederate army. In 1866 he was appointed to Charles Circuit, Maryland; 1867, Charles and Prince George, Md.; 1868, Prince George, Md.; 1869, East Fairfax; 1870, Falls Church; 1871-73, West River; 1874-75, Lewisburg, W. Va.; 1876, Beltsville, Md.; 1877, Martinsburg, W. Va.; 1879, Piedmont, W. Va.; 1880, Keyser and Cumberland; 1881-83, Falls Church; 1884-86, Frederick Avenue, Baltimore; and in 1887 he was appointed to Hinton, W. Va. This was the last charge he served before leaving for California, where he died. He went to the West, hoping in a change of climate to regain his vigor, and meanwhile to be with his sons, who had previously gone to that place. While living on the Pacific coast he was abundant in labors. The burden of souls was upon him, and against advice and remonstrance he continued in the work he loved so well. He was appointed as a supply, assisted in special services, and in every



possible way sought the prosperity of Zion. While wanting certain *data* and facts, without which this sketch must be incomplete, we are at no loss of material for an estimate of the man. He lived and labored so many years among us that we have only to review his life if we would learn what manner of man he was. First of all must be mentioned his unclouded experience. There was no day after his conversion when a doubt of his acceptance with God disturbed his peace. The joy of his life, after the knowledge of his own salvation by Jesus Christ, was in winning souls. Indeed, so constant and intense was his desire that men should believe and be saved that if they refused to accept Christ in his own charge, he looked abroad, and would go anywhere and everywhere if only he could lead sinners to the Saviour; and in this he was eminently successful. He was very attentive to children, and was instrumental in bringing many of them into the Church. Sometimes the infidelity of the Church in regard to the possibility of the early conversion of children looked with suspicion upon his work among them, yet he was not discouraged, and the results of his labor were his vindication. In a few years the children, who were supposed not to understand this subject, were the substantial men and women of the Church. It is scarcely necessary to say that he was instant and earnest in prayer. He knew the source of strength, and gained spiritual power by waiting habitually upon God. He regarded himself as the steward of the Lord. From the first money that he earned when a boy he gave one-tenth, and during his whole life he was always ready, according to his ability, to contribute to the needy and to the furtherance of the gospel. He loved his brethren, and was loved by them. If there was a man who did not love him, and if there was ever estrangement between him and others, the facts are unknown to us. He was fortunately happy in his domestic relations. In his preaching he commonly presented the great gospel themes. He was a good preacher, not often falling below the average, and at times rising much above it; and even when the thought might not be specially novel or impressive his warmth kept attention awake, and secured a lodgment of the divine word. It is hardly necessary to say that the end of such a life was peace. If triumph is more than peace, then let it be known that he triumphed. This memoir could be much extended by quotations of words of his dying moments; but it is enough to say that he had victory through the blood of the Lamb. We think of the abundant entrance he has received. We think of him as with the Lord. We think of him as glorified, and of the joyous welcome given to him by his children in the Lord who have preceded him into the heavenly place. We thank God for his grace, which was magnified in the life, min-

istry, and death of this faithful servant of the Lord.

EDWARD F. HETERICK was born in Winchester, Va., February 19, 1821; and died at his home in Welltown, Frederick County, Va., May 28, 1891, aged seventy years, three months, and nine days. He was of Scotch descent. His father, after many years of service as Principal of the Winchester Academy, resigned this position and retired to his country home, a few miles from Winchester. Here young Edward was reared. Until the age of twelve he studied under his father; then for several years he attended the academy at Winchester. Subsequently he purchased his father's home, where he spent his entire life, excepting the time he was in the active work of the ministry. He was united in marriage March 2, 1875, to Miss Marian Strother, of Frederick County, Va., who, with an only child (a son) survives him. An older sister was the only Methodist in this Episcopal family. It was while attending service with her at Milburn's Church, near Winchester, that he was convicted of sin, and soon after converted and united with the Methodist Church. It was his sister's dying prayer that he might become a preacher of the gospel. He entered the traveling connection in the Baltimore Conference in 1857, and was appointed to the following charges: 1857, to Wardensville; 1858-59, to Capon Circuit; 1860, to Front Royal; 1861, to South Branch. From this work, at the beginning of the war, he returned and remained until the close as a protection to his widowed mother and sister. While here he was not idle, but preached Christ wherever he had the opportunity. In 1866 he was again in Conference with his brethren, and was appointed to Winchester Circuit; and in 1867, to Berryville Circuit. In 1868, from increasing infirmities, he was granted a supernumerary relation. This relation he sustained until death. He was held in high esteem in the community wherever he lived and labored. This esteem was but a just estimate of his noble life. As a preacher of the gospel he was clear and strong. His preaching was with power and in demonstration of the spirit, carrying conviction to his hearers. Many souls were the seals of his ministry. It was his delight to preach to those who were destitute of the gospel, and to gather them into the Church. It is possible that he preached as often after as he did while he was in the effective work. He was a man of strong Christian character, humble, earnest, devout, and zealous. Brother Heterick was a liberal supporter of the various institutions of the Church, especially that of the wornout preachers. In addition to giving through the regular channels, he often remembered them in special gifts. He was an earnest worker in the Sabbath school, filling the office of superintendent and teacher.

He loved the children. For many years he suffered with organic disease of the heart, to which, in his last illness of one month, was added a sympathetic affection of the brain. In all his affliction he was resigned to the will of God. His religious enjoyment was undisturbed by his suffering. He waited patiently for the summons from above. His faith was firm unto the end, and his death that of the righteous. The counsel to his son in the death chamber was touching and characteristic of the man. Edward F. Heterick died in great peace. At Bethany Church, five miles from Winchester, Va., on Saturday, at 11 A.M., his funeral was conducted by Rev. Rumsey Smithson, assisted by several of his brethren of the ministry, and in the presence of a large concourse of people his body was there laid to rest.

Washington District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' Pr's.
Mt. Vernon and S. Washington.....	826	.....	4
Grace Mission.....	115	.....	.....
Alexandria.....	597	1	.....
Falls Church.....	268	.....	.....
Fairfax.....	261	2	2
Dranesville.....	308	.....	1
Leesburg.....	325	.....	.....
Hamilton.....	372	.....	1
Hillsboro.....	513	.....	.....
Middleburg.....	234	.....	.....
London.....	500	.....	2
Piedmont.....	476	1	.....
Warrenton.....	202	3	1
Fauquier Mission.....	293	.....	1
Ocoquan.....	358	1	.....
Sudley.....	262	1	.....
Manassas.....	142	2	1
Morrisville.....	293	.....	1
Stafford.....	350	2	.....
Fredericksburg.....	326	.....	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,021</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of John N. McCormick, who had withdrawn.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Winchester District.

Winchester.....	511	.....	.....
Frederick Mission.....	197	.....	.....
Stephen's City.....	434	.....	.....
Middletown.....	335	.....	1
Strasburg.....	227	.....	2
Woodstock.....	226	.....	1
Edinburg.....	328	3	1
Front Royal and Riverton.....	385	.....	1
Warren Mission.....	290	.....	.....
Linden Mission.....	201	.....	.....
Page Mission.....	306	.....	.....
Cedarville.....	194	.....	.....
Berryville.....	343	.....	.....
Bruce town.....	332	.....	.....
Darksville.....	337	.....	.....
Martinsburg.....	260	.....	.....
Berkeley.....	196	.....	1
Charlestown.....	280	.....	.....
Jefferson.....	137	.....	.....
Shepherdstown.....	326	.....	.....
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,945</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>

Baltimore District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' Pr's.
Central.....	323	.....	2
St. Paul's and Wilkins Avenue ..	674	.....	1
Emmanuel.....	401	.....	1
Frederick Avenue.....	99	.....	.....
Arlington.....	125	.....	.....
Reisterstown.....	201	.....	2
Freedom.....	435	.....	1
Linganore.....	335	.....	.....
Frederick City.....	98	.....	.....
Rockville.....	443	.....	.....
Gaithersburg and Boyd's.....	300	.....	1
Montgomery.....	336	.....	1
Beltsville.....	85	.....	1
Bladensburg.....	211	.....	1
Emory.....	63	.....	.....
Wesley Grove.....	327	.....	.....
Laurel.....	183	.....	.....
Patuxent.....	174	.....	.....
Upper Marlboro.....	132	.....	.....
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,950</b>	.....	<b>11</b>

Rockingham District.

Stantton.....	587	.....	.....
Harrisonburg.....	432	.....	.....
Bridgewater.....	822	.....	2
Parnassus and Mt. Sidney.....	232	.....	.....
Angusta.....	368	.....	1
Staunton Circuit and Mission.....	120	.....	.....
Bell's Valley Mission.....	127	.....	.....
Waynesboro.....	223	.....	.....
Basic City.....	84	.....	1
Port Republic Mission.....	188	.....	3
New Hope.....	169	.....	.....
Rockingham.....	299	.....	.....
East Rockingham.....	469	.....	.....
Milnes Mission.....	94	.....	.....
Furnace Mission.....	253	.....	3
Marksville.....	143	.....	2
Luray.....	200	.....	1
New Market Mission.....	162	.....	2
Mt. Jackson.....	152	.....	.....
Fairfield.....	268	.....	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,385</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>

East Baltimore District.

Trinity.....	433	.....	4
Calvary.....	256	.....	1
North Baltimore.....	164	.....	.....
Taylor's.....	133	.....	.....
West Harford Mission.....	94	.....	.....
East Harford.....	132	.....	.....
Kent.....	113	.....	.....
Queen Anne's.....	291	.....	.....
Church Hill Mission.....	97	.....	.....
Hillsboro.....	121	.....	.....
Easton.....	399	.....	1
Trappe.....	140	.....	1
Royal Oak.....	134	.....	3
Severn.....	220	.....	.....
West River.....	363	.....	1
Calvert.....	452	.....	1
Prince George's.....	240	.....	2
Charles Mission.....	195	.....	1
St. Mary's.....	74	.....	.....
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,062</b>	.....	<b>15</b>

Roanoke District.

Salem.....	403	.....	2
Roanoke: Greene Memorial.....	910	.....	4
Trinity.....	136	.....	1
Roanoke Circuit.....	237	.....	1
Vinton.....	255	.....	1
La Fayette Mission.....	270	.....	.....
Christiansburg.....	202	.....	.....
Blacksburg.....	215	.....	.....
Newport.....	353	.....	.....
New Castle Mission.....	178	.....	.....
Catawba Mission.....	337	.....	2
Fincastle.....	118	.....	.....
Amsterdam Mission.....	309	.....	.....

Roanoke District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Botetourt.....	203	.....	.....
Clifton Forge.....	276	.....	2
James River.....	278	.....	1
Lexington.....	290	.....	.....
Wesley Chapel and Glasgow.....	116	.....	.....
Buena Vista.....	268	.....	.....
Collierstown Mission.....	161	.....	.....
	5,518	1	14

Lewisburg District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Lewisburg.....	235	.....	.....
Frankford.....	432	1	1
Blue Sulphur.....	326	.....	1
Centerville and Peterstown.....	434	.....	.....
Hinton.....	167	.....	.....
Talcott Mission.....	166	.....	.....
Union.....	374	.....	1
Alderson.....	183	.....	1
Ronceverte and White Sulphur.....	18	.....	1
Alvon Mission.....	153	.....	1
Covington.....	215	.....	2
Levelton.....	365	.....	3
Huntersville.....	103	.....	.....
Healing Springs.....	117	.....	1
Greenbank.....	363	.....	1
Millboro and Shiloh.....	194	.....	.....
Gilletts and Hot Springs.....	63	.....	2
	3,911	1	15

Moorefield District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Moorefield.....	294	1	.....
Petersburg Mission.....	200	.....	1
Franklin.....	25	1	.....
Crab Bottom.....	23	.....	.....
Keyser.....	25	.....	1
Elk Garden.....	102	.....	.....
Piedmont.....	15	.....	1
Frostburg.....	123	.....	1
Flintstone.....	214	.....	1
Romney.....	306	.....	1
Springfield.....	382	.....	.....
Hardy.....	32	.....	2
Morgan Mission.....	267	.....	1
Gainsboro Mission.....	421	.....	.....
Wardensville.....	237	.....	2
Capon Bridge.....	309	5	.....
Listonburg.....	19	.....	2
Monterey and Highland.....	317	1	.....
McDowell.....	413	.....	1
Slanesville.....	235	.....	1
	5,268	8	15

Recapitulation.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Baltimore District.....	4,950	.....	11
East Baltimore District.....	4,062	.....	15
Washington District.....	7,021	13	15
Winchester District.....	5,945	3	7
Rockingham District.....	5,335	2	14
Roanoke District.....	5,518	1	14
Lewisburg District.....	3,911	1	15
Moorefield District.....	5,268	8	15
Total this year.....	42,063	28	106
Total last year.....	40,045	22	105
Increase.....	2,018	6	1

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,608.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,500.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 554.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 5,436.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 37,183.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for

the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$8,338.30.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$8,338.30.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$12,462.75; Domestic Missions, \$5,733. Total, \$18,195.75.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,400.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 463; value, \$990,140.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 121; value, \$207,425.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Randolph-Macon College: Teachers, 18; students, 130; endowment, \$117,000; value of property, \$100,000. Randolph-Macon Academy, at Bedford, Va.: Teachers, 11; students, 170; value of property, \$100,000. Randolph-Macon Academy, at Front Royal (to open October, 1892): Value of property, \$105,000. Wesleyan Female Institute: Teachers, 20; students, 170; value of property, \$60,000. Valley Female College, Winchester, Va.: Under our patronage, but not owned by the Conference.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Front Royal, Va.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

BALTIMORE DISTRICT.

Samuel Rodgers, P. E.

Baltimore: Central, J. W. Duffey; J. N. Hank, Sup.

St. Paul's, J. W. Shoaff.

Wilkins Avenue, to be supplied.

Emmanuel, J. H. Boyd.

Frederick Avenue, to be supplied by J. E. Wilson.

Arlington, H. H. Kennedy.

Reisterstown, J. H. Light.

Freedom, H. L. Strickler, W. L. Smith.

Linganore, W. H. Wolf, J. C. Hawk.

Frederick City, J. K. White.

Rockville, L. L. Loyd, J. H. Wilhite.

Gaithersburg and Boyd's, E. H. Henry.

Montgomery, W. E. Wolf, W. S. Hammond.

Beltsville, to be supplied by E. V. Register.

Bladensburg, G. H. Zimmerman.

Emory, F. H. Shipley.

Wesley Grove, W. P. C. Coe.

Laurel, L. Haslup.

Patuxent, S. V. Hildebrand.

Upper Marlboro, N. N. Hall.

Missionary to Japan, B. W. Waters.

Episcopal Methodist, W. K. Boyle and S. K. Cox, Editors.

EAST BALTIMORE DISTRICT.

I. W. Canter, P. E.

Trinity, F. R. Hill.

Calvary, C. M. Bragg.

North Baltimore, to be supplied by S. O. Harris.  
 Taylor's, J. L. Kibler.  
 West Harford, S. B. Dolly.  
 East Harford, W. A. McDonald.  
 Kent, A. Weller.  
 Queen Anne's, F. T. Griffith, J. H. Wells.  
 Church Hill, C. E. Simmons.  
 Hillsboro, C. S. Stanton.  
 Easton, C. D. Harris.  
 Trappe, W. L. Dolly.  
 Royal Oak, J. W. Mitchell.  
 Severn, L. G. Martin.  
 West River, J. R. Andrew, J. W. Beall.  
 Calvert, C. A. Joyce, C. A. Scanland.  
 Prince George's, W. H. Sanders.  
 Charles, J. C. Sedwick.  
 St. Mary's, A. B. Sites.

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*R. R. S. Hough, P. E.*

Mt. Vernon, J. T. Wightman, R. L. Fultz.  
 Grace Mission, J. C. Jones; J. W. Boteler, Sup.  
 Alexandria, T. E. Carson.  
 Falls Church, J. E. Armstrong.  
 Fairfax, J. H. Davidson.  
 Dranesville, C. B. Sutton, J. H. Schooley.  
 Leesburg, B. F. Ball.  
 Hamilton, W. G. Eggleston.  
 Hillsboro, J. H. Dukany.  
 Middleburg, H. I. Stephens.  
 Loudoun, J. L. Shipley; one to be supplied by F. L. Day.  
 Piedmont, W. K. Marshall, J. T. Kestler; L. H. Crenshaw, Sup.  
 Warrenton, J. W. Grubb.  
 Fauquier Mission, W. E. Miller.  
 Occoquan, C. K. Millican.  
 Morrisville, J. O. Tackett.  
 Sudley, to be supplied by John Miller.  
 Manassas, J. H. Kuhlmann.  
 Stafford, to be supplied by R. C. Anderson.  
 Fredericksburg, R. Smithson.  
 Missionary to Japan, J. C. C. Newton.

## WINCHESTER DISTRICT.

*D. Bush, P. E.*

Winchester, W. H. D. Harper.  
 Frederick Mission, F. Furr.  
 Stephens City, F. A. Strother.  
 Middletown, J. S. Engle.  
 Strasburg, W. W. Watts.  
 Woodstock, J. P. Stump.  
 Edenburg, H. S. Coe.  
 Front Royal, C. M. Brown.  
 Warren, L. Fox.  
 Linden, W. H. Marsh.  
 Page, H. L. Hout.  
 White Post, S. R. Snapp; A. P. Boude, Sup.  
 Berryville, C. L. Dameron; J. J. Engle, Sup.  
 Brucetown, L. R. Jones.  
 Darksville, J. H. Wolf.  
 Martinsburg, A. M. Cackley.  
 Berkeley, H. A. Gaver.  
 Charlestown, H. P. Hamill.

Jefferson, A. A. P. Neel.  
 Shepherdstown, J. R. Van Horne.  
 Valley Female College, J. P. Hyde, President.  
 Randolph-Macon College, J. A. Kern, Professor.  
 Front Royal Academy, B. W. Bond, Principal.

## ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

*J. S. Gardner, P. E.*

Staunton, J. T. Williams.  
 Staunton Circuit and Mission, to be supplied.  
 Harrisonburg, J. A. Anderson.  
 Bridgewater, A. O. Armstrong; one to be supplied by G. W. Shipley.  
 Parnassus, T. Cooper.  
 West Augusta, A. C. McNeer.  
 Bell's Valley, H. D. Bishop.  
 Augusta, R. M. Wheeler.  
 Waynesboro and Basic City, J. C. Thrasher.  
 Port Republic, J. K. Gilbert.  
 New Hope, J. W. Wolfe.  
 Rockingham, T. Briley.  
 East Rockingham, W. O. Ross.  
 Elkton, W. M. Waters.  
 Shenandoah, L. Bull.  
 Marksville, J. M. Follansbee.  
 Luray, T. W. Brown.  
 New Market, J. S. Porter.  
 Mt. Jackson, J. S. Hopkins.  
 Fairfield and Baths, P. S. E. Sixeas, O. W. Lusby.  
 Valley Female Institute, W. A. Harris, President.

## ROANOKE DISTRICT.

*P. H. Whisner, P. E.*

Salem, J. S. Hutchinson.  
 Roanoke: Greene Memorial, W. F. Hamner.  
 St. James, G. T. D. Collins.  
 Trinity, S. G. Ferguson.  
 Roanoke Circuit, L. H. Graybill.  
 Vinton, C. H. Buchanan.  
 La Fayette, W. H. H. Joyce.  
 Christiansburg, G. D. White.  
 Blacksburg, R. H. Wilson.  
 Newport, A. Q. Flaherty.  
 New Castle, J. W. Canter.  
 Catawba, W. W. Hedrick.  
 Fincastle, W. B. Dorsey.  
 Amsterdam, J. L. Henderson.  
 Botetourt, T. J. Miller.  
 James River, L. M. Bowman.  
 Lexington, F. G. Prettyman.  
 Wesley Chapel, O. F. Burgess; E. S. Kregelo, Sup.  
 Buena Vista, J. D. Martin.  
 Collierstown, H. L. Meyerly.  
 Vanderbilt University, Collins Denny, Professor.

## LEWISBURG DISTRICT.

*W. G. Hammond, P. E.*

Lewisburg, T. G. Nevitt.  
 Frankford, G. O. Homan; one to be supplied.  
 Blue Sulphur, M. M. Long, J. W. McNeil.

Centerville and Peterstown, H. M. Roane; one to be supplied.  
 Hinton, O. C. Beall.  
 Talcott, J. J. Crickenberger.  
 Alderson, J. F. Baggs.  
 Clifton Forge, V. W. Wheeler.  
 Ronceverte and White Sulphur, W. H. Ballangee.  
 Union, T. J. Lambert.  
 Alvon, J. T. Maxwell.  
 Covington, D. F. Eutsler.  
 Allegheny, to be supplied by Henry Wilson.  
 Levelton, C. Sydenstricker.  
 Hot Springs, W. T. Gover.  
 Gilletts, to be supplied by J. L. McNeer.  
 Huntersville, C. M. Sarver.

## MOOREFIELD DISTRICT.

*G. T. Tyler, P. E.*

Moorefield, H. A. Brown.  
 Petersburg, I. G. Michael.  
 Franklin, S. Townsend.

Crab Bottom, C. W. Mark.  
 Keyser, J. O. Knott.  
 Elk Garden, G. R. Mays.  
 Piedmont, W. F. Locke.  
 Frostburg, C. L. Kennard.  
 Flintstone, Linwood Hammond.  
 Romney, D. L. Reid.  
 Springfield, S. D. Bennington; one to be supplied by J. Ringer.  
 Slanesville, J. L. Grant.  
 Hardy, W. A. Sites.  
 Morgan, A. C. Hamill.  
 Gainesboro, L. R. Markwood.  
 Wardensville, Q. A. Wheat.  
 Capon Bridge, C. H. Wood.  
 Listonburg, S. A. Parker.  
 Monterey and Highland, R. S. Cunningham.  
 McDowell, J. M. Hawley.

*Transferred.*—C. C. Edington, to the Los Angeles Conference; W. J. Young, to the Virginia Conference; Morris Evans, to the North Texas Conference.

## BRAZIL MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT JUIZ DE FORA, BRAZIL, AUGUST 11-16, 1892.

BISHOP WILSON, *President*; E. A. TILLY, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. W. J. Lumby, James Hamilton. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John L. Bruce, of the class of the second year; José da Costa Reis, Antonio Joaquim de Arango, of the class of the first year. 3.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Antonio Cardoso da Fonseca, Herman Gärtner, José Celestino de Andrade, Robert C. Dickson, João E. Tavares. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Justiniano R. Carvalho, John M. Lander, Christopher B. McFarland, Felipe R. Carvalho. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Antonio Cardoso da Fonseca, Herman Gärtner, José Celestino de Andrade, Robert C. Dickson, João E. Tavares, James Hamilton. 6.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Antonio Cardoso da Fonseca, Herman Gärtner, José Celestino de Andrade, Robert C. Dickson, João E. Tavares, James Hamilton. 6.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? John L. Bruce, Christopher B. McFarland. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? John L. Bruce, Christopher B. McFarland. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Ludgero de Miranda. 1.

LUDGERO DE MIRANDA was born in the year 1865; and died of smallpox, in the city of Rio de Janeiro, January 17, 1892. On the night of August 15, 1884, he heard his first evangelical sermon, preached by J. W. Tarboux, in the city of São Paulo. Under this sermon Sr. Ludgero was soundly convicted of sin, and a few weeks afterward he was genuinely converted. His Christian life on earth was short, but full of labor. He united with the Church October 12, 1884, and soon became a local preacher. In August, 1885,

he commenced his work in Juiz de Fóra, after having been under the direction of J. J. Ransom for a few months in Rio de Janeiro. In December he was recalled to Rio, and during this month he had the yellow fever. As soon as he was able to work again (January 15, 1886) he was sent to Mar de Hespanha to open new work; afterward he was called to take charge of the Palmeiras Mission. In June, 1887, he had charge of the Capivary Mission, remaining in charge till June, 1889, then returning to Juiz de Fóra to study theology under the direction of J. W. Wolling. In the following August he was ordained deacon by Bishop Granbery, and appointed junior preacher on the Juiz de Fóra Circuit. On March 23, 1891, he was called to Rio de Janeiro, and, by appointment of the presiding elder, was made junior preacher of the Brazilian charge in Rio. In July, 1891, he was reappointed to the Rio work by H. C. Tucker, President of the Conference, and was faithful in his work until taken down with smallpox, of which disease he died January 17, 1892. Sr. Ludgero was ill two weeks. The patience with which he suffered, the resignation of spirit to the Lord's will—these were stronger arguments than he had ever made in the pulpit for the Master's cause. He was a good student and a common sense preacher. At times some of us thought him stubborn when he differed from us in opinion. The stubbornness may have been on our side. He thought for himself. He had an individuality. He loved his country ardently; yet he was not too blind to see her faults, nor too cowardly to point them out to his fellow-citizens. He was full of hope for the future of Brazil and the success of the gospel in the land of the Southern Cross. The Conference has suffered loss, great loss, in his death. However, his death was a triumph for the truth of Jesus, and will be sanctified to the growth of our Church.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Rio de Janeiro District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Rio de Janeiro: English.....	34	1
Brazilian.....	48	1
Palmeiras.....	42	.....
Parahyba.....	85	.....
Juiz de Fóra.....	185	4
Rio Novo.....	19	.....
Ouro Preto.....	4	.....
	317	6

*São Paulo District.*

Piracicaba.....	137	2
Capivary.....	75	1
Santa Barbara.....	35	.....

*São Paulo District (Continued).*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
São Paulo.....	81	2
São José.....	13	.....
Taubaté.....	21	.....
	362	5

*Recapitulation.*

Rio de Janeiro District.....	317	6
São Paulo District.....	362	5
Total this year.....	679	11
Total last year.....	528	10
Increase.....	151	1

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 58.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 157.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 11.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 47.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 441.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$180.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$203. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$50; Domestic Missions, \$3,534.47. Total, \$3,584.47.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,437.54. The donors of this amount gave special instructions that the whole amount should be spent in building a church at Juiz de Fora and in buying lots at São Paulo and Capivary.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 3; value, \$71,626.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages. No parsonages.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Number of schools, 5; missionaries, 11; other teachers, 19; pupils, 438; value of property, \$40,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? São Paulo.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

RIO DE JANEIRO DISTRICT.

*E. A. Tilly, P. E.*

Rio English Station, E. A. Tilly, W. J. Lumby.

Rio Brazilian Circuit, E. A. Tilly; one to be supplied by Manoel de Camargo.

Palmeiras Circuit, to be supplied by Frank Wiedhaker.

Parahyba Circuit, to be supplied by Antonio V. de Fonseca.

Petropolis Mission, to be supplied.

Barra Mansa Mission, to be supplied by Frank Wiedhaker.

Victoria Mission, to be supplied.  
 Agent of the American Bible Society, H. C. Tucker, member of the Quarterly Conference of the Rio English Station.

SÃO PAULO DISTRICT.

Michael Dickie, P. E.

Piracicaba Circuit, Michael Dickie, Herman Gärtner, James Hamilton.  
 Capivary Circuit, Robert C. Dickson; one to be supplied by Lancy Andrews.  
 São Paulo Circuit, José da Costa Reis; one to be supplied by A. J. Mello.  
 Santa Barbara Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Taubaté Circuit, J. W. Wolling, J. R. Carvalho.  
 São José Mission, José C. de Andrade.  
 Guaratinguetá Mission, to be supplied.  
 Collegio Americano de Taubaté, J. W. Woll-

ing, Director; J. L. Kennedy, Financial Agent.  
 Expositor *Christao*, J. W. Wolling, Editor.  
 Colportage Agents, J. W. Wolling, C. B. McFarland.

MINAS GERAES DISTRICT.

J. W. Tarboux, P. E.

Juiz de Fora Circuit, J. W. Tarboux, C. B. McFarland, Antonio J. de Aranjo.  
 Rio Novo Mission, Felipe R. Carvalho; one to be supplied by George Becker.  
 Ouro Preto Mission, João E. Tavares.  
 Sabará Mission, Antonio Cardoso da Fonseca.  
 Diamantina Mission, to be supplied.  
 Montes Claros Mission, to be supplied.  
 Januaria Mission, to be supplied.  
 Collegio Americano Granbery, John L. Lander, Director; J. L. Bruce, Professor.

GERMAN MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT HOUSTON, TEX., OCTOBER 27-30, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; J. KERN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? E. Konken. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? John Williams. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? H. Jordan. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? H. Jordan. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? H. Jordan. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? John Prinzing, J. A. Schaper. 2.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

West Texas District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc' Pr's.
Llano Circuit.....	173	6
Fredericksburg Mission.....	70	2
San Antonio Mission.....	17	.....
Somerset and Medina Mission.....	40	1
New Fountain Circuit.....	120	1
New Braunfels Mission.....	47	1
Maxwell and Luling Mission.....	30	2
Cibola and Elm Creek Mission.....	60	2
Cuero and Coletto Mission.....	36	2
Weimar and Hackberry Mission.....	40	.....
Weesatche Mission.....	20	.....
	653	17

Central Texas District.

Houston Station.....	173	1
Houston Mission.....	21	.....
Industry Mission.....	31	.....
Bellville Mission.....	41	.....
Long Prairie Mission.....	27	.....
Grassyville Circuit.....	117	1
	410	2

## Recapitulation.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
West Texas District.....	653	17
Central Texas District.....	410	2
Total this year.....	1,063	19
Total last year.....	1,016	15
Increase.....	47	4

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 119.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 24.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 170.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 838.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$350.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$211.75. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$817.15; Domestic Missions, \$817.10. Total, \$1,634.25.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$86.40.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 22½; value, \$37,450.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 16; value, \$10,150.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Collected, \$170.50.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Grassyville, Lee County, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

## WEST TEXAS DISTRICT.

*Jacob Kern, P. E.*

Llano Circuit, J. Bader.

Fredericksburg Mission, E. Frenzel.

San Antonio Mission, W. Lieser.

New Fountain Circuit, H. Jordan.

Somerset Mission, J. Merkel.

Cibolo and Elm Creek Mission, F. Vordenbaumen.

Weesatche and Coletto Mission, G. Gerdes.

Cuero and Five Mile Coletto, J. A. G. Rabe.

New Braunfels and Maxwell Mission, E. Konken.

West Fork, to be supplied by H. Lochmann; J. A. Schaper, Sup.

## CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT.

*William A. Knolle, P. E.*

Houston Station, P. H. Hensch.

Houston Station, G. Muller.

Bellville and Industry Mission, C. Kurz.

Long Prairie Mission, A. Scheurich.

Grassyville Circuit, D. Schrimpf.

Weimar and East Bernard, H. W. Weise.

Williamson Mission, to be supplied by H. Hemphill; John Prinzing, Sup.

## TENNESSEE CONFERENCE.

HELD AT TULIP STREET CHURCH, NASHVILLE, TENN., OCTOBER 19-25, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; B. F. HAYNES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? ANSWER. Arcadius McSwain Trawick, William H. Baird, Frank Leighton Day, John Joel Stowe, Robert E. L. Jarvis, William Hardee Beasley, James Jones Shaw, Joshua Soule Anderson, George E. Eubank. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John W. Rowlett, Mortimer S. Gardner, John R. Reeves, Samuel G. Thompson, Jerome Winford, J. Rush Goodloe, Allen P. Walker, Andrew J. McClanahan, Bluford Warren Dodson, William B. Taylor, William V. Jarratt, John S. Rice, James A. Bridges. 13.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? James W. Swindle, William J. Cannon. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Andrew E. Clement, James H. Ray, Alvin P. Lipscomb, Rolla J. Crump, Elisha

M. Harrell, Oscar P. Hill, Harva M. Jarvis, George M. Gardner, Emmet L. Gregory. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? P. A. Sowell, J. T. Farris, A. C. Couey. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? John W. Register, William H. Johnston, Aurelius A. Mooney, James J. Ledbetter, William F. Powers, Jerome Duncan, Daniel J. Proctor, Felix W. Johnson, William T. Freeman, Joseph T. Farris. 10.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Rolla J. Crump, Alvin P. Lipscomb, Elisha M. Harrell, Oscar P. Hill, James H. Ray, Harva M. Jarvis, George M. Gardner, Emmet L. Gregory. 8.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are or-



dained deacons? Rolla J. Crump, Alvin P. Lipscomb, Elisha M. Harrell, Oscar P. Hill, James H. Ray, Harva M. Jarvis, George M. Gardner, Emmet L. Gregory. 8.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Micajah C. Carpenter, George W. Jones, Arcadius McSwain Trawick, Walter Q. Vreeland, James T. Baxter, John W. Haley. 6.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Micajah C. Carpenter, Arcadius McSwain Trawick, Walter Q. Vreeland, James T. Baxter. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Thomas W. Noland, Samuel C. Baird, John W. Smith, William R. Thornton, William H. Lovel, James W. Cherry, Madison W. Charles, Thomas A. Carden. 8.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Thomas W. Noland, Samuel C. Baird, John W. Smith, William R. Thornton, William H. Lovel, James W. Cherry, Madison W. Charles, Thomas A. Carden, Austin L. Prewett. 9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Isaac Woodward Keathley, D. F. Osteen. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? W. P. Warren, T. B. Marks, W. G. Dorris, B. F. Ferrell, W. H. Riggan, W. R. Warren, Stanford Lassiter, A. H. Reams, J. H. Strayhorn. 9.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? W. H. Wilkes, J. C. Putman, R. G. Irvine, W. G. Hensley, J. B. Anderson, A. J. B. Foster, H. S. Kennedy, George W. Martin, Garrett W. Martin, John G. Ray, E. W. White, A. M. Ezell, S. M. Parks, B. J. Gaston, D. H. Merriman, R. P. Gannaway, H. S. Ledbetter, J. F. Barnett, J. W. Hanner, Sr., R. M. Haggard, J. J. Comer, W. H. Johnson, Alexander Mathews, J. G. Hinson, G. D. Guinn. 25.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. G. Bolton, W. P. Hickman, J. B. West, B. S. Haggard, E. C. Ford. 5.

JOHN G. BOLTON, the subject of this sketch, who died in Franklin, Tenn., November 22, 1891, was born in Humphreys County, Tenn., February 22, 1841, nearly fifty-two years ago. He was reared on a farm after the fashion of most farmers' boys in sparsely settled communities. In the year 1859, when he was about eighteen, he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Waverly Circuit during the pastorate of E. M. Baker, preacher in charge, and A. F. Lawrence, presiding elder. In the fall of the same year he was recommended as a suitable person for the itinerancy, and was received on trial in the Tennessee Conference, and was appointed to the Lebanon Circuit as junior preacher. He traveled one year, and was returned to the Lebanon Circuit in the fall of 1860. It was during this Conference year

that the civil war began. Concerning his action in this great struggle as in other matters, we will let his pastor speak. Dr. Wilson, on his funeral day, said: "It was just at the outbreak of the great war between the states, and the times were troublous. His heart was deeply enlisted on the side of the Confederacy, and in May, 1861, believing the call to her aid divine, he enlisted as a private soldier in the Eleventh Tennessee Volunteers. Two years he was with his regiment, sharing all its hardships and making a name for bravery and lion-hearted courage that but few ever attain to. At the end of two years he was appointed chaplain to the Fiftieth Tennessee Regiment. Here he rendered noble service: preaching to the soldiers, tenderly ministering to the sick and wounded, and lovingly comforting the dying. After the surrender he was held a prisoner on Johnson's Island till September, 1865, when he was released and returned to his home. His comrades bear testimony to the spotless purity of his life as a soldier. Not many have such an enviable record. He remained at home but a few days, when he was called upon to serve out the year on the Centerville Circuit, made vacant by the sickness of its pastor. He served here with great acceptability till the meeting of Conference in October, when he was returned as pastor of Centerville Circuit. It was during the period of his pastorate on this circuit that he was married to Miss Williams, whom he leaves to mourn with four children, one son and three daughters. During his ministry of thirty-one years he served the following charges: Lebanon Circuit, Centerville Circuit, Santa Fe and Duck River Station, presiding elder of Centerville District, Douglass Circuit, Bethesda Circuit, presiding elder of Savannah District, Alex. Green Station, Cedar Hill Station, Williamsport Circuit, Culleoka Station, and a second time presiding elder of Savannah District. He was in his second year's service on this district when he was stricken with disease. He struggled manfully for some six weeks to do his work; but the disease took deeper and deeper hold upon him, and at last he turned his face homeward. He hoped that home and loving care of wife and children would speedily restore his vigor, and he could soon return to his labor. It was not so to be. The Master had tolled the hour when his servant should cease from labor and enter into rest. Love and prayers of wife and children could not hold him here when his Lord had summoned him yonder, and yesterday morning his toil-worn spirit entered the rest eternal. Loving, gentle, devoted father, courageous soldier, faithful friend, heroic servant of Jesus, he has gone! He has crossed over the turbulent river of death, and in Christian faith, let us believe, rests under the shade of the trees on the other side. From the scene of his activities he has been summoned to the

reward of the faithful. His place none can fill." The *Tennessee Methodist* speaks of the funeral services in the following words: "We attended the funeral of Brother Bolton, Sunday, at Franklin. A special train from Nashville, at 1:30 P.M., conveyed a very large number of the friends of the deceased from the city to Franklin. Members of the Conference acted as pallbearers. The funeral was conducted in the church at Franklin by Revs. W. F. Wilson and J. B. Erwin, assisted by Revs. W. M. Leftwich, B. F. Haynes, R. K. Brown, and J. A. Orman. The church was crowded, and after a very impressive service, a long procession of friends followed the remains to their last resting place in beautiful Mt. Hope Cemetery. A good and true man is gone. For thirty-two years he was faithful, diligent, and useful in the itinerant ranks. He was a devoted, tender husband, a loving, faithful father, a true friend, and a consecrated preacher of the gospel. His end was peace. He met the last enemy unflinchingly, and passed in peace and triumph away. His message to his brethren was that they would know where to find him." Rev. E. K. Denton, in a distant state, sees a notice of his death and writes the following hopeful words concerning him: "I think I owe more to Rev. John G. Bolton what little I am or may be able, under divine grace, to accomplish in this life than to any other one person. When I was a poor little ignorant boy, he was my pastor, and gave me such attention and such good advice that I soon concluded he was a man sent of God. I have never changed in my conviction of that fact. He baptized me, received me into the church, carried my recommendation for license to preach to old Pope's Camp Ground, and was present when I was examined by that pure and great and good R. P. Ransom, who was then our presiding elder. This writer is not the only one who claims Brother Bolton for his spiritual father. I know several in Tennessee who were brought to Christ through his ministry. One of the last sayings of Brother Miller, when dying near old Mt. Zion (the sweetest spot on earth to me), was: 'Tell Bolton I am going to the glory land through his instrumentality.' Brother Bolton did much of his most efficient work in private conversation. He knew how to reach men, and especially boys. He will have a full heaven. His works shall, by the grace of God, follow him. He was every inch a true man, an appreciative, reliable friend, a courageous soldier of the cross, a wise counselor, a refined gentleman, a pure Christian, an effective, sensible preacher, and a really lovable character. I allow that no one, save his dear wife and precious children, loved him more than this writer. I am indeed bereaved. We had expected him to spend the winter with us in this beautiful city of the bay, and had hoped he might here in this healthy climate have gained his health. But alas! Yet our meeting shall be,

by grace divine, again." Let all of us try to meet him in the beautiful land.

WILLIAM PIERCE HICKMAN was the son of Rev. Joshua and Mary Hickman. He also had three brothers who became Methodist preachers — Asbury, Frank, and Thomas Hickman; the two former were once members of the Tennessee Conference. Rev. W. P. Hickman was born February 22, 1822, in Franklin County, Tenn.; was baptized in infancy; made a profession of religion and joined the Methodist Church in early life. He became a minister of the gospel, and was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in October, 1846, in Nashville, Tenn. Two years later he was admitted into full connection, and Bishop Robert Paine ordained him a deacon in the Church of God October 29, 1848. He was ordained an elder by Bishop William Capers, in Athens, Ala., October 27, 1850. He was married in Nashville, Tenn., November 11, 1856, to Mrs. Agnes Slayden, the late Dr. W. D. F. Sawrie performing the ceremony. At his own request he was located at Murfreesboro, Tenn., October, 1857. He then settled on a little farm on the waters of South Harpeth, in Davidson County, Tenn.; and that residence was his home till 1890, when he sold his humble home there and removed and settled in Obion County, Tenn., but near Fulton County, Ky., where he died in holy triumph January 13, 1892. From his admission into the Tennessee Annual Conference on probation in 1846 till his location in 1857 he served the following charges in the order given: Cypress, Shoal, Obed's River, Sparta, Bellefonte, Cumberland, Fountain Head, Wayne, Nashville, Centerville, and Nashville again. As a local preacher he was faithful and a man of much diligence. It is doubtful if any man within ten miles of his old Davidson County home performed more manual labor than he did during the year. He was strictly a local preacher. In that relation it is but proper to say that even then he loved the itinerancy, and worked in full harmony with it in his local rank. In 1872 he was employed as a supply on the Smith Springs Circuit. In October, 1873, he was readmitted to membership into the Tennessee Annual Conference, and from thence till he ceased to be effective he traveled the following charges in the order given: Smith Springs, three years; Waverly, Bethlehem (two years), Pope, Kingston, White Bluff Mission, Fernvale, Pinewood, Yellow Creek, and McEwen and Sugar Creek Mission. In October, 1886, he was superannuated. This relation grieved him at the time, but a few months later he wrote: "My brethren were much better judges of my case than myself. I have not really been able to preach but twice since." That relation was continued till life's long warfare closed. It was in 1866 that Bishop H. N. McTyeire appointed the

writer pastor on the old Nashville Circuit. From that time to 1883 I was the pastor of Brother Hickman and family five years. We lived neighbors. He has gone more than once in the bounds of my charge to preach a funeral sermon. I have gone within the bounds of his for the same purpose. We have helped each other time and again in protracted meetings. To me he would unbosom himself and tell me many things that showed him to be of a confiding spirit, and when I told him things in confidence I felt that they were safe in his bosom. We have traveled together, met at District and Annual Conferences, and if there was a man in the Tennessee Annual Conference that I knew like a closely perused, well-studied book, it was the Rev. William P. Hickman, and it is with pleasure that I say that in him "there lived a man"—a man true to God, true to himself, true to his devoted Agnes, and to his stepchildren; true and loving and indulgent to his own dear children; and it is a mystery to me that he gave to each and to all of them the opportunities for education which he did, thus raising both his stepchildren and his own in credit. They all loved him. He was a plain, earnest, practical, common sense preacher; and out of the twenty-five appointments to which he was assigned he went to and served each of them to the extent of his ability. On these various charges he labored with a true and rational zeal, and with that varied opposition and success which nearly all ministers meet to a greater or less extent on their different fields of toil. In all of his pastoral charges he was faithful to what he conceived to be his duty. In some of these he was very popular and quite successful, and occasionally he witnessed the abundant prosperity of our Zion; and his soul, under these happy circumstances, was filled unutterably full of glory and of God. And in the last great day many, very many, people from Cypress Circuit to Obed's River, and from the old Bellefonte to Sugar Creek, will rise up and say: "He converted me as an instrument in the hands of God from the error of my way; saved my immortal soul from death, and hid a multitude of sins." Brother Hickman was a warm-hearted Christian gentleman. He was clothed with humility as with a garment. His daughter, Mrs. Bettie H. Mays, in a very affectionate and intelligent letter, says: "Father was attacked with *la grippe* and pneumonia combined, January 6. He suffered intensely during the few days he was allowed to remain with us, but there was no complaining, no murmuring. O how irreparable is our loss! His counsel, his prayers, his pious example which he always set before his children, to be received no more. But thank God, while we mourn, I know such a life as my father lived cannot be lost; such a man cannot really die." Most assuredly that is true. He is not dead; he has gone to join the sainted Green, McFerrin, Riggs, Hughes, and a host

of others who voted him admission into the Tennessee Conference forty-six years ago, and who before him their journey had trod and who were watching and waiting for him in the beautiful palace of God. It is a singular coincidence that he joined the Tennessee Conference in Nashville, made his last visit to one of its sessions in Nashville, and we conduct his memorial service in the same great, growing city. Dr. Joe B. Erwin and committee of arrangements gave William P. Hickman no home in the city this year, for he has gone to the city which hath foundations, whose Maker and Builder is God. Our young and distinguished bishop will not call his name in making the appointments for 1892 in the old Jerusalem Conference, but the great Shepherd and Bishop of souls in the new Jerusalem has appointed his soul a place in that "land undimmed by sorrow and unhurt by time, where age hath no power o'er the fadeless frame, where the eye is fire and the heart is flame." Brethren of the Tennessee Conference, gathering around the great white throne, some sweet day we shall meet the firm and heroic John G. Bolton, the young and gifted Berry Stephens Haggard, and the great and gifted Dr. J. B. West, and the humble, faithful, affectionate William P. Hickman in the world where the flowers bloom to fade no more.

JOSEPH BURGESS WEST, D.D., who died in Clarksville, Tenn., May 22, 1892, was a native of Morgan County, Ala. He was a well-bred man, his parents being first-class people, who, though they were not rich in this world's goods, possessed the true riches. They were Methodists, and being deeply imbued with the teachings of Wesley, they believed the doctrines of Methodism were the true interpretation of the Holy Scriptures, which they habitually read. The father of the subject of this sketch, though an unpretentious layman, was deeply learned in the things of God, and was perfect, thoroughly furnished unto every good work. His experience was Pauline in its type, and he was full of faith and the Holy Ghost, and it is not probable that there was a day within forty years before his death when he could not have said: "I know whom I have believed." He breathed the atmosphere of devotion, and was a mighty man in prayer, and when he led the great congregation in extempore prayer an awful sense of the divine Presence was in every heart, and all felt that a man of God was talking with his Maker present. An illustration of his power with God is seen in an incident which he once related to the writer. One of his daughters, an accomplished lady, and a Christian, was taken sick from home, and after a brief illness died. Not having been advised of her condition and the probable result, she crossed the river of death with no consciousness of what was transpiring. The fact that she left no dying testimony concerning her

eternal hopes distressed her pious father, notwithstanding he had the clearest reason for believing his child was saved. He went to the mercy seat with the anxious question, and begged a sign from heaven. "If my child is saved," he prayed, "let me now receive such a blessing as I have never before had; but if she is not saved, then let me leave this place unblest." Instantly it seemed some window above had been opened, and all heaven was poured into his soul. Joseph B. West's mother, like his father, was an intelligent and intense Methodist, and competent to have produced her gifted and distinguished son whom the writer is seeking to describe. Her biography is written in Proverbs xxxi. 10-31. No son ever had a better mother, and he was an exemplification of the fact that the mother molds the man. "Those who rock the cradle rule the nation," and supply the Church with its representatives and leaders as well; not those who go missionating to save the children of others and leave their own to go to the bad. It would have been strange if a child bred in such a home had not become a Christian. It is not domestic lectures or zeal of the parents in enterprises for social reform which give to the children of a household a high ideal of Christianity; but it is the daily life of the parents, and the spirit which they exhibit that determine what their children are to become, and what is to be their destiny. A man might have the zeal of a Pharisee, and yet withal be a hypocrite; and he might give all his goods to feed the poor and his body to be burned, and have not charity. Aye, one might go as a missionary to the heathen, and yet not rise to the plane of heathen honesty in his conception of morals. The children of such would most probably become atheists, but in the home of piety where the parents, without ostentation, reveal Christ in their daily lives the children will generally become Christians. His call to preach was imperative, and he dutifully responded: "Here am I; send me." Not, however, without a struggle, for it was his plan of life to be a lawyer, a profession for which his mental habits and tastes eminently fitted him. Besides, he felt as any one truly called of God to preach the gospel is certain to feel: "Who is sufficient for these things?" He wrestled in prayer over the question, and after an agonizing and tearful struggle he became thoroughly persuaded that he must preach, and he obeyed. Not long after he had been licensed to preach he entered the traveling connection in the Tennessee Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and continued a member in that Conference until his death. He rose rapidly from the humble plane of a beginner to the elevated positions of the Church; which is not surprising, for he was intellectual and studious, and being consecrated he preached the gospel with the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven. In what-

ever position he filled, whether in charge of a circuit or station, or the presiding elder of a district, or president of a school, he did his work thoroughly and well, and left his impression on the people whom he served. Many will rise up in the judgment and call him blessed. As a preacher his style was ornate in the beginning of his ministry, but with mature years the exuberance of youth shaded off into graceful rhetoric, and toned down into a wealth of impassioned eloquence. His mind was peculiar, felicitously blending beauty and strength, and there was a growing disposition in him to indulge in philosophical disquisition. Not with pragmatic curiosity peering into the secret things which belong to God alone, for he was a man of deep reverence and sound practical common sense; but the revealed things which belong to us and our children he did desire, like the angels, to look into, and the world is indebted to him for many a nugget of thought digged from the mines of truth. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on him by Emory and Henry College, and none could justly doubt that it was an honor worthy bestowed. Dr. West was not only intellectual, but he was bright and breezy, being a wit of high order. The sparkle of his humor lent a charm to his conversation, and he was the idol of every circle which he entered. Like the swan, whose dying note is said to be its sweetest, he often caused others to laugh when his own heart was sad and weary. He loved mankind, and every pulsation of his heart was a throb of sympathy for those who suffered. Incapable of inflicting pain upon others intentionally, his spirit rose to the highest pitch of indignation toward any who did; yet even in that case he was free from malice. Malice never found a lodgment in his breast, and in the general judgment he can proclaim: "Whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed?" Dr. West was a sincere man, and he had a contempt for cant. Affectation was his horror, and a favorite motto with him was that "There is no higher proof that a man lacks a virtue than the fact of his parading it." He held that the sun never fires a cannon to announce its reappearance in the morning, but simply rises quietly above the horizon and shines; that a true life, not a loud profession, is the evidence of a man's discipleship to Jesus, and only Jesus exceeded him in the severity with which he denounced hypocrisy. The blade of his sarcasm in this direction was as sharp as the edge of a surgeon's scalpel; but he was as tender as a mother toward a sincere soul honestly fighting the battle of life, however feebly and imperfectly the poor struggler might perform his task. Like his Master, he would not break a bruised reed or quench the smoking flax. On October 5, 1851, Dr. West was happily married to Mary Rebecca Jarrad, who, with two of their six children, survives him to mourn. And

they are not alone in their grief, for who that knew Joseph B. West does not mourn his death? Many join their sympathies with the sorrowful flow of the feelings of the bereaved family, and weep to think they will never again see him in the flesh or hear the gentle tones of his sympathetic voice. The following is added from his lifelong friend: "His dropping out of my life has left a void not to be filled. Words cannot tell the weight of my grief. My glorified friend had religion, and preached it with notable power. Founding his heart upon divine realities, he knew the truth and was free. He had troubles and bereavements, still his life was happy and beautiful. His departure was peaceful and apparently without pain. He looked into the tranquil things of death and the mysterious future, and was not afraid. His pure spirit glided out of the body into the arms of the angel that carried him home, leaving on his face a lingering glory of the uncreated light. While I sit here desolate under the cypress by the dark stream of death, it is comfort to think of him filled with gladness by the river of life flowing from the throne of God and the Lamb. He is not dead. His material form sleeps well. When our best loved friends are borne to higher life, we call them dead. With Him there is no death."

BERRY STEPHENS HAGGARD, son of Rev. Robert M. and Mary C. Haggard, a member of the Tennessee Conference, was born February 2, 1857, in Marshall County, Tenn. June 15, 1876, he married Bettie V. Cathey. He was licensed to preach by the Conference of the Chapel Hill Circuit, May 26, 1883, Rev. W. A. Turner, preacher in charge, and Rev. J. W. Hill, presiding elder. He was received on trial into the Tennessee Conference at Columbia, October, 1885. At Gallatin, October 16, 1887, he was ordained deacon by Bishop A. W. Wilson. At Pulaski, October 12, 1890, he was ordained elder by Bishop R. K. Hargrove. The first charge to which Brother Haggard was sent, and which he filled with great success in revival work, was Lowryville Circuit, Savannah District. Next year he was sent to Wayland Springs Circuit, Savannah District, where he remained three years, endearing himself to the people and advancing the interest of the kingdom of God. Linden Circuit, Savannah District, next became his field of labor. Here he built a parsonage, working with his own hands. He was a carpenter before he joined the Conference. His skill in this line helped him to care for his large family, though his attention was called at times from his pastoral work. His members would press him into service. If a church was needed, he could build it. If a member of his Church or community needed a house, the service of Brother Haggard could be secured. From Linden he came to Neapolis Circuit, Franklin District. A year of success

was given him on this work. The Lord blessed his labors, and Zion prospered. October, 1891, Bishop Wilson sent him back to Neapolis Circuit. His brethren of the Conference did not think that his voice would be heard no more in the pulpit. It was so. His last sermon had been preached. The hand of affliction was on him, and his work was circumscribed. Feeling that he would not be able to preach for several months, at least, he suggested to the members of the Quarterly Conference the propriety of a resignation in order that some one might take his place. The Conference said: "No." Without receiving an equivalent in labor, the charge affectionately assumed his support until the next Annual Conference. The gospel germinates and produces fruit. The Spirit of the Lord is near when such as this occurs. It is not of the world to do that way. Many will say: "Blessings on the heads and hearts of those who have glorified God by such an example." Brother Haggard desired to get well, that he might repay his devoted wife for her kind attention, that he might be with his family, and that he might preach the gospel. He loved Jesus, and spoke so tenderly of him a few hours before he died. Having been asked, "What affords you more comfort than anything in this hour?" he said: "The peace and presence of the Lord." "I die a Christian," he sent as a message to a loved one. "Tell them that I die with faith in the gospel of Jesus Christ, and with a consciousness of forgiven sins," was his message to his brethren of the Tennessee Conference. Later on: "I see the headlands in the distance." July 13, 1892, ere the rising sun had kissed the eastern hills, the spirit of Berry S. Haggard had flown to a purer clime than this. One of his stewards said: "He was all that we could ask." His ministry was short but successful. Endowed with common sense, bearing about with him the milk of human kindness, and having in his heart a love for the Son of God, he gained the affection of his people, and always left his charges improved along all the lines of religious culture. Many led to Christ by his ministry have had occasion to think of him when reading: "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace." A faithful wife, six fatherless children, two aged parents, and the Tennessee Conference have sustained a great loss. God does all things well.

ELISHA C. FORD, who died October 17, 1892, on Wolf River Mission, was born in Macon County, Tenn., in 1859. Nearly ten years ago he professed religion, connecting himself with the M. E. Church, South, at Mt. Pisgah, of the La Fayette Circuit. In the year 1887 he was licensed by the Quarterly Conference of La Fayette Circuit, Lebanon District, to preach; was admitted on trial in the Tennessee Conference in 1891 at

the West End Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn.; and was sent to the Wolf River Mission, on which work he died. He did a faithful work—having in the one year sixty-nine conversions—and the spiritual interest of the Church increased a hundredfold. He died in the faith and has gone to glory, leaving behind a bereaved wife and two children, who ask the prayers of this Conference.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Murfreesboro District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Murfreesboro.....	489	.....
Stone's River.....	430	2
Salem and Walnut Grove.....	252	2
Concord.....	396	.....
Milton Circuit.....	240	1
Woodbury.....	315	2
Beech Grove.....	194	.....
Bellbuckle.....	257	1
Wartrace and Haley.....	231	.....
Manchester and Summitville.....	201	.....
Tullahoma.....	144	.....
Normandy.....	216	2
Hillsboro.....	476	7
Bell Spring.....	683	5
Hickory Creek.....	777	.....
McMinnville.....	255	3
McMinnville Circuit.....	594	4
Spencer.....	440	2
Sparta.....	129	.....
Sparta Circuit.....	730	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>7,449</b>	<b>34</b>

Nashville District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
McKendree Station.....	1,076	8
Elm Street.....	1,100	4
West End.....	742	15
North High Street.....	310	.....
McTyeire Memorial.....	167	.....
Park Avenue.....	265	1
South Street.....	220	.....
Carroll Street.....	346	3
Humphreys Street.....	210	.....
West Nashville.....	152	3
Arlington.....	70	.....
Antioch.....	202	.....
City Mission.....	259	3
Bellevue.....	288	.....
Centenary.....	314	4
Cumberland.....	230	.....
Blakemore Chapel.....	112	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,063</b>	<b>43</b>

Shelbyville District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Shelbyville.....	281	.....
Shelbyville Circuit.....	412	.....
Rich Valley.....	275	1
Unionville.....	565	3
Tracy City.....	225	1
Winchester.....	146	1
Lynchburg.....	199	2
Lynchburg and Mulberry.....	631	4
Salem.....	444	1
Fayetteville.....	225	1
Fayetteville Circuit.....	473	3
Petersburg.....	554	2
Marble Plains.....	381	2
Macedonia.....	.....	.....
Blanche.....	413	.....
Cornersville and Lewisburg.....	335	.....
Medium Circuit.....	520	3
Mont Eagle.....	391	.....
Pelham.....	395	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,865</b>	<b>26</b>

East Nashville District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Tulip Street.....	1,018	5
McFerrin Memorial.....	607	4
Hobson Chapel.....	123	1
Alex. Green.....	187	.....
Greenville.....	119	.....
Goodlettsville.....	550	2
Cross Plains.....	491	1
Fountain Head.....	291	1
Green Brier.....	284	3
Bethpage.....	184	.....
Gallatin.....	346	.....
Sumner Circuit.....	316	1
Samndersville.....	313	.....
Hermitage.....	374	1
Castalian Springs.....	201	.....
Westmoreland.....	412	1
East Nashville Mission.....	80	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>5,896</b>	<b>21</b>

Columbia District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Columbia.....	382	2
South Columbia.....	157	1
Mt. Pleasant.....	235	2
Cullcoka.....	119	1
Bigbyville.....	334	.....
Gibsonville.....	270	2
Forest Grove.....	189	1
Olivet and Lynville.....	322	2
Diana.....	491	.....
Pleasant Valley.....	356	.....
Pulaski.....	463	.....
Pisgah.....	694	6
Trinity.....	395	1
Fall River.....	360	2
Prospect.....	401	.....
Richland.....	315	.....
Elkton and Smyrna.....	374	3
Banker Hill Mission.....	107	1
Bee Spring.....	500	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,464</b>	<b>26</b>

Lebanon District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Lebanon.....	273	1
Lebanon Circuit.....	289	1
Cainsville.....	310	3
Center Hill.....	120	.....
Alexandria.....	311	1
Short Mountain.....	449	.....
Smithville.....	250	1
Cookeville.....	87	2
Livingston.....	1,063	10
Wolf River.....	365	1
Chanute.....	.....	.....
Chestnut Mound.....	421	2
Mt. Olivet.....	256	1
Pleasant Grove.....	618	3
New Middleton.....	421	1
Carthage.....	444	1
Wartrace.....	650	1
Hartsville.....	447	.....
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,874</b>	<b>29</b>

Franklin District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Franklin.....	466	.....
Donglass.....	469	1
Spring Hill.....	124	.....
Carter's Creek.....	302	1
Neapolis.....	383	4
Brentwood and Smyrna.....	168	1
Harpeth.....	243	2
Bethesda.....	454	2
Woodbine and Thompson's.....	194	.....
Nolensville.....	487	.....
Kedron.....	443	2
College Grove.....	430	.....
Chapel Hill.....	479	.....
Berlin.....	320	2
Bethlehem and Johnson's.....	242	3
Fernvale.....	265	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>5,469</b>	<b>19</b>

Savannah District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Savannah .....	223	.....
Savannah Circuit.....	284	4
Waynesboro and Clifton .....	275	1
Mt. Auburn.....	370	1
Linden and Beardstown .....	240	.....
Linden Mission.....	216	2
Flat Woods Mission .....	213	3
Lowryville.....	235	1
Lawrenceburg .....	250	.....
West Point.....	315	1
Hampshire and Sandy Hook .....	238	2
Williamsport .....	364	1
Henryville.....	140	1
Eagle Circuit.....	77	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,440</b>	<b>18</b>

Centerville District.

Centerville.....	201	.....
Shady Grove.....	427	1
Santa Fe .....	590	1
Midland.....	150	1
Goodrich and Warner.....	205	2
White Bluffs.....	289	5
Tennessee City .....	359	8
Edgewood Circuit .....	261	4
Houston Circuit .....	248	2
Charlotte.....	579	1
Dickson .....	127	2
Dickson Mission .....	192	1
Erin and Cumberland .....	385	5
Bear Spring Mission.....	162	1
Dover Circuit.....	339	1
Standing Rock.....	387	1
Stewart.....	433	1
Hustburg.....	352	5
Liberty.....	293	1
Waverly and McEwen.....	283	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,215</b>	<b>44</b>

Clarksville District.

Clarksville.....	528	.....
South Clarksville and Bethlehem.....	257	.....
New Providence and Bethel.....	210	.....
Montgomery.....	460	2
Big Rock Circuit.....	682	5
Palmyra .....	.....	.....
Antioch.....	796	4
Asbury .....	333	.....
Pleasant View .....	317	1
State Line.....	274	.....
Sadlersville and Adams Station.....	345	1
Cedar Hill .....	497	2
Springfield .....	209	1
Red River.....	571	1
Ashland City .....	570	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>6,049</b>	<b>18</b>

Recapitulation.

Nashville District .....	6,063	43
East Nashville District.....	5,896	21
Lebanon District.....	6,874	29
Marfreesboro District.....	7,449	34
Shelbyville District .....	6,865	26
Columbia District .....	6,464	25
Franklin District.....	5,469	19
Savannah District.....	3,440	18
Centerville District.....	6,215	44
Clarksville District .....	6,049	18
<b>Total this year</b> .....	<b>61,784</b>	<b>278</b>
<b>Total last year</b> .....	<b>59,979</b>	<b>312</b>
<b>Increase</b> .....	<b>805</b>	<b>.....</b>
<b>Decrease</b> .....	<b>.....</b>	<b>34</b>

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 986.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,575.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 517.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,559.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 33,729.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? From preachers, \$4,741.12; from interest on Calvin fund, \$29.25; from Board of Trust for Superannuated Preachers', \$838.21; from Publishing House, \$890. Total, \$6,498.58. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$15,405.11; Domestic Missions, \$5,542.50. Total, \$20,947.61.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,855.24.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 539 7-12; value, \$943,720.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 104 5-6; value, \$110,093.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Officers and teachers, 163; students, 2,264; endowment, \$938,000; property, \$1,213,200.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Lebanon, Tenn.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

James A. Orman, P. E.

McKendree, S. A. Steel.

Elm Street, D. C. Kellev.

West End, Robert K. Brown, W. M. Leftwich.

West Nashville, J. W. Cherry.

Carroll Street, R. A. Young.

North High Street, W. Weakley.

Park Avenue, W. M. Green.

South Street, F. E. Alford.

McTyeire Memorial, M. S. Gardner.

Humphreys Street, J. W. Rowlett.

Waverly Place, Jerome Winford.

Fillmore Street, J. J. Stowe.

Blakemore, J. Rush Goodloe.

Arlington, B. A. Cherry, L. C. Bryan.

Antioch, M. J. Mabry.

City Mission, G. W. Winn.

Centenary, T. W. Noland.

Bellevue, T. L. Day.

Cumberland, S. M. Cherry.

Book Agent, J. D. Barbee.

Missionary to Japan, W. R. Lambuth.

EAST NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

Lewis Powell, P. E.

Tulip Street, J. B. Erwin.

McFerrin Memorial, T. A. Kerley.

Hobson Chapel, T. H. Hinson.

Trinity, R. R. Jones.

Alex. Green, H. S. McBride.

Goodlettsville, J. W. Hensley.  
 Green Brier, J. J. Pitts.  
 Fountain Head, J. C. Myers.  
 Gallatin Station, W. R. Peebles.  
 Sumner Circuit, T. H. Woodward; B. F. Ferrill, Sup.  
 Saundersville, H. B. Blue; W. G. Dorris, Sup.  
 Bethpage, J. G. Rice.  
 Westmoreland, J. S. Rice.  
 Castalian Springs, J. L. Teague.  
 East End, A. M. Trawick; W. R. Warren, Sup.  
 Greenville, H. J. Ivie.  
 Hermitage, B. T. Smotherman.  
*Tennessee Methodist*, B. F. Haynes, Editor.

## LEBANON DISTRICT.

*J. T. Curry, P. E.*

Lebanon Station, W. T. Haggard.  
 Carthage and Alexandria, G. B. McPeak.  
 Cookeville Circuit, Robert E. L. Jarvis.  
 Smithville Circuit, W. F. Powers; A. H. Reams, Sup.  
 Pleasant Grove, M. N. Ford.  
 Flynn's Lick Mission, to be supplied by W. P. Freeman.  
 Liberty Circuit, T. A. Carden.  
 Livingston Circuit, to be supplied by W. L. Purnell.  
 Overton Mission, to be supplied by J. S. Moore.  
 Wolf River Mission, to be supplied.  
 Chanute Mission, to be supplied by J. V. Brown.  
 Chestnut Mound Circuit, H. M. Jarvis.  
 Mt. Olivet Circuit, S. W. Bransford.  
 Wartrace Circuit, J. R. Reeves.  
 Trammel Circuit, W. H. Baird.  
 Hartsville Circuit, N. A. Anthony.  
 Lebanon Circuit, J. Webster.  
 New Middleton Circuit, J. L. Smotherman.  
 Cainsville Circuit, W. T. Dye; S. La-siter, Sup.

## MURFREESBORO DISTRICT.

*T. L. Moody, P. E.*

Murfreesboro Station, A. P. McFerrin.  
 Stone's River, S. L. Fain.  
 Salem and Walnut Grove, T. L. Darnell.  
 Concord, J. R. Thompson.  
 Pisgah Circuit, to be supplied by G. W. Taylor.  
 Beech Grove and Woodbury, O. P. Hill.  
 Bellbuckle, T. J. Duncan.  
 Wartrace Station, W. A. Lusby.  
 Manchester and Summitville, J. K. Lee.  
 Tullahoma, S. G. Thompson.  
 Shiloh Circuit, to be supplied by G. W. Cook.  
 Hillsboro Circuit, to be supplied by Joseph F. Martin.  
 Bell Spring, J. W. Rooker.  
 Hickory Creek, D. S. Thompson.  
 McMinnville Station, A. C. Couey.  
 McMinnville Circuit, M. R. Tucker.  
 Spencer Mission, to be supplied by A. L. Comer.

Sparta Station, W. H. Klyce.  
 Sparta Circuit, J. A. Bridges.  
 Professor in the Webb School, G. L. Beale.

## SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.

*G. P. Jackson, P. E.*

Shelbyville Station, J. R. Stewart.  
 Shelbyville Circuit, J. G. Blanton; T. B. Marks, Sup.  
 Rich Valley, J. F. Beasley.  
 Unionville, J. T. Duncan.  
 Fayetteville Station, R. J. Craig.  
 Fayetteville Circuit, M. W. Charles.  
 Macedonia Circuit, to be supplied by W. M. Blalock.  
 Blanche Circuit, W. R. Keathley.  
 Lynchburg and Mulberry, G. M. Sanders.  
 Lynchburg Circuit, S. J. Shasteen.  
 Medium Circuit, Wood Bouldin.  
 Petersburg Circuit, E. W. Brown.  
 Cornersville and Lewisburg, C. S. Gabard.  
 Winchester Station, J. M. Jordan.  
 Marble Plains Circuit, R. J. Crump.  
 Salem, to be supplied by J. W. Hatcher.  
 Decherd and Cowan, J. C. Roberts.  
 Tracy City, R. E. Travis.  
 Mont Eagle, J. R. Reagin.

## COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*W. J. Collier, P. E.*

Columbia Station, J. W. Hanner, Jr.  
 South Columbia, J. F. Tinnon.  
 Mt. Pleasant Station, W. H. Doss.  
 Culleoka and Hurricane, W. W. Graves.  
 Bigbyville Circuit, J. G. Gibson; J. H. Strayhorn, Sup.  
 Marcella Falls Mission, to be supplied by A. W. Horton.  
 Forest Grove Circuit, W. H. Lovell.  
 Olivet and Lynnville, G. W. Anderson.  
 Pleasant Valley, D. J. Proctor.  
 Pulaski Station, J. E. Harrison.  
 Trinity Circuit, J. S. Anderson.  
 Fall River Mission, R. P. Gray.  
 Prospect Circuit, W. A. Turner.  
 Richland Circuit, W. H. Gilbert.  
 Bunker Hill Mission, W. H. Beasley.  
 Pisgah Circuit, J. G. Molloy.  
 Diana Circuit, N. B. S. Owings.  
 Bee Springs Circuit, J. L. Kellum.  
 Elkton Station, W. A. Leath.  
 Pleasant Hill and Smyrna, to be supplied by E. B. Worsham; W. H. Riggin, Sup.  
 President of Martin Female College, R. M. Saunders.  
 Commissioner of Female Education, J. E. Harrison.

## FRANKLIN DISTRICT.

*T. B. Fisher, P. E.*

Franklin Station, J. M. Wright.  
 Douglass Circuit, B. H. Johnson.  
 Spring Hill Station, J. J. Ransom.  
 Carter's Creek, A. E. Clement.  
 Neapolis, G. W. Blanton.  
 Brentwood and Smyrna, R. P. Ransom.



Harpeth Station, H. B. McNeill.  
Bethesda Circuit, S. C. Baird.  
Woodbine and Thompson, G. D. Byrne.  
Nolensville, J. P. Funk.  
Kedron, W. T. Hart.  
College Grove, R. W. Seay.  
Chapel Hill, A. T. Goodloe.  
Berlin, C. E. Heriges.  
Bethlehem and Johnson, T. S. Cullom.  
Fernville Mission, to be supplied by A. C. Mathews.  
Vanderbilt University, W. W. Martin, Professor.  
Tennessee Female College, W. F. Wilson, President.

## SAVANNAH DISTRICT.

*W. B. Lowry, P. E.*

Savannah Station, L. R. Amis.  
Savannah Circuit, A. J. McClanahan.  
Waynesboro Circuit, A. L. Prewett.  
Mt. Auburn Circuit, to be supplied by P. W. Ward; W. P. Warren, Sup.  
Linden and Beardstown, James H. Ray.  
Linden Mission, to be supplied by R. H. Ward.  
Cane Creek Circuit, W. T. Freeman.  
Lowryville Circuit, to be supplied.  
Lawrenceburg, W. B. Patty.  
West Point, F. W. Johnson.  
Hampshire and Sandy Hook, W. S. Harwell.  
Williamsport, W. H. Johnston.  
Henryville Mission, to be supplied by P. D. Gardner.  
Eagle Mills Mission, A. A. Mooney.

## CENTERVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. A. McFerrin, P. E.*

Centerville, E. L. Gregory.  
Shady Grove, J. H. Nichols.  
Santa Fe, J. D. Massey.  
Midland Mission, to be supplied by Joel E. Harrison.  
Goodrich and Warner, W. D. Cherry.

White Bluff, J. W. Register.  
Dickson Station, W. R. Thornton.  
Dickson Mission, A. P. Walker.  
Charlotte, J. T. Faris.  
Edgewood, W. B. Taylor.  
Houston, to be supplied by J. M. Stamper.  
Erin and Cumberland, W. L. Jackson.  
Bear Springs Mission, to be supplied by J. A. McGee.  
Dover Circuit, J. N. Handlin.  
Standing Rock Circuit, J. J. Ledbetter.  
Stewart, J. W. Gilbert.  
Plant, J. R. Harris.  
Liberty, J. G. Blackwood.  
Waverly and McEwen, J. T. Blackwood.  
McEwen Mission, U. N. M. Berry.

## CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT.

*H. B. Reams, P. E.*

Clarksville Station, P. A. Sowell.  
South Clarksville and Bethlehem, B. W. Dodson.  
New Providence and Bethel, W. H. Cotton.  
Montgomery Circuit, J. M. Oakley.  
Big Rock Circuit, Z. W. Moores.  
Palmyra Circuit, James J. Shaw.  
Antioch Circuit, J. W. Faires.  
Southside and Wood Valley, W. T. S. Cook.  
Asbury, J. W. Cullom.  
Clifton and Mallory's, W. V. Jarratt.  
State Line, G. S. Byrom.  
Ashland City and Pleasant View, J. L. Chennault.  
Sadlersville and Adams, J. W. Smith.  
Cedar Hill, Jerome Duncan.  
Springfield, E. M. Harrell.  
Red River, J. R. Williams.  
Cross Plains, George E. Eubank.

*Transferred.*—J. F. Carl, to the Memphis Conference; G. M. Gardner, to the West Texas Conference; A. P. Lipscomb, to the Northwest Texas Conference; H. L. Booth, to the North Alabama Conference.

## NEW MEXICO CONFERENCE.

HELD AT SAN MARCIAL, NEW MEXICO, July 13-17, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; S. W. THOMAS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. William A. Govett. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John E. Sawders, C. H. Govett, B. B. Scoggins. 3.

Ques. 3. Who are dis-continued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. M. Crutchfield. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? H. M. Vinson. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? J. M. Crutchfield. 1.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are

elected elders? W. D. Clayton, S. W. Thomas. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. D. Clayton, S. W. Thomas. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 5; members, 568.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 61.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 32.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 20.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 128.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 910.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$120.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$45.40. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$237.50; Domestic Missions, \$110. Total, \$347.50.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$40.20.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 18; value, \$41,400.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 7; value, \$6,250.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Las Vegas Female Seminary: Pupils, 123; teachers, 6; value of property, \$19,000. La Mesa Industrial College: Value of property, \$2,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Eddy, N. Mex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### EL PASO DISTRICT.

W. D. Robinson, P. E.

El Paso, to be supplied.

La Mesa, J. M. Stevenson.

Deming and Silver City, H. M. Vinson, W. A. Govett.

San Marcial, B. J. H. Thomas.

Socorro and Magdalena, J. A. Crutchfield.

Albuquerque, S. W. Thomas.

Gallup, W. T. Burk.

Cerrillos, W. D. Clayton.

Las Vegas, D. P. Brown.

White Oaks, I. N. Crutchfield.

Roswell, J. D. Bush.

Bonita, B. B. Scoggins.

Penasco, C. H. Govett.

Eddy, Robert Hodgson.

Pecos City, J. M. Crutchfield.

Alpine, J. E. Sawders.

Las Vegas Female Seminary, J. D. Bush, Agent.

*Transferred.*—W. B. Jennings, to the Western Conference.

### MONTANA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT BOZEMAN, MONT., AUGUST 10-14, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; W. M. BRITT, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? None.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? R. H. Schaffer, from the Southwest Missouri Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? L. Bramble. 1.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William T. Goulder, Eugene L. Lee. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. T. Goulder, E. L. Lee. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? L. B. Stater. 1.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Helena District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Helena Station.....	71	.....
East Helena.....	22	.....
Butte City Station.....	90	.....
Whitehall and Willow Creek.....	52	.....
Deer Lodge.....	44	.....
Bozeman Station.....	43	.....
Bozeman Circuit.....	51	1
Boulder and Elkhorn.....	80	1
Townsend Circuit.....	23	.....
	476	2

*Missoula District.*

Demersville Circuit.....	12	.....
Corvallis Circuit.....	40	.....
Grantsdale Circuit.....	17	.....
Stevensville Circuit.....	102	1
Wallace.....	17	.....
	188	1

*Recapitulation.*

Helena District.....	476	2
Missoula District.....	188	1
Total this year.....	664	3
Total last year.....	532	6
Increase.....	132	.....
Decrease.....	.....	3

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 54.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 67.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 16.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 102.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 816.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$100.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? Nothing collected.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$400; Domestic Missions, \$200. Total, \$600.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$110.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 15; value, \$65,075.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 10; value, \$16,200.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Butte City, Mont.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year.

HELENA DISTRICT.

*J. E. Squires, P. E.*

- Helena Station, R. H. Schaffer.
- East Helena, L. Bramble.
- Boulder and Alhambra, R. S. Clark.
- Townsend Circuit, E. L. Lee.
- Belgrade Circuit, B. E. H. Warren.
- Stevensville and Corvallis, W. O. Waggener, E. J. Stanley.
- Demersville Circuit, to be supplied.
- Wallace, to be supplied.
- Butte City, to be supplied.
- Bozeman Station, S. B. Tabor.
- Willow Creek and Whitehall, W. T. Goulder.
- Deer Lodge and Anaconda, W. M. Britt.
- Upper Bitter Root, T. W. Flowers.
- Great Falls, to be supplied.
- Montana Methodist*, E. J. Stanley, Editor.

*Transferred.*—A. C. Couey, to the Tennessee Conference; D. B. Price, to the Arkansas Conference; J. B. Parnall, to the Columbia Conference.

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MIDDLESBORO, KENTUCKY, SEPTEMBER 7-12, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; JOHN REEVES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. James Wright Crates, Edward Allen, Horace Greeley Turner, Charles A. Tague, Millard F. Moores, James R. Word, Clinton H. Greer. 7.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Austin E. Colgrove, R. B. Baird, William Oakley,

Pemberton J. Ross, Jerry M. Johnson, John W. Hunter, Benjamin F. Cosby, Orley J. Chandler, James L. West, E. E. Holmes, R. M. Lee. 11.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. W. Williams, T. E. York, S. L. Hockenberry, at their own request. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. T. J. Fizer, W. D. Welburn, Whitty Waldrop, Lew G. Wallace, James E. Wright, Josiah W. Gardiner. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? W. J. Suively, Stephen M. Carrier. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? D. E. Bedinger, J. R. Nelson, W. A. Cooper, T. B. Demaree. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? J. T. J. Fizer, Whitty Waldrop, Lew G. Wallace, J. E. Wright. 4.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? J. T. J. Fizer, Whitty Waldrop, Lew G. Wallace, J. E. Wright. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? James D. Renaker, James P. O'Neal, Charles A. Tague, Clinton H. Greer, James W. Kendrick, Jerry M. Johnson, Benjamin F. Cosby. 7.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James D. Renaker, James P. O'Neal, Charles A. Tague, Clinton H. Greer, James W. Kendrick, Jerry M. Johnson, Benjamin F. Cosby. 7.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Jeremiah P. Strother, Ezekiel A. McClure. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Jeremiah P. Strother, Ezekiel A. McClure. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Jasper N. Current. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? F. W. Noland, J. C. Minor, J. J. Dickey, H. M. Linney, E. H. Pearce, G. N. Buffington. 6.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. S. Deering, B. F. Sedwick, D. B. Cooper, G. B. Poage, W. H. Anderson, V. B. Daughetee, D. Welburn. 7.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Richard Deering, T. N. Ralston, W. B. Kavanaugh, H. H. Kavanaugh. 4.

RICHARD DEERING was born in Greenup County, Ky., August 25, 1811; and died in Chattanooga, Tenn., August 15, 1892. As a seeker of religion he was received on trial at Demint's Chapel, in June, 1828. Having removed with his father's family to Missouri, he was, while agonizing in prayer, in a dense forest near Current River, in Wayne County, gloriously converted. Returning to Kentucky under the impression that he must preach or perish, he accompanied Thomas Waring in his rounds on Little Sandy Circuit, exhorting and preaching at every opportunity. He considered himself too young to be a regular itinerant, but consented to accept the place of junior preacher on Hinkston Circuit, of which Martin L. Eades was

preacher in charge. On November 9, 1831, with the blessing of parents and friends, he started with Richard Corwine, presiding elder of Augusta District, to his first circuit. Here he preached at Paris, Millersburg, Carlisle, and seventeen other places. On May 12, 1832, he was regularly licensed to preach, and on the first of September recommended for reception on trial by the Kentucky Conference. From the Conference of 1832 he was sent to the Fleming Circuit, as the colleague of his friend, Richard Corwin. At the last Quarterly Conference he was formally requested to remain until the arrival of the new preachers. These last days on his circuit were crowned with wonderful victories of grace, and the young preacher had the loving coöperation of that son of thunder, Rev. Benjamin Northcutt, a veteran of the eighteenth century. In 1833 he was sent to Germantown Circuit, where success attended him, and he won the admiration and confidence of the learned President and professors of Augusta College. In 1834 Louisville claimed his services as the colleague of William Holman. Of his work that year Dr. Redford says: "In this new and interesting sphere the young preacher not only sustained himself, but was instrumental in the accomplishment of much good. Late in the spring of 1835 he visited Shelbyville. His voice was the most melodious we had ever heard, and the words of life, as they fell warm from his lips, penetrated every heart." In September, 1835, he was married to Mrs. Amanda McGrath, daughter of Mr. John McGaughey, of Shelbyville. Of this most excellent elect lady we may be permitted to say that she was the worthy companion of the best of men. A large volume could not adequately set forth her admirable Christian character. After Brother Deering's marriage, he efficiently served Jefferson Circuit, New Castle Circuit, Russellville Station, Glasgow Station, Harrodsburg and Danville two years, Lexington two years, Bardstown, Covington two years, and in 1846 was transferred to Louisiana. After being presiding elder of New Orleans District three years, and of Shreveport one year, he returned, to recover his wife's health, to Kentucky. As to his later work our information is not circumstantially accurate. It is, however, known that he served Soule Chapel, in Cincinnati, and afterward, for the purpose of educating his children, established a home in Louisville, where every Christian virtue dwelt; that he served the American Tract Society four years; the Louisville District three years; that in the Louisville Conference he labored at Bardstown, on Jefferson Circuit, at Bowling Green, and perhaps other places. From Bowling Green he went to Mississippi when the Confederate army retired. When transferred to the Kentucky Conference, he was appointed to the Floyd'sburg, New Castle, Georgetown, Milton, and perhaps other

charges. After 1879 he was a supernumerary, connected with La Grange or Shelbyville until 1889, when he became a superannuate. But whether serving great districts, large stations, small circuits, or filling the place of a supernumerary or superannuate, he was abundant in labors, and eminently devoted to the work of the ministry. Brother Deering was possessed of most extensive information, of which he had a most ready command, and in that best sense of the phrase was a well-educated man. While he never undervalued scholastic training, his native modesty and deep piety led him to decline the pursuit of ecclesiastical, literary, or social honors; but for more than sixty years the pulpit was to him a throne of power, and the pastorate a most delightful and successful field of loving labor. The wonderful effects of his youthful preaching would to the present generation seem almost incredible. Frequently congregations would press toward the place of prayer or raise triumphant shouts over deliverance from sin. Take a single example: When Dr. Bascom had preached in the morning, and Professor McCowan in the afternoon, with most astonishing eloquence, but with no perceptible effect, Brother Deering came weeping to the pulpit at night, and in less than half an hour over eighty persons were converted. Such results of his labor has strengthened Kentucky Churches for more than half a century. As a pastor his tenderness and skill often reconciled contending factions or restored affectionate confidence between persons who had determined to appeal to the divorce court. When the popular demand for a youthful ministry had relieved him from pastoral responsibility, he continued to take the watch care of hundreds who would otherwise have been as sheep without a shepherd. When Methodism's well-supplied pulpits turned from the best of preaching, his highly appreciated sermons fell with most happy effect upon the people of other denominations, or awakened hundreds in temporary preaching places. In his latter years he, without fanatical folly, delighted to tell of the second coming of his divine Redeemer, and scripturally to set forth the excellence of entire sanctification and Christian perfection. He also frequently tested the efficacy of effectual, fervent prayer to heal the body as well as the soul. Much of his work with the afflicted seemed little less than miraculous. The instantaneous cure of a well-developed case of cancer, on which two of Louisville's most eminent physicians had twice used the knife and declined to operate a third time, deeply impressed my own mind, because I had long known intimately, and highly esteemed, all the persons connected with the case. Brother Deering was peculiarly happy in his family relations. To his parents he was a most tender, affectionate guardian; to his wife the most devoted of husbands.

After her death the heavenly attraction was much stronger than earthly to my bereaved friend. The memory of his children who died in infancy was ever most sacred. One of his married daughters, Mrs. Sparks, entered upon her eternal inheritance before her parents. He loved to think of reunion with her, and was on a visit to her beloved daughters when death overtook him. His other children—Rev. John R. Deering, of Versailles; Mrs. Thompson, of Louisville; and Mrs. Proctor, of Danville—were most attentive to every want and wish of their venerated father. His grandchildren made themselves worthy of his tenderest love. On Thursday, August 11, he, in his usual health, left Danville to visit his granddaughters at Chattanooga. He was invited to preach in Centenary Church at 11 o'clock on Sunday. He had a fainting spell in the pulpit while preaching. He was tenderly nursed by his son-in-law and granddaughters until Monday morning, when he breathed his last. His remains were taken to Louisville, where, since 1834, he had gone in and out among the people. His brethren of the ministry and laity, and his children and grandchildren, with tears and prayers and praises, laid him to rest in the Eastern Cemetery, by the side of his beloved wife, and near the graves of Bascom, Linn, and others of his early fellow-laborers. This lengthy obituary ought not to close without his last letter, which was written to his brother only four days before his death. It is a most remarkable specimen of religious correspondence, as well as an almost perfect portrayal of the character of our ascended brother:

*My Dear Brother Seraiah:* Your favor of yesterday came this morning, and I thank you for it. You mistake my birthday; it is August 25, not 11. But I accept your congratulations all the same. My health is good for my age; have no aches or pains; sight and hearing good; and still enjoy the luxury of preaching a felt, free, and full salvation occasionally. It never was sweeter to me, and I would I could preach it every Sunday! I more than ever love full salvation—even perfect love. To-day I go to Chattanooga to see my grandchildren. They and their father have been pressing me to come ever since my darling wife died. O that loss! When I saw her breathe her last, I felt as if death were clutching at my vitals. Nearly fifty-seven years of wedded bliss literally made us one. But I think of that sweet word of our Lord in his intercessory prayer: "Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory." (John xvii. 24.) Now, with Paul, I desire to "depart and be with Christ, which is far better." O how sweet to commune with him in secret prayer even here! What must it be to be with him and behold his glory! My daughter does all she can to make me comfortable, but O it is so lonely without my darling. So Brother W. B. Kavanaugh is also gone. Well, before long we too will be with him. I deeply regret your personal afflictions, and pray you may improve in health. I write this in haste, and will close. Give my love to your dear ones, and believe me as ever, your loving brother Richard.

"O if my Lord would come and meet,  
My soul would stretch her wings in haste,  
Fly fearless through death's iron gate,  
Nor feel the terrors as she passed."

THOMAS NEELY RALSTON was born in Bourbon County, Ky., March 21, 1806; and died at his home in the Highlands, near Newport, Ky., November 25, 1891. He made profession of religion in 1826, and was licensed to preach in 1827. From that time until he was compelled by waning health, a few years ago, to retire to private life, the history and progress of Methodism in his native state were adorned and advanced by his eminent labors in the pulpit, as an educator, and an author. His pulpit efforts were characterized by impressive eloquence, clear logical deductions, and pathetic appeal. His style was eminently pure, and spiced with an originality as attractive and impressive as the tintings of tastefully clustered flowers pouring forth their wealth of odorous exhalations. The aged hearer bent forward with eager appreciation to catch every word he uttered, and the young drank with admiration and conviction the irrefutable arguments and sweet persuasions to duty and love toward the world's Redeemer. He was eminently a revivalist, and he added to the Church hundreds of members, some of whom triumphantly preceded him to their heavenly inheritance, while others remain pillars in the house of God, and toilers in the Master's vineyard. The most remarkable revivals under his ministry were on the Mt. Sterling Circuit, when six hundred persons came into the Church; and after that, in Danville, Harrodsburg, and other places. In 1859-60 he conducted, in Millersburg, one of the most remarkable series of meetings in the history of the Church in that locality, embracing the ingathering and clear conversion of nearly one hundred souls. As an educator he was very successful, as is evidenced by the after career of cultured women who adorn Christian homes and are blessings in the communities in which they reside. As an author his first and greatest work, "The Elements of Divinity," met an appreciation rarely accorded a modern author. This work has been a standard in this country, and has been translated into foreign languages, and, in the words of an eminent divine, "has as yet been followed by no equal in its department." It is a matter of regret that this work has been thrown out of the course of study for the ministers of the Church, and many of them earnestly desire its restoration. Other works of note were written by him, and he edited "with great care and laborious discrimination the works of Bishop H. B. Bascom." Dr. Ralston's superior ability was recognized by his Church, which bestowed upon him positions of honor, the best stations, the presiding eldership, Conference Secretaryship, etc., and once or twice he was sent a delegate to the General Conference, of which he was as often Secretary. Modesty and humility were marked characteristics of this great and good man. Unselfish and tenderly sympathetic, he was a friend upon whom to lean and find sup-

port. Many younger preachers in the Conference could bear testimony to this. A personal allusion may be pardoned. The writer's first year's work was as a junior preacher on the same charge with him. Forced into the ministry at an early age, diffident, inexperienced, and opposed by some of my family, I do not know what I should have done without the counsel, encouragement, and help of my dear brother Ralston. The ties then formed grew stronger and more precious as the years rolled on, and some of the most restful and inspiring moments, snatched from consuming toil, were spent in occasional visits to him and his congenial wife and cousin in their paradisaical home. I often thought the graces of his beautiful character shone brightest amidst the domestic relations. He was twice happily married—first to Miss Josephine Thompson, of Gerard County, and last to Miss Mary Phister, of Maysville, who survives him in a loneliness and grief commensurate with the loss of such companionship after over thirty years of wedded life. He died of carbuncle on the back of his neck, from which he must have suffered greatly though uncomplainingly. After its final free suppuration, he seemed entirely free from pain, though extremely feeble. Precious words of endearment were spoken, never to be forgotten, after which he sunk into quiet slumber. Then the end came. His death was characteristic. His last utterance was "Hallelujah!" as with eyes upturned, he seemed to have glimpses of the heavenly glory; and after speech failed he raised his hands, as if in triumph, then calmly folding them, he closed his eyes, as sinking into sleep, and without a struggle or a groan his pure spirit floated out into the presence of the King in his beauty, to share the innumerable joys of eternal blessedness. His Conference and friends mourn his loss as one who loved them much; a love whose precious ties will endure forever, gathering sweetness and brightness where partings are unknown. He is gone; his works do follow him.

WILLIAM BARBOUR KAVANAUGH was born in Clark County, Ky., February 17, 1807; and died in Pendleton County, Ky., July 31, 1892, aged eighty-five years, five months, and thirteen days. He was buried in Riverside Cemetery, Falmouth, Ky., by the side of his first wife. Perhaps no better brief outline of his life can be furnished than the following, which is copied from Redford's "Life of Bishop Kavanaugh:" "In July, 1819, when twelve years of age, he joined the Methodist Church as a seeker of religion, and in September following was happily converted. As with her other sons, whom Mrs. Kavanaugh had bound out to trades, so in the case of her youngest; she did not make an exception. When very young, she placed him with the same gentlemen where

his brother Benjamin was apprenticed to learn the tanning and currying business. On November 16, 1831, he was married to Miss Susan Ann Evans of Clark County, and in 1837 was admitted on trial into the Kentucky Conference, and appointed to the Jefferson Circuit. After remaining in Kentucky three years, he was transferred to the Rock River Conference, and appointed missionary to the Sioux Indians. He returned to Kentucky in 1843, and traveled until 1849, when he located. In 1856, he was readmitted, and continued a member of this Conference until 1876, spending six years of the time in charge of districts, presiding over the Covington District four years and Maysville two years. In 1876 he was transferred to the Los Angeles Conference, and appointed to the Los Angeles District, where he remained four years. He was then appointed to the San Luis Obispo District, but family affliction induced his return to the Kentucky Conference. Returning to this Conference, he continued in the active work until 1889, when he was placed on the superannuated list. He was married the second time, eight or ten years prior to his death, to Mrs. Virginia Stonestreet, of Henry County, Ky. Unfortunately, we cannot give the date of his second marriage. During the period of his superannuated life he preached as he had opportunity; and while his bodily infirmities were very manifest, he retained his mental vigor in a remarkable degree. He preached on the last two Sundays before his death. The text of his last sermon was taken from Acts ii. 38. While it was in some degree controversial, it manifested a spirit of charity and a tender interest in fallen humanity. On that day, in private conversation with the writer, his mind seemed to dwell mostly on the past. He spoke particularly of his early life and conversion. With him conversion was a distinct and well-defined experience. His last sickness was brief. While visiting his sons at the old homestead, he was stricken down with paralysis on July 27, and died the 31st. The nature of the attack was such that he could not talk, and hence he left no parting words or dying testimony in his last hours. His ancestral history is well preserved in the biography of the bishop. Few preachers have had a longer or more varied history. The whole period from his first admission to Conference was fifty-five years. After deducting the years of his location and superannuation, he was in the active itinerancy forty-five years. His work extended from Kentucky to the Golden Gate. His parishioners were numbered by multiplied thousands, representing nearly every phase of our North American life, from the cultured and refined in the older settlements to the wild and adventurous frontiersman and untutored savage. He was a man of brawn and brain, who cared little for the matter of outward appearances, and though genial in

temper was indifferent to the conventionalities of society. He was a careful reader, who aimed to develop and assimilate what he read. Sometimes his thoughts led him into speculative channels. His pulpit deliverances were usually concise and logical, and were characterized more by the doctrinal than evangelistic quality. He was a sower rather than a reaper—a pioneer blazing the way through the forests of error and preparing the way for the coming kingdom. He was always at his best in the pulpit (a preacher rather than a pastor). Some considered him the equal of his two distinguished brothers, Dr. B. T. and Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh. Comparisons need not be made, however, as each had gifts and adaptations peculiar to himself. Brother Kavanaugh was the last of a trio of stalwart preachers, whose memories will be preserved in the history of the Church, and who have contributed much in giving our Kentucky Conference connectional fame. We rejoice in the heritage they have left behind them, but more in the hope set before us."

HUBBARD HINDE KAVANAUGH, son of William B. and Susan Kavanaugh, was born in Mt. Sterling, Ky., May 28, 1836; and died at his residence in Frankfort, Ky., January 18, 1892. His death was caused by congestion of the lungs, superinduced by *la grippe*. He was confined to his bed but a little over a week. For a number of years Brother Kavanaugh had suffered from heart disease, at times becoming unconscious when attacked by the trouble. From the first of his last illness he seemed fully aware of his critical condition, and a few days before his death he told his wife his end was near. She asked him if he was ready to go, to which he replied: "Yes; it has been the business of my life to prepare for this hour." The thought of leaving his family behind to fight life's battles alone was the only thing that troubled his mind. The morning of his death, when near the margin of the last river, to the members of the family and friends around his bedside he repeated the twenty-third Psalm, and with feeble voice offered a short prayer. His work was ended. The room was the vestibule of heaven, fragrant with the aroma of the skies. Brother Kavanaugh received his preparatory training for college from various primary schools, and matriculated as a student at the Southern University, Greensboro, Ala., in 1860, graduating in that institution two years later. He was licensed to preach shortly before the war, and served the Lawrenceburg Circuit. He then joined the famous Morgan Cavalry, first as private, then served as chaplain. He was appointed chaplain of the now historic brigade, which place he filled with marked fidelity until the close of the civil war. As Brother Kavanaugh's services in the war marked an important era in his history, and made him some of the

best friends of his life, men prominent in the eyes of the States, we are prompted to insert this tribute of his valor from the pen of one of his distinguished comrades, written upon hearing of his death. We only give a paragraph from the extended eulogy: "His service with the Kentucky Infantry was such as to command the admiration of all who knew how to appreciate unostentatious valor and simple but never flagging devotion to his comrades. When the Kentuckians were ordered forward in February, 1864, to occupy Rocky Face Ridge, in anticipation of an advance by Sherman, Kavanaugh marched and bivouacked with the men, and was ready for the fray; and when, on May 7, the Confederate army began that wonderful hundred days' struggle with a thrice powerful, aggressive, and gallant foe, the chaplain of the Sixth Kentucky Infantry was always 'present for duty'—not only in his province of spiritual adviser and comforter, but as a nurse for the sick and wounded, and a purveyor for the needy, whose efforts provided much that our commissariat could not give, and mitigated the sufferings of the wounded and dying as the ministrations of few other men did. His exertions were given without stint to men of all the five regiments that composed that now historic band, without regard to regimental number, and a thousand eyes of stricken Kentuckians blessed him during that memorable campaign." It was on account of Brother Kavanaugh's faithful and fearless service during the war, as chaplain of the "Orphan Brigade," that he was chosen chaplain of the state prison. Upon the recommendation of a comrade, who was officially instrumental in his election, he was appointed to the chaplaincy of the Kentucky penitentiary July 4, 1883. He filled the important trust with tireless devotion and great acceptability, until stricken down by the arrow of the last enemy. The prisoners at the penitentiary were grieved at the unexpected death of their beloved pastor, and passed touching resolutions, lamenting the providence that took him away. By his kind offices and constant oversight he had greatly endeared himself to many of the convicts, to whom he had faithfully preached the gospel of peace and pardon for nearly nine years. December 22, 1863, brother Kavanaugh was married to Miss Annie Kimbrough, of Greensboro, Ala. God blessed their union with several children. One is dead. The following survive their father's death: William Kavanaugh, managing editor of the *Little Rock* (Arkansas) *Gazette*; Frank Kavanaugh, Assistant State Librarian; Coborn Kavanaugh, at the Kentucky Military Institute, and captain of the first company; Mrs. Clarence Gayle, of Franklin County, Ky.; Miss Susie Kavanaugh, now attending Science Hill School, at Shelbyville, Ky.; and Josie, the youngest child. After the war brother Kavanaugh re-

entered the traveling connection in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, then returning to Kentucky, his native State, where (with the exception of a brief transfer to Fulton, Mo., two years) he spent the remainder of his life. His work in the ministry of the Kentucky Conference is well known to all his brethren; it need not be reiterated in this sketch. He will be missed at our annual sessions, where his familiar face has so long been seen. His life was an eventful one. It was of the heroic type that brooked sacrifices and braved dangers without a murmur, fearing God and faithfully serving him at all times and under all circumstances. Brother Kavanaugh had a marked individuality. He was angular and unique. As a preacher he was plain and practical, earnestly exhorting men to forsake their sins and seek salvation; as a friend he was true; as a man he was guileless and above reproach; as a husband he was kind; as a father he was devoted. He was a good man in the best sense of that word. Sincerity characterized every movement of his life; whether witnessed in his unswerving services as a soldier, his loyalty as an itinerant preacher, or his tireless efforts as chaplain of the unfortunate inmates of the penitentiary. He was beloved by all. His death cast a gloom over the capitol and his loss was felt by the entire city. By executive order the State offices were closed the morning of his funeral, and many distinguished officials were present at the obsequies to pay the last sad tribute of honor and respect to the memory of an esteemed friend and citizen. Burial services were conducted by the writer, Wednesday, January 20, 1892, at the late residence of our departed brother, in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends, after which the remains were laid to rest in the family lot in Frankfort cemetery, to await the resurrection of the just. The long and honored line of preachers of the Kavanaugh name in our Conference is rapidly drawing to a close. Brother H. H. Kavanaugh was a nephew and namesake of Bishop Kavanaugh, and it was the expressed wish of that great and good man that his mantle might fall on the shoulders of his namesake. To his brothers, the widow, and children, we extend our heartfelt sympathy, and rejoice to know that they are supported in this ordeal by the blessed assurance of the Christian religion, and are comforted by the hope that the departed has passed from labor to reward and is happy with his Lord.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?



*Lexington District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc' Pr's.
Lexington.....	532	1
Lexington City Mission.....		
Paris.....	204	1
Frankfort.....	314	
Versailles.....	211	
Georgetown.....	148	1
Nicholsville.....	201	
Winchester.....	389	4
Mt. Sterling.....	312	
Old Fort.....	332	1
Grassy Liek and Mt. Zion.....	283	
North Middleton.....	150	
Hinton.....	522	1
Mt. Hope.....	289	
New Columbus.....	125	1
Corinth.....	65	
Franklin Mission.....	39	
Spears.....	145	2
Clay City Mission.....	295	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,556</b>	<b>17</b>

*Covington District.*

Covington: Scott Street.....	349	1
Eleventh Street.....	177	
Newport.....	427	2
Highland.....	149	
Augusta and Foster.....	303	
California.....	525	4
Visalia and Independence.....	196	
Falmouth.....	350	
Carrollton.....	248	
Berry.....	540	2
Oddville.....	483	
Petersburg.....	565	
Warsaw.....	333	
Brooksville.....	291	1
Morning View.....	350	2
Waltin.....	331	
Cynthiana.....	250	
Williamstown.....	252	
Glencoe Circuit.....	517	3
Bracken.....	110	
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,346</b>	<b>15</b>

*Shelbyville District.*

Shelbyville.....	295	
Simpsonville.....	200	1
Taylorville.....	369	1
Bloomfield.....	233	1
New Castle.....	241	1
Port Royal.....	430	1
Campbellsburg.....	465	1
Bedford.....	395	1
Milton.....	350	1
La Grange.....	333	1
Beards.....	160	
Pleasureville.....	275	2
Christiansburg.....	307	3
Gratz.....	500	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,544</b>	<b>17</b>

*Maysville District.*

Maysville.....	220	
Millersburg.....	240	1
Ruddel's Mills.....	53	
Flemingsburg.....	355	1
Tilton and Nepton.....	448	3
Hillsboro.....	460	3
Mt. Carmel and Orangeburg.....	340	1
Sharpsburg and Bethel.....	240	
Carlisle.....	247	1
Owingsville.....	200	1
Sylvan Dell.....	430	4
Mt. Olivet.....	510	
Shaunon and Sardis.....	221	
Germantown.....	305	
Vanceburg.....	230	
Tollesboro.....	175	
Dover.....	312	1
Moorefield.....	352	8
Kiuney Mission.....	70	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,408</b>	<b>24</b>

*Danville District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc' Pr's.
Danville.....	329	
Harrodsburg.....	186	
Perryville.....	254	1
Mackville.....	160	1
Chaplin.....	430	1
Lawrenceburg.....	290	3
Leather's Store.....	274	1
Salvisa.....	355	1
Jessamine.....	285	8
Bryantsville.....	360	
Staunford.....	213	2
Richmond and Providence.....	190	
College Hill.....	289	
Somerset.....	319	
Caintown.....	100	1
Moreland.....	238	3
Laneaster and Junetion City.....	104	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,376</b>	<b>22</b>

*Middlesboro District.*

Middlesboro.....	50	
Pineville.....	33	
Meadow Creek.....	158	1
London.....	167	
Manchester.....	91	1
McKee.....	15	
Hyden.....	36	
Harlan.....	65	1
Cartersville.....	140	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>5</b>

*Jackson District.*

Jackson.....	241	1
Irvine.....	166	1
Beattyville.....		
Campton.....	270	7
Morehead.....	56	1
West Liberty.....	130	3
Hazard.....	38	
Hindman and Whitesburg.....	134	
Frenchburg.....	103	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,188</b>	<b>16</b>

*Recapitulation.*

Lexington District.....	4,556	17
Covington District.....	6,346	15
Shelbyville District.....	4,544	17
Maysville District.....	5,408	24
Danville District.....	4,376	22
Middlesboro District.....	755	5
Jackson District.....	1,188	16
<b>Total this year</b> .....	<b>27,123</b>	<b>116</b>
<b>Total last year</b> .....	<b>27,005</b>	<b>122</b>
<b>Increase</b> .....	<b>118</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Decrease</b> .....		

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 455.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,161.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 257.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,854.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 14,291.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,406.72. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$5,520.57; Domestic Missions, \$2,286.39. Total, \$7,806.96.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,560,82.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 272½; value, \$659,176.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 58; value, \$85,850.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics. No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Maysville.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

*J. Rand, P. E.*

Lexington, E. L. Southgate.  
Spears, W. J. Snively.  
Paris, J. M. Boland.  
Frankfort, H. G. Henderson.  
Versailles, J. R. Deering.  
Georgetown, J. H. Williams.  
Winchester, W. T. Bolling.  
Mt. Sterling, Alex. Redd.  
Old Fort, J. M. Willson.  
Grassy Lick and Mt. Zion, D. P. Ware.  
North Middletown, W. T. Benton.  
Hinton, W. W. Chamberlain.  
Mt. Hope, J. A. Sawyer.  
New Columbus, R. B. Baird.  
Owenton Mission, H. G. Turner.  
Ruddel's Mills and Pleasant Green, J. W. Harris.  
Agent American Bible Society, George S. Savage.

#### COVINGTON DISTRICT.

*W. F. Vaughn, P. E.*

Covington: Scott Street, G. H. Means.  
Eleventh Street, J. W. Mitchell.  
Newport, E. G. B. Mann.  
Highland, D. E. Bedinger.  
Augusta and Foster, D. H. Marimon.  
California, J. R. Kendall; J. C. Minor, Sup.  
Visalia and Independence, D. B. Cooper.  
Falmouth, William Shoemsmith.  
Carrollton, R. Hiner.  
Berry, B. E. Lancaster.  
Petersburg, C. M. Humphrey.  
Warsaw, T. W. Barker.  
Brooksville, J. T. J. Fizer.  
Morning View, W. F. Wyatt.  
Walton, O. F. Duvall; G. N. Buffington, Sup.  
Cynthiana, G. W. Young.  
Williamstown, P. H. Hoffman.  
Glenco Mission, J. W. Hunter.  
Bracken Mission, to be supplied by E. K. Kidwell.  
Select High School, T. J. Dodd, Principal.  
Oddville, W. S. Grimstead.

#### SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. W. Fitch, P. E.*

Shelbyville, J. R. Savage.  
Simpsonville, T. J. McIntyre.

Taylorsville, George Froh.  
Bloomfield, W. W. Spates.  
New Castle, M. W. Hiner.  
Port Royal, G. W. Crutchfield.  
Campbellsburg, W. H. Winter.  
Belford, W. H. H. Ditzler.  
Milton, J. S. Walker.  
La Grange and Eminence, T. J. Godbey.  
Beards, J. P. Strother.  
Plea-ureville, J. J. Johnston.  
Clay Village, J. M. Johnson.  
Gratz, J. W. Gardner.  
Science Hill School, W. T. Poynter.

#### MAYSVILLE DISTRICT.

*John Reeves, P. E.*

Maysville, C. J. Nugent.  
Millersburg, D. W. Robertson.  
Flemingsburg, W. T. Rowland.  
Tilton and Nepton, M. T. Chandler.  
Hillsboro, C. E. Boswell.  
Mt. Carmel and Orangeburg, J. R. Peeples.  
Sharpsburg and Bethel, J. D. Redd.  
Carlisle, T. F. Taliaferro.  
Owingsville, E. E. Holmes.  
Sylvan Dell, A. E. Colgrove.  
Mt. Olivet, W. A. Penn.  
Shannon and Sardis, R. H. Wightman.  
Germantown, T. B. Cook.  
Vanceburg, S. W. Speer.  
Tollesboro, M. P. Morgan.  
Dover, Whitty Waldrop.  
Moorefield, E. C. Savage.  
Kinney Mission, J. R. Word.  
Millersburg Female College, C. Pope.

#### DANVILLE DISTRICT.

*H. P. Walker, P. E.*

Danville, W. F. Taylor.  
Harrodsburg, J. O. A. Vaught.  
Nicholasville, J. E. Wright.  
Perryville, W. T. Eklar.  
Mackville, Lew G. Wallace.  
Chaplin, H. C. Wright.  
Lawrenceburg, B. F. Cosby.  
Leather's Store, Millard F. Moores.  
Salvisa, E. H. Godby.  
Jessamine, W. W. Green.  
Bryantsville, A. P. Jones.  
Asbury College, J. W. Hughes.  
Standford and McKendree, W. E. Arnold.  
Richmond and Providence, F. S. Pollitt.  
College Hill, W. J. Doran.  
Somerset, S. W. Peeples.  
Canetown, R. M. Lee.  
Mooreland, W. D. Welburn.  
Lancaster and Junction City, C. H. Greer.  
Secretary Conference Educational Association, E. H. Pearce.

#### MIDDLESBORO DISTRICT.

*C. F. Oney, P. E.*

Middlesboro, Charles A. Tague.  
Meadow Creek, E. J. Terrill.  
London and Pineville, F. K. Struve.

Manchester, W. B. Ragan.  
 Whitesburg and Hindman, J. R. Nelson.  
 Cartersville, G. G. Ragan and William Oakley.  
 Jackson, E. A. McClure; J. J. Dickey, Sup.  
 Irvine, P. J. Ross.  
 Beattyville, S. M. Carrier.  
 Campton and Hazel Green, F. A. Savage.

Morehead and Frenchburg, James E. Wright.  
 West Liberty, J. L. West.  
 Hazard and Hyden, James W. Crates.  
 Clay City, J. N. Ison.  
 Harlan, O. J. Chandler.

*Transferred.*—P. A. Sowell, to the Tennessee Conference.

## MISSOURI CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MONTGOMERY CITY, MISSOURI, SEPTEMBER 7-12, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; JOHN D. VINCIL, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. L. C. Maggart, S. P. Cresap, A. F. Smith, C. W. Smith, S. E. Bottsford, M. A. Brown, E. C. Swan, J. B. Kincaid, L. F. Parker, W. D. Neale. 10.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Erasmus D. Swartz, W. J. Parvin, H. D. Thompson, G. M. Wright, J. W. Rogers. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? L. C. McCleod. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? M. E. Allishouse, A. C. Browning, W. M. Baker, Alpheus Clark, A. B. Culbertson, F. A. Grimes, David McAllen, S. O. Maughs, R. M. Neale, G. H. Wilkinson. 10.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? E. S. Williams, S. S. Hardin, W. A. Whitmer. 3.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? C. A. Lewis, A. S. Bowles, E. W. Reynolds, Frank Siler, C. W. Ledbetter, James M. Sitton, J. S. Bowles. 7.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? F. Marvin, H. C. Garrett, T. E. Sharp, W. A. Whitmer. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? S. O. Maughs, Ward M. Baker, William A. Youngman, David McAllen, M. L. Allishouse, A. C. Browning, L. McCleod, G. H. Wilkinson. 8.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? S. O. Maughs, W. M. Baker, W. A. Youngman, D. McAllen, M. L. Allishouse, A. C. Browning, L. McCleod. 7.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? S. P. Cresap, A. F. Smith, N. W. Bedsworth, Charles William Smith, R. T. Stith, Benjamin Robson, W. Whitesides, William A. Chapman, H. A. Smith, W. T. Maupin. 10.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? S. P. Cresap, A. F. Smith, N. W. Bedsworth, C. M. Smith, R. T. Stith, Benjamin Robson, W. Whitesides, H. A. Smith, W. T. Maupin, William R. Chapman. 10.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? G. M. Gibson, John Garvin, C. K. Shilling, Levi T. Fawks, E. E. Bostwick, John Robson, Henry C. Kirby, William C. Rice, E. S. Williams. 9.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? G. M. Gibson, John Garvin, C. K. Shilling, L. T. Fawks, E. E. Bostwick, John Robson, H. C. Kirby, W. C. Rice, E. S. Williams. 9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? C. A. Lewis, J. H. Hager, R. P. Jones, W. B. Beagle. 4.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. W. Attebery, R. A. Austin, S. W. Cope, C. W. Collet, James Penn, Walter Toole, C. Babcock, Daniel Penny, D. T. Sherman, J. P. Nolan, William Penn, J. S. Todd, B. F. Johnson, Lilburn Rush, E. Carlyle, J. S. Allen, C. I. Vandeventer. 17.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? William Warren, M. R. Jones, G. Tanquary, M. T. E. Potter. 4.

WILLIAM WARREN was a native of Salisbury, Wiltshire County, England; born February 29, 1820. He was the oldest son of Thomas and Martha Warren, who were earnest and religious people, and trained their children in the true Wesleyan style: in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. He was converted when but a boy. He wrote in the "Circular to the Members of the Missouri Conference:" "I was converted in the year 1835, in Salisbury, County of Wiltshire, Old England, at a revival in the Wesleyan Methodist Church, and joined the same Church at the same time." Again he said: "After my conversion, I found it was my duty to preach, and do all the good I could

to my fellow-men." Once more: "There were two important crises in my life: first, when I professed religion; second, after I came to this state, at a gracious revival of religion at Millville, I was powerfully blessed and have been several times since." "Aside from the Bible, the 'Life of Hester Ann Rodgers' helped me much." So we learn that he was converted when fifteen years of age, and that meant fifty-seven years of labor and toil, prayer, faith, and love for the glory of God and the salvation of souls. Many precious souls through his earnest preaching and prayers were led to repentance and salvation in Christ. He was mighty in prayer. He talked and communed with God, and you felt its influence and power. Brother Warren was for some years a local preacher in England. He came to America in 1848, and located in Ray County, Mo., and was admitted on trial into the Missouri Conference, held at Fayette, in 1851, by Bishop Capers, with Brothers F. Bell and Dr. E. K. Miller, and four others who have passed away. He was true and faithful as a Methodist itinerant minister in preaching the gospel of the Son of God, and as a pastor in visiting from house to house. His preaching had no uncertain sound. Many who knew him and heard him declare the unsearchable riches of Christ in this life will rise up in the great day of eternity and call him blessed. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Andrew at Palmyra in 1853, and elder by Bishop Early at Richmond in 1855. He served successively the following charges: Gallatin, Athens, Maysville, Yellow Creek, Bloomington, Keytesville, Macon City, Paris, Florida, Pleasant Grove, Cedar City, Clarence, Sue City, Bucklin, Renick, Franklin, Roanoke, Bedford, and Westville. Brother Warren was twice married: first to Miss Mary Young, in 1842. To them was born one son. He was married the second time to Maria Butt. Eight children were born of this marriage, all of whom are living except one. Brother Warren grew in grace and the knowledge of Christ from day to day. As of Barnabas, so it may be said of him: "He was a good man, full of faith and the Holy Ghost."

MIDDLETON RICHARD JONES was a native of White County, Tenn.; born December 27, 1821; died at the residence of Thomas Brockman, near Renick, Mo., at 1 A.M., November 25, 1891, after a brief illness of eighteen hours. Brother Jones came from Tennessee to Illinois in 1842, and settled in White County, where he was converted and united with the M. E. Church the same year. He came to St. Louis County, Mo., in 1844, and the following year he settled in Clay County. He was licensed to preach in 1849, at Parkville, Mo., by Rev. William Patton, P. E. The same year he was received on trial into the Missouri Conference of the M. E. Church, South, and appointed to the New Market Cir-

cuit. He continued to fill important charges as pastor until 1861, when he was made presiding elder of the Weston District. In 1863, as were many other good and true men, he was driven into exile. He found a safe refuge in Illinois, where he took an active part in the organization of the "Christian Union Church," of which he became a prominent leader. In 1874 this Church changed its name to the M. E. Church, South. Brother Jones was a member of the General Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at Louisville in 1874. He remained in the Illinois Conference, filling important appointments, mostly in the capacity of presiding elder, until 1874, when he returned to Missouri. From this time he traveled the following charges: Two years in Richmond, four years on St. Charles District, two years on Plattsburg District, two years on Edgerton Circuit, one year on Macon District, three years on St. Joseph District, supernumerary one year, and two years in Arch Street Station, Hannibal. At our last Conference he was appointed to Renick Circuit. His people loved him much. He returned to his home on Monday, November 23, from his quarterly meeting at Clark. On Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock he was taken ill with stomach sickness, producing most violent vomiting, which continued for several hours. This, in the opinion of the physicians, produced a rupture of a blood vessel of the brain, and he soon after became unconscious and continued so, sinking rapidly until, at 1 A.M., the 25th, he quietly fell asleep and entered his eternal rest. His last words to his weeping wife, just before he became unconscious, were: "My precious wife, I regret to leave you alone, but," pointing upward, "it is all right up there." His work was done. His faithful ministry of forty-two years was ended. We have the following from Brother Cope in the *St. Louis Christian Advocate*: "Rev. M. R. Jones was my Conference classmate. We were admitted on trial into the Missouri Annual Conference at Fulton in September, 1849. It was a large class, but since the death of Brother Jones I am its only representative. I have a painful sense of isolation and loneliness. But the separation cannot be long. The crossing of the river is near by, and just beyond, on the eternal shore, we shall all meet again. With this anticipated reunion comes a sense of sweet relief and joy unspeakable." Brother Jones was twice married. Of the first marriage there are three children living, one a minister of the gospel, who, with his second wife, mourn his departure.

GRAFTON TANQUARY was born near Winchester, Va., August 18, 1824. His father was not a member of any Church, but his mother was a Quaker, and they brought their children up to do right and respect Christianity. Brother Tanquary was con-

verted and joined the Church in 1840, when sixteen years of age. He was faithful in the discharge of duty as a young soldier of the cross, attending faithfully to all the means of grace. In 1836 he moved with his parents to Ohio, where he married Rebecca Jacoby November 11, 1848. The Lord blessed them with seven children. Five are living: three sons and two daughters. All belong to the Church, two are preachers, and one a member of the Missouri Conference. After engaging in farming in Ohio for several years, he moved to Missouri in 1858. He attended a camp meeting in Clarke County, Mo., in 1865, conducted by C. I. Vandeventer. At this meeting he renewed his covenant with God, and was licensed to preach the gospel of Christ. Brother Tanquary was admitted on trial into the Missouri Conference at Hannibal in 1865. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Marvin at Macon City in 1867, and elder by Bishop McTyeire at Columbia in 1870. He traveled the following charges: Colony, Newark, Florida, Liberty, Osborn, Linneus, Platte City, Edgerton, Kingston, and Pattonsburg. He was a good preacher, and his ministry bore fruit. Under his plain, pointed preaching many souls were convinced of sin and then happily converted. Some of these preceded him to glory, and welcomed him when he went up to join the redeemed and blood-washed company; others will soon follow, all of whom will rise up in the judgment day and call him blessed. As an itinerant preacher he was a success. He went willingly and cheerfully to the work assigned him by the bishops. He was a good mixer, and hence visited from house to house. The people, the children as well as the old folks, were glad to see Uncle Tan (as they called him) come, and sorry when he left. He never forgot a name or face. He would meet a number of children, learn their names, and readily call them by name the next time he saw them. He saw the bright side of everything, and always had a kind, cheering word for each brother at Conference. He said: "I take the good and let the bad go." We will hear no more his voice calling sinners to repentance and the Church to duty; but his works will abide, influencing human hearts for Christ and heaven. As he ripened for the grave he ripened for glory. About a year before his death he quit the use of tobacco, which whitened his beard and made him look like a patriarch indeed. As a father he was kind and gentle, but firm and positive. Brother Tanquary died at his home in Pattonsburg on Sunday morning, December 27, in the bosom of his family and friends, in great peace. He had reached the extreme age of sixty-eight years, four months, and nine days. His funeral was preached by Brother W. E. Dockery, and his body was buried in the Pattonsburg cemetery to await the morn of the resurrection.

MARION T. E. POTTER was born December 7, 1864, near Turney, Clinton County, Mo. Brother Potter was of a Methodist family. His parents and grandparents were Methodists. When nine years of age, he was converted at his home Church under the ministry of C. Grimes and through the godly example and prayers of his father and mother. In the "Circular to the Members of the Missouri Conference" he said: "My conversion was somewhat gradual. From earliest childhood I was taught the fear of the Lord. At nine I sought God publicly, and was greatly blessed. For several years my growth was perhaps little, if any. However, at sixteen I am conscious I moved up more fully for Christ. At nineteen I was led to present myself a living sacrifice. I made an entire consecration and was filled with constant peace and joy for several months. I believe God is now establishing me in the experience of full salvation." Soon after his conversion he began to work for Christ by testifying in class meetings, praying in public, and talking to his relatives and classmates about being religious. In all these duties he was faithful. He said: "If I had not been comparatively faithful in these, I doubt whether I would have been called to the ministry." He was licensed to preach in 1884 by Holt and Turney Quarterly Conference, admitted on trial at Conference at Columbia in September, 1885, and was appointed by Bishop Granbery to Renick Circuit. At the end of this year he was located at his own request, and went to Central College for one year. In 1887 he was admitted again on trial, and traveled the following circuits: Gosneyville one year, Parkville one year, and Missouri City two years. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Hendrix September 11, 1887. At our last Annual Conference he was superannuated. About October 20 he went to New Mexico seeking health. Brother Potter first went to Albuquerque and took lodging with our brother, Dr. Ames, but no doubt tempted by the good name of the "Sisters' Hospital" at Santa Fe, he thought it would be better for him to go to that place, where he died within a few days after getting there. Brother Potter was ready to go. One of the Sisters said to him: "Prepare for the worst." He answered: "You cannot scare me." Death had no terror for him. The love of God had cast out all fear. He stood high as a man and Christian in his own community and Church. His life was a continual sermon. He prayed much, and was hopeful and cheerful. He was loved and honored by the people he served during his ministry. He leaves a father and several brothers and sisters to mourn his death. Thus passed away one of the most promising young men of the Missouri Conference. Brother J. M. O'Brien preached his funeral at Turney, Mo., September 8, 1891. His body was put away in order in New Mexico, and a monument has

been erected at his grave bearing the following inscription: "Rev. Marion T. E. Potter, died November 6, 1801. Age 26 years, 11 months, and 28 days. Son of G. T. W. and America J. Potter, of Turney, Mo. A member of the Missouri Conference of the M. E. Church, South."

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except those of D. N. Epperson and M. B. Broadus, who were expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*St. Charles District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
St. Charles Station	221		3
Mechanicsville Circuit	159		
O'Fallon and Wentzville Circuit	196		
Troy Circuit	270		2
Warrenton Circuit	297	2	
Jonesburg Circuit	200	1	
High Hill Circuit	139		
New Florence Circuit	194		
Vandalia Circuit	253		
Ashley and Bowling Green Circuit	98		
Brisco Circuit	154		
Brussels Circuit	257		
Clarksville Circuit	235		3
Louisiana Station	156		1
Center Circuit	129		1
Florida and Santa Fe Circuit	148		
Prairieville Circuit	427		1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,533</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>

*Mexico District.*

Mexico Station	323		1
Mexico Circuit	275		1
Fulton Station	326		2
Montgomery Station	247		1
Madison Circuit	188		
Sturgeon Circuit	231		
Centralia Circuit	235		1
Auxvasse Circuit	195	1	3
Hallsville Circuit	293		2
Millersburg Circuit	223		
Cedar City Circuit	422		1
Harris Prairie Circuit	283		
Readsville Circuit	224		
Wellsville Circuit	283		1
Martinsburg Circuit	194		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,959</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>

*Fayette District.*

Fayette Station	488		14
Fayette Circuit	299		1
Glasgow Station	126		2
Glasgow Circuit	200		
Keytesville Circuit	334		1
Salisbury Circuit	183		2
Westville Circuit	113		1
Clifton Circuit	378		1
Huntsville Circuit	386	1	1
Armstrong Circuit	281		1
Renick Circuit	229		1
Franklin Circuit	234		
Rocheport Circuit	320		2
Columbia Circuit	290		1
Brown's Circuit	145		1
Ashland Circuit	397		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,404</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29</b>

*Plattsburg District.*

Plattsburg Station	317		1
Osborne Circuit	327		5
Cameron and Lathrop Circuit	227		
Platte City Circuit	265	1	
Hardin Circuit	159		1
Richmond Station	424	1	

*Plattsburg District (Continued).*

Richmond Circuit	239		
Millville Circuit	517		4
Edgerton Circuit	323		2
Parkville and Moscow Circuit	224		
Kingston Mission Circuit	131		2
Lawson and Excelsior Springs Ct.	239		
Liberty Circuit	403		
Missouri City Mission Circuit	313		
Cowgill and Polo Circuit	338		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,446</b>		<b>15</b>

*St. Joseph District.*

Francis Street	700		
Hundley Station	310	1	1
Tenth Street Station	109		2
Centenary	201		3
Spruce Street	120		
Maryville Station	140		
St. Joseph Circuit	284	1	
Savannah Circuit	300		2
Barnard Circuit	266		
Dearborn Circuit	454		3
Mound City Circuit	194		
Fairfax Circuit	109		1
Skidmore Circuit	261		
Elmo Circuit	402		2
Hamburg Circuit	174		2
Weston Circuit	235		
King City Circuit	139		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,448</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>

*Gallatin District.*

Gallatin Station	354		1
Edinburg Circuit	217		
Jameson Circuit	266		1
Maysville Circuit	233	1	4
Pattonsburg Circuit	284		
Breckinridge Circuit	358	3	1
Spring Hill Circuit	422	3	2
Ravenwood Circuit	224		
Albany Circuit	247		1
Lineville Station	300		1
Lineville Circuit	274		
Jamesport Circuit	345		3
Bethany Circuit	274		1
Denver Circuit	302		5
Eagleville Circuit	254		2
Lee Circuit			
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,404</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>22</b>

*Chillicothe District.*

Chillicothe Station	412		
Chillicothe Circuit	362		1
Brunswick Station	130		
Carrollton Station	313		2
Hale City Circuit	257		
Norborne Circuit	354		1
De Witt Circuit	422		1
Triplett Circuit	305		
Humphreys Circuit	247		3
Linnus Circuit	495		1
Milan Circuit	188		1
Harris Circuit	90		
Browning Circuit	163	1	1
Bogard Circuit	196	1	2
Finney's Grove Circuit	216		2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,150</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>

*Macon District.*

Memphis Circuit	225		1
Queen City Circuit	200		
Edina Circuit	170		1
Brashear Circuit	193		
Kirksville Circuit	112		
La Plata Circuit	200		2
Sue City Circuit	124		1
Marceline and Becklin Circuit	196		2
Excello Circuit	197		1
Clarence Circuit	364		3
Granville Circuit	400		1
Lakeman Circuit	240		
Shelbina Station	331		
Paris Circuit	227		
Moberly Station	495		4
Moberly Mission			

Macon District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
New Boston Circuit .....	75	.....	1
Callao Circuit.....	317	.....	4
Macon Circuit .....	135	.....	.....
Macon Station.....	267	.....	.....
	4,498	.....	21

Hannibal District.

Park Church Station .....	262	.....	.....
Arch Street Station.....	128	.....	.....
Oak Wood Circuit.....	308	.....	1
Palmyra Station.....	227	.....	1
Palmyra Circuit.....	258	.....	2
Monroe City Circuit.....	224	.....	.....
Monroe City Station.....	252	.....	3
Philadelphia Circuit.....	310	.....	.....
Hunnell Circuit .....	320	.....	4
Shelbyville Circuit.....	465	.....	4
Novelty Circuit.....	163	.....	.....
Rutledge Circuit.....	165	.....	.....
Kahoka Station.....	102	.....	.....
Winchester Circuit.....	175	.....	.....
Colony Circuit.....	265	.....	.....
Monticello Circuit.....	499	1	.....
Canton Station.....	241	.....	.....
La Belle Station .....	323	.....	1
	4,697	1	16

Recapitulation.

St. Charles District.....	3,533	3	11
Mexico District.....	3,959	1	13
Fayette District .....	4,404	1	29
Plattsburg District .....	4,446	2	15
St. Joseph District.....	4,448	2	16
Gallatin District.....	4,404	7	22
Chillicothe District.....	4,150	2	15
Macon District.....	4,498	.....	21
Hannibal District .....	4,697	1	16
Total this year.....	38,539	19	158
Total last year.....	37,509	19	148
Increase .....	1,030	.....	10

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 503.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,700.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday school's? 383.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,432.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 24,453.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$6,059.20. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Mi-sions, \$11,094.15; Domestic Missions, \$4,774.23. Total, \$15,868.38.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,002.20.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of church edifices? Number, 410; value, \$674,186.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of parsonages? Number, 88; value, \$118,970.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 7; value, 246,000; endowment, \$133,000; teachers, 63; scholars, 807.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Monroe City, Mo.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

MEXICO DISTRICT.

D. C. O'Howell, P. E.

Mexico Station, J. H. Jackson.  
 Fulton Station, W. F. Packard.  
 Montgomery Station, E. W. Reynolds.  
 Mexico Circuit, J. W. Owen.  
 Madison, to be supplied.  
 Sturgeon, J. O. Edmonston.  
 Centralia, A. F. Smith.  
 Auxvasse, W. T. Ready.  
 Hallsville, W. O. Medley.  
 Millersburg, C. A. Shearman.  
 Cedar City, J. T. Kinsey.  
 Ham's Prairie, H. C. Kirby.  
 Readsville, E. L. Rutledge.  
 Wellsville, B. D. Sipple.  
 Martinsburg, J. C. Carney.  
 Moberly Station, J. H. Pritchett.  
 Moberly Circuit, to be supplied by E. W. Browning.

FAYETTE DISTRICT.

E. K. Miller, P. E.

Fayette Station, T. Penn.  
 Fayette Circuit, G. W. Nollner.  
 Glasgow Station, C. M. Ledbetter.  
 Glasgow Circuit, to be supplied by W. Whitesides.  
 Keytesville, J. B. Rice.  
 Salisbury, J. W. Ramsey.  
 Westville, to be supplied by R. T. Stith.  
 Clifton, R. M. Dameron.  
 Huntsville, J. M. Dempsey.  
 Armstrong, J. Y. Blakey.  
 Renick, C. W. Smith.  
 Higbee, W. F. Bell.  
 Franklin, J. A. Snarr.  
 Rocheport, C. K. Shilling.  
 Columbia Station, T. E. Sharp.  
 Brown's, R. M. Neale.  
 Ashland, J. S. Rooker.  
 Central College, J. D. Hammond, President.  
 Howard-Payne College, H. D. Groves, President.  
 Bible Cause, H. P. Bond, Supe.intendent.

PLATTSBURG DISTRICT.

R. H. Cooper, P. E.

Plattsburg Station, H. C. Bolen.  
 Osborne, W. G. Shackelford.  
 Cameron and Lathrop, M. L. Gray.  
 Platte City, L. F. Lynn.  
 Hardin, D. M. Proctor.  
 Richmond Station, J. H. Ledbetter.  
 Richmond Circuit, J. P. Godbey.  
 Millville, J. T. Winstead.  
 Edgerton, W. J. Parvin.  
 Parkville, J. M. Sitton.  
 Kingston, to be supplied by Philip Penny.  
 Lawson, L. B. Madison.  
 Liberty, J. S. Smith.  
 Cowgill, R. W. Howerton.  
 Camden, G. H. Wilkinson.  
 Colporter, T. G. Whitten.

## MACON DISTRICT.

*Chaney Grimes, P. E.*

Memphis, J. M. L. Hoyle.  
 Queen City, W. H. Utter.  
 Edina, Fielding Marvin.  
 Brashear, E. S. Williams.  
 Kirksville Station, O. B. Holliday.  
 La Plata, E. M. Capp.  
 Sue City, J. F. Betz.  
 Marceline, to be supplied by H. H. Johnson.  
 Bucklin, to be supplied by J. T. Wyatt.  
 Callao, A. C. Browning.  
 Macon City Station, W. F. McMurry.  
 Macon Circuit, S. O. Maughs.  
 Excello, W. M. Baker.  
 Clarence, John Holland.  
 Shelbina Station, Robert White, W. W. McMurry.  
 Shelbina Circuit, G. E. Tanquary.  
 Paris Station, H. M. Myers.  
 Paris Circuit, J. Robson.

## HANNIBAL DISTRICT.

*John Anderson, P. E.*

Park Church Station, B. W. Fielder.  
 Arch Street Station, E. E. Bostwick.  
 Oak Wood, W. H. Roper.  
 Palmyra Station, J. A. Mumpower.  
 Palmyra Circuit, S. H. Renfro.  
 La Belle, C. T. McAnally.  
 Gorin, S. F. Bottsford.  
 Rutledge, W. D. Neale.  
 Durham, J. A. Mitchell.  
 Lewistown, to be supplied by J. P. Lecch.  
 Monroe City Station, W. H. Younger.  
 Monroe Circuit, D. R. Shackleford.  
 Shelbyville, to be supplied.  
 Novelty, W. A. Whitmer.  
 Hunnewell, J. L. Taylor.  
 Kahoka Station, W. B. Wheeler.  
 Kahoka Circuit, W. C. Maggart.  
 Monticello, H. D. Thompson.  
 Canton Station, J. S. Frazier.  
 Saverton, L. C. Maggart.  
 Assistant Editor *Nashville Advocate*, E. M. Bounds.

## ST. CHARLES DISTRICT.

*G. W. Penn, P. E.*

St. Charles Station, J. W. Keithley.  
 Mechanicsville, J. W. Garvin.  
 O'Fallon, W. H. Lewis.  
 Wright City, T. B. Farry.  
 Jonesburg, J. M. Rodgers.  
 High Hill, J. B. Humphreys.  
 New Florence, J. S. Bowles.  
 Troy, to be supplied.  
 Briscoe, E. D. Swartz.  
 Prairieville, J. L. Meffert.  
 Ashley, W. S. Rooker.  
 Louisiana Station, A. S. Bowles.  
 Clarksville, A. V. Bayley.  
 Brussels, T. R. Kendall.  
 Vandalia, A. B. Culbertson.  
 Perry, W. A. Youngman.

Center, to be supplied by N. A. Whitmer.  
*St. Louis Advocate*, M. B. Chapman, Editor.

## ST. JOSEPH DISTRICT.

*J. M. O'Bryen, P. E.*

Francis Street Station, J. A. Beagle.  
 Hundley Station, G. M. Gibson.  
 Tenth Street Station, Z. M. Williams.  
 Centenary, D. F. Bone.  
 Spruce Street and Gooding, S. P. Cresap.  
 Maryville Station, Frank Siler.  
 Maryville Circuit, Henry Kay.  
 St. Joseph Circuit, T. H. Swearingen.  
 Savannah, J. A. Wailes.  
 Barnard, H. C. Garrett.  
 Dearborn, F. M. Cooper.  
 Mound City, J. D. Shook.  
 Fairfax, J. T. Moreman.  
 Skidmore, to be supplied.  
 Elmo, F. A. Grimes.  
 Hamburg, J. T. Loyal.  
 Weston, T. G. Petree.

## GALLATIN DISTRICT.

*W. A. Hanna, P. E.*

Gallatin Station, C. M. Broadhurst.  
 Edinburg, David McAllen.  
 Jamison, H. T. Leeper.  
 Maysville, M. F. Brower.  
 King City, to be supplied by W. Chapman.  
 Pattonsburg, to be supplied by S. A. Smart.  
 Breckinridge, W. E. Dockery.  
 Spring Hill, W. B. Rice.  
 Ravenwood, J. T. McDonald.  
 Albany, J. M. Settle.  
 Lineville, S. S. Hardin.  
 Lineville Circuit, C. G. Hill.  
 Jamesport, L. T. Fox.  
 Bethany, L. W. Jones.  
 Denver, J. H. French and G. M. Wright.  
 Eagleville, J. G. Whitworth.  
 Maysville Circuit, J. C. Kindred.

## CHILLICOTHE DISTRICT.

*S. H. Milam, P. E.*

Chillicothe Station, A. G. Dinwiddie.  
 Chillicothe Circuit, S. P. Siceloff.  
 Brunswick Station, J. R. A. Vaughan.  
 Carrollton Station, G. J. Warren.  
 Hale, I. T. Nash.  
 Norborne, H. L. Davis.  
 De Witt, J. D. Hunt.  
 Triplett, to be supplied by W. W. Carhart.  
 Humphreys, W. A. Smith.  
 Linneus, C. W. Herley.  
 Milan, J. H. Hubbard.  
 Greencastle, E. C. Swan.  
 Harris, L. F. Parker.  
 Browning, M. L. Allishouse.  
 Bogard, J. D. Houston.  
 Bramer, J. R. Kincaid.

*Transferred.*—J. F. Shores, L. B. Noland,  
 to the Southwest Missouri Conference; J. R.  
 Divelbiss, M. Moore, A. Clark, T. M. Patter-  
 son, to the Indian Mission Conference.



## WESTERN VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT CLARKSBURG, W. VA., SEPTEMBER 14-19, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; J. A. BLACK, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Isaac N. Fannin, Austin A. Hollister, Hiram P. Bell, John B. F. Yoak, David H. Reid. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Walter C. Woodyard, William L. McCoy, Bernard C. Davis, Albert E. Odell, Charles H. Burns, William H. Auxier, William U. Fugate, Marcellus E. Peck, Richard H. Edens. 9.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Courtland P. Smith, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Francis M. Canfield, John D. Stalnaker, Stephen A. Donahoe, Pascal D. Nutter, John W. Crites, Arthur S. Thorn, Keenas J. Bevins, Peter Clay. 8.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Christopher C. Thompson. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? M. Welburn Hiner, from the Kentucky Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Thomas R. Houghton, James T. French, Isaac A. Canfield, Edmund C. Switzer, John J. Haynes, A. Lee Barret. 6.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Francis M. Canfield, Stephen A. Donahoe, Pascal D. Nutter, Arthur S. Thorn, Keenas J. Bevins, Peter Clay. 6.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Francis M. Canfield, Stephen A. Donahoe, Pascal D. Nutter, Arthur S. Thorn, Keenas J. Bevins, Peter Clay. 6.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Hamilton Poliny, Erastus S. Pugh, Christian Kuhl, David H. Reid, William P. Auxier, Marshall W. Trippett, John B. F. Yoak. 7.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Hamilton Poliny, Erastus S. Pugh, Christian Kuhl, David H. Reid, William P. Auxier, Marshall W. Trippett, John B. F. Yoak. 7.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William I. Canter, Thomas C. Exline, Lucien E. Harrison, Charley N. Coffman, Simon A. Knotts, James M. Peters. 6.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? William I. Canter, Thomas C. Exline, Lucien E. Harrison, Charley N. Coffman, Simon A. Knotts, James M. Peters. 6.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. F. Medley, Clifton Dean. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? R. A. Claughton, W. Briscoe, G. S. McCutchen, S. Black, C. S. Murrill, J. T. Johnson, C. F. Crooks, J. K. Hedges, Elias Kendall. 9.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Harry Todd. 1.

HARRY TODD was born in Morgan County, Ky., January 8, 1869; and departed this life in Logan County, W. Va., June 22, 1892, aged twenty-three years, five months, and fourteen days. This brief record comprehends the beginning and ending of the mortal life of this noble young minister. But between these two dates, though they stand so close to each other, time was given for the development of a beautiful character, which will be a great comfort and honor to his family, and will furnish a useful lesson to the many young people who were brought under his influence. Brother Todd did not enjoy superior social and educational advantages during his boyhood, but he did possess the chief and essential advantage of a Christian home, which implies proper training and pure influences around him as he grew up to honest manhood. While this remote home afforded but few of the social and scholastic privileges of the more populous communities, yet it was perhaps equally free from the temptations of worldly society life; and the excellent results of this young life demonstrate that limited opportunities, well used by an honest, earnest youth, will crown that life with success. It is the grateful testimony of his parents that Harry was obedient to them always, and that he was kind, affectionate, and dutiful in the home, and ever faithful and true to all obligations to the world so far as he had to do with the world. Of his very limited educational advantages he made the most conscientious and diligent use from early childhood. Not content with merely going to school when school was carried on in the neighborhood, but having a thirst for knowledge and a worthy ambition to become a true man, he diligently studied at home, and was instant in season and out of season, seeking knowledge at all times and from all sources open to him. The result of this industrious, studious course placed him in advance of his surroundings, and at the age of sixteen he entered upon the work of a country school teacher, which he pursued with growing success for four years, teaching five months

each year. Brother Todd was always strongly inclined to a religious life, and never ran into vicious habits in his boyhood. At the age of sixteen he was converted while attending school at Flat Gap, in Johnson County, Ky. Soon after his conversion he was received into the M. E. Church, South, by his father, Rev. J. C. Todd; and from the day of his espousal to Christ his movement was steadily onward and upward. At the age of twenty years Brother Todd was licensed to preach, and the same year (1889) he was admitted on trial in the Western Virginia Conference, at Catlettsburg, Ky. His first field of labor was the Little Sandy Circuit. His second charge was the Grayson Circuit. His third and last charge was the Logan Circuit. It was the settled purpose of our young brother to make his way upward in the matter of education until he was as fully as possible prepared for the most extensive usefulness. His was not a vain ambition simply to excel in scholarship, but accepting the fact that the age upon which he was entering will more and more demand a strong, cultured, and consecrated ministry, it was his earnest religious desire and determination to "make full proof of his ministry" and make of himself "a workman that needeth not to be ashamed." His consecration was already very thorough, and his piety was deep, pure, and bright. In the pulpit he never seemed to think of himself except as a messenger from God bearing a message of infinite import to the people, and with great earnestness he sought to win them to Christ. It is likely that his great zeal, springing from his profound conviction of the awful responsibilities of the ministry, put more strain upon his delicate vocal organs than they were able to endure, and the sad result is his early death. He desired to locate at last Conference in order to take a regular course at college, but yielded this worthy desire in response to the call for men. After receiving his appointment to Logan Circuit the way opened for him to enter the Kentucky Wesleyan College, and he went so far as to enter the school for a short time; but, finding that he could not be released from his appointment, he promptly exchanged the college halls for the mountain circuit, and without murmuring reported for duty. After closing up the winter and spring, he made his last visit to the home of his parents, where he was so tenderly loved, and to which his noble young heart was ever true. His delicate body showed the effects of the hard service already rendered, and after a short stay at home he returned to his work in very feeble health and against the earnest protest of friends. He felt that his presence was needed among his people, and he hoped to soon regain his health and be able to push on the work. He reached his circuit and passed on to Wyoming County to the District Conference, though constantly going down in

health. Returning to his own circuit, accompanied by his presiding elder, Rev. P. G. Walker, he halted to rest and recuperate; but his last pause was very brief—only a day or two—and he "ceased almost at once to work and live." His short life had been fully devoted to duty, consecrated to his parents, and to God. His work was well done, though only the morning hours of life had been given to him. He fell at his post and among strangers; but as a true soldier he knew no fear, and grandly triumphed over the last enemy.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Parkersburg District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Parkersburg Station.....	326		1
Parkersburg Circuit.....	181		1
Lubeek.....	304		1
Elizabeth.....	276		3
Grantsville.....	297	1	4
Ravenswood.....	319		1
Spencer.....	314		4
Ripley.....	436		1
Point Pleasant.....	188	2	1
New Martinsville.....	190	1	1
Tyler.....	71		
Pleasant Ridge.....	317		2
Burning Spring.....	370		2
	3,589	4	22

#### Clarksburg District.

Clarksburg.....	125		1
Boothsville.....	419		1
Marion.....	42		4
Rivesville.....	473	1	
Greene.....	253		
Sand Rock.....	199		
Philippi.....	293		1
Meadowville.....	450		5
St. George.....	173		2
Mingo Flats.....	114		
Elkins.....	144		1
Cleveland.....	347		3
Jacksonville.....	242		2
Braxton.....	252		1
Glenville.....	391		3
Cedarville.....	102		3
	4,405	1	27

#### Fayette District.

Fayetteville.....	224		
Malden and Brownstown.....	143		
Summersville.....	241		2
Sewell.....	303		1
Meadow Bluff.....	286	1	1
Webster.....	247		3
Birch.....	342		2
Cedar Grove.....	145		1
Raleigh.....	114		
Hawk's Nest.....	87		
Kanawha Falls.....	76		1
Sugar Grove.....	683		1
Newton.....	236		
Osborne's Mills.....	78		1
Addison.....	177		2
Raleigh C.H. and Leblong.....	94		1
	3,508	1	16

Charleston District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Charleston Station .....	258		
Charleston Circuit.....	329		2
Barboursville .....	361		2
Huntington: First Church .....	254		2
Second Church.....	180		2
Guyandotte .....	108		
Wayne Circuit .....	420		8
Wayne C. H.....	278	3	1
Buffalo .....	136		1
Hamlin .....	333		4
St. Albans.....	335		3
Glenwood .....	181		1
Raymond.....	80		
Fair Plains.....	220		
Cabell Mission.....	240		
	3,713	3	26

Catlettsburg District.

Catlettsburg .....	180		
Ashland Station.....	239		
Ashland Circuit.....	202		1
Louisa .....	159		
Greenup.....	142		1
Grayson .....	267		1
Mt. Zion.....	265		2
Liberty .....	429		3
Kavanaugh .....	182	1	4
Leon.....	260		3
Grassland .....	487		4
Martinsburg .....	262		4
	3,074	1	22

Prestonburg District.

Prestonburg .....	276		2
Paintsville .....	110		7
Floyd.....	165		4
Daniel's Creek .....	200		2
Pikeville .....	203		8
Eden.....	333	4	2
Blaine .....	430		8
Warfield.....	70	2	
Logan .....	141		3
Island .....			
Wyoming .....	102		2
	2,040	9	38

Recapitulation.

Parkersburg District .....	3,539	4	22
Clarksburg District.....	4,405	1	27
Fayette District.....	3,508	1	16
Charleston District.....	3,713	3	26
Catlettsburg District.....	3,074	1	22
Prestonsburg District .....	2,040	9	38
Total this year.....	20,329	19	151
Total last year .....	20,243	30	173
Increase.....	86		
Decrease .....		11	22

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 319.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,145.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 298½.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,107.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 14,878.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$1,800.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$1,139.97. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for

Missions? Foreign Missions, \$1,040.98; Domestic Missions, \$685.42. Total, \$1,726.40.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$423.27.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 237½; value, \$323,645.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 43; value, \$53,280.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Barboursville College: Teachers, 7; students, 153; value of property, \$20,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Ashland, Ky.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

PARKERSBURG DISTRICT.

S. T. Mallory, P. E.

Parkersburg Station, J. S. Sims.  
Parkersburg Circuit, H. M. Smith.  
Lubeck, D. L. Bush.  
Elizabeth, W. C. Leech.  
Grantsville, to be supplied by E. A. Nicholson.

Ravenswood, H. T. Watts.  
Spencer, A. Lee Barrett.  
Ripley, J. W. Simpson.  
Point Pleasant, C. W. Cook.  
New Martinsville, E. T. Caton.  
Tyler, W. C. Woodyard.  
Pleasant Ridge, S. A. Knotts.  
Burning Springs, to be supplied by O. Given.

CLARKSBURG DISTRICT.

A. P. Sturm, P. E.

Clarksburg, M. A. Davidson.  
Boothsville, to be supplied.  
Marion, W. I. Canter.  
Rivesville, M. V. Bowles.  
Greene, to be supplied by H. Poling.  
Sand Rock, to be supplied by J. F. Sharpless.  
Philippi, J. H. Burns.  
Meadowville, W. R. Chambers.  
Braxton, J. W. Lambert.  
St. George, J. B. F. Yoak.  
Elkins, M. E. Peck.  
Cedarville, to be supplied by E. S. Pugh.  
Cleveland, J. D. Stalnaker.  
Mingo Flats, E. R. Powers.  
Glenville, E. B. Jones.  
Ireland, F. M. Canfield.  
Davis, I. A. Canfield.

FAYETTE DISTRICT.

C. H. Dowell, P. E.

Fayetteville, J. T. French.  
Summersville, P. G. Walker.  
Sewell, W. M. Hiner.  
Meadow Bluff, G. W. McClung.  
Webster, T. R. Houghton.  
Birch, C. H. Burns.  
Cedar Grove and Malden, C. W. Shearer.  
Raleigh, A. E. Odell.

Hawk's Nest, E. L. Fitch.  
 Kanawha Falls, J. S. Lemon.  
 Sugar Grove, C. N. Coffman, A. A. Hollister.  
 Newton, P. D. Nutter.  
 Osborn's Mills, B. C. Davis.  
 Addison, J. J. Haynes.

## CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

*J. M. Carter, P. E.*

Charleston, S. F. McClung.  
 Charleston Circuit, B. S. Chambers.  
 Barboursville, J. Martin.  
 Huntington: First Church, J. A. Black.  
 Second Church, W. P. Auxier.  
 Guyandotte, J. M. Lauck.  
 Wayne C. H., J. M. Peters.  
 Wayne Circuit, J. D. Garret.  
 Buffalo, H. L. Smith.  
 Hamlin, W. H. Surgeon.  
 St. Albans, S. E. Simpson.  
 Glenwood, S. A. Donahoe.  
 Fair Plains, J. W. Crites.  
 Cabell Mission, to be supplied by E. Bias.  
 Elk City, to be supplied by R. A. Moss.

## CATLETTSBURG DISTRICT.

*B. F. Gosling, P. E.*

Catlettsburg, T. S. Wade.  
 Ashland, S. G. Preston.  
 Ashland Circuit, J. W. Glover.  
 Louisa, M. W. Hiner.  
 Greenup, J. F. Medley, Sup.

Grayson, D. H. Reid.  
 Mt. Zion, I. N. Fannin.  
 Liberty, T. C. Exline.  
 Kavanaugh, A. Given; C. Dean, Sup.  
 Leon, H. Moore.  
 Grassland, E. C. Switzer.  
 Martinsburg, to be supplied by T. R. Gillespie.  
*Central Methodist, Z. Meek, Editor.*

## PRESTONBURG DISTRICT.

*E. S. McClung, P. E.*

Prestonburg, I. F. J. McKinster.  
 Paintsville, W. L. McCoy.  
 Floyd, to be supplied by J. Lafferty.  
 Pikeville, P. Clay.  
 Pikeville Circuit, to be supplied by A. Q. Harmon.  
 Eden, to be supplied by R. F. Rice.  
 Blaine, K. J. Bevins.  
 Warfield, H. B. Hewlett.  
 Logan, L. E. Harrison.  
 Wyoming, E. P. Bell.  
 Boone, W. U. Fugate.

*Transferred.*—W. W. Royal, to the Virginia Conference; A. S. Thorn, to the Holston Conference; S. W. Emory, to the St. Louis Conference; C. C. Thompson, to the West Texas Conference; G. M. F. Hampton, to the Kentucky Conference, and appointed Professor in Millersburg Female College; A. S. Bowles, to the Missouri Conference.

## LOUISVILLE CONFERENCE.

HELD AT CAMPBELLSVILLE, KY., SEPTEMBER 21-27, 1892.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; GROSS ALEXANDER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 A SWER. John D. Cart, Bethel C. Russell, Ulysses S. Tabor, Thomas M. Appling, Bayliss A. Brandon. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Frank E. Lewis, J. B. Galloway, C. Y. Smith, B. F. Sheffer, U. G. Foote, Eugene Harralson, T. J. Winfrey, Joel U. Watson, Joseph W. Crowe, R. H. Roe, James H. Richardson, in class of the second year; Claude Thompson, in class of the first year. 12.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Charles W. Hesson, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Charles F. Hartford, Tillman F. Roland, William A. Black, Albert P. Lyon, R. T. McConnell, Albert L. Mell, Alfred D. Litchfield. (E. Smith, J. S. Mitchell, J. E. King, J. R. Crandell, and Smith Givan had

previously been received into full connection, but they continue in the class of the third year.) 7.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? A. C. Gentle, George F. Campbell, C. D. Ward, H. G. Summers, S. P. Stiles. 5.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William A. Black, Richard T. McConnell, Alfred D. Litchfield. 3.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Charles F. Hartford, William A. Black, Richard T. McConnell, Alfred D. Litchfield. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? George B. Breeding, Felix Roberts,

James McGinnis, B. A. Brandon, Thomas J. Ramsey, John Bowles, M. S. Ferrill, Charles H. Bragg, W. C. Webster, L. T. York, J. C. Choat, Joseph W. Crowe. 12.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Joseph W. Crowe, George B. Breeding, Felix Roberts, B. A. Brandon, John Bowles, Charles H. Bragg, M. S. Ferrill, W. C. Webster, J. C. Choat. 9.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Edward E. Joiner, Solomon F. Ashbrook, Joseph B. Seay. 3.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Edward E. Joiner, Solomon F. Ashbrook, Joseph B. Seay. 3.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? W. W. Bingham, James K. Powell, Albert P. Lyon, W. F. Ford. 4.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? W. W. Bingham, James K. Powell, Albert P. Lyon. 3.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? W. J. Cole, William Black—at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? Joseph B. Cottrell, Silas Spurrier, J. J. Ruddell, A. McCown, V. P. Thomas. 5.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? G. W. Dennis, R. H. Rivers, G. W. Crumbaugh, W. T. Reid, A. C. De Witt, Thomas Bottomley, W. W. Mann, William Alexander, R. B. McCown, J. R. Dempsey, J. W. Taylor, William Hamblen, H. M. Ford, C. Y. Bogges. 14.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? James W. Bunton. 1.

JAMES W. BUNTON was born in Livingston County, Ky. He was converted and joined the Methodist Church. He was very happily married to Miss Sallie Durliam, and settled down to the life of a small farmer in his native county. But God had other work for him to do, and he was not disobedient to the heavenly calling. He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Smithland Circuit, and admitted into the traveling connection in 1873. He was very zealous from his entrance upon the work of the ministry. He was never unemployed, nor triflingly employed. He preached wherever he found an open door, and visited and taught from house to house. His early opportunities were poor, but he had a strong desire to learn, and was ever ready to be taught by his brethren. He read diligently, and having a sprightly mind, he acquired knowledge rapidly. His friends were delighted with his progress. It was once said of him by one who had known his beginnings, "Whence hath this man knowledge, seeing he hath never learned?" But he had learned. He read his Bible every day—read it prayerfully, attentively, patiently. He read but few books, but he made their contents his own. He derived great benefit from contact with his brethren. He drank in wisdom from

every spring of knowledge that invited him within his limited range. He had a clear perception, a good memory, a high sense of his responsibility for self-improvement, an exalted idea of the work of the ministry; and he therefore laid himself out for improvement. Moreover, he was taught of the Lord in spiritual wisdom, "filled with a knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding." His doctrinal sermons were all clear, plain, and to the people generally, satisfactory expositions of the divine word. He was singularly useful. Wherever he went sinners were converted, backsliders reclaimed, Sunday schools organized, family altars established, churches erected, parsonages bought or built, the missionary spirit quickened, and believers were moved to higher plains of living. We believe that according to his measure of capacity he made full proof of his ministry. Brother Bunton was not well read in either science or philosophy, and along these lines he may have made, and in our judgment did make some mistakes, but the white linen of his character was without spot. He was a man of wonderful faith. I have never seen anything like it. His faith scaled mountains of obstruction and bridged what seemed impossible chasms. He determined to build a church in his work. His presiding elder could see but little encouragement, but his own faith was strong. He both laughed and wept as he was expressing his faith in God as to the result. It was built, but not by the people of the community. God put it into the heart of a superannuated member of the Conference to give all the money necessary to finish the house. Brother Bunton was a professor of the experience of perfect love. Who that knew him intimately ever doubted it? Infirmities he had both of body and mind, but it seemed to those who knew him best that there was no imperfection of his faith and love. In October, 1881, he was located at his own request. He thought that the divine Providence indicated this step, and he took it in all good conscience. After being out a few years he sought for and obtained readmission at Hartford, in 1886. From this date onward his career as a church builder and soul winner was remarkable. He turned many to righteousness. He was in great demand for run-down charges because he always brought them up. His character was transparent; he was without guile. Gentle as a woman, confiding as a child, loving as John, zealous as an apostle of the primitive type, full of faith, full of sympathy, patient under afflictions, triumphant through grace, surely his name shall be held in everlasting remembrance! We give God thanks for the life and labors of James W. Bunton.

Ques. 20. Are all preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their



Recapitulation.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Fr's.
Louisville District .....	4,092	2	14
Elizabethtown District .....	4,452	4	23
Henderson District .....	4,823	.....	24
Owensboro District .....	5,687	1	28
Princeton District .....	4,235	.....	22
Russellville District .....	4,593	2	28
Bowling Green District .....	4,608	2	24
Lebanon District .....	3,470	3	11
Columbia District .....	4,922	2	52
Total this year .....	40,885	16	226
Total last year .....	40,667	20	215
Increase .....	218	.....	11
Decrease .....	.....	4	.....

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 785.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,541.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 332.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,356.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 18,930.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,281.52. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Mis-sions? Foreign Missions, \$5,240.87; Domestic Missions, \$3,331.20. Total, \$8,572.07.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,987.38.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 404; value, \$683,194.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 107; value, \$125,484.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 2; officers and teachers, 15; value of property, \$50,000; contributed for education of colored people, \$458.81.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Elkton, Ky.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

G. B. Overton, P. E.

- Walnut Street, H. C. Settle.
- Broadway, C. B. Riddick.
- Chestnut Street, W. K. Piner.
- Main Street, E. W. Bottomley.
- Jefferson Street, S. H. Lovelace.
- Portland, J. S. Scobee.
- Asbury, S. L. Lee.
- West Broadway, George E. Foskett.
- Fourth Avenue, to be supplied.
- Jeffersonville, J. T. Cherry.
- Clifton, S. G. Shelley.
- Virginia Avenue, J. H. Young.
- Middletown, J. L. Edrington.
- Secretary Board of Church Extension, David Morton.

ELIZABETHTOWN DISTRICT.

S. C. Allen, P. E.

- Elizabethtown, C. R. Crowe.
- Hardinsburg, L. E. Campbell.
- Hodgensville, G. S. King.
- Vine Grove, R. C. Love.
- Brandenburg, W. W. Lambuth.
- Big Spring, George F. Cundiff.
- Long Grove, J. E. King.
- Falls of Rough, M. M. Hunter; Silas Spurrier, Sup.
- McDaniel's, B. A. Cundiff.
- Stephensport, S. P. Stiles.
- Constantine, J. B. Galloway.
- Louisville Circuit, J. P. Goodson.
- Wolfe Creek, U. S. Taber.
- Leitchfield, P. T. Hardison.
- South Leitchfield, J. U. Watson.
- Millerstown, to be supplied.
- Educational Secretary, R. W. Browder.

OWENSBORO DISTRICT.

J. M. Lawson, P. E.

- Owensboro: Settle Chapel, G. C. Kelly.
- Main Street, H. T. Gaines.
- Owensboro Circuit, W. F. Cashman.
- Yelvington, D. C. Clarkson.
- Oakford, James S. Chandler.
- Calhoun, R. Y. Thomas.
- Beech Grove, to be supplied by W. F. Ford.
- Hartford, E. E. Pate.
- Hawesville, W. C. Hayes.
- Patesville Mission, to be supplied by E. Barrett.
- Cloverport, E. H. Morrison.
- Rockport, J. S. McDaniel.
- Ceralvo, W. R. Godbey.
- Lewisport, B. F. Sheffer.
- Fordsville, C. F. Hartford.
- South Carrollton, J. L. Reid.
- Livermore, R. B. Campbell.
- Rosine, R. D. Bennett.

HENDERSON DISTRICT.

G. H. Hayes, P. E.

- Henderson, W. C. Brandon.
- Audubon, U. G. Foote.
- Corydon, T. J. Randolph.
- Robards, J. C. Brandon.
- Morganfield, V. Elgin.
- Morganfield Circuit, T. V. Joiner.
- Hibbardsville, J. S. Crandell.
- Madisonville, T. C. Peters.
- Hanson, J. W. Love.
- Slaughtersville, R. C. Alexander.
- Sacramento, W. W. Prine.
- Sebree City, W. L. Corbin.
- Dixon, J. R. Crandell.
- Caseyville, P. C. Duvall.

PRINCETON DISTRICT.

B. F. Orr, P. E.

- Princeton Circuit, S. K. Breeding.
- Marion Circuit, J. V. Guthrie.

Shady Grove, E. M. Gibbons.  
 Salem, B. A. Brandon.  
 Carrsville, T. L. Crandell.  
 Smithland, L. B. Davison.  
 Grand Rivers, Claude Thompson.  
 Eddyville, Joseph S. Chandler.  
 Kuttawa, W. F. Hogard.  
 Cadiz, Silas Newton.  
 Cerulean Springs, A. G. Frazer.  
 Canton, W. H. Archey.  
 Empire, J. H. Richardson.  
 Dawson, R. H. Roe.  
 Greenville, J. B. Seay.  
 Greenville Circuit, E. Smith.

#### RUSSELLVILLE DISTRICT.

*James A. Lewis, P. E.*

Russellville, D. L. Collie.  
 Adairville, I. W. Emerson.  
 Allensville, J. P. Stubblefield.  
 Elkton, J. T. Rushing.  
 Gordonsville, Eugene Harralson.  
 Lewisburg, J. F. De Witt.  
 Sharon Grove, T. C. Frogge.  
 Kirkmansville, C. D. Ward.  
 Fairview, D. S. Bowles.  
 Trenton, J. C. Petrie.  
 Hopkinsville, G. W. Lyon.  
 Crofton, E. G. Summers; A. McCown, Sup.  
 La Fayette, J. D. Frazer.  
 Auburn, P. H. Davis.  
 Professor in Vanderbilt University, Gross  
 Alexander.

#### BOWLING GREEN DISTRICT.

*D. S. Campbell, P. E.*

Bowling Green, J. W. Lewis; V. P. Thomas,  
 Sup.  
 Barry Street, C. Y. Smith.  
 Bowling Green Circuit, J. G. Freeman.  
 Franklin, R. F. Hayes.  
 Franklin Circuit, F. A. Mitchell.  
 Glasgow and Dover, L. M. Russell.  
 Woodburn Circuit, J. W. Bigham.  
 New Roe, George W. Slugart.  
 Scottville, D. F. Walton.  
 Horse Cave, George M. Everett.  
 Glasgow Junction, John L. Brown.  
 Smith's Grove, A. D. Litchfield; J. J. Rud-  
 dell, Sup.  
 Richardsville, R. T. McConnell.

Brownsville Mission, to be supplied by D.  
 T. Tarter.  
 Munfordville, E. E. Joiner.  
 Rochester, L. W. Browder.  
 Morgantown, T. M. Appling.  
 Brooklyn Mission, to be supplied by W. T.  
 Miller.  
 Colportage Agent, J. F. Redford.

#### LEBANON DISTRICT.

*S. X. Hall, P. E.*

Lebanon, J. D. Sigler.  
 Bardstown, G. F. Campbell.  
 Bardstown Circuit, to be supplied by J. O.  
 Smithson.  
 Springfield, J. T. McCormick.  
 Bradfordsville, J. P. Hogard.  
 Loretto, A. L. Mell.  
 Mannsville, W. B. Lucy.  
 Campbellsville, A. P. Lyon.  
 Greensboro, B. F. Biggs.  
 Shepherdsville, W. T. Davenport.  
 Jeffersontown, E. M. Crowe.  
 Buffalo, S. F. Ashbrook.  
 Uptonville, J. S. Mitchell.  
 Magnolia, to be supplied by H. B. Erwin.  
 Thurlow, A. C. Gentle.  
 Forrestville Mission, to be supplied.  
 Rolla, to be supplied by John Bowles.

#### COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*J. D. Gilliam, P. E.*

Columbia, S. L. C. Coward.  
 Breeding's, F. M. Rose.  
 Fountain Run, T. F. Roland.  
 Cumberland, to be supplied by W. P. Sharpe.  
 Bear Creek, T. J. Winfrey.  
 Creelsboro, J. D. Cart.  
 Albany, J. W. Crowe.  
 Wayne, to be supplied by W. A. Beck.  
 Burksville, F. E. Lewis.  
 Renox, J. M. Thrasher.  
 Monticello, J. L. Murrell.  
 Jamestown, Smith Givan.  
 Summer Shade, T. G. Harrison.  
 Temple Hill, B. C. Russell.  
 Russell Mission, to be supplied.  
 Edmonton Mission, to be supplied by J. A.  
 Goodman.

*Transferred.*—P. A. Edwards, to the North-  
 west Texas Conference.



EAST COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT PALOUSE CITY, WASHINGTON, SEPTEMBER 21-25, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; J. W. COMPTON, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Samuel E. Crow. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? C. C. Eagle, C. E. Kirk. 2.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? R. B. Crego. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? W. H. Hodges, W. S. Hornbuckle, Henry Barrehart, William M. Fancher. 4.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? John H. Shelton, W. H. Hodges. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Henry Barnhart, W. S. Hornbuckle. 2.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Henry Barnhart. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Henry Barnhart. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Albert Anderson. 1.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Albert Anderson. 1.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Howson B. Terry. 1.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Howson B. Terry.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Elbert P. Warren. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Elbert P. Warren. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? R. G. Isbell, H. T. Burger. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? Frederick F. St. Clair. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Pendleton District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Pendleton Station .....	73	3
Walla Walla .....	58	2
Pomeroy and Dayton Circuit.....	110	2
Dayton Station.....	77	2
Weston Circuit.....	80	2
Heppner and Rhea Creek Circuit.....	53	.....
La Grande and Moss Chapel Circuit.....	60	1
Mountain Valley Circuit.....	40	.....
Summerville Circuit.....	80	1
Baker City and Wingville Circuit.....	35	.....
Eagle Valley Circuit.....	58	2

*Pendleton District (Continued).*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Boise City Circuit .....	40	2
Burnt River Circuit.....	20	.....
	784	17

*Spokane District.*

Spokane Station.....	72	1
Palouse and Moscow Circuit.....	67	1
Oakesdale Circuit.....	74	.....
Big Bend Circuit.....	19	.....
Davenport Circuit.....	66	.....
Lewiston Circuit.....	44	1
Potlatch Circuit.....	62	2
Rockford Circuit.....	18	1
Genesee Circuit.....	55	2
Colfax Circuit.....	12	1
	489	9

*Recapitulation.*

Pendleton District.....	784	17
Spokane District.....	489	9
Total this year.....	1,273	26
Total last year.....	1,254	27
Increase.....	19	.....
Decrease.....		1

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 65.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 119.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 31.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? No report.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 213.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$25.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$16.50. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$342.85; Domestic Missions, \$710. Total, \$1,052.85.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$161.25.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of church edifices? Number, 22½; value, \$54,450.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of parsonages? Number, 9; value, \$8,400.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Pendleton, Oreg.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

## PENDLETON DISTRICT.

*M. V. Howard, P. E.*

Pendleton Station, F. C. Adkins.  
 Walla Walla Station, E. G. Michael.  
 Dayton Station, John H. Shelton.  
 Weston Circuit, William M. Fancher.  
 Heppner Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Umatilla Circuit, to be supplied by T. J. Means.  
 La Grande and Moss Chapel Circuit, P. M. Bell.  
 Summerville Circuit, C. E. Kirk.  
 Baker City and Wingville Circuit, Henry Barnhart.  
 Eagle Valley Circuit, D. W. Yoakum.  
 Boise City Circuit, Michael Larkin.  
 Emmettsburg Circuit, C. C. Eagle.  
 Pomeroy and Dayton Circuit, G. H. Gibbs.

## SPOKANE DISTRICT.

*Rev. B. Swift, P. E.*

Spokane Station, to be supplied.  
 Oakdale Circuit, H. B. Terry.  
 Palouse and Moscow Circuit, J. W. Compton.  
 Big Bend Circuit, A. Y. Skee.  
 Davenport Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Potlatch Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Rockford Circuit, to be supplied by E. P. Warren.  
 Leland Circuit, W. S. Hornbuckle.  
 Camas Prairie Circuit, S. E. Crow.  
 Genesee Circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Robertson.

*Transferred.*—W. H. Hodges, to the South Carolina Conference.

## PACIFIC CONFERENCE.

HELD AT SACRAMENTO, CAL., SEPTEMBER 28—OCTOBER 3, 1892.

BISHOP HAYGOOD, *President*; L. C. RENFRO, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. C. E. Clark.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? L. A. Green, B. J. Waugh. 2.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. R. Compton, Z. P. Millington. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Edwin Palmer. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? B. J. Waugh, J. M. Weems, J. E. Carpenter, D. M. Edwards, J. F. Davis, J. F. Tyson, W. B. Austin, L. A. Green, B. H. Greene, J. J. N. Kenny, J. W. F. Gilreath, W. B. Smith. 11.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? J. A. Batchelor, L. A. Dillard, W. E. Phillips, J. W. Ray, S. T. Reeve, A. F. W. Walters, B. H. Greene. 7.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? J. D. Dorsey, W. E. Edmonson, D. M. Edwards, J. F. Tyson, W. B. Smith. 5.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? D. M. Edwards, J. D. Dorsey, J. F. Tyson, W. B. Smith, W. E. Edmonson. 5.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Elisha Brown. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? W. H. Cooper. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? G. H. Newton, R. F. Beasley. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. Gruwell, D. M. Rice, B. H. Russell, B. C. Howard, L. D. Hargis. 5.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? C. Y. Rankin, J. B. Winton, T. C. Barton. 3.

CHARLES Y. RANKIN fell at the post of duty, full panoplied for the conflict, with his face to the foe, and the shout of battle on his lips. He was born in Wilson County, Tenn., August 25, 1848. Born and raised amid religious influence, it was not strange that he should give his heart to God in early life, and that when God called him to the ministry he willingly, gladly responded to the call. And when ready for the work he neither asked nor desired an easy place in the Church. He felt it an honor to be counted worthy to suffer for the name of Jesus. In early life he had a hard struggle for an education. But feeling its importance he never relaxed his efforts to secure one. Just after the civil war, when he was but sixteen, his father moved to Milan, Tenn., where he went to work with his own hands to earn money with which to educate himself. He

worked at the carpenter's trade. In 1870 he was prepared to enter Milan College. Here he obtained his degree of A.B. Not satisfied with this, he attended the Southern University, located at Greensboro, Ala., from which institution he graduated in 1873, taking in addition to his A.B. course about two-thirds of the A.M. course, as prescribed by this institution. While in college he was licensed to preach. In November, 1873, he was received on trial into the Memphis Conference. He preached with great acceptability in this Conference for four years. He was then transferred to the Pacific Conference in 1877, and was stationed in Sacramento, where he remained two years. During his pastorate at this place he returned to his old home in Tennessee and led to the altar Miss Maggie Gibbs, who made him a true and faithful wife, and who bore him three children, all of whom survive him. His next appointment was Santa Rosa, where he remained four years. During his pastorate at Santa Rosa there was a vacancy in the Faculty of Pacific Methodist College, and, in addition to his other duties, he took the position and taught for a time, giving proof of his skill and ability as a teacher. The Conference recognizing his executive ability, he was appointed presiding elder of the Colusa District, an office that he filled with marked ability for two years. The same careful, painstaking attention to all parts of his work that he had shown in the station characterized his labors on the district. He was very systematic, and never for one moment thought of sparing himself any labor or self-denial that might be demanded of him. His work was always on his mind and heart. After two successful years on the district, he was stationed in San José. Here he did the best work of his life. For four consecutive years he preached for this people, growing in popularity, and intrenching himself more securely in the affections of his charge every year. He was next sent to the Santa Rosa District as presiding elder again. While on this district he was maturing plans for a summer school of theology and sacred literature, intended especially for the benefit of his younger brethren in the ministry. The success of the first session of this school was a harbinger of what would have been accomplished had he lived to carry out all these plans to a full consummation. In 1889 his *Alma Mater* conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity upon him. One year he was stationed in Hollister. For one year he labored upon the Santa Rosa District as presiding elder, when a man of peculiar qualifications was needed for the San Francisco District, and he was appointed. For a number of years he had edited the Minutes of our Conference. Without a moment's delay he began the work of moving his family to San José and preparing material for the Minutes for publication at the same

time. He also formed the plan for his first round of appointments on his district, and began his work at once. He held one quarterly meeting, was stricken down by sickness, and on November 4, 1891, at 1 A.M., God took him as he was, full of zeal, full of work, in the midst of his unfinished plans, from toil and suffering, to the rest of his beloved. He knew the change was coming, and, calling his loved ones about him, conferred upon each a parting blessing, spoke to all in the house, one by one, of the soul's eternal interests, and then exclaimed: "I am going home; the wires are all connected; ring the bell." The first message from the King was, "Come up higher," and he obeyed this command with the same alacrity that had ever characterized him.

JAMES BRAXTON WINTON was born in Greene County, Mo., August 20, 1847. His father was a preacher before him, and in early life he felt the call to the ministry and gladly obeyed the summons. He was educated at Central College, Missouri, where he won the love and esteem of his fellow-students. In 1875 he was received on trial in the Southwest Missouri Conference, where he labored with a large degree of success for ten years. In 1877 he was ordained deacon by Bishop Marvin, and in 1879 he was ordained elder by Bishop Wightman. In 1885 he was transferred to the Pacific Conference. For two years he was stationed at Lakeport, two years at Healdsburg, one year at King's Landing, two at Plainsburg. Last year he was sent to Rockville. He entered with hope upon his work, but soon found his strength failing, his hand relaxing, and after a vain struggle he gave up and turned his face to the Sierra Nevadas, hoping there amid the soft breezes and rarified atmosphere to find relief. But, like Moses, he was only going up upon the mountain to die. He was a Methodist by birth and education, and whatever knowledge he obtained he turned it all to the use of his Master's cause. One has said of him: "He preached no strange doctrine; he was no theorist. He cared more for truth than for fiction. He was far more anxious for logical conclusions than for embellishment. He revered the house of God and preferred to have other than religious exercises in some other place." On May 4, 1892, at the little town of Raymond, our brother died as he had lived: in the full confidence of a blissful resurrection when Christ shall come.

THOMAS C. BARTON, one of the veterans of our Conference, peacefully fell asleep in Jesus August 9, 1892. He was born in Philadelphia, Pa., April 4, 1828. When quite a boy his parents moved to Elizabeth, Ill. In 1848, with the first great rush to California, he came to this coast. He worked in the mines near Vallecito, where, meeting with the sainted Fulton, Taylor, and others,

he was happily converted to God. God called him to the ministry of his word, and he was not disobedient to the heavenly calling. He was licensed to preach, and at the Conference held in Stockton in February, 1854, he was admitted on trial in the traveling connection. He was not present at the Conference, that not being required at that time. He was appointed junior preacher under A. M. Bailey, on the Santa Clara Circuit, but he was unable to close out all his business matters, and did not go to his work. The next year he was put in charge of the Jamestown and Toulumne Circuit; the next, sent to Calaveras, where he had a glorious revival of religion, and more than one hundred souls were converted. He was then placed on the Mokelumne Circuit, but during the year was changed by his presiding elder and sent as junior preacher under O. Fisher, in Stockton, O. Fisher being the editor of the *Pacific Observer*, that had just then been started. His next appointment was Gilroy. God honored his ministry wherever he went, and many souls were converted through his instrumentality. In 1858 he was sent to Mariposa. The next year he was appointed presiding elder of the Visalia District. This year he was happily married to Miss Atlanta Haile, who made him a true helpmeet through all his itinerant life. This union took place at a camp meeting held near where Merced City now stands. For two years he was presiding elder of the Maryville District (now the Colusa). In 1862-63 he was preacher in charge of the Colusa Circuit; the next two years stationed at Yuba City. Again he was made presiding elder of the Maryville District two years; then stationed at Rockville. He then served a term of four years on the Santa Rosa District; then four years on the Colusa District, one year on the Santa Clara Circuit, and two years on the Woodbridge Circuit. In 1878-79 he was stationed in Hollister; the following two years on the Princeton Circuit, two years on the Linden Circuit, one year in Cloverdale. This was his last appointment. At the Conference in San Francisco, in 1885, his name was placed on the superannuated list. His brethren saw his failing powers; he did not. His spirit was still willing, but the flesh was weak, and he knew it not. He had endured hardships as a good soldier for over thirty years, but this was the hardest of all, when his brethren told him that he could go out to battle no more; that his work was done. With loving arms his brethren bore him up, pressed him to their bosoms, and let him feel their warm hearts beat. He settled in Redwood City and calmly waited for the summons of his master to come up higher. This summons came in the afternoon of August 9, 1892. He was in full health except a little neuralgia in his face. He and his oldest daughter, Cora, had been talking at half-past 12 o'clock, when he stepped

out on his back porch and sat down in a rocking chair. About five minutes after, Cora passed the door and saw him with his head thrown slightly back and an unusual pallor on his face. She went to him; but the spirit had fled, and was even then on its way to the feet of his beloved Saviour. There had not been the slightest struggle. His knees were crossed, and his hands lay naturally and easily in his lap. So quietly did God's messengers do their work that no one knew when it was done.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of A. L. Paul, who was suspended for nine months.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*San Francisco District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
San Francisco: Centenary .....	187	.....	1
Second Church.....	25	.....	1
Oakland.....	120	.....	1
Sacramento .....	300	.....	1
San José.....	211	.....	2
Alameda .....	72	.....	.....
Hollister .....	137	1	1
Salinas .....	74	.....	.....
Gilroy.....	58	.....	.....
Mountain View.....	54	.....	.....
Lincoln.....	116	.....	.....
Bear Valley .....	50	.....	.....
Wheatland.....	65	.....	.....
Penn Valley.....	20	.....	.....
San Lucas and Bradley.....	175	.....	2
San Felipe.....	.....	.....	.....
Berkeley .....	.....	.....	.....
	1,674	1	9

*Santa Rosa District.*

Santa Rosa .....	256	2	2
Petaluma .....	65	.....	.....
Ukiah .....	240	.....	3
Cloverdale and Hopland.....	58	.....	.....
Healdsburg .....	122	.....	1
Lakeport.....	39	.....	1
Potter Valley.....	89	.....	.....
Rockville.....	40	.....	.....
Elmira .....	87	.....	1
Winters .....	94	.....	.....
Woodland.....	51	.....	.....
Knight's Landing.....	54	.....	1
Anderson Valley .....	45	.....	.....
	1,240	2	9

*Colusa District.*

Colusa.....	145	.....	.....
Chico.....	184	1	.....
Butte City .....	123	.....	.....
Yuba City .....	136	.....	.....
Willows .....	48	2	.....
Maxwell .....	86	1	.....
Red Bluff .....	91	.....	1
Biggs and Pennington .....	49	.....	.....
Orland and Henleyville.....	72	.....	.....
Newville and Elk Creek.....	35	.....	.....
Leesville.....	38	.....	.....
Arbuckle.....	57	.....	2
Anderson .....	87	1	.....
Cottonwood and Millville.....	40	.....	.....
Big Valley .....	53	.....	.....
Ono.....	42	.....	.....
Barney Valley.....	.....	.....	.....
	1,286	5	3

Merced District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Merced .....	108		
Plainsburg .....	108		1
Modesto .....	44		
Linden .....	162		3
Mariposa .....	67	4	
Stockton .....	93		
Sonora .....	75		
Los Banos .....	62		2
Madera .....	51		1
Green Mountain .....	85		2
Walnut Grove .....	40		
Galt .....	57		
Snelling and Livingston .....	19	4	
	971	8	9

Fresno District.

Fresno .....	244		2
Big Dry Creek .....	137		1
Selma .....	180		3
Kingsburg .....	60		1
Lemoore .....	99		2
West Park .....	47		
Dinuba .....	93		
Watts Valley .....			
Visalia .....	95		
Woodville .....	120		
Sanger .....	107		2
	1,182		11

Bakersfield District.

Bakersfield .....	30		1
Tulare .....	49		
Glenville .....			
Inyo .....			
Allia .....			
Porterville .....			
Delano .....	10		
	89		1

Recapitulation.

San Francisco District .....	1,674	1	9
Santa Rosa District .....	1,240	2	9
Colusa District .....	1,286	5	3
Merced District .....	971	8	9
Fresno District .....	1,182		11
Bakersfield District .....	89		1
Total this year .....	6,442	16	42
Total last year .....	6,057	16	46
Increase .....	385		
Decrease .....			4

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 220.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 335.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 103.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 698.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 4,857.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$2,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$1,315.75. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$2,143.40; Domestic Missions, \$1,368.30. Total, \$3,511.70.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$683.70.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what

is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 78; value, \$282,600.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 47; value, \$51,150.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? One college, eight professors, fifty-three students.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Fresno, Cal.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT.

S. Brown, P. E.

San Francisco: Centenary, R. J. Briggs; R. F. Beasley, Sup.

Second Church, J. D. Dorsey.

Oakland, A. C. Bane.

Sacramento, H. W. Conry.

San José, J. Hannon.

Alameda, to be supplied by H. M. DuBose.

Hollister, J. J. N. Kenny; G. H. Newton, Sup.

Salinas, J. C. Simmons.

Gilroy, Z. J. Needham.

Mountain View, J. E. Carpenter.

Lincoln, H. M. McKnight.

Bear Valley, A. F. W. Walters.

Wheatland, R. F. Allen.

San Lucas and Bradley, J. W. Ray.

Santa Cruz, to be supplied.

Pacific Methodist Advocate, R. P. Wilson, Business Manager.

SANTA ROSA DISTRICT.

C. O. Steele, P. E.

Santa Rosa, W. G. Swan.

Petaluma, George Baugh.

Ukiah, M. B. Sharbrough.

Cloverdale and Hopland, A. F. Lee.

Healdsburg, J. H. Johnson.

Lakeport, W. M. Winters.

Potter Valley, J. M. Ward.

Rockville, B. J. Waugh.

Elmira, W. D. Taylor.

Winters, D. Bauer.

Woodland, Joseph Emery.

Knight's Landing, F. M. Staton.

Anderson Valley, to be supplied.

Davisville, J. C. Pendergrast.

COLUSA DISTRICT.

W. P. Andrews, P. E.

Colusa, E. A. Garrison.

Chico, C. N. Goulder.

Butte City, J. M. Weems.

Yuba City, B. F. Burris.

Willows, L. A. Dillard.

Maxwell, L. C. Renfro.

Red Bluff, J. R. Compton.

Gridley, J. A. Batchelor.

Orland, J. G. Shelton.

Leesville, E. H. Robertson.

Arbuckle, J. M. Brown.

Anderson and Cottonwood, W. A. Booher.

Millville, S. T. Reeve.

Big Valley, J. S. Hutton.  
Ono and Shasta, J. H. Neal.  
Sutter City and Grace, A. P. Few.

## MERCED DISTRICT.

*W. J. Mahon, P. E.*

Merced, A. R. Reams.  
Plainsburg, P. F. Page.  
Modesto, P. N. Blankenship.  
Linden, T. L. Duke.  
Mariposa, C. E. Clark.  
Stockton, Jesse Wood.  
Sonora, M. J. Gough.  
Los Banos, Joel Hedgpeh.  
Madera, J. C. Hyden.  
Green Mountain, to be supplied.  
Walnut Grove, D. T. Belvil.  
Galt, J. F. Roberts.  
Snelling and Livingston, W. E. Phillips.

## FRESNO DISTRICT.

*H. C. Christian, P. E.*

Fresno, T. H. B. Anderson.

Big Dry Creek, H. Neate.  
Selma, T. A. Atkinson.  
Sanger, R. A. Sawrie.  
Lemoore and Wild Flower, W. B. Austin.  
West Park, J. F. Tyson.  
Dinuba, A. Odom.  
Visalia, D. M. Edwards.  
Woodville, A. L. Hunsaker.  
Wild Flower, to be supplied.  
Kingsburg, Z. P. Millington.  
Bakersfield and Tehachapi, W. F. Coffin; one to be supplied.  
Tulare, B. H. Greene.  
Delano and Sumner, L. A. Green.  
Hanford, W. B. Smith.  
Potterville, to be supplied.

*Transferred.*—H. R. Singleton, to the Mississippi Conference; W. E. Towson, to the Japan Mission; W. E. Edmonson, to the North Carolina Conference; E. Palmer, to the East Columbia Conference; C. E. Patillo, J. W. F. Gilreath, to the North Georgia Conference.

## WEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT GONZALES, TEX., NOVEMBER 2-7, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; STERLING FISHER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Frank S. Onderdonk, Charles F. McDonald, A. L. Scarbrough, D. O. McAllister, William F. Gibbons. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? M. A. Turner, L. C. Mathis, James P. Garrett, W. J. Johnson, M. J. Allen, Hiram Graham, James C. Wilson, M. W. Francis, Albert W. Wilson, W. R. Crockett; Ira D. Pofford, in class of the first year. 11.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Samuel J. Drake, Joseph F. Webb, J. Albert Phillips, Thomas Gregory, Asa B. Bynum. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Morris Evans, from the Baltimore Conference; C. C. Thompson, from the Western Virginia Conference; Ed B. Galloway, from the Louisiana Conference; George M. Gardner, from the Tennessee Conference; Robert S. Adair, from the Alabama Conference; H. V. Philpot, from the Texas Conference. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? William J. Sims, John W. Sims, Joseph W. Gibbens, John C. Ballard; New Harris, J. L.

Kennedy, Robert S. Adair, in class of the third year. 7.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Samuel J. Drake, Joseph F. Webb, J. Albert Phillips, Thomas Gregory, M. A. Turner. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Samuel J. Drake, Joseph F. Webb, J. Albert Phillips, Thomas Gregory, M. A. Turner. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Robert J. Bonner. 1.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Robert J. Bonner. 1.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Henry T. Cunningham, John A. Wright, Theodore R. Clendenin. 3.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? T. Cunningham, John A. Wright, Theodore R. Clendenin. 3.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? James A. Garrison. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? James A. Garrison. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. T. Gillett, Alanson Brown, S. G. Shaw. 3.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? E. G. Duval, E. Y. Seale, J. W. Brown, William Monk, J. H. Tucker, W. M. Shockley, L. D. Shaw, H. S. Thrall, H. T. Hill, N. W. Keith, J. F. Denton, J. E. Vernor, H. G. Horton, A. F. Cox, A. J. Potter, E. H. Holbrook. 16.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? John T. Williamson, W. M. Gillespie, Thomas S. Ballard. 3.

J. T. WILLIAMSON was born in the state of Georgia, and was the son of Rev. W. H. Williamson, of the old Georgia Conference, and who was also a member of the South Georgia Conference after the division of the old Conference into two. Brother Williamson was licensed to preach in the South Georgia Conference, and preached only two sermons before leaving for Texas. He came to Texas in 1871, and served the Bastrop Station as a supply in 1872, the health of the preacher in charge having failed. He was admitted on trial into the Texas Conference in 1872, and appointed to Bastrop Station in 1873. In 1874 he was appointed to Hempstead; in 1875-76 he served Columbia and Brazil; in 1877 he was sent to Columbus; and in 1878 was appointed to Weimer. During this year his wife's health failed, and he moved back to Columbia and supplied that work, and his wife died at the home of her father, Rev. J. H. Shapard. Brother Williamson located in 1877, and moved to Brady, McCullough County, where he practiced law and published a newspaper until the fall of 1888. That fall he was readmitted into the West Texas Conference and served Cuero Station two years, and was serving Goliad Station his second year when he died, October 31, 1892. He died of typhoid fever and heart trouble. His last words were: "Wife, children," pointing upward. Brother Williamson was an able and acceptable preacher, and gave promise of great usefulness. Stricken down in the prime of his manhood and in the midst of a successful pastorate, we cannot but bow to the will of our heavenly Father.

W. M. GILLESPIE, a graduate of Emory and Henry College, while a student at Vanderbilt University, came to this Conference and was sent by Bishop Galloway to Knoxville and Center Point for the year 1891, and was reappointed by Bishop Fitzgerald to the same charge. His health failed and he returned to Virginia and died. Though an undergraduate of this body, we cannot but make mention of his name. He was a gifted and consecrated young man, and did a work among us which will continue to bear fruit. His name is as ointment poured forth.

THOMAS S. BALLARD was born September 26, 1862, and was serving his second year at Dripping Springs and died soon after reaching his work. He was a noble, consecrated man, and gave promise of great usefulness. We bow to the will of God, forget our dis-

appointment, and cease to mourn, knowing that Brother Ballard has but preceded us, and is forever with his Lord.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Felix A. Knox, who was suspended for one year.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

San Antonio District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
San Antonio: Travis Park.....	611	.....	3
West End.....	164	.....	2
Tenth Street.....	100	.....	.....
Plea-anton Circuit.....	175	.....	.....
Amphion Circuit.....	195	.....	.....
Benton Circuit.....	250	.....	2
Cotulla and Pearsall.....	191	.....	.....
Uvalde Station.....	212	.....	.....
Eagle Pass Station.....	25	.....	.....
Devine Circuit.....	175	.....	2
Boerne Circuit.....	182	.....	1
Sabinal Circuit.....	348	.....	3
Carrizo Springs Circuit.....	45	.....	.....
	2,673	.....	13

Cuero District.

Cuero Station.....	120	.....	.....
Victoria Station.....	160	.....	2
Edna Circuit.....	218	.....	.....
Williamsburg Circuit.....	289	.....	1
Hallettsville Circuit.....	133	.....	1
Waelder Circuit.....	195	.....	1
Nursery Circuit.....	205	.....	3
Weesatche Circuit.....	149	.....	1
Leesville Circuit.....	501	.....	3
Clear Creek Circuit.....	194	.....	.....
Yoakum Circuit.....	189	.....	1
Rancho Circuit.....	335	.....	1
	2,628	.....	14

San Marcos District.

San Marcos Station.....	456	.....	2
San Marcos Circuit.....	334	.....	2
Seguin Station.....	228	.....	.....
Harwood Circuit.....	324	.....	1
Gonzales Station.....	177	.....	1
Lockhart Station.....	260	.....	.....
Lockhart Circuit.....	304	.....	2
Luling and Prairie Lea.....	197	.....	2
Kyle Circuit.....	418	.....	2
Dripping Springs Circuit.....	296	.....	1
Belmont Circuit.....	245	.....	2
Nockent Circuit.....	60	.....	1
	3,319	.....	16

Llano District.

San Saba Station.....	146	.....	.....
Llano Station.....	270	.....	1
Llano Circuit.....	150	.....	3
Brady Station.....	87	.....	.....
Melburn Circuit.....	137	.....	1
Fredonia Circuit.....	349	.....	5
Pontotoe Circuit.....	228	.....	2
Cherokee Circuit.....	149	1	2
Richland Springs Circuit.....	201	.....	3
Honey Creek Circuit.....	87	.....	1
Willow City Circuit.....	240	.....	3
Round Mountain Circuit.....	230	.....	1
Blanco Circuit.....	301	.....	1
	2,505	1	23

Beeville District.

Beeville Station.....	302	.....	1
Corpus Christi Station.....	121	.....	1
San Diego Circuit.....	66	.....	.....

*Beeville District (Continued).*

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Laredo Station.....	101	.....	.....
Oakville and Tilden.....	249	2	4
Pleasant Grove Circuit.....	145	.....	1
Floresville and Stockdale.....	275	.....	1
Lavernia Circuit.....	259	.....	1
Shiloh Circuit.....	113	.....	.....
Lagarto Circuit.....	187	.....	1
Helena Circuit.....	271	.....	2
Rockport Circuit.....	113	.....	.....
Goliad Station.....	125	.....	.....
	2,324	2	12

*San Angelo District.*

San Angelo Station.....	193	.....	1
Kerrville and Center Point.....	298	.....	5
Paint Rock Circuit.....	155	.....	2
Bandera Circuit.....	182	.....	3
Ingram Circuit.....	98	.....	.....
Junction City Circuit.....	180	.....	4
Sherwood Circuit.....	116	.....	1
Sterling City Circuit.....	90	.....	.....
Mason Station.....	87	.....	1
Sonora Circuit.....	96	.....	4
Montel Circuit.....	56	.....	1
London Circuit.....	108	.....	3
Del Rio Station.....	87	.....	.....
	1,746	.....	25

*Recapitulation.*

San Antonio District.....	2,673	.....	13
Cuero District.....	2,628	.....	14
San Marcos District.....	3,319	.....	16
Llano District.....	2,535	1	23
Beeville District.....	2,324	2	12
San Angelo District.....	1,746	.....	25
Total this year.....	15,195	3	103
Total last year.....	13,348	1	113
Increase.....	1,847	2	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	15

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 685.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,192.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 149.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,074.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 8,212.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$3,819. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$2,916.57; Domestic Missions, \$3,158.16. Total, \$6,074.73.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$680.10.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 120; value, \$193,255.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages. Number, 58; value, \$44,510.80.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Beeville, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

**SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT.**

*W. W. Pinson, P. E.*

San Antonio: Travis Park, J. D. Scott; S. G. Shaw, Sup.

West End, A. E. Rector.

East End, Thomas Gregory.

Sherman Street, W. J. Johnson.

Pleasanton and Amphion, J. L. Kennedy.

Benton Circuit, A. B. Bynum.

Cotulla and Pearsall, I. K. Waller.

Uvalde Station, C. C. Thompson.

Fairview Circuit, F. J. Perrin.

Eagle Pass Station, R. S. Adair.

Devine Circuit, J. P. Garrett.

Utopia Circuit, James Hammond.

Batesville Circuit, J. W. Gibbens.

Derby Circuit, W. R. Crockett.

San Antonio Female College, W. W. Pinson.

Agent.

**LLANO DISTRICT.**

*I. T. Morris, P. E.*

Llano Station, J. T. H. Miller.

San Saba Station, F. H. C. Elliott.

Llano Circuit, L. G. Watkins.

Brady Station, C. E. Statham.

Milbourn Circuit, M. W. Francis.

Fredonia Circuit, J. C. Ballard.

Pontotoc Circuit, T. R. Clendenin.

Cherokee Circuit, M. J. Allen.

Richland Springs Circuit, L. C. Mathis.

Honey Creek Circuit, E. B. Galloway.

Willow City Circuit, S. J. Drake.

Round Mountain Circuit, I. S. Napier.

Blanco Circuit, J. B. Denton.

**CUERO DISTRICT.**

*J. S. Gillett, P. E.*

Cuero Station, Morris Evans.

Victoria Station, T. F. Dimmitt.

Elna Circuit, Sterling Fisher.

Williamsburg Circuit, W. J. Sims.

Hallettsville Circuit, J. C. Wilson.

Waelder Circuit, W. H. Killough.

Nursery Circuit, T. C. DePew.

Weesatche Circuit, W. E. Rector.

Leesville Circuit, J. A. King.

Clear Creek Circuit, J. M. Shuford.

Yoakum Circuit, J. P. Rogers.

Rancho Circuit, J. T. Graham.

Port Lavaca Circuit, J. A. Phillips.

**BEEVILLE DISTRICT.**

*W. H. H. Biggs, P. E.*

Beeville Station, J. C. Russell.

Goliad Station, J. A. Biggs.

Corpus Christi Station, J. F. Webb.

San Diego Circuit, F. S. Onderdonk.

Laredo Station, H. V. P. ilp t.

Oakville and Tilden, C. W. Godwin.



Floresville Station, Theophilus Lee.  
Lavernia Circuit, Carper Williamson.  
Lagarto Circuit, M. A. Turner.  
Helena Circuit, C. H. Maloy.  
Rockport and Aransas, A. L. Scarbrough.  
Stockdale Circuit, J. R. Barden.  
Skidmore Circuit, G. W. Gardner.

## SAN MARCOS DISTRICT.

*B. Harris, P. E.*

San Marcos Station, J. M. Alexander; A. Brown, Sup.  
San Marcos Circuit, J. A. Greening, W. J. Joyce.  
Seguin Station, R. J. Deets.  
Harwood Circuit, W. O. Shugart.  
Gonzales Station, New Harris.  
Lockhart Station, J. A. Baker; J. T. Gillett, Sup.  
Lockhart Circuit, J. W. Vest.  
Luling Station, A. C. Briggs.  
Kyle Circuit, J. T. Stanley.  
Dripping Springs Circuit, A. G. Nolen.

Belmont Circuit, B. H. Passmore.  
Nockenuit Circuit, W. F. Gibbons.

## SAN ANGELO DISTRICT.

*M. A. Black, P. E.*

San Angelo Station, E. K. Denton.  
Kerrville and Center Point, R. M. Chenault, I. D. Pafford.  
Paint Rock Circuit, A. W. Wilson.  
Bandera Circuit, W. G. Cocke.  
Ingram Circuit, C. F. McDonald.  
Junction City Circuit, R. M. Leaton.  
Sherwood Circuit, J. W. Sims.  
Sterling City Circuit, Hiram Graham.  
Mason Station, H. T. Cunningham.  
Sonora Circuit, D. O. McAllister.  
Del Rio Station, A. T. Galloway.  
Boerne Circuit, J. A. Wright.

*Transferred.*—W. E. Rutledge, to the Arkansas Conference; C. J. Oxley, to the New Mexico Conference; James A. Lyons, to the Holston Conference.

## SOUTHWEST MISSOURI CONFERENCE.

HELD AT INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI, SEPTEMBER 21-26, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; C. C. WOODS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION. 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. J. T. Swanson, Cornelius Pugsley, J. R. Hedges, M. L. Darby, A. B. Davidson, B. E. Niblack, J. M. Reid, J. K. Speers. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? M. T. Fulcher, Thomas Clark, W. H. Suddath, S. G. Welborn, J. R. Strong, Laban Anderson, C. N. Scrivener, J. E. McDonald, W. C. Hill, B. F. Alsup, B. H. Steel, A. H. Barnes, Samuel Lopp, J. A. Kenny, W. M. Rader, G. W. Moore, W. P. Hagler, B. F. Fielding. 18.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? T. B. Harris, E. P. Ryland, G. L. Taylor, N. Whitmer, J. E. Harney, T. M. Horne. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? N. R. Stone, W. H. Son. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. W. Howell, from the Virginia Conference; W. B. North, from the St. Louis Conference; L. B. Noland, J. F. Shores, from the Missouri Conference; A. L. Houston, from the Denver Conference. 5.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? A. B. Appleby, C. G. Hamilton, Perry Long, W. B. Morgan, J. W. E. Rothrock, J. R. Hargis, C. C. Howard, Jacob Shook, J. L. Sullens,

W. J. Snow, J. W. Purcell, A. N. Henderson. 12.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? T. B. Harris, E. P. Ryland, G. L. Taylor, N. Whitmer, T. M. Horne. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? T. B. Harris, E. P. Ryland, G. L. Taylor, N. Whitmer, T. M. Horne. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Laban Anderson, C. W. Ball, O. M. Rickman, C. N. Scrivener, F. W. Fesperman. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Laban Anderson, O. M. Rickman, C. N. Scrivener. 3.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? H. C. Allen, T. W. Alton, S. J. Brown, S. P. Cayton, R. F. Campbell, R. O. Eustace, D. M. Litaker, W. J. Snow. 8.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? H. C. Allen, T. W. Alton, S. J. Brown, S. P. Cayton, R. F. Campbell, R. O. Eustace, D. M. Litaker, W. S. Snow. 8.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Frank Moore, J. W. Perry. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. L. D. Blevans, J. C. Shackelford, J. B. Landreth, T. M. Cobb, R. J. Nelson. 5.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? W. J. Brown, James McGehee, A. M. Rader, H. N. Watts, W. M. Prottsman, J. Spencer, W. D. Stewart, J. M. Proctor, J. P. Barnaby, W. B. McFarland, T. J. Stringfield, M. Duren, J. G. L. Mitchell. 13.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year? W. W. Jared, Jephthah M. Kelly, Preston Philips, V. J. Sevier, G. M. Winton. 5.

WILLIAM W. JARED was born in Jackson County, Tenn., July 1, 1849. At the age of fourteen he was converted and joined the M. E. Church, South, under the ministry of U. S. Bates. In Greenville, Tenn., May 9, 1868, more than two years before he reached his majority, he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Cumberland Church, J. B. Allison, P. E., and D. M. Southard, P. C. At the session of the Tennessee Conference held in Shelbyville in October, 1868, he entered the itinerancy. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine in 1869, and elder by Bishop Doggett in 1870. In Macon County, Tennessee, before completing his twentieth year, he was married to Miss Alice Adams. The superior fitness of the bride for the position of a preacher's wife, as proven by all the after years, justified this early marriage. He wrought two years in Tennessee, serving La Fayette Church and Cookeville Mission. In 1870, having married, graduated to full orders in the ministry, and been received into the Conference, at the age of twenty-one he was transferred to the Western Conference, and appointed to Augusta, which he served two years. In 1872 he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference, where he remained three years, two on Mt. Calm Mission and one on Fairfield Circuit. In 1875 he transferred back to Tennessee, and served two years each on Caney Fork and Goose Creek, and one each on Statesville and Hickory Creek Circuits. In 1881 he turned his face westward again, and labored three years on Walnut Valley Circuit, Western Conference, and one each on Wellington and Council Grove Districts. In 1886 he was transferred to our Conference, and assigned to Springfield Mission; 1887, North Springfield. During these two years, under his ministrations, Campbell Street Church was built; 1888, Bolivar Circuit; 1889, Longwood and High Point, two years; 1891, Grand Pass and Elmwood. This brings us to the end. He had already been transferred five times. These were from one field of labor to another, but one more awaited him; this time from labor to rest. December 10, 1891, he preached in Grand Pass Church at night, after which he rode to the parsonage in Malta Bend, distant four miles, ate his supper, went to bed

and to sleep. Soon after, he awoke and said: "I have a terrible pain in my head." and before midnight passed the portal of death and the spirit world. Brother Jared began his work early, prosecuted it diligently, and finished it at noon, dying at the age of forty-two and in the twenty-third year of his ministry. He was a true, good, and useful man, and none of us, a year ago, had more hopeful promise of many years of labor for the Lord awaiting us than he. His death was almost a translation. He stepped from his pulpit to the home prepared for him in his Father's house, only calling by his earthly home to bid his dear wife and sweet daughter good-bye. His son, being a teacher, was unable to be with him in his dying hour. Truly "in the midst of life we are in death."

JEPHTHAH M. KELLY was born in Robertson County, Tenn., November 20, 1813; and he was "born again" in 1832. He married his first wife, Miss Mary Isbell, in Tennessee, who became the mother of nine children, four of whom are still living. Soon after his marriage he moved to Missouri and settled in Newton County, where in 1840 he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Newton Mission, J. K. Lacy, P. E., and E. Roberson, P. C. In 1842, just fifty years ago, he was received on trial by the Missouri Conference in a class which contained W. G. Caples, D. A. Leeper, and W. J. Brown, the last now being the only living member. He served four years on circuits: Greenfield, one; Bolivar, one; and Springfield, two. His fifth appointment was to Steelville District. Not one Methodist preacher in a thousand has been promoted so rapidly. For the next seven years he wrought in the office of presiding elder, serving on Potosi and Cape Girardeau Districts. In 1853 he went to Warsaw Circuit, and in 1854 was transferred to the Missouri Conference, having fallen into the St. Louis Conference when it was organized in 1845, and was stationed in Louisiana; 1855, Monticello; in 1856, superannuated; in 1857, located. He was readmitted to the Conference in 1871, and appointed to Lamonte Circuit, which he served three years. In 1874 he was sent to Clinton and Windsor, to which he was returned the next year. In the spring of 1876 he was stricken with paralysis, since which he has been on the superannuated list. He died January 31, 1892, having lived seventy-eight years, and having been a preacher fifty-two years; local, sixteen years; effective itinerant, nineteen years; and superannuated, seventeen years. Brother Kelly, having lost his first wife, who was a deeply pious woman and a most active and efficient worker in the Church, married, in 1855, Mrs. E. O. Horning, with whom he lived happily, and who survives him. Our departed brother had the happy faculty of utilizing all his re-

sources. Having entered the ministry at the age of twenty-seven years with a family, in the then sparsely settled portion of South-west Missouri, with a limited education, none but a genius could have risen so rapidly and sustained himself so well and so long. He was a good preacher and a most powerful exhorter. Truly pious, deeply consecrated, of great faith, mighty in prayer and full of the Holy Ghost, he was a successful minister of the gospel of the Lord our Saviour.

PRESTON PHILIPS was born in Boone County, Mo., February 6, 1829. Here he grew to man's estate and was married when but twenty-one years old. He settled where Midway now is, close to Brick Chapel, now called Locust Grove. In December, 1855, he joined the M. E. Church, South, at Brick Chapel, under the ministry of W. A. Saxton. Here, the following September, he was made a new creature in Christ Jesus. He was most powerfully converted. One year later, at the same place (Brick Chapel) the Quarterly Conference of Rocheport Circuit, under the presidency of P. M. Pinkard, gave him license to preach and recommended him to the Missouri Conference as a suitable person to be received on trial therein, by which he was admitted at Glasgow in 1857, and sent to Kirksville Circuit; in 1858, Mt. Zion Circuit. In 1859 he was admitted into full connection, ordained deacon by Bishop Paine, transferred to the Texas Conference, and appointed to Gatesville Circuit; 1860, San Marcos. From 1862 to 1864 he was chaplain of the Thirty-second Regiment, Texas Volunteers, in the Confederate army. In 1864-65 he served Bastrop Station, then located, returned to Missouri, and engaged in mercantile business in Sedalia. Here he planted Southern Methodism and built the church in which our people worshiped till they moved into the beautiful temple in which the last session of our Conference was held. In 1873 he was readmitted into the itinerant ranks by joining this Conference. Since that time he has served Belle Air Circuit two years; Brownsville and Blackwater, two; Miami and Mt. Carmel, one; Wellington, one; Boonville District, four; Arrow Rock Circuit, two; Cambridge, one; Grand Pa-s and Elmwood, two; Orearville, one; Columbus, one; Lamonte, one, to which he was reappointed one year ago, but his work was done. He had to surrender his charge to another and spend the remainder of his allotted time in suffering. This painful process was protracted, but ended July 29, 1892, in a most triumphant death, when from the home of his sister, Mrs. Groesbeck, in Independence, surrounded by all of his family, save the one in China, and one son, he entered into his Master's joy. On the fifth day of March, 1845, Brother Philips was married to Miss

Mary Boone, of Boone County, Mo. Two of his daughters went as missionaries to China, one of whom is still toiling in the Celestial Empire. God can put no greater honor on parents than to call their sons and daughters to carry the glad tidings of salvation into heathen lands. Our brother was "a devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always." An average preacher, a superior pastor, always diligent about his "Father's business," he was successful. By his death we have been deprived of one of our best men and a most efficient worker. He preached the gospel thirty-five years, twenty-seven years as an itinerant and eight years in the local ranks. This message, which he sent to us through Brother Hawkins from "the gates ajar," we will ever cherish in our hearts: "Tell the preachers I find the blessed doctrines we preach all-sufficient in the last hours of life. Tell them to continue to preach them with all faithfulness and earnestness and meet me in heaven."

GEORGE MITCHELL WINTON was born December 25, 1821, in Roane County, Tenn. When ten years old, under the ministry of W. T. Senter, he gave his heart to God and his hand and his life to the Church. In 1837 his father moved to the state of Missouri and settled in Polk County. The family united with Woodard's class, which (now Hickory Grove) has probably sent out more preachers than any other class in Missouri. Here he reached his majority, married, built him a cabin in the woods, and began life as a farmer, in which pursuit he had been brought up. In August, 1846, at Mitchell's Camp Ground, the Quarterly Conference of Bolivar Circuit, under the presidency of Elijah Perkins, gave him license to preach. With a family, but without an education, he immediately entered upon his life work, traveling for the ensuing year the Springfield Circuit as junior preacher with B. McCord Roberts. Later he traveled Carthage, Mt. Vernon, and Bolivar Circuits as a supply. He was admitted on trial by the St. Louis Conference, at Lexington, in September, 1852, at which time he was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine. He was ordained elder by Bishop Pierce in 1856. He was an effective itinerant preacher forty years, twenty-six years of which were spent in the immediate section where he was licensed, having traveled Springfield District ten years, Bolivar Circuit eight years, Springfield five years, and Morrisville Station three years. He also traveled one year each Cape Girardeau Circuit, Bell Air Circuit, and Neosho District. Was Sunday School Agent one year and agent for Morrisville College one year. Also four years were given to Ukiah and one year each to Wheatland and Mountain View Circuits, in California, whither he went in

1834 by transfer. In August, 1890, his right side was paralyzed, since which he has been patiently waiting the end. The next month our Conference, by resolution, requested that he should be transferred back to us to die. This event came to him at his home in Morrisville early in the morning of Sunday, September 4, 1892, and loving hands bore his body to Hickory Grove, whence, forty-six years before, he had been sent forth to preach. Brother Winton was twice married: first to Miss S. C. Faulkner, August 24, 1843; and next to Mrs. A. J. Lusk, May 17, 1855. From these unions were born unto him four sons and six daughters, six of whom with his last wife survive him. The Lord greatly honored our brother by calling three of his sons to the ministry and one daughter to be a preacher's wife. Of him it may be safely said: He baptized more children, conducted more revivals, saw more persons converted, received more members into the church, married more people, witnessed more triumphant deaths, and preached more funerals in the bounds of the Springfield District than any other man. He was more, much more, than an ordinary man and preacher; was six feet high, finely proportioned, stood and walked erect, had dark auburn hair which, by the frosts of seventy-one winters, was bleached to whiteness, had a fine head, good face, pleasant, quiet blue eyes, and a rich, ringing, mellow voice of great strength and sweetness. His sermons were well arranged, grew naturally out of his text, his sentences terse, his words well chosen. He was a master of assemblies, always fluent, often eloquent, but never dull. He stood easily among the leading men of his Conference, which he twice represented in the General Conference. The Pacific Conference, of which he was a member six years, attest their appreciation of his worth and love of him for his work's sake by placing in their journal the following testimonial:

*Resolved*, That we mostly heartily appreciate the faithful and effective services rendered us by Rev. G. M. Winton, and that we mostly deeply sympathize with him in his severe affliction; and that, while we would gladly keep him to the end and give him honored burial among us, yet we cannot refrain from expressing our appreciation of the Christian chivalry of his old Conference, the Southwest Missouri, in inviting his return to them, that he may die among them and be buried in the midst of his own sainted dead.

For twenty-five months he was confined to his room, and most of the time to his bed. He "halted feebly to the tomb." Yet his mind was clear and his religious experience constant and bright. He was often filled with the divine presence and frequently thrilled with the "love that passeth knowledge." Next to the last day he spent on earth he said to Brother Ellis: "When you go to Conference, tell the brethren I am dying"—then with his face all aglow with glintings of light from the supernal world

he would have sent us a message from "the verge of heaven," but the hitherto eloquent tongue was paralyzed forever.

VALENTINE J. SEVIER was born in Morgan County, Ill., August 3, 1839. While quite young, he was converted and joined the Church. He was received on trial by the Illinois Conference in 1875, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Kavanaugh in 1877, and elder by Bishop Wightman in 1879. He wrought six years in Illinois, serving Shelbyville Circuit one year, Martinsville one year, Clay City three years, and Patoka one year. In 1881 he was transferred to our Conference, and has labored efficiently on the following charges: Lamar Mission, one year; Jasper Circuit, three years; Nevada Circuit, three years; Sprague Circuit, two years; Otterville, one year; and Montrose, six months, having been released from this charge April 2, 1892, by the "great Shepherd and Bishop of souls and transferred to the General Assembly of the First-born above." Brother Sevier was a well-rounded man physically, mentally, morally, socially, and religiously. Although he did not enter the ministry till he was thirty-six years old, yet he attained to a large measure of success, and did much good during the sixteen and a half years of continuous, faithful, and efficient work he gave to the Church. Our brother was twice married, and leaves a widow and seven children. He had great peace in his last days, and died in sure and certain hope of everlasting life.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Kansas City District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Walnut Street and South Side.....	546	3
Centenary .....	297	3
Washington Street .....	190	.....
Campbell Street and Garland Avenue.....	248	.....
Brooklyn Avenue.....	237	.....
Melrose.....	129	2
Warfield Chapel.....	108	1
Independence Station.....	424	2
Westport Circuit.....	210	1
Lee's Summit and Union.....	213	1
Blue Springs Circuit.....	298	.....
Pink Hill Circuit.....	178	1
Oak Grove Circuit.....	229	.....
Lone Jack Circuit.....	206	2
Pleasant Hill Station.....	132	.....
Benton and Harrisonville.....	410	2
Peculiar Circuit.....	246	4
Gunn City Circuit.....	222	1
	4,382	23

*Lexington District.*

Lexington Station.....	307	1
Wellington Circuit.....	301	.....
Odessa and Marvin Chapel .....	184	2
Montserratt Circuit.....	197	1
Columbus Circuit.....	347	.....
Higginsville Station.....	154	.....

Lexington District (Continued).

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Chilhowie Circuit.....	173	.....
Warrensburg Station.....	165	.....
Lamonte and Dresden.....	184	1
Hendon Circuit.....	269	.....
Sweet Springs and Blackwater.....	145	1
Elmwood and Grand Pass.....	190	.....
Longwood and High Point.....	230	.....
Miami and Mt. Carmel.....	214	.....
Waverly Station.....	153	1
Dover Circuit.....	220	.....
Corder and Blackburn.....	245	.....
	3,678	7

Nevada District.

Nevada Station.....	509	3
Moundville Circuit.....	355	2
Deerfield Circuit.....	183	.....
Rich Hill Station.....	261	1
Spragne Circuit.....	215	2
Hume Circuit.....	287	1
Butler Station.....	109	1
Everett Circuit.....	293	.....
Papinsville Circuit.....	208	1
Walker Circuit.....	240	.....
Montevallo Circuit.....	218	3
Sheldon Circuit.....	297	1
Lamar Mission.....	40	1
Kenoma Circuit.....	115	1
El Dorado Springs Station.....	92	.....
Roscoe Mission.....	159	2
	3,566	19

Neosho District.

Neosho Station.....	185	7
Seneca Circuit.....	222	.....
Southwest City Circuit.....	284	1
Pineville Circuit.....	214	2
Newtonia Circuit.....	396	2
Exeter Circuit.....	321	3
Pierce City Station.....	75	.....
Monette and Sarcouxie.....	150	2
Red Oak Circuit.....	204	1
Carthage Station.....	143	.....
Webb City Station.....	268	1
Carterville Station.....	184	1
Jasper Circuit.....	153	1
Mt. Vernon Circuit.....	150	1
Lawrenceburg Circuit.....	200	3
Joplin Mission.....	87	.....
	3,286	25

Boonville District.

Boonville Station.....	283	.....
Boonville Mission.....	116	1
Pilot Grove and Bell Air.....	221	1
Nelson Circuit.....	179	.....
Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel.....	190	.....
Marshall Station.....	277	1
Orearville Circuit.....	258	.....
Slater Station.....	227	1
Gilliam and Cambridge.....	159	1
Bunceton Circuit.....	207	.....
Prairie Home Circuit.....	280	.....
Latham Mission.....	125	1
Russellville Circuit.....	238	2
Jefferson City Station.....	327	.....
Chamois Circuit.....	358	1
California Circuit.....	205	1
	3,650	10

Clinton District.

Clinton Station.....	280	.....
Montrose Circuit.....	439	1
Lucas Circuit.....	237	2
Lowry City Circuit.....	188	1
Iconium Circuit.....	189	3
Lincoln Circuit.....	110	.....
Drake Circuit.....	424	.....
Calhoun Circuit.....	298	2
Windsor Station.....	240	.....
Green Ridge Station.....	360	.....
Sedalia Mission.....	251	.....
Sedalia Station.....	318	1
Otterville Circuit.....	303	3

Clinton District (Continued).

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Glenstead Circuit.....	265	.....
Versailles Station.....	110	3
Versailles Mission.....	56	.....
Appleton City and Spruce.....	149	.....
Garden City Circuit.....	248	1
	4,465	17

Springfield District.

Springfield: St. Paul's.....	418	2
Campbell Street.....	196	.....
Dale Street.....	55	1
Guy Street and Ritters.....	111	2
Willard Circuit.....	358	3
Morrisville Station.....	197	5
Bolivar Circuit.....	267	1
Aldrich Circuit.....	206	1
Jericho Circuit.....	177	1
Greenfield Circuit.....	315	4
Ashgrove Circuit.....	184	3
Bois D'Arc Circuit.....	284	1
Ozark Circuit.....	134	.....
Henderson Circuit.....	333	1
Marshfield Station.....	174	3
Marshfield Circuit.....	402	7
Fair Grove Circuit.....	193	1
	4,004	36

Lebanon District.

Lebanon Station.....	95	.....
Lebanon Circuit.....	275	.....
Richland and Dixon.....	111	1
Richland Circuit.....	324	4
Iberia Circuit.....	216	2
Waynesville Circuit.....	90	2
Vienna Circuit.....	174	.....
Buffalo Circuit.....	151	1
Cross Timbers Circuit.....	184	4
Urbana Circuit.....	285	12
Humansville Circuit.....	91	.....
Mansfield Circuit.....	102	3
Mountain Grove and Cabool.....	207	1
Plato Circuit.....	232	3
Climax Mission.....	78	2
	2,615	35

Recapitulation.

Kansas City District.....	4,382	23
Lexington District.....	3,678	7
Nevada District.....	3,566	19
Neosho District.....	3,286	25
Boonville District.....	3,650	10
Clinton District.....	4,465	17
Springfield District.....	4,004	36
Lebanon District.....	2,615	35
Total this year.....	29,596	172
Total last year.....	29,299	173
Increase.....	297	.....
Decrease.....	.....	1

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 387.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,450.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 283.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,517.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 18,884.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,453.63.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$3,736.23. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for

Missions? Foreign Missions, \$4,923.06; Domestic Missions, \$4,125.80. Total, \$9,048.86.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,580.46.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 310 $\frac{3}{4}$ ; value, \$725,180.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 89; value, \$97,365.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Central College: Teachers, 8; students, 175; endowment, \$110,000; Central Female College: Teachers, 10; students, 170; Scarritt College Institute: Teachers, 10; students, 197; endowment, \$10,000; Morrisville College: Teachers, 8; students, 135.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Booneville, Mo.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

*J. E. Godbey, P. E.*

Walnut Street and South Side, J. J. Tigert; one to be supplied.

Centenary, W. T. McClure.

Washington Street, S. J. Brown.

Campbell Street and Garland Avenue, G. W. Moore.

Brooklyn Avenue, L. P. Norfleet.

Melrose, C. M. Bishop.

Warfield Chapel, L. B. Noland.

Independence Station, C. M. Hawkins.

Westport Circuit, J. W. Purcell.

Lee's Summit and Point Pleasant, J. C. Coss.

Blue Springs Circuit, J. W. Ezell.

Pink Hill Circuit, J. A. Swift.

Oak Grove Circuit, W. T. Eastwood.

Lone Jack Circuit, N. A. Auld.

Pleasant Hill Station, C. Pugsley.

Belton and Martin City, J. M. Clark.

Harrisonville Station, D. M. Litaker.

Peculiar Circuit, W. T. Gill.

Gunn City Circuit, L. M. Phillips.

Assistant Editor *St. Louis Christian Advocate*, W. B. Palmore.

#### LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

*J. King, P. E.*

Lexington Station, W. J. Carpenter; T. M. Cobb, Sup.

Wellington Circuit, T. D. Payne.

Odessa and Marvin Chapel, T. M. Horne.

Montserrat Circuit, C. Bruner.

Columbus Circuit, N. M. Dowdy.

Higginsville Station, J. McCrory.

Warrensburg Station, B. V. Alton.

Lamonte and Dresden, W. J. Snow.

Herndon and Houstonia, C. A. Emmons.

Sweet Springs and Blackwater, L. H. Vandiver.

Elmwood Circuit, N. R. Stone.

Longwood and High Point, W. B. Cobb.

Miama and Mt. Carmel, E. Y. Ginn.

Malta Bend and Grand Pass, V. M. Crutsinger.

Waverly Station, T. P. Cobb.

Dover Circuit, C. T. Wallace.

Corder and Blackburn, A. B. Donaldson; J. C. Shackelford, Sup.

Conference Colporter, H. L. Anderson.

#### BOONEVILLE DISTRICT.

*Clinton Clenny, P. E.*

Booneville Station, J. M. Boon.

Booneville Mission, to be supplied.

Pilot Grove and Bell Air, J. D. Wood.

Nelson Circuit, Laban Anderson.

Arrow Rock and Smith's Chapel, J. S. Russell.

Marshall Station, A. R. Faris.

Orearville and Shiloh, J. L. Sullens.

Saline City and Walnut Grove, R. E. Eustace.

Slater Station, W. D. Matthews.

Gilliam and Cambridge, J. J. Hill.

Bunceton Circuit, W. F. Wagoner.

Prairie Home Circuit, B. H. Steel.

California Circuit, W. S. Woodard.

Latham Mission, J. W. Bond.

Russellville Circuit, Samuel Lopp.

Jefferson City Station, W. B. North.

Chamois Circuit, Perry Long.

Agent Central College, C. H. Briggs.

#### CLINTON DISTRICT.

*R. S. Hunter, P. E.*

Clinton Station, J. C. Given.

Montrose Circuit, A. P. Appleby.

Lucas Circuit, W. P. Barrett.

Lowry City Circuit, H. C. Allen.

Iconium Circuit, W. M. Rader.

Lincoln Circuit, J. H. Denny.

Drake Circuit, M. Bahrenburg.

Calhoun and Bronaugh, R. G. Flummer.

Windsor Station, L. R. Downing.

Windsor Circuit, J. F. Hogan.

Greenridge, A. L. Houston.

Sedalia Station, E. P. Ryland.

Knobnoster Circuit, to be supplied.

Oterville Circuit, W. G. Pike.

Glenstead Circuit, W. K. White; one to be supplied.

Versailles Station, A. H. Barnes.

Appleton City and Spruce, G. L. Taylor.

Garden City Circuit, A. B. Davidson.

Chilhowie Circuit, T. B. Harris.

#### NEVADA DISTRICT.

*M. M. Pugh, P. E.*

Nevada Station, J. W. Howell.

Nevada Mission, W. C. Hill.

Moundville Circuit, W. M. McAllister.

Deerfield Circuit, J. K. Speers.

Rich Hill Station, W. M. Bewley.

Sprague Circuit, M. T. Fulcher, J. W. E. Rothrock.

Hume Circuit, T. C. Puckett.

Butler Station, L. W. Pearce.

Everett Circuit, C. G. Hamilton.

Papinsville Circuit, J. F. Pike.

Walker Circuit, C. C. Howard.

Montevallo Circuit, S. G. Welborn.

Sheldon Circuit, J. F. Robb.  
Lamar Station, S. P. Cayton.  
Kenoma Circuit, W. H. Son.  
El Dorado Springs Station, J. P. Caldwell.  
Roscoe Mission, to be supplied by W. B. Carrico.

NEOSHO DISTRICT.

*W. C. Bewley, P. E.*

Neosho Station, to be supplied.  
Seneca Circuit, to be supplied by E. K. Wool.  
Southwest City Circuit, J. M. Reed.  
Pineville Circuit, A. N. Henderson.  
Newtonia Circuit, J. A. Mathews.  
Exeter Circuit, J. A. Kenney.  
Pierce City Station, B. H. Graze.  
Monette and Sarcoxie, J. A. Jared.  
Red Oak Circuit, J. R. Hargis.  
Carthage Station, W. M. Wainwright.  
Webb City Station, H. C. Meredith.  
Carterville Station, J. Y. Busby.  
Jasper Circuit, M. L. Darby.  
Mt. Vernon Circuit, to be supplied by J. F. Cavenar.  
Lawrenceburg Circuit, J. M. Clayton.  
Joplin Station, R. F. Campbell.  
Scarritt Collegiate Institute, C. C. Woods, President.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

*J. N. Huggins, P. E.*

Springfield: St. Paul's, J. H. Scruggs.  
Campbell Street, W. H. Winton.  
Dale and Guy Streets, to be supplied.  
Willard Circuit, Jacob Shook.  
Morrisville Station, J. J. Reed.  
Bolivar Circuit, J. E. McDonald; J. B. Landreth, Sup.  
Jericho Circuit, A. G. Moore.  
Greenfield, J. J. Kellar.  
Ash Grove and Phoenix, C. N. Scrivener.  
Bois D'Arc Circuit, W. F. Briggs.  
Ozark Circuit, J. F. Shores.  
Henderson Circuit, to be supplied.  
Marshfield Station, J. L. Hagler.  
Marshfield Circuit, W. B. Morgan.

Ebenezer Circuit, W. L. McGuire; one to be supplied.  
Humansville Circuit, J. T. Swanson; one to be supplied.  
Morrisville College, J. B. Ellis, President; W. P. Hagler, Professor.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

*Milton Adkisson, P. E.*

Lebanon Station, J. R. Strong.  
Lebanon Circuit, W. H. Suddath.  
Richland and Dixon, Thomas Clark.  
Richland Circuit, B. F. Alsup.  
Iberia Circuit, to be supplied by G. W. Parker.  
Waynesville Circuit, to be supplied by J. T. Turner.  
Vienna Circuit, J. E. Harney.  
Buffalo and Fairview, L. H. Davis.  
Buffalo Circuit, to be supplied by W. S. Asbury.  
Cross Timbers Circuit, J. R. Hedges.  
Urbana Circuit, to be supplied by J. L. Logan.  
Mansfield Circuit, to be supplied by A. Hawkins.  
Mountain Grove and Cabool, B. P. Searcy.  
Plato Circuit, G. H. Green.  
Bado Circuit, B. F. Fielden.  
Crocker Circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Barlow.  
Climax Circuit, B. E. Niblack.

*Transferred.*—T. J. Reynolds, to the Arkansas Conference; N. Whitmer, to the Missouri Conference, and appointed to Center Circuit; J. H. Glanville, to the Missouri Conference, and appointed professor in St. Charles College; J. M. Nickels, to the Texas Conference; J. C. Morris, to the North Alabama Conference; R. H. Shaeffer, T. W. Alton, to the Montana Conference; A. C. Briggs, to the Indian Mission Conference; T. P. Hill, to the St. Louis Conference; G. C. Rankin, to the Northwest Texas Conference.

HOLSTON CONFERENCE.

HELD AT WYTHEVILLE, VA., OCTOBER 12-18, 1892.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; W. C. CARDEN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. David P. Hurley, William A. Dutton, M. D. Mitchell, J. W. W. Shuler, Henry J. Wolfe, George S. Wood, Cornelius M. Pickens, Sidney B. Vaught, Edwin H. Broyles, Alfred N. Jackson, John W. Perry,

Charles E. Painter, Robert M. Walker, Thomas C. Betterton, Washington P. Haynes, Benjamin A. Cass, Lee R. Huddleston, William W. Newberry, E. W. Tiller, William L. Sowell, Floyd D. Surface, Elbert N. Woodward, Benjamin F. Gilland, Frank

Y. Jackson, John B. Frazier, Edward C. Rodefer, James F. Nash. 27.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Martin P. Carrico, Jefferson D. Akers, John R. Bellamy, Turner A. Jordan, Joseph M. Paxton, George M. Moreland, William L. Patten, Robert E. Hart, James D. McAllister, J. D. Dame, John M. Maiden, W. A. Mitchell, F. F. Threadgill, George P. Draper. 14.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Walter Spence, James E. Swecker, William W. Newberry, Tyler D. Strader, William E. Bailey, Benjamin C. Horton, Lilburn H. Little, Edward W. Mort, Thomas H. Kinzer, William I. Fogleman, John M. Romans, E. W. Walker, C. R. Brown, Joel W. Hicks. 13.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? S. D. Long, from the North Mississippi Conference; J. A. Lyons, from the West Texas Conference; A. S. Thorn, from the Western Virginia Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Thomas J. Eskridge, Isaac P. Martin, Charles L. Stradley, W. L. Jones, C. B. Le Few, J. A. L. Perkins, John Woolsey, John B. Carnes, Isaac N. Munsey, Joseph E. Lowry, A. H. Tow, J. B. Simpson. 12.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William W. Newberry, Tyler D. Strader, Benjamin C. Horton, William I. Fogleman. 4.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? W. W. Newberry, T. D. Strader, B. C. Horton, W. I. Fogleman. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? A. M. Hoyle, William R. Miller, Samuel V. Morris, Frank R. Shepard, Gabriel Davis, Joseph E. Graham, James O. McNeil, John C. Cook, Robert M. Walker, David A. Daugherty, John W. Taylor, Christopher Keith, George M. Moreland, William L. Patton, William White Newberry, Robert Stokes. 16.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? A. M. Hoyle, William R. Miller, Samuel V. Morris, Frank R. Shepard, John C. Cook, Robert M. Walker, David A. Daugherty, John W. Taylor, Christopher Keith, George M. Moreland, William L. Patton, William White Newberry. 12.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? D. V. York, C. W. Kelley, D. C. Clendenen. 3.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? D. V. York, D. C. Clendenen. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? John Wiley Perry, William H. Wampler, Canaro D. McTeer. 3.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? John Wiley Perry, Canaro D. McTeer. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? George W. Simpson. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? S. Phillips, J. R. Stradley, J. R. Payne, W. H. Dawn, J. A. Davis, J. W. Robertson, J. R. Cunningham, J. C. Runyan, J. H. Brunner, C. K. Miller, B. F. Nuckolls, W. H. Kelley, E. E. Wiley, W. P. Doane. 14.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. M. McTeer; William Robeson, L. C. Delashmit, R. A. Giddens, A. E. Woodward, J. W. Belt, H. P. Waugh, T. F. Smyth, R. M. Hickey; P. S. Sutton, R. W. Kite, M. P. Swaim, L. K. Haynes, I. N. Hobbs, G. W. K. Greene, Jacob Smith, F. D. Crumley. 17.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? George Stewart, A. J. Frazier, J. N. S. Huffaker, William Witcher, T. J. Pope, George W. Miles. 6.

GEORGE STEWART was born in Tyrone County, Ireland, May 15, 1821; and died at his residence in Dublin, Va., November 27, 1891. His parents emigrated to America when he was yet an infant, and located in Giles County, Va. Here he grew up to manhood among the mountains and streams, where his poetic mind and heart feasted on the rarest beauties of nature in all her loveliness. Here he became acquainted, while he was yet a boy, with the Methodist preachers of that day, whose heroic, self-sacrificing, and godly lives were the best commentary on the gospel they preached. Here his tender, boyish heart was impressed with the awful responsibilities of life, rendered all the more awful by the solemn realities of death and judgment, as these realities were presented by these earnest men of God. By his blessing on their preaching, George Stewart was happily converted August 7, 1841. The words of Jeremiah, "Ye shall seek me and find me when ye shall search for me with all your heart," seem to have so impressed the mind and heart of Brother Stewart that he at once became oblivious to every other desire, hope, or purpose but to find him of whom for two years he had been saying: "O that I knew where I might find him! that I might come even to his seat. I would order my cause before him, and fill my mouth with arguments." He found him. But when he found him, his "arguments" were turned to praise and thanksgiving. In less than two years he was an exhorter, supplying the place of the preacher in such places as the pastor could not reach, and in this important office his labors were abundant, and abundantly were they blessed. On January 23, 1847, he was licensed to preach the gospel. For two years in the out of the way places his labors were successful. In his own language, "the word of the Lord was mighty and prevailed." Being employed by the presiding elder in 1849, he traveled the Princeton Circuit as junior supply. In the year 1849-50 he served still as a supply the Pearisburg Circuit. Many were the seals to his ministry, and among them



that wonderfully eloquent prodigy of the American pulpit, William E. Munsey. The writer has heard Munsey speak with deep affection of George Stewart as his spiritual father. In October, 1850, he was again appointed as supply on the Princeton Circuit, and in the fall of 1851 he was received on trial at the session of the Holston Conference at Athens, Tenn., and was again appointed to Pearisburg Circuit. In 1852 he was sent to Jeffersonville Circuit. Here his health and strength gave way; and in 1853, thinking the days of his efficiency were passed, he was discontinued at his own request; but in two years of rest his health was restored, and he was again received and appointed to the Newbern Circuit. The next two years he was again on Pearisburg Circuit. In 1858 he was once more appointed to the Newbern Circuit; 1859, to the Princeton Circuit; 1860, to the Wytheville Circuit, to which he was returned in 1861. He was sent in 1862 to Marion Circuit; 1863, to Abingdon Circuit, to which he was returned in 1864. In 1865 he was granted a supernumerary relation and appointed to Abingdon Circuit with John M. Crismond as preacher in charge. In 1866 he was made presiding elder of the Knoxville District, serving two years. After this, he served the Morristown Station, the Jonesboro District, the Jeffersonville District, one year more on the Jonesboro, then the Newbern, the Staffordsville, and other circuits in Virginia, and finally the Pulaski City Station, which was his last field of active labor. Wherever he went, his labors were blessed. His sermons were able expositions of divine truth and powerful and successful appeals to lost men to accept that truth. Many of his spiritual children entered into rest before him, and were doubtless glad to greet him when, on the twenty-seventh of last November, he bade adieu to earth and was received, we have not a doubt, into the mansions of the blessed. In early life Brother Stewart was married to Miss Jane Johnston, of Giles County, with whom he lived in joyous wedded bliss for more than two score years. This marriage was blessed with four children, two sons and two daughters, all of whom went on before him. His aged and afflicted widow, his two grandchildren, and his son-in-law, John L. M. French, whom he loved as his own, have large claims on our sympathy and our prayers, which it is hoped we will never forget to recognize and honor. Earnest, devoted, consecrated, faithful and prayerful, George Stewart was ready when the Master called.

ANDREW J. FRAZIER was born in Giles County, Va., April 22, 1836. Of his youth we know that he was born of sturdy stock and in humble circumstances; that having the advantage of poverty he underwent the toil that developed a symmetrical and strong

body. How straight his form! how elastic and swift his step! Never went from plow to pulpit a man with better physical equipment. "He was" writes one, "a good, strong, heroic man, full of good works, which were approved of God." Whatever the effect of environment, he was versatile, many-sided. Beyond the advantages of a common country school young Frazier had no scholastic training, but he had that without which the most liberal learning will not suffice: sterling common sense. Another advantage he had: a deeply pious and consecrated Christian mother. The devotion of the Frazier children to this mother while living, and to her memory since her death, is a beautiful thing to see. Her name was like magic in the heart of her eldest preacher son, and her form was before his eye when, with irresistible pathos, before the crowds, he delineated the power and sweetness of a mother's love. It was of her he spoke, we think, when nearing, the other shore, he shouted back: "Alleluia! I see her!" At the age of twenty-two, at old Wabash Camp Ground, he was converted; as we say, soundly or wholly converted. It was two years after he professed religion and joined the Church before he obtained license to preach, in the meantime exercising his gifts in prayer meetings in the neighborhood and surrounding country. Brother Frazier fulfilled, possibly without knowing its application to himself, the law laid down by the Lord: "He that believeth shall not haste." In October, 1860, at the Conference in Asheville, N. C., Bishop Paine presiding, he was admitted on trial. Of the fourteen others admitted as classmates, three remain members of the Conference: C. K. Miller, F. D. Crumley and E. W. Moore. His first work was Rheatown Circuit, as junior preacher, John M. Crismond, of precious memory being in charge. For the benefit of those who have not access to records, we give his appointments: Rheatown Circuit, 1860; Hillsville, 1861; Jacksboro, 1862; Wytheville, 1863; Bristol, 1864; Lebanon, 1865-67; Jeffersonville, 1868-69; Rheatown again, 1870-71; Cleveland, 1872. In 1873 he was made presiding elder of Asheville District, where he remained four years. In 1877 he went to Jeffersonville District, where he remained four years. In 1881-84 he was on Emory Circuit; sent to Cleveland Station in 1885-86. In 1887 he was again appointed presiding elder and placed in charge of the Chattanooga District. He was reappointed there for 1889. He came to Knoxville District in 1889, and was its efficient head at the time of his death. He was ordained deacon at Athens, Tenn., in 1862, by Bishop Early; elder by the same at Marion, Va., in 1865. It will be seen that his work extended from New River on the east and West Virginia on the northeast to the Cumberland Mountains on the west, and to Georgia and Alabama on the southeast;

from Kentucky to South Carolina on the north and south. During thirty-one years of ministry over such a field, he has planted as have but few. His "works do follow" the plans he gave. Churches and parsonages, a better monument than costly mausoleum, perpetuate and praise his name. He was married to Miss Josie Brown, near Wytheville, Va., September 28, 1862. He was more deeply indebted to her faith and purity of heart than any one except our Maker can know. One of our preachers at his funeral said that he had heard our most eloquent preachers and bishops, and that on some occasions he had heard our brother equal any of the very best and most eloquent. It would be hard to define what was his strongest element, speaking of him as to equipment as a preacher. His voice was strong without being harsh, his gesture quick and often admirable, his postures easy and graceful, and his utterance torrent-like in impetuosity. In selection of themes it was plain that he sought those meeting the exigencies of the present hour. They were for the most part such as admitted of plain, natural divisions and gave ample room for application and exhortation. In exhortation he was transcendently fine—without a superior in our Conference. The synthesis of facts rather than their analysis characterized his pulpit efforts. His last sermon at Church Street, on the text, "For ye know the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich" regarded as one of his best, was a *resume* of what the Bible says Christ was in riches; what he was in poverty; the grand purposes of his humiliation. This specimen of his preaching was like his sermons everywhere. In a matter of fact way he planted himself squarely on the great truths of the Bible, and none could say of his preaching that when they asked for bread he gave a stone. He was powerful in prayer. What fluency, fervor, faith! What appropriateness, what aptness of illustration, what force of scriptural quotation! But after all, perhaps, his finest gifts were those of an organizer and church builder. If he had done no more in latter years than build the fine district parsonages for the Knoxville and the Chattanooga Districts—the one at Fountain City, the other at St. Elmo—he had done enough to entitle him to the foremost place in this line of things. But he did more. He has left substantial monuments of his skill in planning and industry in accomplishing all over the territory he traversed. When he was asked, "Is Jesus precious?" the answer came, "O yes, but I want you to pray our heavenly Father to forgive all our imperfections." Attended by his mother, his loving wife and affectionate children and several of his colaborers, everything that love could do was done, but in spite of all, at 7 o'clock on the morning of

May 29, 1892, like a watch-worn and weary sentinel, the last enemy having been conquered, he laid his armor off and entered into rest.

JAMES N. S. HUFFAKER was born at Seclusion Bend, on the French Broad River, in Sevier County, Tennessee, February 5, 1827; and died at Chuckey City, Tenn., January 5, 1892. His childhood and youth were spent amid the sublime scenery. He played and hunted along the banks of the beautiful French Broad, and often bathed in its pure, bright water. The Huffaker home was among the foremost in the picturesque mountain section in which it was situated in intelligence, refinement, and piety. A large family of children were under conditions the very best for enjoying life and for developing good character. It was a happy home, and from it the children went forth well fitted to bless the world. James grew to manhood with a noble aspiration for high achievement. While at school at New Market, where he was being educated with a view to the profession of law, he was converted to God, and the whole course of his life was changed. He immediately felt called of God to the work of the Christian ministry. After a hard mental struggle, which seems to be necessary to qualify those who are called to this sublime work, he yielded and set about preparing for the work. In 1848, at a Conference held in Knoxville by Bishop Paine, he was admitted into the traveling connection. He was faithful to his ministerial vows and made full proof of his ministry till disabled by years and affliction, when he was placed on the superannuated list. After this he preached as his strength enabled him. Just a few days before his death he preached at a quarterly meeting near his home a most impressive sermon. In 1855 he was married to Miss Sallie J. Ripley. This proved to be a very happy union. They raised a family remarkable for intellectual endowments and a thirst for knowledge. His wife preceded him a short time to the heavenly home. Brother Huffaker was a well-rounded man of a very strong character. His mind, which was strong rather than brilliant, though not entirely devoid of the poetic temperament, was thoroughly and carefully cultivated till the very close of life. His reading was very extensive and his books were carefully selected. There was the same care in the cultivation of the moral and religious as the intellectual. He was pure and strong and affectionate and kind; altogether a noble character which would awaken your admiration and challenge your respect. He was averse to show, quiet and unassuming but fine gold without alloy. His preaching was characterized by clearness and force. He never essayed oratory, but occasionally kindled under the inspiration of divinely inspired thought until he became eloquent without

effort and set the hearts of his hearers aglow with luminous emotions. He believed in the power of the simple truths of the gospel to save from sin. He sought first, last, and all the time to instruct the people. Once at a camp meeting at Shaw Grove Camp Ground the meeting seemed wanting in spiritual fervor. There were few penitents and no conversions. A conference was called on Monday afternoon and the question of the propriety of closing the meeting Tuesday morning was submitted. There was much discussion, and the conclusion seemed to be unanimous in favor of closing unless there was a decided movement Monday night. Brother Huffaker, who had been silent, arose and said: "Brethren, why not hold the people together for instructions? We have a large congregation, which is orderly and attentive, and there are no signs of restlessness or anxiety to disperse. This is a fine field. Let's hold them and sow some gospel seed. If we do not see an immediate harvest, let us imitate the husbandman, and wait patiently for it. This anecdote illustrates a side of his character, not showy or fussy, but strong and substantial. He was the kind of stuff of which heroes are made. During the epidemic of cholera in Knoxville in 1854, in which Dr. Sam Patton died and so many valuable lives were lost, Brother Huffaker was stationed in East Knoxville. While general consternation prevailed and many were fleeing in every direction, he stayed at his post and, calm and undismayed, went about day and night, watching and praying at the bedside of the sick and dying. Brother Huffaker's faith in God was firm and sure. He made duty his watchword and worked with the greatest patience and fortitude, sometimes under circumstances very difficult and embarrassing to discharge every duty of life, but he kept the eye of his faith on God and the wonderful revelation which the future promises for God's children. After his wife's death he seemed to let go his hold on this world. There was no restlessness, no murmuring or complaining. He was the same meek, patient, quiet, strong man; but he realized he was nearing the change, and his faith kindled at the prospect. While under the shadow of this great grief, he wrote to his daughter: "When the sun breaks out again, it will be through a rift in the clouds low down in the west just above the hill tops. I shall look upon it once more and be happy, not because it will gild these old mountains, but because it will shine out and bring into glorious light the highlands of heaven, the city of the New Jerusalem." The sun that never sets has broken on the glad vision of our glorified brother, and the union that brought so much comfort and happiness and strength amid the checkered and changeful scenes of this life has been renewed under conditions of perfect felicity, never to be broken again.

WILLIAM W. WITCHER was born in Jefferson County, Tennessee, in 1825; went with his parents to Bradley County in 1836; was converted and joined the M. E. Church, South, in his sixteenth year; entered the Holston Conference in 1849; traveled here till 1858, and was then transferred by Bishop Early to the Texas Conference. Here he labored nine years on stations and districts. In 1867 he was transferred by Bishop McTyeire to the Tennessee Conference, where he remained nineteen years. Here in 1869 he married Mary J. Crismon, a most excellent Christian woman. He came back to the Holston Conference five years by transfer. At our Conference in Morristown in 1889 he took a superannuated relation, but was employed that year on the Lookout Circuit; and his presiding elder, Dr. Carroll, says that he did most excellent service, developing a difficult work with great success. At Chattanooga last October he was made effective, and was sent to the Hamilton Circuit. He entered upon his work promptly, and was efficient and faithful. Here his long and useful life ended. He died at Retro, on the Cincinnati railroad some twenty-five miles from Chattanooga, March 8, 1892, in great peace. His wife and only son, Marvin, a lad of fourteen years, were with him in his last hours. From 1849 to 1892, forty-three years, he went in and out before the people, a humble, kind, faithful servant of God and the Church. He was not what is generally styled a great preacher, but used the talents bestowed in leading many souls to Christ and in building up the waste places of Zion. His record is on high, and will stand when the judgment fires are burning. We buried him at Cleveland, Tenn., among the friends of his youth, close by the side of the immortal John Hennager. What a day that will be when they awake!

THOMAS JEFFERSON POPE was born in Wythe County, Va., June 28, 1817; and died July 12, 1892, at Vernon, Tex. He was converted in 1853, and joined the Holston Conference at Cleveland, Tenn., in 1854. There was but a short interval between his conversion and his entrance upon his ministerial life work. He was appointed in 1854 to the Cleveland Circuit; in 1855, to East Knoxville Station; in 1856, to Jonesboro Station. It appears that he resigned this charge on account of ill health, but was subsequently employed on the Maryville Circuit part of that year. In 1857 he was sent to Madisonville Circuit; in 1858, to Dandridge Circuit; in 1859, to Athens Station. Soon after this came on the war, and the writer is uninforming as to his movements during that period. It appears that he was married to a Miss Sarah J. Bagnal, of Wytire County, Va., in 1866. He subsequently traveled the Weaverville and Brevard Circuits, and also the Franklin District, all in North Carolina.

In 1875 he was granted a superannuated relation, and moved to Blount County, Tenn. In 1885 he moved to Missouri, and thence to Honey Grove, Tex., and thence to Vernon, Tex., where he ended his life in a fit of temporary insanity. Brother Pope was a large and portly man physically, and possessed a strong mind, incisive and logical in its methods. He was a man well read in the literature of his day, and cultivated in this respect beyond many his equals. As a preacher he was interesting and instructive, and at times forcible in his delivery. He was a fluent writer touching themes with which he was familiar. We know but little of his family. He leaves a wife and three children: two sons and one daughter. His daughter married Rev. A. C. Benson, a member of one of the Texas Conferences. For many years Brother Pope was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. This doubtless affected him mentally and somewhat beclouded his last days. His bodily and mental troubles are ended, and he rests from his labors. God's providences are often inexplicable, and bring experiences beyond the ken of angels or men. Many a true child of God with beauties entirely hidden, because obscured by things external and forbidding in their character, will shine with ineffable splendor in the great day of eternity. We expect to meet Brother Pope in heaven.

GEORGE W. MILES was born in Grainger County, Tenn., January 27, 1829. His parents were inclined to be Baptists. An apparently trivial incident, however, was the occasion of their becoming Methodists. Before reaching his majority, Brother Miles was converted and joined the Church. On December 23, 1851, he was married to Miss Rebecca Austin. Naturally fond of public life, he early formed the purpose of practicing law. But divine Providence had other ends in view for him. After much struggling he yielded to the solicitations of the Holy Spirit, and consented to become an itinerant preacher. He was received on trial into the Holston Conference, which met at Jonesboro, Tenn., in 1854—a session which is memorable in the hearts of some of our older brethren for the great sermons that were preached by James Atkins and Dr. A. R. Erwin. From the very beginning it was evident that Brother Miles had found his vocation. He adjusted himself to all its requirements, and threw his whole soul into the work which it demanded at his hands. During his entire life there was a slight impediment in his public utterance; but this did not hinder him from being an instructive, edifying, and comforting preacher. At times he was very pathetic. On more than one occasion the writer of this memoir has seen audiences quite overcome by devout feeling. A more diligent pastor never lived. Every interest of the Church received full

attention at his hands. He was the steady friend of Missions and education, labored always to spread religious literature, and missed no chance to do good. Great revivals followed his labors. He has spiritual children in every part of the Holston Conference. First and last he filled circuits, stations, and districts, and succeeded well in them all. But it was as a presiding elder that his gifts show most conspicuously. For the quadrennium following he was at the head of the Jonesboro District. That period of his life belongs rightly to the chapter of heroisms. In the face of almost impossible difficulties he went steadily forward, reorganizing the scattered societies, hunting up the wandering sheep, and laying himself out to the uttermost for the glory of God and the advancement of Southern Methodism. Of his immense labors, his constant self-denials, his unswerving courage, we may not here speak at large. It is only the truth to say, however, that for many months his life was in danger, and that he endured persecutions compared with which death itself would have been easy and sweet. His devotion to the Church of his choice was a passion. He had surrendered himself absolutely to her service, and he never recalled the gift. As a presiding elder he was not merely a persistent worker, but a consummate organizer. He knew how to put other people to work and keep them at it. Every district that he traveled felt the touch of his hand, and moved up. One characteristic of him was his far-sightedness. He looked to the future and planned for the coming years. Another thing worthy of note was his interest in young men who were just entering the ministry. He hunted them out, counseled them, and had the rare gift of encouraging and stimulating them in their labors. His married life was very beautiful. It detracts nothing from what is due to him to say that but for the faithful assistance of his wife, who was a wise, strong, and godly woman, he could not have wrought as he did. Her death, October 21, 1888, was the severest of strokes to him, and he never recovered from it. The family which this worthy couple reared is the best eulogy upon their lives. By what magical art of financiering they managed to give a college education to eight children on a salary that never reached \$1,000 per year, and that probably did not average more than \$500, we cannot say. The last pastoral charge that Brother Miles served was Marion Station. Though in extreme feebleness, he carried the tasks committed to him to a happy consummation. It was a year of refreshing from the presence of the Lord; and as the veteran retired from the field on which he had fought so many battles, his ears were filled with shouts of new victories. For the last three years he was on the superannuated or supernumerary roll, waiting the end. At times there were hopes of restoration, but all these proved delusive.

Through all he neither murmured nor complained. His confidence in God grew stronger, and no clouds obscured the sky. Oftentimes in the night watches he could be heard singing to himself the glorious hymns which he had so long led the hosts of our Methodism in singing in the great congregation. He was ready to say: "Nunc dimittis." His children were all grown, educated, and established in life. They all, moreover, felt for him the most reverent veneration. His friends sent him constant messages of love. The wife of his youth had gone before. Why should he hesitate to cross the flood? He died at Bristol, Tenn., September 16, 1892.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Wytheville District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Wytheville Station.....	358		
Wytheville Circuit.....	801	3	3
East Wytheville Circuit.....	825		
Lead Mines Circuit.....	1,008		4
Hillsville Circuit.....	418		8
Old Town Circuit.....	495	10	8
Independence Circuit.....	750		4
Elk Creek Circuit.....	1,190		11
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	829		5
Sharon Springs Circuit.....	464		4
Marion Station.....	246	2	
Marion Circuit.....	555		2
Seddon Circuit.....	697		7
	8,136	15	56

Radford District.

Radford Station.....	280		2
Auburn Circuit.....	450		4
Jacksonville Circuit.....	326		4
Hylton Mission.....	135		4
Newbern Circuit.....	290		2
New River Circuit.....	243		1
Staffordville Circuit.....	460		2
Pearisburg Circuit.....	525		4
Concord Circuit.....	318		4
Princeton Circuit.....	434		3
Bluestone Circuit.....	213		1
Bluefield Station.....	220		1
Graham Station.....	242		3
Pulaski City Station.....	230		1
Max Meadows Circuit.....	122		1
	4,488		37

Morristown District.

Morristown Station.....	345		2
Morristown Circuit.....	463		2
Rutledge Circuit.....	596		1
Mossy Creek Station.....	271		3
Newport Station.....	117		2
Parrotsville Mission.....	279		1
St. Clair Circuit.....	440		2
Rogersville Station.....	202		
Hawkins Circuit.....	617		
Greenville Circuit.....	125		2
Rheatown Circuit.....	441		2
Johnson City Station.....	312	1	
Jonesboro Station.....	150		1
Jonesboro Circuit.....	315		
Fall Branch Circuit.....	357		2
Erwin Mission.....	260		
Strawberry Plains Circuit.....	349		1
	5,639	1	21

Abingdon District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Abingdon Station.....	322		1
Abingdon Circuit.....	853		3
Holston Circuit.....	495		2
Mountain City Mission.....	102		
Emory Circuit.....	436		7
Saltville Circuit.....	493		3
Bristol: Main Street.....	472		5
Mary Street.....	158		
Bristol Circuit.....	463		2
Mendota Circuit.....	301		
Kingsport Circuit.....	404		5
Blountsville Circuit.....	550		3
Bluff City Circuit.....	318		
Elizabethton Circuit.....	130		
Beaver Creek Mission.....	206		
	5,703		31

Jeffersonville Mission.

Jeffersonville Station.....	317		1
Liberty Hill Circuit.....	257		
Cedar Bluff Circuit.....	431		1
Elk Garden Circuit.....	218		
Lebanon Circuit.....	481		3
Dickensonville Circuit.....	634		2
East Tazewell Circuit.....	452		2
Clear Fork Circuit.....	539		5
Pocahontas Station.....	147		
Bramwell Station.....	225		1
Cooper's and Riverside Circuit.....	124		
Elk Horn Mission.....	121		
Algoma Mission.....	41		1
New Garden Mission.....	221		
Richland Station.....	98	5	1
	4,304	5	17

Big Stone Gap District.

Big Stone Gap.....	172	1	3
Gladeville Circuit.....	240		4
Clintwood Circuit.....	164		4
Buchanan Circuit.....	227	1	3
Nickelsville Circuit.....	318	1	4
Estillville Circuit.....	397	2	2
Gate City Station.....	142	1	1
Turkey Cove Circuit.....	182		
Rye Cove Circuit.....	285		3
Sneedville Mission.....	235		1
Tazewell Circuit.....	345		2
Jonesville Circuit.....	570	1	3
Powell's Valley Circuit.....	490		7
Cumberland Gap Station.....	108		1
Stickleyville Circuit.....	446		3
	4,321	7	41

Knoxville District.

Church Street.....	539		1
Broad Street.....	528		2
Centenary.....	258		1
East Fifth Avenue.....	40		2
Methodist Hill.....	91		
Fountain City.....	95		
Knoxville Circuit.....	315		3
Jacksboro Circuit.....	228		4
Coal Creek Mission.....	70		
Clinton Station.....	125		1
Clinton Circuit.....	134		1
Andersonville Circuit.....	320		2
Maynardville Circuit.....	285		3
Sevierville Circuit.....	393		1
Maryville Circuit.....	322		
Louisville Circuit.....	271		
Madisonville Circuit.....	270		3
Eleazer Circuit.....	400		2
Loudon Circuit.....	155		
Lenoir Circuit.....	247		2
	5,086		28

Sequachie District.

Dayton Station.....	259	1	1
Spring City Circuit.....	259		3
Spring City and Evansville.....	223		
Kingston Circuit.....	174		
Harriman Station.....	107		
Rockwood Station.....	201		2

*Sequachie District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Poplar Creek Circuit.....	52	.....	2
Jamestown Mission.....	79	1	1
Hill City Station.....	79	.....	.....
Hamilton Circuit.....	200	.....	2
Jasper Station.....	160	.....	3
Jasper Circuit.....	514	.....	1
South Pittsburg Station.....	205	.....	.....
Dunlap Circuit.....	280	.....	1
New Hope Circuit.....	274	.....	1
Decatur Circuit.....	383	.....	1
Pikeville Station.....	221	.....	.....
Cumberland Circuit.....	158	.....	7
Battle Creek Mission.....	210	.....	1
	4,044	2	26

*Chattanooga District.*

Centenary Station.....	675	.....	3
Whiteside Street Station.....	200	.....	.....
Cherry Street Station.....	152	.....	.....
Citico Mission.....	45	.....	.....
St. Elmo.....	122	.....	.....
Rossville and Oak Hill.....	130	.....	1
Ridgedale and East Lake.....	129	.....	1
E. Chattanooga & Highland Park..	145	.....	1
Coal City and Etna Circuit.....	504	.....	3
Lookout Circuit.....	366	.....	2
Trenton Circuit.....	295	.....	4
Ooltewah Circuit.....	371	.....	1
Cleveland Station.....	296	.....	5
Cleveland Circuit.....	236	.....	1
Charleston Circuit.....	286	.....	3
Riceville Circuit.....	394	.....	1
Athens Station.....	175	.....	.....
Athens Circuit.....	370	.....	3
Sweet Water Circuit.....	220	.....	1
Ducktown Mission.....	81	.....	1
	5,151	.....	30

*Recapitulation.*

Wytheville District.....	8,136	15	56
Radford District.....	4,488	.....	37
Morristown District.....	5,639	1	21
Abingdon District.....	5,708	.....	31
Jeffersonville District.....	4,304	5	17
Big Stone Gap District.....	4,321	7	41
Knoxville District.....	5,086	.....	28
Sequachie District.....	4,044	2	26
Chattanooga District.....	5,152	.....	30
Total this year.....	46,873	30	287
Total last year.....	44,064	36	266
Increase.....	2,809	.....	21
Decrease.....	.....	6	.....

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,266.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,870.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 610.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 4,268.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 37,300.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? No report.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,447.19. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$5,024.25; Domestic Missions, \$3,955.18. Total, \$8,979.43.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,645.03.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what

is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 523; value, \$793,755.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 91; value, \$124,400.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Eight chartered institutions, reporting an attendance in 1891-92 aggregating 1,194.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? \_\_\_\_\_

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT.

*E. W. Moore, P. E.*

Wytheville Station, W. C. Carden.  
Wytheville Circuit, M. L. Clendenen, W. Wisdom Newberry.

Lead Mines Circuit, S. T. McPherson.  
Max Meadows Circuit, J. R. Hixon.

Hillsville Circuit, M. B. Carrico.  
Old Town Circuit, J. B. Simpson; B. F.

Nuckolls, Sup.  
Independence Circuit, J. A. Cook.

Elk Creek Circuit, R. F. Jackson.  
Spring Valley Circuit, D. P. Hurley.

Mt. Airy Circuit, J. A. Duvall, I. B. Vaught;  
C. K. Miller, Sup.

Seddon Circuit, J. A. H. Shuler.  
Sharon Springs Circuit, James Mahoney.

Marion Station, J. S. Kennedy.  
Marion Circuit, G. A. Maiden.

JEFFERSONVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. H. Price, P. E.*

Jeffersonville Station, B. W. S. Bishop; W. H. Kelley, Sup.

East Tazewell Circuit, P. P. Kinzer.  
Clear Fork Circuit, W. I. Fogleman.

Graham Station, G. W. Summers.  
Pocahontas Station, I. P. Martin.

Cooper's and Riverside, C. S. Painter.  
Bramwell Station, J. E. Naff.

Welch Station, M. C. Graham.  
Algoma and Elkhorn Station, J. A. Perkins.

Liberty Hill Circuit, S. E. Houk.  
Elk Garden Circuit, F. D. Surface.

New Garden Circuit, D. McCracken.  
Richland Station, J. E. Swecker.

Buchanan Mission, G. W. Pressley.  
Cedar Bluff Circuit, B. C. Horton.

Maberry Station, J. M. Romans.

RADFORD DISTRICT.

*J. T. Frazier, P. E.*

Radford Station, W. N. Wagoner.  
West Radford, J. W. Perry.

Auburn Circuit, T. F. Glenn.  
Jacksonville Circuit, C. L. Stradley.

Hylton Mission, E. W. Tiller.  
New River Circuit, C. B. Le Few.

Newbern Circuit, R. A. Kelley.  
Pulaski Mission, P. L. Cobb.

Staffordsville Circuit, W. E. Bailey.  
Pearisburg Circuit, H. C. Clemens.

Princeton Station, J. L. Prater, Arthur Thorn; H. I. Wolf, Sup.

Concord Circuit, J. M. Paxton.  
 Flat Top Mission, T. H. Kinzer.  
 Bluefield Station, A. B. Hunter.  
 Pulaski Station, C. W. Kelley.  
 Princeton Academy, Eugene Blake.

## ABINGDON DISTRICT.

*J. S. W. Neel, P. E.*

Abingdon Station, W. M. Dyer.  
 Abingdon Circuit, J. R. Chambers; J. B. Davis, Sup.  
 Holston Circuit, W. W. Pyott.  
 Mendota Circuit, J. R. Bellamy; W. P. Doane, Sup.  
 Mountain City Mission, T. D. Strader.  
 Emory Circuit, E. F. Kahle; E. E. Wiley, J. A. Davis, Sup.  
 Rich Valley Circuit, S. S. Weatherly.  
 Bristol: Main Street, D. V. Price.  
 Mary Street, J. L. M. French.  
 Bristol Circuit, E. L. Addington.  
 Blountville Circuit, W. D. Mitchell.  
 Bluff City Circuit, J. W. W. Shuler.  
 Elizabethton, M. D. Mitchell.  
 Beaver Creek Mission, E. C. Rodefer.  
 Emory and Henry College, J. Atkins, President; R. G. Waterhouse, Professor.  
 Sullins College, D. S. Hearn, President.  
 W. G. E. Cunyngham, Sunday School Editor.

## BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT.

*J. H. Kennedy, P. E.*

Big Stone Gap Station, J. O. Straley.  
 Gladeville Circuit, R. W. Walker.  
 Clintwood Mission, E. N. Woodward.  
 Lebanon Circuit, J. R. Walker.  
 Jacksonville Circuit, J. K. Wolfe.  
 Nickelsville Circuit, F. A. Farley.  
 Gate City Station, R. E. Smith.  
 Kingsport Circuit, E. W. Walker.  
 Hawkins Circuit, J. J. Henley.  
 Rye Cove Circuit, J. D. Spitzer.  
 Stickleyville Circuit, S. K. Byrd.  
 Jonesville Circuit, D. H. Carr.  
 Powell's Valley Circuit, L. H. Little.

## MORRISTOWN DISTRICT.

*G. D. French, P. E.*

Morristown Station, J. C. Orr.  
 Morristown Circuit, L. M. Cartwright.  
 Rutledge Circuit, J. W. Carnes.  
 Newport Station, J. I. Cash.  
 Tazewell Circuit, E. W. Mort.  
 St. Clair Circuit, E. H. Cassidy.  
 Rogersville Station, R. S. Umbarger.  
 Greeneville Station, W. L. Jones.  
 Rheatown Circuit, J. D. Hickson.  
 Johnson City Station, K. C. Atkins.  
 Jonesboro Station, E. B. Robertson.  
 Jonesboro Circuit, W. D. Akers.  
 Fall Branch Circuit, G. B. Draper.  
 Erwin Mission, W. A. Mitchell.  
 Tazewell Circuit, A. N. Jackson.  
 Cumberland Gap Station, D. V. York.  
 Tate Springs, S. H. Hall.  
 E. E. Hoss, Editor *Christian Advocate*.

## KNOXVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. W. Hicks, P. E.*

Knoxville: Church Street, to be supplied;  
 W. H. Dawn, Sup.  
 Broad Street, Frank Richardson.  
 Centenary, J. A. Burrow.  
 East Fifth Avenue, C. R. Brown.  
 Methodist Hill and South Knoxville, J. B. Frazier; J. R. Payne, Sup.  
 Knoxville Circuit, J. E. Lowry.  
 Fountain City, S. D. Long.  
 Strawberry Plains Circuit, R. T. McDowell.  
 Mossy Creek Station, G. W. Jackson.  
 Sevierville Circuit and Chilhowie Mission, J. M. Wolf, W. W. Walker.  
 Maynardville Circuit, J. D. Dame.  
 Andersonville Circuit, J. E. Bruce; J. C. Runyan, Sup.  
 Jacksboro Circuit, S. S. Catron.  
 Coal Creek Mission, B. T. Sharpe.  
*Holston Methodist*, R. N. Price, Editor; W. L. Richardson, Manager.  
 Insane Asylum, W. H. Bates.

## CLEVELAND DISTRICT.

*T. R. Handy, P. E.*

Cleveland Station, J. A. Lyons.  
 Cleveland Circuit, W. P. Haynes.  
 Charleston Circuit, E. H. Bogle.  
 Riceville Circuit, J. C. Bays.  
 Athens Station, Thomas Betterton.  
 Athens Circuit, E. H. Broyles.  
 Ducktown Mission, C. M. James.  
 Sweet Water Circuit, L. L. H. Carlock.  
 Madisonville Circuit, J. M. Maiden; J. R. Stradley, Sup.  
 Eleazer Circuit, W. E. Dutton.  
 Decatur Circuit, W. R. Snyder.  
 New Hope Circuit, T. A. Jordan.  
 London Circuit, J. H. Parrott.  
 Lenoir Circuit, G. D. Hermon.  
 Louisville Station, W. C. Farris.  
 Oakland Circuit, W. White Newberry.  
 Maryville Station, J. D. McAllister.  
 Centenary College, D. Sullins.  
 J. H. Brunner, Financial Agent Hiwassee College.

## CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT.

*C. T. Carroll, P. E.*

Chattanooga: Centenary, J. P. McFerrin.  
 Whiteside Street, J. A. Darr.  
 Cherry Street, J. C. Maners.  
 Citico and Rossville, C. M. Pickens.  
 St. Elmo Station, J. W. Smith.  
 Ridgedale, T. C. Shuler, J. W. Hicks.  
 East Chattanooga and Highland Park, J. W. Browning.  
 Coal City and Etna, I. N. Munsey.  
 Tennoga Circuit, B. A. Cass.  
 Trenton Circuit, F. F. Threadgill.  
 Ooltewah Circuit, A. H. Tow.  
 Hill City, G. M. Moreland.  
 Hamilton Circuit, to be supplied by A. M. Manning.  
 South Pittsburg Station, T. J. Eskridge.

## SEQUACHIE DISTRICT.

*R. A. Owen, P. E.*

Dayton Station, W. S. Neighbors.  
 Spring City and Evansville, W. L. Patten.  
 Spring City Circuit, J. F. Hash.  
 Kingston Circuit, R. E. Hart; S. Phillips, J. W. Robertson, Sup.  
 Harriman Station, J. B. Carnes.  
 Oliver Springs, A. Kincaid.  
 Clinton Station, H. C. Neal.  
 Clinton Circuit, J. A. Bilderback.

Rockwood Station, Walter Spence.  
 Jamestown Mission, to be supplied by M. L. Patton.  
 Jasper Station, W. L. Station.  
 Jasper Circuit, A. D. Stewart.  
 Whiteside Circuit, S. R. Huddleston.  
 Dunlap Circuit, John Woolsey; John Alley, Sup.  
 Pikeville Circuit, F. Alexander.  
 Cumberland Circuit, W. L. Sowell.  
 Battle Creek Mission, B. F. Gilland.  
 Cardiff High School, J. P. Dickey.

## NORTH ALABAMA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT LA FAYETTE, ALA., NOVEMBER 6-21, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; JOHN C. NEWMAN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Stephen J. Robinett, James F. Rudisill, Charles W. Seale, Marcus J. Williams, Robert Wilson, John W. Cowan, John R. Turner, Walter P. McDonnald, Theodore Copeland. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Ethelbert B. Norton, Basil H. O. Cochran, Frank H. Gardner, Edward L. Brown, Robert M. Archibald, Samuel F. Matthews, Euclid H. McWhorter. 7.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? George A. White, James D. Lockhart, James L. Williams. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Charles L. Herring, William K. Simpson, Thomas O. Jones, Gilbert L. Crow, James H. Jennings, John W. Worsnop. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Robert O. Wier, from the Florida Conference; Henry L. Booth, from the Tennessee Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Isaac B. Sargent, Walter L. Rice, George F. Driskill, Wallace C. Driskill, Samuel B. Smith, Frank W. Brandon, George W. Read, James H. McCoy, Harry C. Howard, James W. C. ry. 10.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Charles L. Herring, Thomas O. Jones, James H. Jennings. 3.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Charles L. Herring, Thomas O. Jones, James H. Jennings. 3.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Robert A. Stewart, William H. Hataway, Robert L. Wilson, Derrill Harrison, John S. Hawkins, John C. Prince, John

B. Legg, Robert M. Archibald, Euclid H. McWhorter. 9.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? William H. Hataway, Robert L. Wilson, John C. Prince, Robert M. Archibald, Euclid H. McWhorter. 5.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Robert I. Walston, George E. Boyd, George L. Jenkins, William E. Foust, Erastus D. Emerson, Frank P. Culver, Havilen T. Strout. 7.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Robert I. Walston, George E. Boyd, George L. Jenkins, William E. Foust, Erastus D. Emerson, Frank P. Culver, Havilen T. Strout. 7.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Thomas J. Springfield, Thomas R. Hul-ey, William A. Randle. 3.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? George W. Green. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? H. B. Ralls, J. F. Allison. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? L. M. Wilson, J. N. Dupree. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? G. J. Mason, W. C. Hearn, J. S. Marks, J. T. Bartee, E. F. S. Roberts, J. G. Walker, W. D. Nicholson, W. Williams, C. Godby, A. G. Copeland, N. H. Self, J. E. McCain, M. E. Johnston, M. G. Williams, J. L. Coleman. 15.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? C. D. Oliver, C. S. D. Lassiter. 2.

CHRISTOPHER D. OLIVER was born in the state of Georgia, Elbert County, January 19, 1819; and died in Calera, Ala., January



13, 1892. Hence he lacked only a few days of having attained his seventy-third year. We know but little of his early life and religious training, except that his father was a member of the Methodist Church, a man of pure life and fervent piety, and it seems from the subsequent life of the son that he had been reared in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. When about fifteen years of age, he made a profession of religion, and connected himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church, there to remain till called from labor to reward. In early manhood he married Miss Laura A. Reid, who, with three sons and their families, still survives him. Not long after their marriage he accepted the call of the Spirit of God to labor in his vineyard, and, leaving a valuable farm in Montgomery County, Ala., he entered upon the toils and privations of an itinerant's life. From thenceforward his history is interwoven with that of the Church in this state, and eternity alone will unfold the part performed by our deceased brother as a wise master builder in laying deep and broad the foundation of our beloved Zion in several of the principal cities in this great commonwealth. We have no data to give a chronological list of the charges served by him during his ministerial life of nearly forty years of active work. Suffice to say that in the leading churches of Mobile, Montgomery, Auburn, Tuscaloosa, Florence, Gadsden, Athens, and Huntsville, also for a short time as presiding elder, and agent for the American Bible Society, he occupied positions of usefulness and honor enjoyed by but few in the Alabama or North Alabama Conferences. In the prime of life Dr. Oliver was a man of fine personal appearance, courtly in manner, and a general favorite in the social walks of life. As a preacher he ranked high among the great ministers of his day. By many he was regarded as a model preacher. His diction was pure, and, with a voice of rare compass and power, he was always impressive, and at times eloquent in the presentation of gospel truth. Not only was Dr. Oliver a preacher of wide popularity, but as a correspondent of the religious press he wrote much and well, and had a wide circle of readers. About thirty-five years ago he also wrote a little book under the caption of "St. Peter's Chain of Christian Virtues." The style of this little work is eminently devout; the thought is clear, and the applications and exhortations are strong and inspiring. It has passed through several editions, has blessed and comforted many, and now that its venerable author has been gathered to his fathers, it is still going on its way, a boon to generations unborn. We could not pass by his public services without mentioning his power in prayer. In this he excelled at all times; but as he approached the sunset of life, although partial paralysis, consequent upon injuries received, had impaired his mental as well as

his physical activities, yet there seemed to be even a development of his power in this regard. There were times when the whole man seemed surcharged with power born of God, as he pleaded for dying men. At Calera, where he spent the last years of his life, these prayers in behalf of the people of that community linger in the memory of many as a precious legacy. Not only did the Church honor him in its appointments to fields of labor, but several times he went as a delegate to the General Conference, the great law-making body of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He also represented the state of Alabama at large in the International Sunday School Convention held at Toronto, Canada, about the year 1873. While stationed at Tuscaloosa he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity, and a short time thereafter became one of the original trustees of the Vanderbilt University. We do not portray our brother as faultless, but none that we ever knew seemed more ready to acknowledge and bewail his shortcomings than he. His final public service was on Thanksgiving day of last year. In response to a request he made a short talk of thanksgiving and praise; then led in one of his impressive, fervent prayers, and his work was done. His vocal powers failed entirely, and for nearly two months he silently awaited the coming of the final messenger. It is a remarkable fact that questions as to his physical sufferings and wants elicited only a feeble response; yet any inquiry as to his spiritual condition or hopes brought at once a smile or nod of approval, or the eager grasp of the hand, betokening a spirit ripe for the joys of the eternal world. In fact, his prayer meeting and experience talks toward the close of life were exalted expressions of his readiness to depart. When the master called, the servant was ready. In the quiet of his own home, surrounded by his wife, children, and grandchildren, he quietly breathed his last. It was a fitting close of a long, useful life. Another of Alabama's distinguished superannuates takes his place upon the honor roll of immortality. Earth is poorer; heaven is richer. Peace to his ashes and blessings upon his memory, for he lived well and died still better, through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, to whom be honor and glory now and forever.

CHARLES SAMUEL DICKINSON LASSITER was born in Jasper County, Ga., April 17, 1818. He was converted at home when seven years old while kneeling at his mother's knee in prayer; when thirteen years old, he was received into the Church by Rev. Lovick Pierce. He was twice married: first to Miss Mattie Smith, in De Kalb County, Ga., 1843; and again to Mrs. Mary L. Martin in 1884. He was licensed to preach in 1855 by L. B. McDonald, P. E. In 1858 he served as supply on Arbacoochee Mission. He was ad-

mitted on trial into the Alabama Conference at Macon, Miss., in 1858, and appointed to Arbacoochee Mission. In 1860 he served the Pickneyville Circuit as junior preacher with L. R. Bell. In December, 1860, he was admitted into full connection at Montgomery, Ala., and ordained deacon by Bishop Andrew; in 1860-61 he served Daviston Mission; 1862, Dudleyville Circuit, and in 1863 Dadeville Circuit; 1864, Camp Hill Circuit. At the close of this year he was ordained elder by Bishop Andrew, at Tuskegee, Ala. In 1865-66 he was supernumerary; in 1867 he served Blue Mountain Mission; in 1868 he was superannuated; in 1869-72 he was again on Blue Mountain Mission. In 1873 he traveled the Millerville Mission, and in 1874 the Chandler Springs Mission. In 1875-77 he was again superannuated. In 1878 he was made effective and appointed junior preacher on the Talladega Circuit. In 1879-80 North River Mission was his field of labor, and in 1881-82 Coosa Valley Circuit. For the years 1883-89 he was superannuated. In 1890 he served Abernathy Circuit; 1891, Chulafinnee Mission. In December, 1891, he was again superannuated; and December 9, 1891, he died in great peace, and his weary and worn body was laid to rest at Chulafinnee, Ala., near where he had passed so many conflicts and had had so many triumphs. It is seen from the foregoing list of appointments that his fields were always hard ones, and yet he was always uncomplaining; glad of a place, be it ever so humble, in which he could serve God and his cause. The writer has never known a man that excelled him in Christian humility. He was abundant in labor and usefulness, and filled a place in the Church in his day that could not have been so well filled by any other. His faith and power in prayer were something wonderful. He was compelled to struggle with poverty often, in order that he might have the privilege of preaching the gospel. I have never been associated with a man who communed more constantly with his Maker. In his sphere he was successful, he having baptized and received into the Church more than a thousand persons. He was a great peace maker, and was never content if any of his flock were at variance. He has gone to answer at roll call of the Church triumphant, where he will do, with joy and gladness, the bidding of the Master throughout eternal ages. Many whom he pointed to the better land received him with open arms on the other shore.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

## Anniston District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Anniston: First Church.....	378	.....	3
Glen Addie and Oxanna .....	171	.....	.....
W. Anniston and Mechanicsville	101	.....	1
Oxford Station.....	292	.....	.....
Jacksonville and White Plains.....	390	.....	1
Piedmont Circuit.....	488	.....	4
Spring Garden Circuit .....	246	.....	.....
Corning Mission.....	12	.....	1
Alexandria Circuit.....	364	.....	1
Ohatchee Circuit.....	318	.....	4
Heflin Circuit.....	351	.....	4
Graham Circuit.....	363	.....	5
Chulafinnee Mission.....	265	.....	3
	3,739	.....	27

## Birmingham District.

Birmingham: First Church.....	1,151	.....	2
St. John.....	300	.....	2
Trinity.....	72	.....	.....
Wesley Chapel.....	277	.....	2
Twenty-first Avenue.....	207	.....	1
St. Paul.....	99	.....	1
Elyton Station.....	170	.....	2
Pratt Mines Station.....	232	.....	2
Caketown Circuit .....	445	.....	7
Sunnyside Circuit.....	305	.....	2
Wylam Circuit.....	172	.....	3
Bessemer and City Mission.....	293	.....	2
Jonesboro Circuit.....	309	.....	2
Avondale Station.....	178	.....	1
Woodlawn Station .....	170	.....	2
East Lake Station.....	140	.....	2
Birmingham Circuit.....	301	.....	1
Birmingham Mission.....	173	.....	2
German Mission.....	26	.....	.....
	5,021	.....	36

## Decatur District.

Decatur: First Church.....	447	.....	1
New Decatur Mission .....	223	.....	2
Athens Station .....	348	.....	2
Limestone Circuit.....	426	.....	.....
Cambridge Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....
Elkmont Circuit.....	370	.....	.....
Lentzville Circuit.....	482	.....	5
Trinity Station.....	146	.....	3
Hillsboro and Monlton .....	210	.....	1
Courtland Station .....	95	.....	.....
Town Creek Circuit.....	126	.....	1
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	428	.....	2
Landersville Circuit.....	391	.....	2
Union Hill Circuit.....	417	.....	9
Hartsell's Circuit.....	341	.....	4
Danville Circuit.....	569	.....	5
Somerville Circuit.....	680	.....	3
Falkville Circuit .....	397	.....	5
Cullman Station.....	102	.....	.....
	6,198	.....	45

## Florence District.

Florence Station.....	405	.....	1
Florence Mission.....	268	.....	2
Oakland Circuit.....	436	.....	3
Waterloo Circuit .....	317	.....	2
Poplar Springs Mission .....	.....	.....	.....
Cypress Circuit.....	257	.....	1
Lexington Circuit.....	322	.....	1
Center Star Circuit .....	354	.....	1
Sheffield Station.....	98	.....	.....
Tuscumbia Station.....	303	.....	1
Leighton Circuit.....	400	.....	.....
Russellville Station .....	146	.....	1
Bel Green Circuit.....	348	.....	3
Pleasant Site Circuit.....	303	.....	2
Colbert Circuit.....	511	.....	1
Cherokee Station.....	170	.....	2
	4,638	.....	21

## Gadsden District.

Gadsden Station .....	457	.....	2
McTyre Memorial .....	140	.....	.....
Gadsden Circuit.....	445	.....	.....

Gadsden District (Continued).

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Atalla Station.....	199	.....	4
Atalla Circuit.....	381	.....	2
Collinsville Circuit.....	448	.....	1
Fort Payne Station.....	116	.....	.....
Valley Head Circuit.....	272	.....	1
De Kalb Mission.....	342	.....	2
Lookout Mountain Mission.....	360	.....	3
Spring Creek Circuit.....	329	.....	1
Cedar Bluff Circuit.....	508	.....	2
Center Circuit.....	424	.....	.....
Hoke's Bluff Circuit.....	494	.....	5
Ashville Circuit.....	489	.....	1
Springville Station.....	156	.....	.....
Bear Mountain Mission.....	227	.....	2
	5,787	.....	26

Guntersville District.

Guntersville Station.....	9	.....	.....
Warcuton Mission.....	353	.....	2
Summit Circuit.....	313	.....	6
Blountsville and Oak Grove.....	231	.....	3
Cleveland Circuit.....	477	.....	6
Murphree's Valley Circuit.....	199	.....	3
Mt. Pinson and Reulap.....	351	.....	3
Morris Circuit.....	522	.....	10
Warrior and Blount Springs.....	282	.....	3
Arkadelphia Circuit.....	205	.....	5
Walnut Grove Circuit.....	566	.....	7
Albertville Circuit.....	534	.....	6
South Hill Circuit.....	640	.....	.....
Langston Circuit.....	387	.....	3
Deposit Circuit.....	501	.....	4
Baileton Circuit.....	342	.....	2
Horse Creek Circuit.....	84	.....	1
	6,093	.....	64

Huntsville District.

Huntsville Station.....	540	.....	.....
McCullough Church.....	149	.....	1
Madison Station.....	195	.....	2
Triana Circuit.....	120	.....	.....
Meridianville Circuit.....	283	.....	.....
Hazel Green Circuit.....	143	.....	.....
New Market Station.....	222	.....	2
Maysville Circuit.....	375	.....	3
Gurley and Paint Rock.....	159	.....	.....
Vienna Circuit.....	532	.....	3
Paint Rock Circuit.....	227	.....	1
Larkinsville Circuit.....	357	.....	3
Scottsboro Station.....	169	.....	1
Stevenson Circuit.....	252	.....	1
Bridgeport Station.....	232	.....	2
Fabins Circuit.....	168	.....	2
Sharp's Mountain Mission.....	86	.....	1
	4,214	.....	24

Jasper District.

Jasper and Cardova.....	281	.....	1
Corona Circuit.....	179	.....	.....
Fayette Station.....	132	.....	.....
Luxapalila Circuit.....	620	.....	6
Fern Bank Circuit.....	404	.....	4
Vernon Circuit.....	501	.....	3
Sulligent Circuit.....	371	.....	3
Detroit Circuit.....	273	.....	3
Hamilton Circuit.....	443	.....	3
Beaverton Mission.....	175	.....	2
Fayette Circuit.....	277	.....	1
Eldridge Mission.....	290	.....	3
Carbou Hill Circuit.....	331	.....	3
South Lowell Mission.....	65	.....	3
Falls Mission.....	270	.....	2
Godfrey Mission.....	273	.....	9
Winston Mission.....	163	.....	5
	4,940	.....	1 53

La Fayette District.

La Fayette Station.....	244	.....	1
Oak Bowery Circuit.....	568	.....	2
Fredonia Circuit.....	414	.....	4
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	436	.....	2
Roanoke Circuit.....	753	.....	3

La Fayette District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Dadeville and Alexander City.....	302	.....	1
Daviston Circuit.....	456	.....	2
Camp Hill Circuit.....	369	.....	1
Alexander City Circuit.....	350	.....	4
Pinckneyville Circuit.....	536	.....	3
Goodwater Circuit.....	510	.....	6
Coosa Mission.....	167	.....	2
Rockford Circuit.....	334	.....	.....
Lineville Circuit.....	460	.....	4
Mellow Valley Mission.....	173	.....	2
Wedowee Circuit.....	260	.....	2
Randolph Mission.....	140	.....	1
	6,472	.....	40

Talladega District.

Talladega Station.....	310	.....	1
Talladega Circuit.....	355	.....	1
Munford Circuit.....	393	.....	3
Plantersville Circuit.....	357	.....	1
Coosa Valley Circuit.....	431	.....	5
Leeds and Irontdale.....	123	.....	2
Harpersville Circuit.....	465	.....	3
Mountain Mission.....	241	.....	2
Pelham Circuit.....	612	.....	2
Calera and Helena.....	275	.....	2
Montevallo Circuit.....	153	.....	1
Columbiana Circuit.....	352	.....	2
Fayetteville Circuit.....	458	.....	2
Chandler Springs Mission.....	260	.....	1
	4,757	.....	28

Tuscaloosa District.

Tuscaloosa Station.....	330	.....	1
North Port Station.....	171	.....	1
North Port Circuit.....	242	.....	1
Gordo Circuit.....	631	.....	.....
Carrollton Circuit.....	376	.....	2
Millport Circuit.....	462	.....	3
Kennedy Circuit.....	357	.....	2
Berry Circuit.....	392	.....	2
Marcumville Circuit.....	397	.....	5
Sipsey Mission.....	237	.....	1
Hurd's Shoals Mission.....	183	.....	4
Tuscaloosa Circuit.....	260	.....	2
Cottondale and Woodstock.....	249	.....	1
Blocton Station.....	148	.....	1
Brookwood Mission.....	206	.....	1
	4,581	.....	27

Recapitulation.

Anniston District.....	3,789	.....	27
Birmingham District.....	5,021	.....	36
Decatur District.....	6,198	.....	45
Florence District.....	4,638	.....	21
Gadsden District.....	5,787	.....	26
Guntersville District.....	6,098	.....	64
Huntsville District.....	4,214	.....	24
Jasper District.....	4,949	.....	1 53
La Fayette District.....	6,472	.....	40
Talladega District.....	4,757	.....	28
Tuscaloosa District.....	4,581	.....	27
Total this year.....	56,454	.....	1 391
Total last year.....	55,420	.....	5 378
Increase.....	1,034	.....	13
Decrease.....		.....	4

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,044.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,270.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 602.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,619.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 32,215.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for

the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$4,291.20. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$7,397.66; Domestic Missions, \$4,037.27. Total, \$11,434.93.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,976.88.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 640; value, \$636,716.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 120; value, \$150,335.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Southern University (owned by the two Alabama Conferences): Teachers, 12; students, 213; endowment, \$58,000; value, \$100,000. Athens Female College: Teachers, 13; students, 210; loan fund, \$2,000; value, \$30,000. Huntsville District High School: Teachers, 4; students, 75; value, \$3,700. Huntsville Female College: Teachers, 20; students, 224.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Talladega, Ala.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ANNISTON DISTRICT.

*T. G. Slaughter, P. E.*

Anniston: First Church, F. P. Culver.

West Anniston and Mechanicsville, F. A. Gardner.

Alexandria Circuit, W. O. Horton.

Jacksonville and White Plains, F. A. Rogers.

Oxford Station, H. S. Hamilton.

Graham Circuit, to be supplied by H. J. Horton.

Glen Addie and Oxanna, T. W. Ragan.

Corning Mission, to be supplied by S. Jewell.

Obatchee Circuit, S. J. Robinett.

Piedmont Circuit, G. W. Hamilton.

Spring Garden Circuit, J. W. Seale.

Heflin Circuit, D. A. Burns.

Chulafinnee Mission, J. H. Jennings.

Southern University, E. L. Brown, Professor.

#### BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT.

*S. M. Hosmer, P. E.*

Birmingham: First Church, J. C. Morris.

Wesley Chapel, G. H. Smith.

St. Paul, J. W. Norton.

St. John, J. B. Gregory.

Trinity, S. V. Blythe.

Twenty-first Avenue, W. E. H. Mabry.

Pratt Mines, S. R. Emerson.

Sunnyside, J. L. Ferguson.

Bessemer and City Mission, J. S. Robertson.

Woodlawn, J. S. Glasgow.

Birmingham Circuit, G. W. Read.

German Mission, to be supplied by S. H. H. Witte.

Elyton, E. M. Glenn.

Coketon Circuit, W. C. Driskill.

Wylam Circuit, J. T. Miller.

Jonesboro Circuit, M. J. Williams.

Avondale Station, W. R. Kirk.

East Lake, H. C. Howard.

Birmingham Mission, to be supplied by J. E. Andrews.

Superintendent American Bible Society, Z. A. Parker.

Chaplain to State Convicts, E. Nicholson.

*Alabama Christian Advocate*, Thomas Armstrong, Editor.

#### DECATUR DISTRICT.

*V. O. Hawkins, P. E.*

First Church, L. C. Branscomb.

South Decatur Mission, Theo. Copeland.

Limestone Circuit, F. K. Hewlett.

Elkmont Circuit, R. O. Wier.

Lentzville Circuit, P. P. Riley.

Moulton Circuit, M. R. Smith.

Courtland Station, Charles Taylor.

Town Creek Circuit, M. L. Whitten.

Union Hill Circuit, R. H. McDade.

Hartsell's Circuit, W. T. Pattillo.

Somerville Circuit, E. W. Jones.

Cullman Station, D. S. McDonald.

East Decatur Mission, R. T. Bentley.

Athens Station, H. G. Davis.

Cambridge Circuit, to be supplied by R. H. Smith.

Trinity Station, J. W. Worsnop.

Hillsboro and Mooresville, G. E. Boyd.

Chapel Hill Circuit, to be supplied by T. B. Parker.

Danville Circuit, T. W. Hays.

Falkville Circuit, W. P. McDonald.

Athens Female College, Howard W. Key, President.

#### FLORENCE DISTRICT.

*J. A. Heard, P. E.*

Florence Station, A. West.

Oakland Circuit, A. J. Maddox.

Cypress Circuit, H. L. Booth.

Center Star Circuit, to be supplied.

Tuscumbia Station, G. L. Jenkins.

Russellville Station, M. N. Morris.

Pleasant Site Circuit, E. P. Craddock.

Colbert Circuit, to be supplied by W. A. Randle.

Leighton Station, to be supplied by W. S. Hawkins.

Florence Mission, S. F. Matthews.

Waterloo Circuit, G. L. Crow.

Lexington Circuit, J. R. Turner.

Sheffield Station, W. F. Andrews.

Leighton Circuit, H. T. Strout.

Bel Green Mission, to be supplied by M. L. White.

Cherokee Station, W. M. McIntosh.

Newberg Circuit, J. S. Davis.

#### GADSDEN DISTRICT.

*W. E. Mabry, P. E.*

Gadsden Station, S. L. Dobbs.

Gadsden Circuit, J. T. Millican.

Atalla Station, D. Leith.

Collinsville Circuit, W. B. Bayless.  
 Valley Head Circuit, C. M. Rice.  
 Lookout Mountain Mission, to be supplied  
 by S. E. Igou.  
 Cedar Bluff Circuit, S. R. Lester.  
 Hoke's Bluff Circuit, R. Nicholson.  
 Springville Station, J. W. Akin.  
 McTyeire Memorial, E. H. McWhorter.  
 Atalla Circuit, to be supplied by L. M. Har-  
 ris.  
 Fort Payne Station, M. H. Wells.  
 De Kalb Mission, to be supplied by J. B. Cul-  
 pepper.  
 Spring Creek Circuit, H. P. Berry.  
 Center Circuit, T. A. Kerr.  
 Ashville Circuit, G. E. Driskill.  
 Black Creek Mission, to be supplied by S. F.  
 Foreman.

## GUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT.

*M. E. Butt, P. E.*

Guntersville Station, J. I. Williams.  
 Summit Circuit, to be supplied by L. C. Sims.  
 Blountsville and Hanceville, L. F. Whitten.  
 Mt. Pinson and Remlap Circuit, R. J. Wil-  
 son.  
 Warrior and Blount Springs, I. Q. Melton.  
 Walnut Grove Circuit, T. B. McCain.  
 Albertville Circuit, J. T. Black.  
 Langston Circuit, B. H. O. Cochran.  
 Coalburg Circuit, J. F. Rudisill.  
 Columbus City Circuit, to be supplied by J.  
 R. Crawford.  
 Warrenton Mission, to be supplied by E. N.  
 Pitts.  
 Cleveland Circuit, J. Warren.  
 Murphree's Valley Circuit, J. H. Braswell.  
 Morris Circuit, to be supplied by W. M.  
 Yarbrough.  
 Arkadelphia Circuit, to be supplied by J. H.  
 Hamilton.  
 South Hill Circuit, W. F. Barnes.  
 Baileyton Circuit, to be supplied by G. W.  
 Green.

## HUNTSVILLE DISTRICT.

*F. T. J. Brandon, P. E.*

Huntsville Station, J. E. Simpson.  
 Madison Station, Ed Fulmer.  
 Meridianville Circuit, R. A. Thompson.  
 New Market Station, D. W. Ward.  
 Maysville Circuit, J. C. Persinger.  
 Vienna Circuit, J. M. Igou.  
 Huntsville Mission, F. W. Brandon.  
 Triana Circuit, R. I. Walston.  
 Hazel Green Circuit, to be supplied by J. B.  
 Andrews.  
 Gurley and Paint Rock, W. K. Simpson.  
 Paint Rock Circuit, D. T. Dye.  
 Scottsboro Station, W. W. Dorman.  
 Bridgeport Station, J. H. Leslie.  
 Bridgeport Mission, to be supplied.  
 Larkinsville Circuit, C. L. Herring.  
 Stevenson Circuit, J. W. Cary.  
 Fabins Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Sharp's Mountain Mission, to be supplied by  
 George Gibson.

Huntsville Female College, A. B. Jones,  
 President.  
 Huntsville District High School, J. D. Ellis,  
 Principal.

## JASPER DISTRICT.

*P. K. Brindley, P. E.*

Jasper, C. M. Hensley.  
 Corona Circuit, Robert Wilson.  
 Luxapalila Circuit, to be supplied by W. I.  
 Gregory.  
 Sulligent Circuit, I. B. Sargent.  
 Hamilton Circuit, J. W. Cowan.  
 Fayette Circuit, to be supplied by J. V. Em-  
 erson.  
 Carbon Hill Circuit, S. B. Smith.  
 South Lowell Mission, to be supplied by W.  
 C. Owen.  
 Winston Mission, to be supplied by D. L.  
 Wright.  
 Cordova Circuit, W. L. Rice.  
 Fayette Station, J. W. Shoemaker.  
 Fern Bank Circuit, A. J. Chappell.  
 Vernon Circuit, W. A. Montgomery.  
 Detroit Circuit, to be supplied by W. L.  
 Miles.  
 Beaverton Mission, to be supplied by R. C.  
 Flippo.  
 Eldridge Mission, to be supplied by S. H.  
 Wilson.  
 Falls Mission, to be supplied by W. W. Davis.  
 Godfrey Mission, D. W. Bouilly.

## LA FAYETTE DISTRICT.

*L. A. Darsey, P. E.*

La Fayette Station, J. F. Sturdivant.  
 Fredonia Circuit, G. G. Smith.  
 Dadeville and Alexander City, J. H. McCoy.  
 Pinckneyville Circuit, H. S. Matthews.  
 Goodwater Circuit, J. W. Tucker.  
 Rockford Circuit, E. B. Norton.  
 Lineville Circuit, R. A. Speer.  
 Wedowee Circuit, to be supplied by C. B.  
 Cole.  
 Penton Circuit, W. F. Herndon.  
 Oak Bowery Circuit, Z. A. Dowling.  
 Roanoke Circuit, D. L. Parish.  
 Daviston Circuit, E. V. L. Finch.  
 Camp Hill Circuit, W. W. Turner; L. M. Wil-  
 son, J. N. Dupree, Sup.  
 Coosa Mission, to be supplied by S. B. Stew-  
 art.  
 Mellow Valley Mission, to be supplied by  
 W. Walker.  
 Rock Mills Circuit, to be supplied by R. S.  
 Snuggs.

## TALLADEGA DISTRICT.

*J. T. Morris, P. E.*

Talladega Station, W. T. Andrews.  
 Munford Circuit, J. T. Wilkins.  
 Coosa Valley Circuit, R. W. Coons.  
 Harpersville Circuit, W. McD. Howell.  
 Celera and Helena, C. L. Dobbs.  
 Columbiana Circuit, T. K. Tierce.  
 Chandler Springs Mission, to be supplied by  
 R. L. Wilson.

Talladega Circuit, J. W. Spencer.  
 Plantersville Circuit, W. B. Andrews.  
 Leeds and Irondale, Sam Gay.  
 Pelham Circuit, C. E. McGiboney.  
 Montevallo Circuit, T. M. Wilson.  
 Fayetteville Circuit, T. P. Roberts.  
 Wilsonville Circuit, L. A. Holmes.  
 Alabama Methodist Orphanage, S. P. West,  
 Agent.

## TUSCALOOSA DISTRICT.

*R. A. Timmons, P. E.*

Tuscaloosa Station, J. W. Newman.  
 Northport Circuit, E. D. Emerson.  
 Carrollton Circuit, R. W. Anderson.  
 Kennedy Circuit, R. M. Archibald.  
 Marcumville Circuit, to be supplied.

Hurd's Shoal Mission, to be supplied by O.  
 N. Holmes.  
 Cottondale and Woodstock, W. E. Foust.  
 Northport Station, W. F. Sandford.  
 Gordo Circuit, E. H. Price.  
 Millport Circuit, R. S. Hullett.  
 Berry Circuit, R. B. Baird.  
 Sipsev Mission, to be supplied by W. T.  
 Daniel.  
 Tuscaloosa Circuit, T. O. Jones.  
 Blocton Station, J. J. Crow.  
 Brookwood and Mission, W. S. Reid.

*Transferred.*—C. C. O'Neal, L. G. Johnson,  
 to the North Georgia Conference; A. S.  
 Whitehurst, to the North Texas Conference;  
 W. M. Wade, to the Los Angeles Conference;  
 W. B. Wilson, to the Alabama Conference.

## MEXICAN BORDER MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT SAN MARCOS, TEX., OCT. 19-21, 1892.

BISHOP HAYGOOD, *President*; T. DEL VALLE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. T. Valencia Grado, Felix Tavarez,  
 J. Velazquez Arellano. 3.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Antonio  
 Hoersch, Carlos Cantu, F. N. Galvan, P. M.  
 Armendariz. 4.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? M. C.  
 Perez. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-  
 nection? Andres Osuna, J. J. Mercado. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer  
 from other Conferences? J. W. Grimes,  
 from the Central Mexico Conference; V. P.  
 Rubin, Ignacio Escalante, from the North-  
 west Mexico Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year?  
 M. V. Pineda, J. M. Chavez. 2.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are  
 elected deacons? Andres Osuna, J. J. Mer-  
 cado. 2.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are or-  
 dained deacons? Andres Osuna, J. J. Mer-  
 cado. 2.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected  
 deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are or-  
 dained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are  
 elected elders? C. J. Quesenberry. 1.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are or-  
 dained elders? C. J. Quesenberry.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected  
 elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are or-  
 dained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year?  
 None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? Igna-  
 cio Escalante. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died dur-  
 ing the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless  
 in their life and official administration?  
 Their names were called over, one by one,  
 and their character examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local  
 preachers and members in the several cir-  
 cuits, stations, and missions of the Confer-  
 ence?

## Monterey District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Monterey.....	40	2
Monterey (English Congregation).....	20	.....
Saltillo.....	20	.....
San Francisco.....	3	1
Villalidama.....	9	.....
Huajuco and Cadereyta.....	48	1
Lampazos.....	18	.....
Laredo.....	188	4
	346	8

## San Antonio District.

San Antonio.....	86	2
Lodi.....	194	1
Medina and Bandera.....	114	3
San Marcos.....	77	3
Austin.....	46	1
Corpus Christi.....	34	.....
San Diego.....	89	.....
	640	10

*Tamaulipas District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Camargo and Rio Grande.....	37	.....
Mier and Guerrero.....	65	1
Agualeguas.....	23	.....
Cerralvo.....	12	.....
Rio de San Juan.....	21	.....
Reynosa.....	69	.....
	227	1

*Monclova District.*

Porfirio Diaz.....	61	1
Monclova.....	22	2
San Buenaventura.....	24	.....
Cuatro Cienegas.....	17	.....
Muzquiz.....	33	.....
Zaragoza and Guerrero.....	58	1
Del Rio.....	107	.....
	322	4

*Recapitulation.*

Monterey District.....	346	8
San Antonio District.....	640	10
Tamaulipas District.....	227	1
Monclova District.....	322	4
Total this year.....	1,535	23
Total last year.....	1,498	27
Increase.....	37	.....
Decrease.....		4

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 153.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 170.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 66.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 126.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,558.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$200.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$181. Kept on deposit.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$594.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$226.70.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 15; value, \$22,175.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 5; value, \$2,080.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Schools and colleges, 6; teachers, 29;

scholars, 553. A joint interest in the South-western University.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Monterey, Mex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year.

MONTEREY DISTRICT.

*J. W. Grimes, P. E.*

Monterey Station, V. P. Rubin.  
Monterey Circuit, to be supplied by Urbano Osuna.

Monterey (English), B. G. Marsh; one to be supplied.

Saltillo, Andres Osuna.  
Villaldama and Lampazos, Eulalio Chavez.  
Laredo, A. R. Cardenas.

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT.

*D. W. Carter, P. E.*

San Antonio, P. G. Verdusco.  
Austin and San Marcos, T. del Valle.  
Picoso, Santos Romo.  
Luling, J. P. Rodriguez.  
Bandera, Basilio Soto.  
Corpus Christi and San Diego, M. D. San Miguel, Encarnacion Rodriguez.

TAMAULIPAS DISTRICT.

*Andres San Miguel, P. E.*

Mier, Matilde Treviño.  
Camargo and Rio Grande, P. M. Armendariz.  
Reynosa, Carlos Cantu.  
Agualeguas, Luis Gomez.  
China, Felix Tavarez.  
Guerrero, C. J. Que-enberry.  
Cerralvo, M. V. Pineda.

MONCLOVA DISTRICT.

*Santiago Tafolla, P. E.*

Monclova, J. J. Mercado, J. M. Chavez.  
San Buenaventura, Antonio Hoesch.  
Cuatro Cienegas, Josue Acosta.  
Muzquiz, T. Valencia Grado.  
Porfirio Diaz, J. Velazquez Arellano.  
Allende, C. A. Rodriguez.  
Del Rio, F. N. Galvan.  
Property Agent of the three Conferences,  
Agent of the Educational Interests in the  
Conference, and Treasurer, J. W. Grimes.

## MEMPHIS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MAYFIELD, KENTUCKY, NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 5, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; WARNER MOORE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Warner Moore, Jr., John C. Wilson, Herschel V. Johnson, Thomas P. Clarke, Henry C. Nance, Thomas J. Featherston, Thomas S. Stratton. 7.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John W. Joyner, Lloyd T. Ward, Byron C. Roach, Robert W. Nance, Robert E. Brasfield, John C. Wells, Robert S. Harrison. 7.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Henry C. Johnson, James H. Felts, William E. Sewell, Joseph B. Pearson, Benjamin B. Thomas, Numa R. Waters, Henry H. Tolley, Robert L. Stanley, John M. Pickens. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? George H. Hodge. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? H. W. Brooks, from the Little Rock Conference; J. C. Hooks, from the White River Conference; Jacob F. Carl, from the Tennessee Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? William A. Russell, Thaddeus E. Smith, William T. Elinore, Pleasant G. Throgmorton. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Henry C. Johnson, Numa R. Waters, Henry H. Tolley, Robert L. Stanley, John M. Pickens. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Henry C. Johnson, Numa R. Waters, Henry H. Tolley, Robert L. Stanley, John H. Pickens. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Job W. C. Fain, James M. Hamil, David P. Halley, Reuben C. Douglas, Horace L. Orr, Alexander B. Crooks, James R. Womble, John T. Williams, William S. Burks, Thomas J. Featherston. 10.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? J. W. C. Fain, J. M. Hamil, D. P. Halley, R. C. Douglas, H. L. Orr, A. B. Crooks, J. R. Womble, J. T. Williams, T. J. Featherston. 9.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Bedford L. Harris, Lee Sanders, Thomas G. Pettigrew, Richard W. Hood. 4.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? B. L. Harris, Lee Sanders, T. G. Pettigrew, R. W. Wood. 4.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Joseph W. Wallace. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? J. H. Cason. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? O. P. Parker, J. W. Knott, R. V. Taylor, Jere Hoss, B. B. Risenhoover. 5.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? T. L. Boswell, James Major, J. M. Flatt, James Perry, T. P. Holman, John Randle, S. B. Adams, D. C. Wells, D. M. K. Collins, J. A. Fife, W. H. Frost, A. H. Thomas, J. A. Russell, A. N. Sears, E. B. Plummer, Finley Bynum. 16.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Jasper V. Fly, Amos W. Jones. 2.

JASPER V. FLY was born in Yellowbusha County, Miss., August 9, 1840, and converted to God in his eighteenth year. His father was a local preacher of our Church, a useful and devout man. His mother was an intelligent, pious Christian woman after the old Methodist type, so that our deceased brother had the advantage of the best home training. No sooner than he was converted to God he was moved by the Holy Ghost to preach the gospel, and he was not disobedient to the heavenly calling, but without delay he asked and obtained the authority of the Church of God, and began his life work of calling sinners to Christ. He was admitted on trial in the Memphis Conference at its session held in the city of Memphis in the fall of 1859, and was received into full connection at the session in the city of Jackson, Tenn., in 1861. Brother Fly was twice married: first to Miss Virginia Peeples, who lived only three years, dying in the triumphs of the Christian faith, leaving her husband, one child (a daughter), who is now the wife of Rev. D. M. Evans, a member of this Conference. He was married the second time to Miss Province, in 1869. Four children were the fruits of this marriage, two of whom preceded the father to heaven, so that a wife and three children are left to mourn the death of a loving and devoted husband and a tender and affectionate father. Brother Fly provided well and wisely for his own house, leading all his children to God. The youngest (a daughter) was converted to God July last in the family of Rev. D. M. Evans, so that those of his family left on earth are only temporarily separated from their father, as they are all now living in bright hopes of a reunion in heaven. At the last session of the Conference, held in Covington,



Tenn., Brother Fly was appointed to the Randolph Circuit, at which session he was taken sick with what was afterward determined to be an attack of brain fever, accompanied with nervous prostration. He was able to reach his home in Paducah, and after seventeen days of severe suffering he died. His mortal remains were taken from the residence to Third Street Methodist Church, where appropriate services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Waters, assisted by Rev. G. W. Wilson, of Broadway Church, and Rev. Dr. A. P. Waterfield. Then, the last funeral rites being over, the Knights of Honor took charge, and bore the body to Oak Grove Cemetery, where it was interred in the presence of a large audience of citizens, friends, and the family. Brother Fly was appointed to circuit work in North Mississippi, West Tennessee, and Southwest Kentucky from the time of his admission into the Conference to the time of his death, except four years, during which time he held a supernumerary relation. He was a devout, fervent Christian preacher, doing his work faithfully and acceptably, and much beloved by the membership he was appointed to serve. He had many seals to his ministry; and many, in the great day of the Lord, will rise up and call him blessed. Although mentally depressed during his last sickness, and almost constantly in a state of delirium, his ministerial work seemed always present with him and on his mind; and when asked, shortly before the last moment came, by his physician what he wished, he replied: "I want the world for Christ."

AMOS W. JONES, the widely and favorably known President of the Memphis Conference Female Institute, died in Jackson, Tenn., September 13, 1892, at the age of seventy-six years, eight months, and sixteen days. He was the son of worthy parents, born in Lewisburg, N. C., December 28, 1815. At the age of twelve years he was "born again," and, uniting himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church, thenceforward lived an upright, consistent, and useful life. When and where he received license to preach we have not been able to learn, but we find him a preacher while yet a student in Randolph-Macon College, Va., where he graduated with the highest honors of his class, receiving his diploma at the hands of Dr. L. C. Garland, now the venerable Chancellor of Vanderbilt University. His solidity of character and superior scholarship were at once recognized. The Board of Trustees elected him tutor in the college, and he entered upon his work at the opening of the next session. Here he married a lady of superior culture and of considerable wealth, but she dying soon after the birth of her firstborn, now the Rev. A. B. Jones, D. D., he resigned his position in the college, and was admitted on trial into the

North Carolina Conference in the fall of 1839, and into full connection in 1841. He traveled here several years, filling among other appointments Pittsboro and New Berne Stations, the latter at that time one of the strongest appointments in the Conference. In 1846 or 1847, at the solicitation of his friend, Rev. Lorenzo Lea, he transferred to the Memphis Conference, and having married again, and possessing a number of slaves, purchased a farm near Jackson, and was appointed professor in the Memphis Conference Female Institute, then presided over by Brother Lea. In 1854 he succeeded Brother Lea in the presidency of the institute, and from that time was regularly appointed to that position, having been, at his death, connected with it as professor and President forty-five years. He was probably, at his death, the oldest educator of young women in the South, at least having been engaged in that important work a greater number of consecutive years than any other man. Dr. Jones was married four times. First, as we have seen, while a tutor in Randolph-Macon College, and the last time only a few years ago. His last wife survives him, having most tenderly and lovingly ministered to him in his increasing years and infirmities, and mourns now her desolate lot. Thirteen children in all were born unto him, five of whom are now living, all faithful members of the Church of which their father was an honored minister, his sons eminent in their professions, and his two daughters cultured women worthily married. The virtues of Dr. Jones were many. He was the very soul of honor, scorning every ignoble thing, and as modest as a refined and pure woman. Chaste in thought as well as in word and act, every unclean thing was abhorrent to him. In nature gentle, easily yielding to entreaty, a lover of peace, and hating contention and strife, he might have been mistaken for a weak character; but where principle, honor, or truth were involved no man possessed greater firmness. In his family and in his school his discipline was mild, tender, persuasive, gently drawing all hearts to him, willing to render a loving obedience, but as occasion required he was as firm as the most rigid could demand. In the early days of Christianity or in the time of the Inquisition he would have been a martyr. Had all the world gone astray and repudiated the Christian religion he, like Milton's Abdiel, would have been "faithful found among the faithless." Emotional but not excitable, calm but not indifferent, reserved but not reticent, there was always a quiet undercurrent of feeling that trembled in his voice whenever he spoke of his religious life and his hope of heaven that showed plainly that he "kept himself in the love of God," while he sought constantly "to build himself up upon his holy faith." If it be true—and we doubt not it is—that the greatest need of every country

is educated mothers, then he who gives his life to the proper training of the future mothers of the land is laying broad and deep the foundations for the stability and prosperity of both Church and State. This was his life work, and well and faithfully did he perform it. Many hundreds of young ladies passed under his molding hand, educated in heart as well as in mind, and wherever they live they are among the noblest women of our land, and wherever found they breathe his name with reverence and love. How much of this work was gratuitously done the world will never know; but many, unable to bear the expenses, were boarded and educated by him, his only reward being their love and the consciousness that he was doing good. With such a life, if it had pleased the great Father to give him an unclouded intellect in dying, and a consciousness that his departure was at hand, he surely would have said with St. Paul: "I am ready. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith; henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me in that day." His life says it, though his lips spoke it not.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Memphis District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Memphis: First Church.....	609		2
Central Church.....	603		1
Hernando Street Church.....	421		2
Pennsylvania Avenue Church ..	301		1
Mississippi Avenue Church.....	154		1
Saffaran Street Church.....	124		
Springdale Circuit.....	359		1
Bartlett Circuit.....	165		2
Arlington and Gratitude.....	241		2
Longstreet and Stevenson.....	162		
Germantown and Bethlehem.....	156		1
Collierville Circuit.....	364		3
Macon Circuit.....	283		
La Grange and Saulsbury.....	220		
Middleton Circuit.....	241		1
Williston Circuit.....	248		1
Embury Circuit.....	304		1
Millington Circuit.....	290		1
Island 35 and Rich and.....	72		
Randolph Circuit.....	383		1
	5,680		21

*Brownsville District.*

Brownsville Station.....	437		
Brownsville Circuit.....	523		2
Woodville Circuit.....	398		1
Bell's Station.....	166		
Alamo Circuit.....	595		1
Stanton and Mason.....	158		
Braden Circuit.....	481		
Belmont Circuit.....	295		1
Somerville Station.....	191		
New Castle Circuit.....	276		1
Danceyville Circuit.....	353		1

*Brownsville District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Denmark Circuit.....	407		1
Whiteville Circuit.....	319		1
Toone Circuit.....	340		2
Bolivar Circuit.....	279		
Alamo Station.....	62		
	5,283		11

*Jackson District.*

Jackson: First Church.....	552		1
Hayes Avenue.....	317		1
West Jackson.....	110		
City Mission and Leste.'s Chapel	75		
Jackson Circuit.....	619		2
Humboldt Station.....	301		
Trenton Station.....	271		
Trenton Circuit.....	553		3
Dyer Circuit.....	502		1
Bradford Circuit.....	419		4
Milan Station.....	210		3
Medina Circuit.....	600		3
Milan Circuit.....	387		
Spring Creek Circuit.....	393	1	2
Pinson Circuit.....	522		1
Henderson Circuit.....	325		1
	6,147	1	22

*Dyersburg District.*

Dyersburg Station.....	385		3
Dyersburg Circuit.....	352		1
Hale's Point Mission.....	218		2
Curve Circuit.....	525		3
Ripley and Durhamville.....	412		1
Ripley Circuit.....	492		2
Henning Circuit.....	280		
Covington Station.....	284		3
Covington Circuit.....	347		1
Mt. Zion and Bethuel.....	300		1
Brighton Mission.....	155		4
Friendship Circuit.....	900		6
Newbern Station.....	252		2
Newbern Circuit.....	524		3
Trimble Circuit.....	303		1
Wilsonville Circuit.....	485	1	2
Kenton and Rutherford.....	263		1
	6,477	1	36

*Union City District.*

Union City Station.....	580		3
Union City Circuit.....	600		3
Coyce Circuit.....	810		
Hickman Station.....	200		
Lake Bluff Mission.....	270		
Tiptonville Circuit.....	456		3
Troy Circuit.....	262		4
Harris Circuit.....	453		
Fulton Station.....	260		3
Fulton Circuit.....	592		9
Water Valley Circuit.....	439		4
Gardner Circuit.....	525		4
Martin Station.....	241		1
Martin Circuit.....	496		1
Dresden Station.....	143		
Sharon Circuit.....	573		1
Greenfield Circuit.....	300		
	7,203		36

*Paducah District.*

Paducah: Broadway.....	680		1
Third Street.....	234		1
Woodville Circuit.....	752		5
Paducah Circuit.....	207		
Milburn Circuit.....	425		5
Clinton Station.....	218		1
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	398		3
Spring Hill and Shiloh.....	365		1
Wickliffe Circuit.....	260		
Columbus Station.....	66		
Moseow Circuit.....	503		1
Bardwell and Arlington.....	348		
Wingo Circuit.....	350		3
Mayfield Circuit.....	463		7
Mayfield Station.....	295		2

Paducah District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Farmington Circuit.....	727		3
Briensburg Circuit.....	473		3
	6,744		36

Paris District.

Paris Station.....	285		2
Paris Circuit.....	300		
McKenzie Station.....	227		7
McLenzie Circuit.....	280		1
Gleason Circuit.....	539		
Trezevant Circuit.....	443		3
Manleyville Circuit.....	715		3
Big Sandy Circuit.....	201		1
Faxon Circuit.....	330		
Conyersville Circuit.....	530	2	1
Cottage Grove Circuit.....	434		1
Lynnville Circuit.....	415		1
New Providence Circuit.....	620		3
Murray Circuit.....	860		6
Benton Station.....	157		1
Benton Circuit.....	440		3
Dexter Circuit.....	652		5
	7,431	2	38

Lexington District.

Lexington Mission.....	66		
Lexington Circuit.....	550		4
Mifflin Circuit.....	373		
Huntingdon and Long Rock.....	186		2
Hollow Rock Circuit.....	555		
Camden Circuit.....	645		5
Decaturville and Salt Lick.....	181		2
Decaturville Circuit.....	458		4
Sardis Circuit.....	395		7
Perryville Mission.....	300		1
Sugar Tree Circuit.....	409		4
Bethel and Falcon.....	133		
Crainsville Circuit.....	371		2
Adamsville Circuit.....	655		5
Shiloh Circuit.....	430		1
	5,707		37

Recapitulation.

Memphis District.....	5,630		21
Brownsville District.....	5,283		11
Jackson District.....	6,147	1	22
Dyersburg District.....	6,477	1	36
Union City District.....	7,208		36
Paducah District.....	6,744		36
Paris District.....	7,431	2	38
Lexington District.....	5,707		37
Total this year.....	50,672	4	237
Total last year.....	50,012	3	239
Increase.....	660	1	
Decrease.....			2

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 884.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,531.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 471½.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,420.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 28,070.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,850.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$4,815. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,373.02; Domestic Missions, \$2,350.67. Total, \$11,723.69.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,590.96.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 479½; value, \$765,826.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 89 5-6; value, \$131,291.65.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Schools, 6; pupils, 313; value of property, \$55,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Central Church, Memphis, Tenn.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

MEMPHIS DISTRICT.

R. H. Mahon, P. E.

Memphis: First Church, W. G. Miller; J. W. Knott, Sup.

Central, A. Monk.

Hernando Street, H. B. Johnson.

Pennsylvania Avenue, R. M. King.

Saffaran Street, W. W. Adams.

Mississippi Avenue, H. C. Johnson.

Springdale Circuit, W. D. Jenkins.

Bartlett Circuit, B. H. Thomas.

Arlington and Gratitude, J. M. Maxwell.

Longstreet and Stevenson, T. G. Pettigrew.

Germantown and Bethlehem, E. B. Graham.

Collierville Station, G. W. Banks.

Rossville and Moscow, H. H. Tolley.

Macon Circuit, R. Y. Blackwell.

La Grange and Saulsbury, J. P. Walker.

Middleton Circuit, G. H. Hodge.

Williston Circuit, B. F. Peeples.

Embury Circuit, C. D. Hilliard.

Millington Circuit, W. T. Elmore.

Randolph Circuit, B. L. Harris.

BROWNSVILLE DISTRICT.

W. C. Johnson, P. E.

Brownsville Station, J. G. Clark.

Brownsville Circuit, W. J. Mecoy.

Woodville Circuit, G. T. Peeples.

Bell's Station, W. L. Duckworth.

Alamo Station, Warner Moore, Jr.

Alamo Circuit, W. A. Dungan.

Stanton and Mason, J. R. Hardin.

Braden Circuit, W. M. Midyett.

Belmont Circuit, Van D. Humphrey.

Somerville Station, J. W. Blackard.

New Castle Circuit, A. S. Taylor; R. V. Taylor, Sup.

Danceyville Circuit, M. F. Leake.

Denmark Circuit, A. C. Smith.

Whiteville Circuit, H. J. Turner.

Toone Mission, D. A. Ross.

Bolivar Circuit, J. T. Wiggins.

JACKSON DISTRICT.

J. H. Evans, P. E.

Jackson: First Church, J. W. Lowrance.

Hayes Avenue, J. M. Scott.

West Jackson, W. A. Russell.

City Mission, A. L. Pritchett.

Jackson Circuit, B. C. Roach.  
 Humboldt Station, E. K. Bransford.  
 Trenton Station, J. H. Roberts.  
 Trenton Circuit, D. M. Evans; O. P. Parker,  
 Sup.  
 Dyer Circuit, L. T. Ward.  
 Bradford Circuit, J. B. Pearson.  
 Milan Station, B. F. Blackmon.  
 Medina Circuit, J. H. Warmoth.  
 Milan Circuit, T. J. Simmons.  
 Spring Creek Circuit, R. W. Nance.  
 Pinson Circuit, R. W. Hood.  
 Henderson and Montezuma, T. G. Throg-  
 morton.  
 Lane Institute, T. F. Sanders, Principal.  
 Memphis Conference Female Institute, J. H.  
 Evans, Vice Regent.

## DYERSBURG DISTRICT.

*A. R. Wilson, P. E.*

Dyersburg Station, H. W. Brooks.  
 Dyersburg Circuit, John C. Wilson.  
 Hale's Point Mission, to be supplied.  
 Curve Circuit, E. E. Hamilton.  
 Ripley Station, G. W. Evans.  
 Ripley Circuit, W. F. Barrier.  
 Henning Circuit, W. A. Cook.  
 Covington Station, G. T. Sullivan.  
 Covington Circuit, S. F. Chambers.  
 Mt. Zion and Bethuel, J. S. Renshaw.  
 Brighton Mission, J. W. Joyner.  
 Friendship Circuit, T. P. Ramsey.  
 Newbern Station, G. H. Martin.  
 Newbern Circuit, R. L. Norman.  
 Trimble Circuit, P. H. Fields.  
 Wilsonville Circuit, S. B. Love.  
 Kenton and Rutherford, A. C. Moore.

## PARIS DISTRICT.

*W. A. Freeman, P. E.*

Paris Station, N. P. Ramsey.  
 Paris Circuit, J. G. Jones.  
 McKenzie Station, S. L. Jewell.  
 McKenzie Circuit, H. V. Johnson.  
 Gleason Circuit, H. B. Owens.  
 Trezevant Circuit, H. C. Gamble.  
 Manleyville Circuit, N. R. Waters.  
 Big Sandy Circuit, W. A. Diggs.  
 Conyersville Circuit, J. C. Wells.  
 Lynnville Circuit, C. A. Coleman.  
 Cottage Grove Circuit, T. N. Wilkes.  
 New Providence Circuit, Lee Sanders; B. B.  
 Risenhoover, Sup.  
 Crossland Circuit, J. H. Cole.  
 Murray Circuit, C. C. Bell.  
 Hico Circuit, G. W. Hardin.  
 Benton Mission, T. F. Cason.  
 Oak Level Circuit, J. S. Carl.  
 Conference Colporter, R. W. Newsom.

## PADUCAH DISTRICT.

*J. M. Spence, P. E.*

Paducah: Broadway, E. B. Ramsey.  
 Third Street Mission, J. C. Hooks.

Trimble Street Mission, W. E. Sewell.  
 Woodville Circuit, R. H. Pigue.  
 Paducah Circuit, W. B. Matthews.  
 Milburn Circuit, W. J. Naylor.  
 Clinton Station, G. K. Brooks.  
 Mt. Pleasant Circuit, N. W. Lee.  
 Spring Hill and Shiloh, R. L. West.  
 Wickliffe Circuit, Thomas E. Clark.  
 Columbus Station, W. J. Carlton.  
 Moscow Circuit, C. A. Haskell.  
 Bardwell and Arlington, M. M. Taylor.  
 Wingo Circuit, W. T. C. Young.  
 Mayfield Circuit, J. G. Burks.  
 Mayfield Station, Warner Moore.  
 Farmington Circuit, R. E. Humphrey.  
 Briensburg Circuit, A. L. Dallas.

## UNION CITY DISTRICT.

*W. T. Harris, P. E.*

Union City Station, W. G. Heffley.  
 Union City Circuit, C. J. Mauldin.  
 Cayce Circuit, R. E. Brasfield.  
 Hickman Station, W. C. Waters.  
 Lake Bluff Mission, H. C. Nance.  
 Tiptonville Circuit, J. D. Sullivan.  
 Troy Circuit, W. O. Lanier.  
 Harris Circuit, T. J. Featherston.  
 Fulton Station, G. W. Wilson.  
 Fulton Circuit, J. W. Waters.  
 Water Valley Station, J. T. C. Collins.  
 Dukedom Circuit, S. Weaver.  
 Gardner Circuit, J. B. Knight.  
 Martin Station, W. C. Sellers.  
 Martin Circuit, J. H. Witt.  
 Dresden Station, E. H. Stewart.  
 Sharon Circuit, J. A. Moody.  
 Greenfield Circuit, J. R. Bell.  
 McFerrin College, T. J. McGill, Agent.

## LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

*Wellborn Mooney, P. E.*

Lexington Station, S. H. Williams.  
 Lexington Circuit, J. H. Garrett.  
 Mifflin Circuit, J. M. Pickens.  
 Huntingdon and Long Rock, A. J. Mead-  
 ers.  
 Hollow Rock Circuit, William Murray.  
 Camden Circuit, J. L. Weaver.  
 Decaturville and Saltillo, J. H. Felts.  
 Sardis Circuit, J. F. Carl.  
 Perryville Mission, Thomas S. Stratton.  
 Sugar Tree Circuit, W. F. Walker.  
 Bethel and Falcon, B. A. Hayes.  
 Crainsville Circuit, R. S. Harrison.  
 Adamsville Circuit, D. L. Hines.  
 Shiloh Circuit, N. R. Marr.  
 Decaturville, J. E. Treadwell.

*Transferred.*—T. E. Smith, to the Northwest  
 Texas Conference, and appointed to Graham  
 Station; W. H. Evans, to the St. Louis Con-  
 ference, and stationed at Caruthersville; A.  
 L. Stanley, to the St. Louis Conference, and  
 appointed to Zalma Circuit.

SOUTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT COLUMBUS, GA., DECEMBER 14-19, 1892.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; W. C. LOVETT, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Samuel E. Allison, Osgood F. Cook, Charles W. Littlejohn, William M. Blich, Charles A. Jackson, Joel Cowart. 6.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? H. C. Jones, C. E. Choate, R. S. McCord, George W. Childress, Jeremy M. Glenn, W. N. Ainsworth, Jesse M. Aldridge, Aaron Kelley, Robert M. Wesley, M. J. Adams, J. D. Snider, John M. Outler, J. A. Weatton, G. P. Pournelle, Edward L. Tucker. 15.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? A. J. Beall, G. W. M. Luke, Logan W. Peeples—at their own request. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Rufus B. Ross, M. F. Beals, D. D. Bateman, G. P. Reviere, Rufus M. Allison, J. A. Harman, William C. Brewton, Charles E. Crawley. J. C. Guinn and W. A. Morgan, not having stood the examination, remain in class of the third year. 10.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? H. W. Joiner, E. M. Wright. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. C. Black, from the Mississippi Conference; J. M. Lowry, from the North Georgia Conference; J. A. Wright, from the West Texas Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? J. H. Mather, J. W. Tinley, E. F. Morgan, E. D. Philips, C. E. Crawley, I. C. G. Rabun, C. T. Clarke, T. W. Ellis, Harrison Stubbs, J. A. Harman. 10.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? R. B. Ross, M. F. Beals, D. D. Bateman, W. C. Brewton. 4.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? R. B. Ross, M. F. Beals, D. D. Bateman, W. C. Brewton. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Miles G. Wade, Raiford R. Hamilton, Aaron Kelley, L. U. Peeples, J. M. Aldredge, C. E. Choate. 6.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Miles G. Wade, Raiford R. Hamilton, Aaron Kelley, L. U. Peeples, J. M. Aldridge, C. E. Choate. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Freeman L. Stokes, L. R. Allison, J. W. Connors, J. M. Boland, D. F. Miles, E. F. Cook, O. B. Chester, John C. Flanders, W. C. Jones, J. S. Mimms, J. W. Foy, T. R. McMichael, John P. Dickenson, J. S. Funderburk, C. H. McCord, J. Shirah, J. C. Parker, B. F. Bales, W. C. Glenn, G. B. Culpepper. 20.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Freeman L. Stokes, L. R. Allison, J. W. Connors, J. M. Boland, D. F. Miles, E. F. Cook, O. B. Chester, John C. Flanders, W. C. Jones, J. T. Mimms, J. W. Foy, T. R. McMichael, John P. Dickenson, J. S. Funderburk, C. H. McCord, J. Shirah, J. C. Parker, B. F. Bales, W. C. Glenn, G. B. Culpepper. 20.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? H. W. Joiner, John H. Taylor. 2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? H. W. Joiner, John H. Taylor. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Gordon T. Roberts, T. B. Reams—at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? C. H. Carson, S. S. Sweet, C. J. Toole, W. C. Davis, J. W. Burke, L. B. Payne, L. A. Snow. 7.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? F. R. C. Ellis, S. G. Childs, W. H. Thomas, T. B. Lanier, W. F. Bearden, W. F. Roberts, W. S. Baker, J. M. Marshall, J. B. Wardlaw, T. K. Leonard, R. B. Lester, J. J. Giles, W. T. McMichael, J. M. Austin, W. W. Tidwell, D. R. McWilliams. 16.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? N. D. Morehouse, J. D. Mauldin, W. M. Watts. 3.

NORMAN DAVID MOREHOUSE was born to Joseph M. and Mary Morehouse, in Kent Plains, Conn., August 21, 1839. When he was about eight years of age, the family removed to Screven County, Ga., where he grew to manhood. Piously trained, he was deeply impressed with the truth and importance of the Christian religion while yet young in years. In 1859, when about twenty years of age, he was happily converted in a meeting held at Bascom Academy, and united at once with the Methodist Church. He began zealously to work for the salvation of others; and soon felt moved by the Holy Spirit, to the work of the ministry; and about three months after he joined the Church he was licensed to preach the gospel. A portion of the next year, 1860, he served the Louisville Circuit, in Jefferson County, as a supply. The following winter he joined the Georgia Conference, and began his life-work as an itinerant Methodist preacher. In 1861 the modest, retiring, but rather gifted young preacher, was sent to the Louis-

ville Circuit. How he did his work, and with what effect, we have no means of judging. We suppose, from the earnestness and fidelity which ever characterized the man, that it was well and honestly done. In 1852 he served the Springfield Circuit, in the Savannah District. He was sent to the Waynesboro Circuit in 1863-64. In 1864, on the eighteenth day of May, he was joined in holy wedlock with Amanda A. Rhan, of Guyton, Effingham County, Ga., who entered with him at once upon his itinerant work. What a devoted and efficient helpmate she was is known and read of all. As the product of that union, they reared to manhood two sons, and to young womanhood two daughters; and they buried at Blackshear, Ga., in April, 1880, a little daughter of eighteen months. In 1865 he served the Bethel Circuit; in 1866, the Springfield; in 1867, the Irwinton; and in 1868, the Camden Circuit. He served the Emanuel Circuit in 1869, and the Sandersville in 1870. In 1871-72 he was on the Springvale Circuit, in Randolph County. In 1873-74 he served the Springfield Circuit. This was his third term of service to that people, who loved him much, as in deed the people did everywhere he went. In 1875-78 he served the Alexander Circuit, Savannah District. He was on the Blackshear and Waycross charge in 1879-81, and on the Boston Circuit, in the Thomasville District, in 1882. In 1883 he took a superannuated relation, on account of a throat affection of which he suffered. But he had studied nothing but preaching, and he knew nothing else; it was his life work; and while thus kept from it he was like a caged bird. And that winter he returned to his "loved employ," and was sent in 1884 to Bainbridge, in the Thomasville District. In 1885 he served the Geneva Circuit, in the Columbus District. He was on the Talbot Circuit in Talbot County, in 1886-89. In 1890-91 he served the Perry Circuit, and was returned to that charge for the Conference year 1892. He had only filled his appointments for one Sabbath of the new Conference year, 1892, when fell disease overtook him, and the hand of death snatched him from us. As a husband, Brother Morehouse was kind, considerate, and faithful; and he leaned with confidence upon the wifely support and coöperation of his consecrated companion. He loved his wife, and felt that he had in her his complement in the work of the pastorate. As a father he was gentle and affectionate, yet firm and decided; and his children respected his authority, and loved him devotedly. As a pastor Brother Morehouse was diffident and retiring. He was by nature so modest and so quiet that the constant social contact with the people, to which pastoral work subjected him, was not at all inviting to him. Hence this feature of his work was not his forte. He would not gad around,

nor take up his time with social visiting here and there. He felt that his calling was higher, and his time and effort were more important. He had a heart full of pity and compassion for the suffering; and, while he thought those who were well and strong might "Go up to the house of the Lord," and receive spiritual food and consolation in the "services of the sanctuary," he would visit the sick, and talk and pray with them. As a preacher he was clear, strong, and sometimes eloquent. Preaching was his forte: if he was a king, the pulpit was his throne. He studied preaching: it was his work, and he gave himself to it. His style was easy, simple, and natural. His language was chaste and often beautiful, and his thought was always good. He studied his subject well, and mastered it as thoroughly as he could. He would not daub Zion's walls with untempered mortar, nor handle the word of God carelessly. He was at home in the pulpit, and it was here you saw him in his strength. He was one of the most guileless and unsuspecting men I ever knew. He was modest to a fault, and as retiring as a girl. But he enjoyed the society of his friends. And he loved his brethren, and his brethren loved him; and he had the confidence of all. But he has gone from us. He suffered a little while, only a few brief days, and passed away without a struggle. On Sunday night, January 3, he fell asleep in the Perry parsonage, to awake up in heaven.

JAMES DANNELLY MAULDIN was born January 9, 1832, in Abbeville, S. C.; and died November 2, 1892, at Tennille, Ga. He was converted and joined the M. E. Church at a tender age, and was ever a true and consecrated Christian. For thirty-three years he was a preacher of the gospel; and though he was not a man of shining talents, he made "full proof of his ministry," never tiring in his holy work till God called him to the reward of his saints. He began his ministerial life in Manatee, Fla., for it was with the Florida Conference that he united, coming into the Georgia Conference with the transfer of the Georgia territory from Florida. His work in the ministry was chiefly in South Georgia, and wherever he labored he gathered fruit which shall abide to the day when the Master shall say: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant: . . . enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." Physically strong, he gave promise of extreme old age. But in January, 1891, it pleased the Lord to smite him with *la grippe*, which undermined his constitution, and left him a constant sufferer from heart disease. In spite of suffering, he prosecuted his holy work; and when physically disabled, sought to declare the gospel of the Son of God. Brother Mauldin was a plain, simple man, unostentatious and humble. He was intelligent, and was well versed in Methodist theology;

but the great mission of his life was to preach Christ and him crucified. He had no vain ambition. He was unselfish and self-denying. His highest aim was to win souls to Christ; and if he failed in this, he felt that his ministry was in vain. No man in the Conference was more faithful; none more consecrated. His life was the best memorial of his fidelity. Devoted to Christ, his great concern was to glorify him by illustrating his doctrines and doing his will. Laboring in humble fields, among lowly people, his Christian example was a model, and his purity, zeal, and patience an inspiration. Honest and sincere, his brethren trusted him; and though his talents were not brilliant, the rust of idleness never tarnished them. He was a true man, a sincere friend, a loving father, a tender husband, a faithful minister of Je-us Christ. During the thirty-three years of his ministerial life he served twenty-three different charges, in all of which he gathered sheaves for the heavenly garner. His remuneration was very small, yet by rigid economy he provided comfortably for his little family, and even saved enough out of his scant living to purchase a humble home. But for this prudent forethought his wife and children would now be without a shelter for their heads. His last days were full of suffering, but his faith in the promises of the Saviour never wavered. When the last moment came, he was peaceful and calm; and though we have heard of no dying testimony, we have what is for better: a consecrated life. His weeping widow needs the sympathy and help of her husband's surviving comrades. It is the pious wish of her heart that their only boy may grow up to walk in the honored father's footsteps. No more will our beloved brother meet in our annual convocations. His place here is vacant forever, but his consistent life on earth gives us assurance that his pure spirit has entered into the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn in heaven. May we all meet him there!

WILLIAM M. WATTS was born in Gwinnett County, Ga., in 1824. He was educated at Old Collinsworth Institute, near Talbotton. He joined the Church early in life; and was licensed to preach in 1849, when twenty-five years of age. In 1851 he was admitted on trial in the old Georgia Conference, and later on received into full membership. In the division of that Conference in 1866 he became a member of the South Georgia Conference, where he remained until 1875, when he transferred to the Florida Conference. Here he remained doing active work until 1884, when his shattered constitution and ill-health forced him to superannuate. In 1885 his health had so improved that he was made effective and transferred back to the South Georgia Conference, where he remained, doing valuable service in some of

our hardest fields, until 1890, when he was forced again to retire from active work, the Conference granting him a superannuated relation. From this time until his journey ended his life was interspersed with bright hopes of an early recovery and return to his loved employ, overshadowed by the return of accumulated evidence of disease and early dissolution. On Tuesday, September 29, 1892, in his sixty-eighth year, at his humble home in Bo-ton, Ga., and surrounded by loving hearts, his gentle spirit rose above the last cloud and began its long, blessed rest in the paradise of God, leaving for us the example and fruits of a Christian character more beautiful than the after glory of any setting sun. Brother Watts was for more than forty years an itinerant preacher, filling faithfully and well every charge committed to his trust. He was faithful in what might have seemed to many others to be little things, both in doctrine and in duty, setting forth the spirit and life of a gospel so broad and simple in its truths, so personal in its meaning and present in its tense that the hearer could not but feel that the "preacher and the message are for me." Our brother had seals to his calling; and while some preceded him, others are following after, keeping step to the songs of redemption made known to them through the inspiration of his ministry. As Mr. Wesley said of our early Methodists, so we may say of our beloved brother: He died well. Mark his triumph. When his pastor asked him, "How is it with you, Brother Watts?" the answer came, "The boat is calmly riding the waves. Indeed! so near the other shore." "What message shall I carry to the brethren of the Conference?" asked the pastor. Again the answer came: "Tell them all is well, all is bright." And as the last words softened on his lips, his boat had touched the other landing, and his spirit was gone.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of McK. F. McCook, who surrendered his credentials.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Savannah District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Savannah: Trinity.....	595	.....	.....
Wesley Monumental.....	521	1	1
City Mission.....	191	.....	.....
Grace.....	369	.....	.....
Guyton.....	258	.....	.....
Eden Circuit.....	549	1	3
Springfield Circuit.....	416	.....	1
Burke Circuit.....	574	.....	.....
Sylvania Circuit.....	608	.....	2
Bethel Circuit.....	517	1	1
Waynesboro Circuit.....	248	.....	.....

Savannah District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Millen Circuit.....	420		
Wadley and Bartow.....	201		1
Scarboro Circuit.....	227		
Jefferson Circuit.....	475		1
Louisville and Davisboro.....	225		
Statesboro Circuit.....	373		3
Bullock Mission.....	206		
Hinton Circuit.....	558	2	6
	7,242	5	19

Macon District.

Macon: Mulberry Street.....	691		2
First Street.....	722		
Vineville.....	124		2
East Macon.....	314		
Centenary.....	362		1
Grace.....	207		
South Macon Mission.....	404		
Babb Circuit.....	424		1
Manchester Mission.....	114		
Byron Circuit.....	457		1
Hawkinsville.....	193		2
Fort Valley.....	342		2
Marshallville and Montezuma.....	331		
Perry Circuit.....	250		
Knoxville Circuit.....	456		
Snow Circuit.....	579		1
Vienna Circuit.....	356		1
Henderson Circuit.....	304		1
	6,630		14

Columbus District.

Columbus: St. Luke.....	810		2
St. Paul.....	554		1
Broad Street.....	342		
Rose Hill.....	255		
East Highlands and Midway.....	213		4
Catania Circuit.....	471		2
Hamilton Circuit.....	349		1
Talbotton.....	224		1
Talbot Circuit.....	363		
Prattsburg Circuit.....	162		
Waverly Hall Circuit.....	380		
Geneva Circuit.....	410		
Bntler Circuit.....	660		2
Cedar Creek.....	242		
Bneua Vista.....	369		2
Marion Circuit.....	439		2
Cusseta Circuit.....	235		
	6,492		17

Americus District.

Americus: First Church.....	405		2
Second Church.....	184		2
La Crosse Circuit.....	176		1
Ellaville Circuit.....	394		1
Oglethorpe Circuit.....	422		4
Magnolia Circuit.....	478		
Sumter and Mission.....	470		1
Richland Circuit.....	238		2
Dawson and Georgetown.....	435		
Brownwood Circuit.....	378		
Terrell Circuit.....	272		
Shellman Circuit.....	392		1
Cuthbert.....	306		1
Randolph Circuit.....	141		
Springvale Circuit.....	450		2
Fort Gaines.....	452		1
Lumpkin Circuit.....	256		
Florence Circuit.....	275		
	6,124		19

Thomasville District.

Thomasville.....	435		3
Albany.....	291		3
Attapulgus Circuit.....	255		
Bainbridge.....	162		
Boston Circuit.....	512		2
Blakely Circuit.....	434		2
Cairo Circuit.....	569		3
Camilla Circuit.....	585		1
Decatur Circuit.....	327		1
Leary Circuit.....	178		2

Thomasville District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Whigham Circuit.....	224		
Pelham Circuit.....	368		1
Pearce Circuit.....	418		2
Summer Circuit.....	400		4
Ponttown Mission.....	178		
	5,336		24

Valdosta District.

Valdosta.....	258		
Adel Circuit.....	415		2
Greenfield Circuit.....	383		3
Branch Circuit.....	169		2
Alapaha Circuit.....	294		6
Sycamore Circuit.....	264		
Lowndes Circuit.....	465		2
Ashburn.....	385		
Harmony Grove Circuit.....	177		2
Cordele.....	161		1
Worth Circuit.....	314		2
Willacochee Circuit.....	283		
Roberts Circuit.....	423		3
Abbeville Circuit.....	350		1
Seville Mission.....	562		4
Crisp Circuit.....	201		2
Quitman.....	220		
Brooks Circuit.....	398		2
Douglas Circuit.....	564		3
Irwinville Mission.....	83		
	6,369		35

Eastman District.

Eastman.....	177		2
Dempsey Circuit.....	997		8
Cochran Circuit.....	427		1
McRae Circuit.....	276		1
Rhine Circuit.....	341		1
Jacksonville Circuit.....	472		3
Spring Hill and Lumber City.....	460		
Mt. Vernon Circuit.....	600		1
Graham Circuit.....	377		1
Baxley Circuit.....	832		6
Reidsville Circuit.....	481		3
Higgston Circuit.....	313		2
Altamaha Circuit.....	415		1
Odom Mission.....	229		
Glenwood Mission.....	310		1
Scotland Circuit.....	475		4
Belleville Circuit.....	359		5
	7,599		40

Brunswick District.

Brunswick: First Church.....	388		2
McKendree Mission.....	170		
Waycross.....	498		2
Blackshear Mission.....	241		
Bickley Mission.....	226		3
Jesup and Johnson.....	217		
Hinesville Circuit.....	250		4
Taylor's Creek.....	321		
Darien.....	61		
Jonesville Mission.....	201		
St. Mary's.....	104		
Bryan Mission.....	270		1
Hortense Mission.....	196		2
Camden Mission.....	241		
South Camden Mission.....	156		
Homerville Mission.....	315		2
Statenville Mission.....	360		2
Wareboro Mission.....	337		
Duke Mission.....	170		
Trader's Hill Mission.....	80		1
	4,742		19

Sandersville District.

Sandersville.....	328		1
Wartien Circuit.....	259		
Gibson Circuit.....	489		3
Washington Circuit.....	418		
New Kope Circuit.....	396		
Wrightsville Circuit.....	184		1
Arlin Circuit.....	405		5
Corinth Circuit.....	249		
Lovett Circuit.....	438		2
Brewton Circuit.....	410		1
Dublin and Mission.....	192		



Sandersville District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Summertown Mission .....	413	.....	.....
Swainsboro Circuit.....	911	.....	5
Stillman Mission.....	126	.....	.....
Irwinton Circuit.....	372	.....	.....
Gordon Circuit.....	392	.....	1
Jeffersonville.....	377	.....	.....
Ragland.....	350	.....	4
Allentown Mission.....	188	.....	1
	6,897	.....	24

Recapitulation.

Savannah District.....	7,242	5	19
Macon District.....	6,635	.....	14
Columbus District.....	6,492	.....	17
Americus District.....	6,124	.....	19
Thomasville District.....	5,335	.....	24
Valdosta District.....	6,369	.....	35
Eastman District.....	7,599	.....	40
Brunswick District.....	4,742	.....	19
Sandersville District.....	6,897	.....	24
Total this year.....	57,431	5	211
Total last year.....	55,446	9	220
Increase.....	1,985	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	4	9

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,492.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,820.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 590.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,559.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 27,847.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$5,408.70. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$11,588.98; Domestic Missions, \$5,884.30. Total, \$17,473.28.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,333.02.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 562½; value, \$715,760.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 103; value, \$167,075.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Wesleyan Female College: Teachers, 18; students, 306; endowment, \$35,000; value of property, \$300,000. Emory College: Teachers, 15; students, 286; endowment, \$206,000; value of property, \$119,000. Andrew Female College: Teachers, 13; students, 172; value of property, \$20,000. Spring Hill District High School: Teachers, 2; students, 55; value of property, \$2,500. Nannie Lou Warthen District High School: Teachers, 4; students, 110; value of property, \$7,500.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Dawson, Ga.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

SAVANNAH DISTRICT.

J. W. Hinton, P. E.

Savannah: Trinity, A. J. Jarrell.  
 Wesley Monumental, C. E. Dowman; C. H. Carson, Sup.  
 Grace Mission, W. F. Smith.  
 Marvin and City Mission, J. H. Mather.  
 Eden, G. P. Riviere.  
 Guyton, O. W. Branch.  
 Springfield, John C. Flanders.  
 Bethel, R. M. Booth.  
 Sylvania, T. I. Nease.  
 Rocky Ford, W. J. Stallings.  
 Millen, J. S. Jordan.  
 Burke, J. W. Arnold.  
 Waynesboro, J. W. Domingos.  
 Summertown, J. M. Foster.  
 Bryan Mission, J. C. Griner.

NORTH MACON DISTRICT.

J. O. A. Clark, P. E.

Mulberry Street, W. C. Black; S. S. Sweet, Sup.  
 Vineville, J. E. Wray; L. B. Payne, Sup.  
 Manchester and Hawthorn Mission, H. C. Jones.  
 East Macon, J. W. Weston.  
 Gordon, J. A. Wright.  
 Quinton, E. T. Morgan.  
 Jeffersonville, I. C. G. Rabun.  
 Washington, B. F. Bales.  
 Sandersville and Tennille, H. A. Hodges.  
 New Hope, C. T. Bickley.  
 Warthen, C. E. Boland.  
 Gibson, to be supplied by G. T. Flanders.  
 Hinton, R. F. Evans.  
 Jefferson, J. D. Snider.  
 Louisville and Davisboro, G. S. Johnston.  
 Wailey and Bartow, H. C. Brewton.  
 Wesleyan Female College, W. C. Bass, President.  
 District Superintendent of the American Bible Society, H. P. Myers.  
 Wesleyan Christian Advocate, T. T. Christian, Assistant Editor.  
 Orphans' Home, J. P. Wardlaw, Superintendent and Agent.

SOUTH MACON DISTRICT.

J. B. McGehee, P. E.

Macon: First Street, T. M. Christian; W. C. Davis, C. J. Toole, Sup.  
 Grace Mission, W. N. Ainsworth.  
 South Macon Mission, T. W. Ellis.  
 Centenary, O. B. Chester; J. W. Burke, Sup.  
 Bibb, J. M. Lowry.  
 Byron, T. W. Darley.  
 Elko, M. B. Ferrell.  
 Snow, J. C. Parker.  
 Vienna, C. H. Branch.  
 Hawkinsville, J. T. Ryder.  
 Fort Valley, J. O. A. Cook.  
 Knoxville, T. R. McMichael.  
 Marshallville and Montezuma, J. W. Simons.  
 Oglethorpe, W. Lane.

Butler, J. T. Mims.  
Perry, G. C. Clark.

#### COLUMBUS DISTRICT.

*G. G. N: MacDonell, P. E.*

Columbus: St. Luke, J. B. Johnstone.  
St. Paul, W. C. Lovett.  
Pearce Chapel, to be supplied by Miles G. Wade.  
Broad Street Mission, R. F. Williamson.  
Rose Hill Mission, D. T. Riley.  
East Highlands Mission, J. G. Harrison.  
Cataula, I. F. Griffith.  
Hamilton, T. E. Davenport.  
Talbotton, O. A. Thrower.  
Talbot, W. C. Wade.  
Waverly Hall, J. B. Griner.  
Geneva, R. M. Allison.  
Howard, to be supplied by J. A. Smith.  
Buena Vista, E. J. Burch.  
Marion, L. R. Allison.  
Cusseta, J. M. Boland.  
Book Editor, W. P. Harrison.

#### AMERICUS DISTRICT.

*E. H. McGehee, P. E.*

Americus: First Church, A. M. Williams.  
Second Church Mission, J. R. Owen.  
Magnolia, C. T. Clark.  
Leslie, P. C. Harris.  
Andersonville, J. Shirah.  
Ellaville, M. A. Phillips.  
Richland, J. A. Harmon.  
Lumpkin, R. F. Breedlove.  
Florence, J. T. Lowe.  
Brownwood, S. W. Stubbs.  
Dawson and Georgetown, E. M. Whiting.  
Terrell, W. T. Clark.  
Shellman, H. M. Morrison.  
Randolph, to be supplied by J. S. West.  
Cuthbert, H. R. Felder.  
Springvale, C. W. Snow.  
Fort Gaines, J. O. Langston.  
Andrew Female College, P. S. Twitty.

#### THOMASVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. O. Branch, P. E.*

Thomasville, A. M. Wynn.  
Albany, W. J. Robertson.  
Attapulgus, J. M. Outler.  
Bainbridge, W. W. Stewart.  
Boston, W. E. Mumford.  
Blakely, P. H. Crumpler.  
Cairo, D. D. Bateman.  
Camilla, W. C. Jones.  
Decatur Mission, J. M. Glenn.  
Leavy, C. A. Jackson.  
Whigham, W. M. Blitch.  
Pelham Mission, J. S. Funderburk.  
Pierce, W. C. Brewton.  
Colquitt Mission, Aaron Kelly.

#### BRUNSWICK DISTRICT.

*F. A. Branch, P. E.*

Brunswick: First Church, J. A. Thompson.  
McKendree Mission, Ed F. Cook.

Waycross, G. W. Mathews.  
Blackshear, M. F. Beals.  
Jesup and Johnston, J. T. Ainsworth.  
Jonesville Mission, Joel Cowart.  
Hinesville, J. W. Tinley.  
Taylor's Creek, J. P. Dickinson.  
Duke Mission, to be supplied by M. C. Austin.  
Hortense Mission, J. A. Weathers.  
Camden, R. M. Wesley.  
South Camden, R. B. Ross.  
St. Mary's Mission, T. B. Kemp.  
Darien Mission, Osgood F. Cook.  
Odum Mission, to be supplied by W. T. Rea.  
Pierce Mission, to be supplied by J. B. Johnson.

#### VALDOSTA DISTRICT.

*K. Read, P. E.*

Valdosta, B. Anthony.  
Adel, S. W. Brown.  
Branch, E. L. Tucker.  
Lowndes, G. W. Childress.  
Quitman, J. M. Lovett.  
Brooks, C. W. Littlejohn.  
Moultrie Mission, R. S. McCord.  
Homerville and Mission, A. H. Bazemore.  
Statenville Mission, F. L. Stokes.  
Bickley, W. L. Carter.  
Waresboro, W. C. Glenn.  
Trader's Hill Mission, to be supplied by N. T. Pafford.

#### EASTMAN DISTRICT.

*J. D. Anthony, P. E.*

Eastman, B. S. Sentell.  
Empire, C. C. Hines.  
Cochran, C. D. Adams.  
Cochran Circuit, M. J. Adams.  
McRae, W. A. Huckabee.  
Rhine Mission, H. C. Fentress.  
Jacksonville, E. D. Phillips.  
Spring Hill, J. S. Lewis.  
Lumber City, R. L. Wiggins.  
Hazelhurst, G. P. Pournelle.  
Boxley, E. A. Sanders.  
Glenwood, D. F. Miles.  
Mt. Vernon, G. B. Allison.  
Altamaha, to be supplied by R. W. Bugg.  
Higgston, E. M. Wright.  
Ailie, S. E. Allison.  
District High School, N. H. Olmstead, Principal.

#### CORDELE DISTRICT.

*Harrison Stubbs, P. E.*

Cordelle, H. W. Joiner.  
Seville, to be supplied by J. L. Ivey.  
Abbeville, J. W. Foy.  
Crisp, C. H. McCord.  
Ashburn and Mission, T. D. Strong.  
Irwinville Mission, to be supplied by J. A. Adams.  
Douglas, W. J. Flanders.  
Sycamore, J. W. Connors.  
Harmony Grove Mission, to be supplied by J. W. Reese.

Sumner and Ty Ty, E. L. Padrick.  
Worth Mission, to be supplied.  
Alapaha, W. F. Hixon.  
Willacoochee, G. B. Culpepper.  
Roberts, to be supplied by W. A. King.

## DUBLIN DISTRICT.

G. C. Thompson, P. E.

Dublin, M. A. Morgan.  
Allentown Mission, Joseph Carr.  
Adrian, to be supplied by G. W. D. Walker.  
Ethel, to be supplied by W. R. Hanson.  
Lovett, T. W. Flanders.  
Arline, C. A. Moore.

Wrightsville, C. E. Crawley.  
Swainsboro, I. F. Casey.  
Stillmore Mission, C. E. Choate.  
Reidsville, W. M. C. Conley.  
Bellville to be supplied by C. S. T. Strickland.  
Bullock Mission, J. M. Aldredge.  
Statesboro, W. D. McGregor.  
Ogeechee Mission, to be supplied by J. M. Rustin.

*Transferred.*—W. M. Hayes, to the East Texas Conference; M. J. Dowell, T. J. Phillips, to the Florida Conference; J. P. McFerrin, to the Holston Conference, and appointed to Centenary Church, Chattanooga.

## JAPAN MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT KOBÉ, JAPAN, JULY 20-27, 1892.

BISHOP KEY, *President*; O. A. DUKES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Henry G. Hawkins, Eijiro Abo. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? K. Usaki, E. Nakayama, Y. Tanaka. 3.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? W. A. Wilson, Y. Yoshioka. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. R. Lambuth, O. A. Dukes, C. B. Moseley, B. W. Waters, J. C. C. Newton, N. W. Utley, T. W. B. Demaree, W. E. Towson, J. M. Rollins, S. Shaw, W. A. Davis. 11.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Y. Yoshioka. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Y. Yoshioka. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. W. Lambuth. 1.

JAMES WILLIAM LAMBUTH, son of Rev. J. R. and Nancy Kirkpatrick Lambuth, was born in Greene County, Ala., March 2, 1830. While still a child his parents removed to Madison County, Miss. Of his parents he has left this touching record: "My father and mother loved me and did all they could to make home pleasant for me. I had everything I could wish for in this life." Brother Lambuth was early the subject of religious impressions. In an account of his Christian experience, dated Kobé, Japan, May 1, 1891, and published since his death, he says: "While very young I was taught to pray and read the word of God. I was often reminded of the love of God, and I soon learned to love the name of Jesus, and why he came from heaven and suffered and died, and it made a deep impression on my mind. At the early age of five I loved being with God's people. When eight years of age, I felt that I was a sinner, and was led by the spirit of God to seek by prayer for the forgiveness of my sins. It was then I joined the Church, but I knew nothing of the power of true conversion; I was still in my sins and a Christian only in name." He continued in this state, "observing," as he records, "all the outward forms of Christian worship, but resting in the form without knowing anything of the spirit" until his twentieth year, at which time, in a revival

in the University of Mississippi, of which he was a student, he was deeply convicted and, after twelve days, powerfully converted to God. He graduated from the university in 1852, and was married the next year, to Miss Isabella McClellan, who was his constant and devoted companion and helpmate all through the many difficulties of his long life spent in the Master's service. Brother Lambuth came of a missionary family, his father and grandfather having been missionaries to the American Indians at a time when such service demanded more sacrifice and devotion than does labor in many of the foreign fields of to-day. Having such a missionary ancestry, it is not surprising that, on hearing of the urgent needs of China as a mission field, he should have said forthwith, without conferring with flesh and blood: "Here am I; send me." He was immediately accepted and appointed by Bishop Andrew to the China field in 1853. Having previously joined the Mississippi Conference, of which he continued a member till death, he was ordained deacon by Bishop Capers at Canton, Miss., in 1853, and a few months later, under the missionary provision, he received elder's orders at the hands of Bishop Andrew at a farewell meeting held in Richmond, Va., in the spring of 1854. May 6, 1854, found Brother Lambuth and his wife leaving New York City on a sailing vessel, in company with Revs. D. C. Kelley and J. L. Belton and their wives, bound for Shanghai, China, which they reached September 17, 1854. Here he began his remarkable missionary career, which ended only at the grave. In an article of this limited compass only a few of the salient points of his thirty-two years in that land can be given. For several years he was superintendent of his mission, and ably directed its affairs. During the trying days of the civil war, when the supplies from the home Church were cut off, he and his faithful wife nobly supported themselves, while caring for the Church in Shanghai, of which he was the founder, and for many years the pastor. When the New Testament was translated into Chinese, such was his proficiency in the language that he was appointed a member of the Translation Committee. He did also much valuable work as a writer and a translator of theological works, and during his stay in China, he prepared and put in circulation more than twenty volumes and over one hundred tracts. But it was as the tireless evangelist, ever pushing out into the regions beyond and holding forth the words of life to those who had never heard it that he shone particularly and did his very best work. "Even before the privilege to preach the gospel was secured to the missionary from the Chinese Government, he had visited the chief cities and towns in the region of Shanghai, in some cases preaching at their gates for years before the barriers that forbade his entrance

were broken down. He delighted in evangelistic labor. Not only in the chapels of the mission, but in the crowded streets; at the gates of the cities, in remote villages, and within the portals of idolatrous temples he delivered to the multitude the message of his Lord." In 1885, at the request of the Board of Missions of his Church, he visited Japan on a tour of inspection, examining the field with the view of opening a mission there. On his return to China, he enthusiastically urged that one be opened, and designated the territory now occupied by our mission as the proper one to be entered. The wisdom of their choice has long since been demonstrated. The next year Drs. J. W. Lambuth, O. A. Dukes, and W. R. Lambuth were appointed to Japan. Brother Lambuth and his wife and Brother Dukes landed in Kobé July 25, 1886, and began their work at once, and thus was founded the Japan Mission. The history of Brother Lambuth's work in Japan is too recent to require a detailed account. It was the same here that it was in China: he was a man of but one work, and the doing of that work absorbed all his time and strength; he was ever about his Father's business. He entered into his labors in Japan with an enthusiasm begotten of the Holy Ghost, and the results of his efforts are manifest on every hand. There is scarcely a station in our mission that he did not open, nor a branch of our work that does not show the impress of his hand. He baptized more of our members than did any of our number, and at least two of our four churches stand as monuments of his zealous labors. His heart and his hands were full of his loved employ up to the last. Within two weeks of his fatal illness he dedicated one of our churches, traveling one hundred and sixty miles to do so, visiting another appointment, a trip of fifty miles, and baptized some converts, and at last held the Kobé Quarterly Conference, while in the agonies of a fatal chill. In addition to this, he put to press six tracts, the last of a series of twelve, and these were only received from the printer after he had passed away. They are now the property of the Japanese Tract Society, and will be published by them; and thus the work will continue, although the worker has passed away. Well might he send to the Church at home the message: "I fall at my post." Brother Lambuth was taken sick on Good Friday, April 15, and died on the following Thursday week, April 28, at 2:40 A.M., in great peace. When asked what word of exhortation he wanted to send the Church at home, in reference to the mission work, he replied: "We have a great work to do; tell them to send more men." These words show how heavily the work lay on his heart, and how sorely he felt the need of this land. They were cabled to the Mission Board in the United States, coupled with the announcement of

his death, and will doubtless appeal with great force to the Church that he loved so well and of which he was such a devoted servant. May the exhortation be heeded, and may the answer be of such a character as will gladden the hearts of his associates and show that the message was not in vain! Our brother died well. It could not have been otherwise. After nearly forty years of earnest, devoted toil in the Master's service we would expect nothing else. We might say that his death was a triumph. He met the king of terrors with a strong faith and won a great victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Time and time again throughout his sickness he affirmed that Christ was with him, using such expressions as these: "Jesus is here," "Jesus has come," "He is right here, I know it is Jesus." His sick bed was very near heaven; the angels of God were there ministering to him, and there was the presence of another, and "the form was like the Son of God." Without doubt Brother Lambuth saw and heard things that it was "not lawful for man to utter." Had our eyes been "opened," like his, to spiritual things, and had our ears been attuned to heavenly symphonies, we too would doubtless have seen things that were not of earth, and been ravished with the music of the heavenly world. During his last day he said to his wife: "I have views of things that are indescribably beautiful; things that are opening up before me, coming and going, growing brighter and surer." Still speaking to Mrs. Lambuth, he said: "I leave you with the Lord. He will take care of you; yes, and I will be waiting and watching for you and the children." May they, an undivided family, meet him in that day! Our dear father and brother has left us. His warfare as a soldier of the cross is over. He has exchanged his weapons of war for a crown of life. He has fought a good fight; he has finished his course; he has kept the faith. He will be missed more than words can tell! His friends, whose number were legion and who loved him so much, will miss his words of welcome and his messages of love, but they will ever thank God for his fragrant and his holy life. His old comrades in these mission fields of the East will miss him. No more will they have the inspiration of his presence in the forefront of the battle, leading the charge, but they know that he has fought well and has received the victor's meed. The Church at home, of which he was such a faithful and honored servant, will miss him. Never again will they be aroused by his letters, full of faith and zeal, recounting victories already won, and announcing plans for fresh conquests; but they have as a permanent legacy his dying message to them, showing that even to the end the work lay heavy on his heart. May this bugle blast from the lips of our dying veteran be "worth a thousand men!" Above all will his family miss him

in all those elements of tenderness and love which characterized him, and which constitute the essentials of an ideal Christian home; but they know where he has gone, and that he is waiting and watching for them.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Kobé District.*

	Foreign Mem's.	Native Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Kobé Station and Circuit.....	12	142	4
East Osaka.....	1	60	1
West Osaka.....	1	52	1
	14	254	6

*Hiroshima District.*

Hiroshima Circuit.....	3	114	7
Yamaguchi Circuit.....	1	21	1
	4	135	8

*Matsuyama District.*

Matsuyama Circuit.....	1	56	1
Oita Circuit.....		80	5
	1	136	6

*Recapitulation.*

Kobé District.....	14	254	6
Hiroshima District.....	4	135	8
Matsuyama District.....	1	136	6
Total this year.....	19	505	20
Total last year.....	18	381	14
Increase.....	1	124	6

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

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 118.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 38.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 81.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,535.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? Nothing estimated.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? Nothing collected.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? \$457.99.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$288.15.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 5; value, \$5,200.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 2; value, \$3,175.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statis-

tics? Schools, 20; students, 562; collected for ministerial education, \$225.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Hiroshima, Japan.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### OSAKA DISTRICT.

*O. E. Dukes, P. E.*

East Osaka and Sakai, O. A. Dukes.  
West Osaka, J. M. Rollins.  
Wakayama, to be supplied.  
Kyoto, to be supplied.

#### HIROSHIMA DISTRICT.

*B. W. Waters, P. E.*

Hiroshima Circuit, B. W. Waters, Y. Tanaki.  
Yamaguchi Circuit, S. Shaw.  
Hiroshima Girls' School, Miss N. B. Gaines.  
Bible Woman's School, Miss M. Bice.

#### MATSUYAMA DISTRICT.

*C. B. Moseley, P. E.*

Matsuyama Circuit, C. B. Moseley, E. Abo.

Mitsugahama, H. G. Hawkins.  
Oita Circuit, W. A. Wilson, E. Nakayama.  
Uwajima Circuit, W. A. Davis.

#### KOBÉ DISTRICT.

*W. E. Towson, P. E.*

Kobé Station, W. E. Towson, K. Usaki.  
Kobé Circuit, J. C. C. Newton.  
East Kobé, to be supplied by S. H. Wainright.  
Hyogo and Mikage, J. C. C. Newton.  
Kakogawa and Himeji Circuit, T. W. B. Demaree.  
Kwansei Gakuin—Bible Department: J. C. C. Newton, Dean; T. W. B. Demaree, Professor; Y. Yoshioka, Professor and Chaplain; S. H. Wainright, Professor.  
Academic Department: S. H. Wainright, Principal.  
Kobé School and Industrial School, Mrs. J. W. Lambuth.  
Dispensary and Training School for Nurses, Y. M. Kin, M.D.  
Palmore Institute, to be supplied by W. P. Turner.

## DENVER CONFERENCE.

HELD AT DURANGO, COLO., AUGUST 27-31, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; C. M. COOPER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Joseph Mitchel Bray. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? N. B. Henry. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? E. B. Chenoweth. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. A. Duncan, from the Virginia Conference; M. H. Neely, from the North Texas Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? E. E. Carrington, F. M. Roper. 2.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? E. B. Chenoweth. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Edgar B. Chenoweth. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? A. H. Quillain, P. C. Bryce. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. R. McClure. 1.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of J. A. Allison, who was expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Pueblo District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Denver: St. Paul's .....	210	1
Morrison Memorial .....	62	1
Walsenburg and Rouse .....	34	1
La Veta .....	46	.....
Saguache and Villa Grove .....	44	.....
Vilas .....	52	.....
East Pueblo .....	28	.....
Colorado Springs .....	94	.....
Trinidad .....	84	.....
Denver Circuit .....	7	1
Arlington .....	32	1
Pueblo and First Church .....	110	1
Rye and Beulah .....	92	.....
Elmore and Folsom .....	40	.....
	935	6

*Durango District.*

Durango .....	71	.....
Pine River Circuit .....	.....	.....
La Plata Circuit .....	35	.....
Farmington and Flora Vista .....	69	2
Mancos .....	13	1
Montezuma Mission .....	5	1
	193	4

*Recapitulation.*

Pueblo District .....	935	6
Durango District .....	193	4
Total this year .....	1,128	10
Total last year .....	1,348	11
Decrease .....	220	1

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

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 44.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 26.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 184.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,429.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$350.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the

foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$176.75. Applied to claimant.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$435; Domestic Missions, \$111. Total, \$546.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$183.60.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of church edifices? Number, 18; value, \$90,310.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of parsonages? Number, 12; value, \$23,750.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Pueblo Collegiate Institute, President's home, and ten acres of ground, with a foundation for a college. Total value, \$50,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? St. Paul, Denver, Colo.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

PUEBLO DISTRICT.

*M. H. Neely, P. E.*

Denver: St. Paul, J. A. Duncan.

Morrison Memorial and City Mission, F. B. Carroll, P. L. Stanton.

Colorado Springs, E. Evans Carrington.

Pueblo: First Church, O. F. Sensabaugh.

East Pueblo, W. H. Howard.

Rye and Beulah, F. M. Roper.

Trinidad Mission, M. H. Moore.

Walsenburg and Rouse, C. M. Cooper.

La Veta, J. M. Bray.

Durango Station and Mission, J. M. Major.

Farmington and Flora Vista, George Needham.

Mancos, John Moore.

Montezuma Circuit, E. B. Chenoweth.

La Plata Circuit, J. B. Wood.

*Transferred.*—J. M. Crowe, to the St. Louis Conference; N. B. Henry, to the Southwest Missouri Conference.

LOS ANGELES CONFERENCE.

HELD AT LOS ANGELES, CAL., SEPTEMBER 14-19, 1892.

BISHOP HAYGOOD, *President*; W. B. STRADLEY, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? Hubert D. Knickerbocker, John E. Collins. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Wilds L. Pierce, Henry F. Branham, W. T. McDowell, John S. Jenkins. 4.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Lee Bolivar Ellis. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. A. Tilly, H. F. Branham, Wilds L. Pierce, John S. Jenkins, W. T. McDowell, John F. Davis, P. L. Stanton. 7.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Edward J. Harper, Wade Hamilton, A. A. Tilly. 3.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Lee Bolivar Ellis. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Lee Bolivar Ellis. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Archibald Tarrant Dunlap, Alvan Augustus Tilly. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Archibald Tarrant Dunlap, Alvan Augustus Tilly. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? W. A. Tinley, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? C. C. Edington, E. C. Knott, A. Adams, J. W. Allen. 4.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. M. Adams, P. O. Clayton, W. L. Albright. 3.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Edgar Dunbar, who was expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Los Angeles District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Los Angeles: Trinity.....	275		5
West End.....	66		
Bellevue Avenue.....	49	1	
Mateo Street.....	56		2
Cahuenga.....	32		
Gardena.....	21		1
Santa Anna.....	112		1
Los Nietos.....	150		
Newport.....	30		
Norwalk.....	71		1
Azusa and Duarte.....	67		1
Pomona.....	58		2
San Bernardino.....	146		1
Escondido.....	50		
San Diego.....	54		
Menifee.....	36		1
Linda Vista.....	27		
Valley Center.....	101		
	1,401	1	15

*Santa Barbara District.*

Santa Barbara.....	22		
Carpenteria.....	41		
Ventura.....	57		1
Fillmore.....	35		2
Lompoc.....	77		3
Santa Maria.....	38		
San Luis Obispo.....	19		
Adelaide.....	55		2
Creston.....	57		
	401		8

*Arizona District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Phoenix.....	90		2
Phoenix Circuit.....	119	1	2
Tempe.....	42		
West End and Gila.....	47		
Preseott.....	38	1	
	336	2	4

*Recapitulation.*

Los Angeles District.....	1,401	1	15
Santa Barbara District.....	401		8
Arizona District.....	336	2	4
Total this year.....	2,138	3	27
Total last year.....	2,012	2	30
Increase.....	126	1	
Decrease.....			3

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 76.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 147.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 42.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 327.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 2,334.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$600.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$519.90. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$1,345.30. Domestic Missions, \$407.60. Total, \$1,752.90.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$475.75.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 23; value, \$125,200.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 24; value, \$30,875.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? None.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Los Angeles, Cal.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

**LOS ANGELES DISTRICT.**

*T. R. Curtis, P. E.*

Los Angeles: Trinity, W. B. Stradley.

Bellevue Avenue, S. H. Dimon.

West End, A. W. Harris.

Mateo Street, Wilds L. Pierce.

Cahuenga and Gardena, J. S. Jenkins.

Santa Anna, James Healy.

Los Nietos and Downey, E. J. Harper.

Newport, C. C. Wright.

Norwalk and Ranchito, H. F. Branham.

Azusa and Duarte, W. M. Wade; A. Adams.

Sup.

Pomona, L. B. Ellis; E. C. Knott, Sup.

Redlands, Wade Hamilton.

San Diego, J. F. G. Finley.



Linda Vista and Ramona, O. D. Crothers; one to be supplied.  
 Escondido and Valley Center, to be supplied by J. H. Sherrard.  
 Menifee, W. T. McDowell.  
 San Bernardino, D. F. Fuller.  
 Editor *Pacific Methodist Advocate*, H. M. Duse.

SANTA BARBARA DISTRICT.

*P. L. Stanton, P. E.*

Carpenteria and Santa Barbara, R. H. Parker, H. D. Knickerbocker; C. C. Edington, J. W. Allen, Sup.  
 Ventura, S. M. Chase.  
 Fillmore, to be supplied.  
 Lompoc, A. T. Dunlap.  
 Santa Maria, to be supplied by Andrew Adkisson.  
 San Luis Obispo, Q. A. Oats.  
 San Miguel, A. A. Tilly.

Creston, R. I. Allen.  
 Adelaide, J. E. Collins.

ARIZONA DISTRICT.

*H. T. Elhridge, P. E.*

Phoenix, W. E. Vaughan.  
 Phoenix and West End Circuit, to be supplied by R. A. Roland and R. H. Amon.  
 Tempe Circuit, E. G. Roberts.  
 Tucson and Florence, to be supplied by Charles Copeland.  
 Prescott, to be supplied by A. J. Allen.  
 Williamson and Skull Valleys, to be supplied.  
 Verde Valley, J. F. Davis.  
 Gila River Circuit, to be supplied.

*Transferred.*—J. M. Weems, J. E. Carpenter, to the Pacific Conference; J. M. Langston, to the Northwest Mexican Conference; R. W. Bailey, to the Mississippi Conference.

ILLINOIS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT PANA, ILL., SEPT. 28—OCT 2, 1892.

BISHOP KEENER, *President*; O. T. ROGERS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. John N. Allen, Charles C. Black, Henry W. Buckner, Thomas H. Hammack, Stephen J. Loveall, William Spenny, Monroe W. Vaughn, John Williams, Quincy O. Whisnant, William L. Whisnant. 10.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? H. J. Wheeler, in class of the second year; R. A. Jacobs, Dennis Wesner, T. M. Calvert, in class of the first year. 3.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? A. G. Organ, J. F. Rogers, H. K. Jones, W. C. Wilson, J. M. Edwards, at their own request. 5.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Russell J. Brewer, Robert J. Wells, Joseph H. McDaniel, Jacob P. Hinckle, James H. Bunnell. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? H. J. Charlton, R. P. Howell, C. S. Smith. 3.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? R. J. Brewer, R. J. Wells, J. P. Hinckle. 3.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? R. J. Brewer, R. J. Wells, J. P. Hinckle. 3.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Houston J. Wheeler, John M. Edwards, John R. Guymon, Stephen J. Loveall. 4.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are or-

dained deacons? H. J. Wheeler, J. M. Edwards, J. R. Guymon, S. J. Loveall. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Joseph W. B. Ogden, John E. Garrett, Isaac R. Haun, James M. Gordon, Alonzo C. Clendening, William H. Cunningham, Joseph C. Denton. 7.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. W. B. Ogden, J. E. Garrett, I. R. Haun, J. M. Gordon, A. C. Clendening, W. H. Cunningham, J. C. Denton. 7.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? John M. Edwards, Houston J. Wheeler, John R. Guymon, Stephen J. Loveall. 4.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? J. M. Edwards, H. J. Wheeler, J. R. Guymon, S. J. Loveall. 4.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Jacob P. Hinckle, J. M. Gordon, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? Theodore Rogers, John M. Long. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? R. P. Holt, A. F. Rogers, Herbert Reed. 3.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local

preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Rushville District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Rushville Circuit .....	171	2
Schuyler Circuit.....	189	1
Canton and Marietta.....	96	.....
Tioga Circuit.....	175	.....
Mt. Zion and Heyworth.....	62	1
Herrick Mission.....	19	1
Ramsey Circuit.....	48	1
New Douglas Circuit.....	116	2
Worden Circuit.....	116	2
Taylorville Circuit.....	56	1
El Dara and Detroit.....	162	2
Mt. Sterling Circuit.....	163	4
Waverly Circuit.....	239	3
Girard Circuit.....	183	1
Sherman and Glenarm.....	70	1
Rushville Mission.....	.....	.....
Litchfield.....	12	.....
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>1,817</b>	<b>22</b>

*Ashley District.*

Marion Station .....	143	2
Baldwin Circuit.....	91	1
Ora Circuit.....	240	3
Murphysboro Station.....	221	1
Poplar Ridge Circuit.....	190	1
De Soto Circuit.....	188	2
Ashley and Woodlawn .....	131	1
Duquoin Circuit.....	188	.....
Nashville Station.....	166	.....
Stone Fort Circuit.....	149	5
Grand Tower Circuit.....	197	2
East Cape Mission.....	48	.....
Gallatin Circuit.....	132	5
Pulaski Circuit.....	119	.....
Fountain Circuit.....	88	1
Pinckneyville Mission.....	20	.....
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,250</b>	<b>24</b>

*Gosport District.*

Gosport Circuit.....	287	3
Nashville Circuit.....	145	2
Storyville Mission.....	39	.....
Geneva Circuit.....	45	.....
Nashville Station.....	108	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>624</b>	<b>7</b>

*Salem District.*

Clay City Circuit.....	366	3
Odin Circuit.....	230	1
Rinard Circuit.....	118	1
Kinmundy Circuit.....	155	2
Centralia Circuit.....	186	2
Shelbyville Circuit.....	83	2
Foxville Mission.....	37	.....
Patoka Circuit.....	300	3
Altamont Circuit.....	328	2
Casey Circuit.....	163	2
Dennison Circuit.....	96	.....
Pana Station.....	94	2
Rome Circuit.....	248	4
Salem and Inka.....	98	1
Keysport Circuit.....	73	.....
Xenia Circuit.....	204	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,779</b>	<b>27</b>

*Recapitulation.*

Rushville District.....	1,817	22
Ashley District.....	2,250	24
Gosport District.....	624	7
Salem District.....	2,779	27
<b>Total this year</b> .....	<b>7,470</b>	<b>80</b>
<b>Total last year</b> .....	<b>7,842</b>	<b>73</b>
<b>Increase</b> .....	<b>.....</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Decrease</b> .....	<b>376</b>	<b>.....</b>

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 153.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 346.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 130.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 919.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 6,580.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$400.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$642.46. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$235.27; Domestic Missions, \$229.70. Total, \$514.97.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$138.07.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 119½; value, \$138,861.76.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 39; value, \$22,150.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics. Collected from the various charges and paid to the agent of Paine and Lane Institutes, \$35.55.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Nashville, Illinois.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

**RUSHVILLE DISTRICT.**

*J. D. R. Brown, P. E.*

Rushville Circuit, G. M. Burford.  
Schuyler Circuit, I. R. Haun.  
Canton and Marietta, Dennis Wesner.  
Waverly Circuit, O. T. Rogers; one to be supplied.  
Worden Circuit, A. J. Ewing.  
Tioga Circuit, H. J. Wheeler.  
El Dara and Detroit, C. S. Smith.  
Mt. Sterling Circuit, I. H. Lewis.  
Girard Circuit, D. T. Hinckle.  
New Douglas Circuit, H. N. Walters.  
Litchfield Mission, R. A. Jacobs.

**SALEM DISTRICT.**

*C. C. Mayhew, P. E.*

Kinmundy, W. H. Nelson, G. W. Gilmore.  
Salem and Inka, M. M. Durard.  
Centralia and Ashley, W. K. Dempsey.  
Odin, J. E. Garrett.  
Rome, W. H. Cunningham.  
Rinard, R. J. Wells.  
Xenia, J. F. Hensley.  
Clay City, J. F. Purdue.  
Patoka, J. N. Craig.  
Altamont, R. M. Hardaway.  
Keysport, C. C. Black.  
Woodlawn, William Spenny, L. F. Lawrence.

## MURPHYSBORO DISTRICT.

J. W. Westcott, P. E.

Nashville Station, W. M. Nesbitt.  
 Duquoin and Pinckneyville, W. L. Whisnant.  
 De Soto Circuit, J. W. McDaniel.  
 Galatia Circuit, J. H. Bunnell.  
 Stone Fort and Fountain, John Williams.  
 Marion Station, R. P. Howell.  
 Pulaski Circuit, to be supplied by R. Oliver.  
 East Cape Girardeau, T. H. Hammack.  
 Grand Tower Station, J. N. Allen.  
 Poplar Ridge Circuit, T. M. Calvert.  
 Murphysboro Station, W. B. Lewellen; J. M. Long, Sup.  
 Oraville Circuit, S. J. Loveall.  
 Baldwin Circuit, J. C. Denton.

## PANA DISTRICT.

J. D. Crooks, P. E.

Pana Station, Q. O. Whisnant.  
 Mt. Zion and Heyworth, W. D. Blaylock.  
 Sherman and Glenarm, G. W. Jones.  
 Taylorville Circuit, M. W. Vaughn.  
 Shelbyville Circuit, E. E. Gunneth.  
 Ramsey and Herrick, H. W. Buckner.  
 Casey Circuit, H. J. Charlton.  
 Dennison Circuit, to be supplied by Richard Davidson.  
 Nashville (Ind.) Circuit, R. J. Brewer.  
 Gosport Circuit, J. W. B. Ogden.  
 Geneva Circuit, A. C. Clendening.  
 Storyville Mission, S. H. Gregory.

*Transferred.*—G. T. Clawson, C. M. Cagle, to the St. Louis Conference.

## COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT ALBANY, OREGON, OCTOBER 5-9, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; PETER A. MOSES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? J. W. May, J. M. Turner. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John F. Wallace, W. J. Fenton, Marshall O. Ligon. 3.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? G. S. Hanleiter. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? C. U. Cross, Clinton G. Harmon. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. B. Parnall. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? C. U. Cross. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? C. U. Cross. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? W. J. Fenton. 1.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? W. J. Fenton. 1.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary. W. H. Howard. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated. None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? L. A. Fenton. 1.

LOUIS ANDREW FENTON was born in Washington County, Mo., July 29, 1861; was converted at about the age of nineteen, and joined the Missionary Baptist Church; but becoming dissatisfied with his Church relations, he joined the M. E. Church, South, in 1885, and the same year was licensed to preach. In 1886 he was admitted on trial into the St. Louis Conference, and appointed in charge of the Cuba Circuit. In 1887 he was appointed junior preacher at Calcedonia, where he attended the Bellevue Institute. His health failing, he was forced to give up his pastoral work, as also his collegiate course, and was placed upon the supernumerary list in the year 1889, and the same year was transferred to the Columbia Conference and appointed as supply on the Coquille Circuit. He sustained the supernumerary relation until 1891, when he was placed upon the superannuated list, in which relation he remained until his death, which took place at the home of Brother Robert Easton, Roseburg, Ore., January 15, 1892. His last words were: "It will rest forever; O how great!" As to natural ability, Brother Fenton was a young man of more than ordinary promise, while his piety and devotion were equal to his other endowments. He ardently loved our Church, and longed to live and work for her welfare; yet was

willing to depart and be with Christ. Generosity, kindness, self-forgetfulness, and devotion to duty were among the leading traits of his character. In a word, Brother Fenton was a model young man and had many warm friends wherever he was known. It seems that brethren of the St. Louis Conference had a high regard for Brother Fenton as a young preacher, and they no doubt share with us of the Columbia Conference the common grief at the loss of one so promising, so worthy, and so true.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of R. C. Martin, who was expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Willamette District.*

	White Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Albany.....	48	.....
Corvallis.....	47	.....
Tangent.....	92	.....
Dallas.....	33	.....
La Fayette.....	55	2
Independence.....	50	.....
Tillamook.....	50	.....
Oregon City.....	60	1
Brownsville.....	43	1
Lewisville.....	41	1
Junction City.....	190	1
Lebanon.....	100	.....
	809	6

*Roseburg District.*

Roseburg.....	28	.....
Myrtle Creek.....	56	.....
Jacksonville.....	80	.....
Applegate.....	51	2
Grant's Pass.....	41	.....
Coquille Station.....	34	.....
Coquille Circuit.....	85	.....
Linkville.....	41	2
Lakeview Mission.....	.....	.....
Oakland.....	36	.....
	452	4

*Recapitulation.*

Willamette District.....	809	6
Roseburg District.....	452	4
Total this year.....	1,261	10
Total last year.....	1,305	14
Decrease.....	44	4

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 14.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 40.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 29.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school officers and teachers? 186.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,022.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$76.16.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$46.86. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$165.35; Domestic Missions, \$99.95. Total, \$265.30.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$39.50.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 27; value, \$29,292.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 11; value, \$7,580.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? School, 1; value, \$8,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Myrtle Creek, Ore.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

**WILLAMETTE DISTRICT.**

*D. C. McFarland, P. E.*

- Albany Station, C. G. Harmon.
- Corvallis and Barclay, M. O. Ligon.
- Tangent Station, J. L. Futrell.
- Dallas and Dixie, C. U. Cross.
- Independence and Lewisville, to be supplied by H. F. Dennis.
- La Fayette, J. W. May.
- Tillamook, J. W. Shreve.
- Oregon City, W. L. Molloy.
- Brownsville, T. Thomas.
- Lebanon, J. M. Turner.
- Junction City, T. P. Haynes.

**ROSEBURG DISTRICT.**

*H. S. Shangle, P. E.*

- Roseburg and Oakland, W. J. Fenton.
- Myrtle Creek, P. A. Moses.
- Coquille Circuit, J. M. Parker.
- Coquille River Station, J. B. Parnall.
- Grant's Pass and Medford, R. A. Reagan.
- Jacksonville Circuit, R. C. Oglesby.
- Applegate Circuit, H. B. Swafford.
- Linkville, J. F. Wallace.
- Lakeview Mission, J. W. Bryant.

*Transferred.*—J. W. Craig, to the East Columbia Conference; D. Atkins, to the Western North Carolina Conference; W. B. Smith, to the Pacific Conference.

## ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT KIRKWOOD, MO., SEPTEMBER 28—OCTOBER 3, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; HENRY HANESWORTH, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. T. L. Triplett, M. M. Blaese, J. R. Wright, J. B. Dodson, R. N. Russell, W. H. Burgett, W. T. Acuff, C. Burton, G. R. McHenry, H. F. Horsman, A. T. Bennett. 11.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? W. M. Freer, S. L. Morris, J. L. Beard, R. P. Witt, W. H. Batten, A. H. Russell, A. B. Weaver, E. C. Finley. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? F. Eaker, N. B. Henry, R. D. Kennedy, F. W. Tatum, H. T. Haw, A. C. Johnson, L. M. Lee, C. McCluer, A. B. Halton. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? J. A. Jester. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? E. G. Kilgore, from the White River Conference; O. G. Halliburton, from the Tennessee Conference; R. P. Witt, from the Memphis Conference; T. P. Hill, from the Southwest Missouri Conference; M. H. Moore and N. B. Henry, from the Denver Conference; G. T. Clawson and C. M. Cagle, from the Illinois Conference. 8.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? F. R. Hill, J. E. McGee, J. D. Doherty, W. Q. Donnou, A. T. Osborn, J. F. Triplett, J. W. Oliver, T. P. Reagan, J. C. L. Boehm, E. J. Rinkel, C. M. Threadgill. Continued in class of the third year: C. S. Mills, J. Dodwell, L. L. Whitehead, C. P. Brewer. 15.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? N. B. Henry, R. D. Kennedy, F. W. Tatum, M. T. Haw, A. C. Johnson. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? N. B. Henry, R. D. Kennedy, F. W. Tatum, M. T. Haw, A. C. Johnson. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Eugene C. Longuet, Robert N. Russell, William G. Hunter, Joseph Turner, Henry F. Horsman, Edward W. James. 6.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Eugene C. Longuet, Robert N. Russell, William G. Hunter, Joseph Turner, Henry F. Horsman, Edward W. James. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? W. Lowe, H. M. Eure. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? William Lowe, Hillard M. Eure. Continued in the class of the fourth year: W. F. Talley, A. Macfarlane, A. Crumpler, C. M. Threadgill, L. L. Pinnell, T. W. Glass, A. P. Saffold. 9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Joseph B. Dodson, William R. Robirds, Milton A. Clayton. The orders of Jehu Helmich, an elder from the Methodist Protestant Church, and James F. Bishop, an elder from the Congregational Methodist Church, were recognized. 5.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Joseph B. Dodson, Milton A. Clayton. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? W. F. Young, J. C. Davis, A. C. Johnson, at their own request. 3.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. C. Alexander, E. G. Kilgore. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. C. Berryman, J. H. Headlee, W. P. Gibson, J. C. Williams, A. T. Tidwell, M. Arrington, C. E. DeVinney, D. J. Marquis, C. S. Mills, S. Richmond, J. H. Cox.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? William H. Hogan. 1.

REV. WILLIAM H. HOGAN was born of Irish parentage in the city of Portsmouth, England, February 10, 1853. His parents emigrated to this country and settled in St. Louis when he was about six years of age. When quite young, Brother Hogan was happily converted under the ministry of the sweet-spirited, saintly, now sainted, F. A. Morris, then pastor of Centenary Church. The exact date of his being licensed to preach is not known to the writer. At the Conference of 1881 he was admitted on trial in the traveling connection, and appointed by Bishop Pierce to the Potosi Circuit, where he labored with great acceptability for two years. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Hargrove at the Conference of 1884, and elder by Bishop McTycire at Piedmont, Mo., in September, 1886. For three years Brother Hogan labored at Fredericktown, and at the Conference of 1886 was reappointed to Potosi Circuit. While there his health failed, and at the ensuing Conference he was granted a supernumerary relation. Removing to Mexico, Mo., he preached as opportunity offered and his strength permitted during the two and a half years of his residence there, the last six months of the year serving the Vandalia Circuit as a supply. In the spring of 1890 Bishop Granbery transferred him to the Southwest Missouri Conference, and by Bishop Key he was appointed to Morrisville Station, where he remained until May, 1891, when there came upon him the cloud which

darkened his intellect till death brought the lifting of the shadow by the eternal sunrise on the soul. Brother Hogan was a student. He read the best books that he could procure, and read to ponder and understand. Above all the best of books was the counselor and guide of his life. Out of the rich treasures of this inexhaustible mine he brought forth those forceful illustrations which graced and garnished his pulpit efforts. As a preacher fearless of men, but fearing God, mighty in the Scriptures, constant in prayer from the secret place of prayer he went into the pulpit to declare the whole counsel of God. Threatening, promise, entreaty, exhortation, precepts for life, and doctrines for instruction in righteousness—these he used with pathos and power to win men from sin to righteousness and woo them from earth to heaven. Stern in his denunciation of sin, yet deep in his sympathy and affection for the sinner, he so preached as to impress even the opposers with his earnestness and fidelity. While health of body and mind were his he was a polished shaft in the hands of the Master. He has gone from us under circumstances especially painful to the true helpmate in the gospel he has left behind. To Sister Virginia Hogan, who in the midst of her Gethsemane cries out, "Thy will, not mine, be done," our hearts go out in tenderest sympathy. He passed away in the noon of life and in the full tide of promise and usefulness, August 15, 1892. He is where the Christ whom he so fully served and dearly loved to preach has crowned him with life and immortality.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except those of R. L. Moser and R. M. Stellar, whose names were stricken from the roll.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

West St. Louis District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
First Church.....	584	.....	6
St. John's.....	658	.....	3
Cook Avenue.....	499	.....	1
Lafayette Park.....	432	.....	5
Bellefontaine.....	169	.....	.....
Bridgeton.....	87	.....	.....
Mt. Auburn.....	72	2	1
Mt. Zion.....	94	.....	.....
Kirkwood.....	125	.....	1
Meramec Circuit.....	141	.....	.....
Labadie.....	114	1	.....
Manchester.....	68	.....	2
Fenton.....	86	.....	.....
St. Clair Circuit.....	165	.....	.....
Washington.....	111	.....	.....
New Haven.....	95	.....	.....
Immanuel.....	79	.....	.....
Ferguson.....	38	.....	.....
Clayton.....	40	.....	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,652</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>20</b>

South St. Louis District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Centenary.....	1,227	.....	9
St. Paul.....	441	.....	.....
Marvin.....	176	.....	3
Carondelet.....	84	.....	.....
Beckville.....	28	.....	.....
Taylor Avenue.....	107	.....	1
Hematite Circuit.....	163	.....	.....
Festus.....	114	.....	.....
Plattin Circuit.....	181	.....	1
De Soto.....	276	.....	2
Potosi.....	14	1	2
Bonne Terre.....	355	.....	2
Caledonia and Irondale.....	177	.....	1
Libertyville Circuit.....	209	.....	.....
Arcadia.....	91	.....	1
Bellevue.....	260	1	.....
Farmington.....	231	.....	2
Farmington Circuit.....	352	.....	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,620</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>

Charleston District.

Charleston.....	400	.....	.....
Charleston Circuit.....	385	.....	3
Locust Grove Mission.....	146	.....	3
Bertrand and Hibbard.....	493	.....	1
New Madrid.....	162	.....	3
Point Pleasant Circuit.....	440	.....	.....
Morley and Benton.....	884	.....	10
Commerce and Oran.....	136	.....	.....
Sikeston.....	230	.....	1
Marble Hill and Lutesville.....	812	.....	7
Jackson.....	199	.....	1
Pocahontas and Egypt Mills.....	369	.....	.....
Canthersville Circuit.....	565	.....	4
Gayoso Circuit.....	347	.....	2
Cape Girardeau.....	229	.....	2
York Chapel Circuit.....	258	.....	1
Oak Ridge Circuit.....	486	.....	1
Fredericktown.....	285	.....	1
Marquand.....	455	.....	1
Sikeston and New Madrid Mission.....	187	.....	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,468</b>	.....	<b>43</b>

Poplar Bluff District.

Poplar Bluff.....	101	.....	.....
Dexter and Malden.....	171	.....	.....
Bloomfield Circuit.....	489	.....	3
Clarkton Circuit.....	254	.....	3
Kennett Circuit.....	385	21	2
Grand Prairie Circuit.....	465	.....	1
Piketon Circuit.....	269	.....	1
Walnut Grove Circuit.....	382	1	.....
Greenville Circuit.....	193	4	3
Poplar Bluff Circuit.....	350	.....	3
Williamsville and Grandin.....	180	.....	3
Piedmont Circuit.....	159	.....	1
Centerville Circuit.....	189	.....	3
Barnesville Circuit.....	290	.....	1
Doniphan Circuit.....	246	.....	3
Fair Dealing Circuit.....	276	.....	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,299</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>30</b>

Salem District.

Salem and Steelville.....	98	.....	1
Cuba.....	170	.....	1
Sullivan.....	167	.....	.....
St. James.....	216	.....	1
Houston.....	261	.....	.....
Summerville.....	397	.....	3
Salem.....	320	.....	3
Licking.....	281	.....	1
Lane's Prairie.....	142	.....	3
West Plains.....	145	.....	1
Moody.....	253	.....	4
Alton.....	207	.....	2
Current River.....	276	.....	.....
Willow Springs.....	308	.....	7
Birch Tree.....	285	.....	5
Thayer.....	100	.....	.....
Garfield.....	177	.....	3
Pike Creek.....	207	.....	2
Peace Valley.....	157	.....	2
Richwoods.....	186	.....	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,351</b>	.....	<b>41</b>

Recapitulation.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
West St. Louis District .....	3,652	3	20
South St. Louis District.....	4,620	2	27
Charleston District.....	7,468	.....	43
Poplar Bluff District.....	4,299	26	30
Salem District.....	4,351	.....	41
Total this year.....	24,390	31	161
Total last year.....	22,533	30	132
Increase .....	1,850	1	29

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 980.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,713.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 289.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,252.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 19,362.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$4,492.42. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$4,700.99; Domestic Missions, \$3,295.75. Total, \$7,996.74.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,596.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 224 $\frac{3}{4}$ ; value, \$645,735.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 58; value, \$65,700.10.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Bellevue Collegiate Institute: Teachers, 7; students, 125; value of property, \$17,000. Together with a joint interest with the Missouri and Southwest Missouri Conferences in Central College, Fayette, Mo., and Central Female College, Lexington, Mo.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? West Plains, Mo.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

W. R. Mays, P. E.

- First Church, B. Carradine.
- Centenary, S. H. Werlein.
- St. John's, J. Matthews.
- Cook Avenue, B. M. Messick.
- Lafayette Park, E. B. Chappell.
- St. Paul's, C. L. Smith.
- Marvin, J. H. Early.
- Carondelet, J. A. Jester.
- Mt. Auburn, M. B. Chapman.
- Taylor Avenue, F. R. Hill.
- Immanuel, C. McCluer.
- Bellefontaine, W. Lowe.
- Bridgeton, J. W. Robinson.
- Clayton, J. F. Triplett.
- Kirkwood, J. F. Goldman.

Ferguson, C. M. Threadgill.  
Beckville, to be supplied.

St. Louis Christian Advocate, D. R. McAnally,  
Editor.

St. Louis Church Extension and City Mis-  
sions, T. M. Finney.

Superannuated Preachers and Widows and  
Orphans' Endowment Fund, J. W. Lewis,  
Agent.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

H. Hanesworth, P. E.

Farmington Station, C. E. W. Smith.

Farmington Circuit, E. J. Rinkel.

Libertyville, A. M. Robinson.

Arcadia Station, W. S. Tyler.

Potosi Circuit, H. Whitehead.

Bellevue Circuit, L. L. Pinnell.

Caledonia Station, M. T. Haw.

Bonne Terre Station, J. E. McGee.

De Soto Station, L. F. Aspley.

Plattin Circuit, J. B. Dodson.

Hematite Circuit, J. H. Brendle.

Festus Station, J. Stephan.

Fredericktown Station, R. F. Chew.

Marquand Circuit, F. W. Tatum.

Cape Girardeau, J. K. P. Dickson; one to be  
supplied; J. C. Alexander, Sup.

Jackson Station, S. W. Emory.

Pocahontas Circuit, C. M. Cagle.

Oak Ridge Circuit, J. W. Oliver; one to be  
supplied.

York Chapel Circuit, to be supplied by J. A.  
Workman.

Bellevue Collegiate Institute, N. B. Henry,  
President.

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

J. T. Kendall, P. E.

Charleston Station, J. L. Batten.

Charleston Circuit, G. T. Clawson; E. G.  
Kilgore, Sup.

Belmont Mission, to be supplied by W. Hol-  
land.

Bertrand and Hibbard, A. B. Crumpler, W.  
M. Freer.

New Madrid Station, R. D. Kennedy.

Locust Grove Circuit, J. D. Doherty.

Point Pleasant Circuit, W. F. Talley.

Prospect Circuit, to be supplied by F. W.  
Rhodes.

Morley and Richwoods, H. M. Eure.

Oran Station, W. C. Enochs.

Commerce Station, to be supplied by W. W.  
Moss.

Benton Station, R. N. Russell.

Blodgett Station, I. W. Hickam.

Scott Mission, to be supplied by G. W. Dun-  
ken.

Sike-ton Station, J. M. Crowe.

Little River Mission, A. B. Halton.

Caruthersville Circuit, to be supplied by W.  
H. Evans; one to be supplied by P. Rose.

Gayoso Circuit, to be supplied by J. F.  
Bishop.

Lutesville, R. A. McClintock.

Marble Hill, L. L. Whitehead.

## POPLAR BLUFF DISTRICT.

*O. G. Halliburton, P. E.*

Poplar Bluff Station, A. Macfarlane.  
Shiloh Circuit, L. M. Lee.  
Grand Prairie, S. C. Biffle.  
Keunett, R. P. Witt.  
Burnie Mission, to be supplied by N. C. Chasteen.  
Dexter and Malden, Z. T. McCann.  
Clarkton Circuit, S. L. Morris.  
Bloomfield Circuit, A. B. Weaver.  
Advance Circuit, W. H. Paschal.  
Walnut Grove Circuit, G. R. McHenry.  
Greenville Circuit, T. W. Glass.  
Centerville Circuit, M. M. Blaese.  
Piedmont Circuit, J. R. Wright.  
Barnesville Circuit, C. Burton.  
Grandin Circuit, T. B. Reagan.  
Williamsville Circuit, R. Walton.  
Doniphan Circuit, A. P. Saffold.  
Fair Dealing Circuit, to be supplied by Abner Elam.

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*A. P. Green, P. E.*

Salem and Steelville, J. K. Matthews.  
Licking, T. Lord.  
Hedrick, to be supplied by H. A. Buff.  
Lake Springs, to be supplied by J. F. Stukenbraker.  
St. James, W. Q. Donnon.  
Vichy Springs, to be supplied by W. G. Hunter.  
Lane's Prairie, L. W. Pickens.  
Cuba, to be supplied.  
Bourbon Circuit, A. H. Russell.  
Richwoods Circuit, H. F. Horsman.  
Bem Circuit, to be supplied by R. M. Reddick.  
Washington Station, C. P. Marchman.  
New Haven, J. R. Eddlemon.  
Labaddie Circuit, J. M. England.  
St. Clair Circuit, W. H. Blalock.

Meramec Circuit, T. P. Hill.  
Mt. Zion Circuit, J. C. L. Boehm.  
Manchester, A. T. Bennett.  
Fenton, T. L. Triplett.

## WEST PLAINS DISTRICT.

*H. A. Smith, P. E.*

West Plains Station, M. H. Moore.  
Alton Circuit, W. H. Batten.  
Brandsville Circuit, to be supplied by Joseph H. Wither.  
Garfield, to be supplied by T. J. Lightfoot.  
Thayer Station, J. A. Russell.  
Moody Circuit, F. Eaker.  
Peace Valley Circuit, W. T. Acuff.  
Siloam Springs Circuit, J. L. Beard.  
Gatewood Circuit, to be supplied by Taylor Mann.  
McDonald Circuit, to be supplied by John C. Simpson.  
Winona Circuit, to be supplied by George W. Rulush.  
Birch Tree Circuit, to be supplied by George D. Davis.  
Willow Springs Station, A. T. Osborn.  
Clear Springs Circuit, to be supplied by E. L. Thomas.  
Summerville Circuit, to be supplied by T. C. Cooksey.  
Houston Circuit, to be supplied by F. F. English.  
Gila Circuit, W. H. Burgett.

*Transferred.*—J. Dodwell, to the Florida Conference; F. M. Totten, to the South Carolina Conference; G. H. Adams, to the North Texas Conference; W. E. Boggs, to the Little Rock Conference; G. W. Nollner, E. C. Finley, C. P. Snow, to the Missouri Conference; J. M. Rollins, to the Japan Mission Conference; V. J. Millis, to the White River Conference; C. P. Brewer, to the Arkansas Conference.

## NORTHWEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT WACO, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 23-28, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; JOHN M. BARCUS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. R. J. Tooley, Lazarus W. Carlton, William H. Matthews, Solon E. Burkhead, John R. Mood, Robert B. Bonner, William D. Bradfield, J. Samuel Barcus, Caleb Lee Browning. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John A. Burks, J. W. R. Bachman, Ethalmore V. Cox, J. I. Davis, W. B. Ford, J. T. Griswold,

James I. Hall, M. L. Hallenbeck, James L. Hollers, Albert Hussey, S. W. Lowe, C. E. Lindsey, N. M. McLaughlin, S. B. Sawyers, E. R. Wallace, E. T. Harrison. 16.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? R. H. Goode, Paul M. Jones, T. G. Patterson, James N. Gibson, J. W. Hall. 5.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? C. V. Bailey, William P. Garvin,



George W. Harris, M. E. Hawkins, I. E. Hightower, R. S. Heizer, W. B. McKeown, M. W. Rogers, James M. Sherman, C. D. West, N. B. Read. 11.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? W. P. Wilson, M. K. Irvin. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? G. C. Rankin, from the Southwest Missouri Conference; H. M. Whaling, from the Little Rock Conference; John R. Morris, from the Texas Conference; J. D. Scoggins, from the Central Mexico Mission Conference; W. H. Crawford, from the East Texas Conference; F. M. Sherwood, from the Indian Mission Conference; T. E. Smith, from the Memphis Conference; A. P. Lipscomb, from the Tennessee Conference. 8.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? H. A. Boaz, G. S. Hardy, T. B. Hilburn, B. F. Jackson, J. D. Odom, W. S. P. McCullough, M. M. Smith, S. J. Vaughan, G. C. Summers. 9.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William P. Garvin, Robert S. Heizer, Isaac E. Hightower, Charles D. West, James T. Griswold. G. W. White was received as a traveling elder from the M. E. Church. 6.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? William P. Garvin, Robert S. Heizer, Isaac E. Hightower, Charles D. West, James T. Griswold. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? J. R. Mood, George G. Ellis, Jesse A. Fulton, Thomas A. West, John A. Burks, Thomas J. Abbott, Ambrose N. Crawford, John W. Shook, Edward H. Phinney, Simpson E. Wood. 10.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? John R. Mood, George G. Ellis, Jesse D. Fulton, Thomas A. West, John A. Burks, Thomas J. Abbott, Ambrose N. Crawford, John W. Shook, Simpson E. Wood. 9.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Napoleon B. Bennett, Joseph T. Bloodworth, De Forest, C. Ellis, Charles N. N. Ferguson, William H. Harris, Jacob G. Miller, Thomas C. Ragsdale, Buford A. Snoddy, James W. Story, William H. Terry, George S. Hardy, James D. Odom. 12.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Napoleon B. Bennett, Joseph T. Bloodworth, De Forest, C. Ellis, Charles N. N. Ferguson, William H. Harris, Jacob G. Miller, Thomas C. Ragsdale, Buford A. Snoddy, James W. Story, William H. Terry, George S. Hardy, James D. Odom. 12.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? J. C. Turner, Charles V. Bailey, William B. Ford. 3.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Charles V. Bailey, William B. Ford. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? J. M. Hackett, J. H. Collard, Jr. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? F. E.

Hammond, E. T. Bates, D. H. Dickey, John F. Neal, J. H. Wiseman, M. R. T. Davis. 6.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. J. Davis, James M. Jones, L. F. Collins, H. W. South, John Carpenter, C. C. Armstrong, P. W. Gravis, James Grant, S. S. Scott, James Peeler, W. F. Graves, E. R. Barcus, Jere Reese, T. W. Rogers, O. M. Addison, A. Davis, F. P. Ray, J. W. Walkup, W. W. Henderson, M. Yell, John Powell, W. G. Connor, G. W. Swofford, J. S. McCarver, W. R. D. Stockton, I. N. Reeves, J. P. Hulse, J. T. Hosmer, F. T. Mitchell, H. M. Glass. 30.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? M. D. Reynolds, Thomas Stanford. 2.

M. D. REYNOLDS, son of John M. and Fannie E. Reynolds, was born in 1849 in Jessamine County, Ky.; and died June 16, 1892, at the residence of his brother, Mr. Henry Reynolds, near Lampasas, Tex. He spent most of his life in Kentucky. He passed his boyhood at home on his father's farm, attending to the duties of life and pursuing his lessons in the country schools. He afterward spent four years at Wesleyan College. He was an enthusiastic, devoted, and successful student, graduating with the highest honors of his class, and took the degree of A.M. He joined the Kentucky Conference in the fall of 1872, his first appointment being Stanford Circuit. He was in charge of this work one year; Vanceburg, two years; Richmond, one year. The fourth year he was stationed at Cynthiana, and during this year he was married to Miss Bettie Cook. He was one year in Cynthiana. By the close of this year his health had become so delicate that he was compelled to rest from the labors of active ministerial life for two years, spending the time of rest at his father's farm. At the end of the two years' rest his health was much improved, so that he was again able to do regular work. The next three years he was in charge of Harrisburg Station. Next he was in charge of Maryville Station one year; then, on account of failing health, he was transferred to the West Texas Conference, and was placed in charge of the Travis Park Church, San Antonio; but here his health again failed, and he was compelled to give up the loved work of the regular pastorate. In search of health he came to Lampasas. After a year's residence in Lampasas he was elected to the chair of Latin and Greek in Centenary College, which position he filled for two years. A vacancy in the presidency then occurring, Brother Reynolds was elected to occupy that position in the college. He filled this position for four years, directing the affairs of the college with fidelity and ability. About a year ago he resigned his work in the college and went to Colorado in the hope of restoration to health. In May, 1892, he returned to Lampasas, where he died. Intellectually Brother Reynolds was a man of

superior ability. His powers were well developed and accurately cultivated. He was especially fine in some departments of analysis. His thinking on some subjects was of a high order. In his prepared discourses he was felicitous in statement, arrangement, and diction. His preaching was strong; he was a man of faith. How beautiful the expression of his faith in his last great affliction! Writing to the *Central Methodist*, first telling why he resigned his work in the college, he says: "It was a sad business to lay down my task, for I had put my heart into the success of Centenary College. My aim now is to accept cheerfully what has befallen me, live near the cross, and await the will of God. I have great consolation in believing on the Lord Jesus Christ, and I believe that my faith in him is both healthful and strong." In such a crisis, only the man of faith can thus speak. In his educational work Brother Reynolds nobly honored God. With all his heart he believed in Christian education, and most faithfully and efficiently did he consecrate his last years to this great work. His lectures on the subject were splendid expositions of the philosophy, necessity, and righteousness of the great doctrine of education by the Church, and eloquent appeals to the people to place their children in the midst of religious environments during the process of education. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn their loss.

THOMAS STANFORD for forty-four years received appointments as an itinerant preacher. He was admitted on trial into the Arkansas Annual Conference at Helena, Ark., November 16, 1842. His first appointment was Smithville Circuit, and his second Greene Mission. At the end of this year he was ordained deacon by Bishop Morris. He traveled Carrollton Circuit two years, when he was ordained elder by Bishop Paine. His next work was Fayetteville Circuit two years; then Fayetteville District four years as presiding elder; then presiding elder of Clarksville District four years, and another term of four years on Fayetteville District. Two years he was stationed at Fayetteville. The latter part of the second year he came to Texas to escape the dreadfully unsettled state of things produced in Northwestern Arkansas by the war. He first stopped at Lamar, but later in Ellis County. He was appointed by the presiding elder to travel Hillsboro Circuit as a supply, which appointment he filled two years. One year he supplied the Fort Worth District, at the end of which he was transferred to the Texas Conference. At this same session of the Conference steps were taken to divide the Texas Conference, forming the Northwest Texas, which action was ratified by the ensuing General Conference. His next appointment was the Waxahachie District two years; then he was stationed one year in Waxahachie, and the next four

years in Waco. Two years, 1872-73, he was presiding elder on the Waco District; then he was in the station one year; next he was pastor of Waco Circuit two years, and presiding elder of Georgetown District two years, and of Waco District four. At the end of his fourth year on Waco District he was stationed at Gatesville, and served the work two years. Then came his two years on Crawford Circuit, which completed his calendar as an itinerant. He was a delegate to the General Conferences of 1854, 1858, 1866, 1870, 1874, 1878. Eight years he was President of the Conference Board of Missions. He was at his death a Curator of Southwestern University. He was present at the last meeting of the board, and though not as active as in days of yore, he was as interested as any of the younger members of the board. It is not merely glorifying a brother because he is gone to say that, in almost every respect, Brother Stanford was the most important figure that has been among us. He died on the evening of September 18, and was buried the day after in a spot which he himself selected long ago near his home. Some eighteen years ago he and Brother E. R. Barcus, with their large families, moved to the prairie, nine miles west of Waco. One of their earliest godly deeds was the erection of a modest little house of worship, which was most appropriately called "Stanford's Chapel." There we buried him.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Georgetown District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Georgetown Station .....	525	.....	29
North Georgetown Circuit.....	192	.....	2
Liberty Hill and Leander.....	245	.....	.....
Bertram and Mt. Horeb.....	248	.....	.....
Burnet Station.....	182	.....	1
Marble Falls Mission.....	343	.....	7
Florence Circuit.....	287	.....	1
Round Rock Circuit.....	282	.....	1
Taylor Station.....	214	.....	2
East Taylor Mission.....	196	.....	.....
Bartlett Circuit.....	353	.....	1
Holland Mission.....	188	1	1
Corn Hill and Salado.....	485	.....	4
South Belton Circuit.....	263	.....	2
Belton Station.....	375	.....	1
North Belton Circuit.....	4-5	.....	2
Oakalla Circuit.....	68	.....	1
Jonah Circuit.....	178	.....	1
	5,109	1	-56

*Corsicana District.*

Corsicana Station.....	534	.....	4
Corsicana Circuit.....	477	.....	1
Itasca Circuit.....	404	.....	2
Hillsboro Station.....	418	.....	3
Irene Circuit.....	510	.....	4
Dresden Circuit.....	629	.....	4
Drane Mission.....	151	.....	1
Rice and Chatfield Circuit.....	525	.....	.....

Corsicana District (Continued).

Abilene District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Kerens Circuit.....	395		3
Wortham Circuit.....	249		1
Mexia Circuit.....	555		1
Mexia Station.....	215		
Groesbeck Circuit.....	228		
Thornton Circuit.....	292		2
Bethel Mission.....	24		1
Mt. Calm Circuit.....	275		4
Hubbard City Mission.....	170		
Dawson Circuit.....	408		4
	6,439		35

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Neinda Circuit.....	143		1
Sweet Water Circuit.....	207		8
Merkel Circuit.....	233		
Buffalo Gap Circuit.....	331		
Throckmorton Circuit.....	149		1
Rayner Mission.....			2
Roby Mission.....	231		
Abilene Mission.....	156		1
Snyder Mission.....	203		2
Iatan Mission.....	177		4
	3,543		25

Waxahachie District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Waxahachie Station.....	357		3
Waxahachie Circuit.....	770		5
Alvarado Station.....	299		2
Grand View Circuit.....	730		2
Sims and Glenwood.....	273		2
Italy Circuit.....	422		2
Avalon Circuit.....	269		1
Reagar Circuit.....	219		1
Ennis Station.....	342	A.	3
Bristol Circuit.....	355		3
Lancaster and Ferris.....	248		2
Oak Cliff Station.....	191		3
Wheatland and W. Dallas Circuit.....	207		1
Red Oak Circuit.....	497		
South Oak Cliff Mission.....	195		1
	5,354		31

Waco District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Waco: Fifth Street.....	611		3
Morrow Street.....	135		2
East Waco and Tenth Street.....	223		1
Lorena Circuit.....	377		
Bruceville Circuit.....	318		
Oenaville Circuit.....	343		1
Temple Station.....	305		4
South Temple Mission.....	92		
Rogers Circuit.....	119		1
Moody Station.....	339		2
McGregor Circuit.....	420	1	3
Crawford and Valley Mills.....	419		1
Dripping Springs Mission.....	190		1
Whitney Circuit.....	396		4
West Circuit.....	326		3
Abbott Circuit.....	485		4
Bosqueville Circuit.....	411		3
Mart Mission.....	232		2
	5,741	1	35

Weatherford District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Weatherford Station.....	477		2
Weatherford Circuit.....	470		2
Jacksboro Station.....	91		1
Springtown Station.....	149		1
Aledo Circuit.....	210		1
Springtown Circuit.....	385		3
Whitt Circuit.....	368		2
Garvin Circuit.....	226		
Graham Station.....	112		
Boonsville Circuit.....	392		1
Bryson Mission.....	200		1
Finnis Mission.....	217		1
Santo Mission.....	200		
New Hope Mission.....	139	4	1
Farmer Circuit.....	179		5
Barton's Creek Mission.....	193		3
Mineral Wells Circuit.....	357		1
	4,365	4	25

Gatesville District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Gatesville Station.....	207		1
Lampasas Station.....	165		2
Meridian Station.....	199		1
Coryell City Circuit.....	383		3
Iredell and Hico.....	274		2
Bee House Circuit.....	248		5
Hamilton and Shive.....	263		4
Jonesboro Circuit.....	380		7
Harmony Circuit.....	281	1	1
Killeen Circuit.....	325		4
Coperas Cove Circuit.....	245		4
Gatesville Circuit.....	295		3
Evant Circuit.....	162		
Martin Gap Circuit.....	217		2
Lampasas Mission.....	200		1
Lometa Circuit.....	156		2
Brookhaven Mission.....	144		
	4,149	1	42

Vernon District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Vernon Station.....	433		2
Quannah and Childress.....	291		3
Seymour Station.....	147		
Crowell Circuit.....	336		2
Amarillo Station.....	145		1
Clarendon and Claude.....	236		2
Plainview Circuit.....	225		5
Floyd and Briscoe Mission.....	176		2
Benjamin Circuit.....	163		
Frazier Mission.....	332		7
Mack Circuit.....	215		2
Chillicothe Circuit.....	215		3
Memphis Mission.....	246		1
Guthrie Mission.....	134		2
Vernon Mission.....	73		
Mangum Mission.....	183		1
Duke Mission.....	336		5
Seymour Mission.....	155		
Childress Mission.....	225		3
Mobeetie Mission.....	104		1
Amarillo Circuit.....			
	4,420		42

Cisco District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Dublin Station.....	212		4
Cisco Station.....	182		5
Armstrong Mission.....	252		
Stephensville Circuit.....	390		2
Duffau Circuit.....	342		8
Breckenridge Circuit.....	430		6
Eliasville Circuit.....	343		2
Hieks Circuit.....	227		2
Eastland Circuit.....	352		5
Gordon and Strawn.....	272		5
Green's Creek Circuit.....	504		11
Sipe Springs Circuit.....	550		9
Rising Star and Pisgah.....	350		4
Carlton Circuit.....	480		2
De Leon Circuit.....	225		3
Proctor Mission.....	273		5
Carbon Circuit.....	299		
	5,633		73

Abilene District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Abilene Station.....	368		1
Big Springs and Midland.....	243		
Colorado Station.....	178		
Albany Station.....	125		
Haskell Station.....	169		
Anson Circuit.....	218		1
Baird Circuit.....	352		4

Fort Worth District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fort Worth: First Church.....	582		1
Missouri Avenue.....	208		
Mulkey Memorial.....	232		1
Cleburne Station.....	355		1
Granbury Station.....	320		5
Morgan and Walnut.....	220		2
Fort Worth Mission.....	248		4
Arlington Circuit.....	224		2

Fort Worth District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' Pr's.
Mansfield Circuit.....	218		2
Marystown Circuit.....	260		3
Cleburne Circuit.....	445		4
Blum and Kopperl Circuit.....	284		2
Covington Circuit.....	307		2
Glen Rose Mission.....	222		1
Cresson Circuit.....	219		
Bluff Dale Circuit.....	677		6
	5,071		36

Brownwood District.

Brownwood Station.....	289		2
Comanche Station.....	157		
Comanche Circuit.....	499	1	6
Goldthwaite Station.....	129		
Mullen Circuit.....	343		1
Zephyr Circuit.....	270		2
Indian Creek Circuit.....	250		1
Santa Anna Circuit.....	343		8
Thrifty Circuit.....	206		1
May Circuit.....	411		4
Cottonwood Circuit.....	250		3
Coleman Station.....	258		
Glen Cove Mission.....	289		3
Ballinger Station.....	153		4
Ballinger Mission.....	120	1	1
Robert Lee Mission.....	230		5
	4,199	2	41

Recapitulation.

Georgetown District.....	5,109	1	56
Corsicana District.....	6,439		35
Waxahachie District.....	5,354		31
Weatherford District.....	4,365	4	25
Vernon District.....	4,420		42
Abilene District.....	3,543		25
Waco District.....	5,741	1	35
Gatesville District.....	4,149	1	42
Cisco District.....	5,683		73
Fort Worth District.....	5,071		36
Brownwood District.....	4,199	2	41
Total this year.....	54,073	9	441
Total last year.....	50,785	6	420
Increase.....	3,288	3	21

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,884.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,415.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 409.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,034.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 25,053.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$6,203.25. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,388.38; Domestic Missions, \$7,162.55. Total, \$16,550.93.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,583.95.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of church edifices? Number, 313½; value, \$520,554.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of parsonages? Number, 142; value, \$123,374.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Schools, 6; pupils, 1,222; teachers, 65; value of buildings, \$116,700.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Fort Worth, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

S. P. Wright, P. E.

Georgetown Station, J. R. Nelson.  
North Georgetown, to be supplied by J. B. Cox.

Florence, J. M. Sherman.  
Round Rock, A. P. Smith.  
Liberty Hill and Leander, C. G. Shutt.  
Bertram and Horeb, G. W. Graves.  
Burnet Station, W. H. Matthews.  
Fairland, E. T. Harrison.  
Marble Falls, R. H. Simpson.  
Taylor Station, E. A. Smith.  
East Taylor, James Hall.  
Bartlett and Jonah, C. W. Daniel, H. A. Boaz.

Holland, C. D. West.  
Corn Hill and Salado, H. B. Henry.  
Belton Station, C. R. Wright.  
South Belton, I. N. Burks.  
North Belton, J. W. Storey.  
Okalla, to be supplied by J. F. White.

WACO DISTRICT.

R. C. Armstrong, P. E.

Waco: Fifth Street, H. M. Whaling.  
Morrow Street, S. J. Franks.  
East Waco and Tenth Street, C. D. Jordan;  
F. E. Hammond, Sup.  
Laredo, R. A. Hall.  
Bruceville and Mooreville, C. N. N. Ferguson.

Moody and Eddy, W. T. Melugin.  
Troy, S. C. Littlepage.

Crawford and McGregor, G. W. White.  
Ozlesby, Samuel Morriss.

West, W. J. Lemons.  
Abbott, J. P. Calloway.

Whitney, S. B. Ellis.  
Valley Mills, G. W. Harris.

Mart, N. M. McLaughlin.  
Temple Station, C. S. Field; D. H. Dickey, Sup.

South Temple, W. H. Temple.  
Rogers, G. A. Greene.

Bosqueville, C. Davis.  
Agent Waco Female College, George W. Owens.

Manager Orphans' Home, W. H. Vaughan.

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

G. S. Wyatt, P. E.

Corsicana Station, Horace Bishop.  
Corsicana Circuit, S. C. Vaughan.

Mt. Calm, M. B. Johnston.  
Hubbard City, J. Haralson.

Dawson, J. M. Baker.  
Wortham, G. J. Irvin.

Kerens, R. R. Raymond.  
 Mexia Station, W. M. Shelton.  
 Mexia Circuit, N. A. Keen.  
 Groesbeck, J. A. Wallace.  
 Thornton, M. L. Hallenbeck.  
 Hillsboro Station, M. S. Hotchkiss.  
 Itaska, J. R. Morris.  
 Bethel, H. Bradford.  
 Dresden, M. H. Major.  
 Irene, J. W. Sansom.  
 Rice and Chatfield, G. S. Clark.  
 Barry, to be supplied by C. W. Young.

## WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

*John S. Davis, P. E.*

Waxahachie Station, B. R. Bolton; M. R. T. Davis, Sup.  
 Waxahachie Circuit, M. E. Hawkins.  
 Sins and Glenwood, W. H. Moss.  
 Italy, J. P. Childers.  
 Reagor, A. T. Culbertson.  
 Avalon, S. W. Lowe.  
 Bristol, J. D. Odom.  
 Ennis Station, J. A. Walkup.  
 Lancaster and Ferris, F. M. Winburne.  
 Oak Cliff Station, N. B. Read.  
 South Oak Cliff, to be supplied.  
 Wheatland and West Dallas, B. A. Thomason.  
 Red Oak, R. D. Moon.  
 Grand View, J. E. Walker.  
 Alvarado Station, J. M. Armstrong.  
 Walker's Creek, to be supplied by J. L. Smith.

## FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

*W. L. Nelms, P. E.*

Fort Worth: First Church, W. F. Lloyd.  
 Missouri Avenue, T. C. Ragsdale; E. T. Bates, Sup.  
 Mulkey Memorial, J. W. Hampton.  
 Fort Worth Mission, C. A. Evans.  
 Arlington, D. C. Ellis.  
 Mansfield, E. V. Cox.  
 Marystown, B. F. Badgett.  
 Cleburne Station, J. S. Chapman.  
 Cleburne Circuit, C. E. Gallagher.  
 Covington and Blum, to be supplied by J. H. Stewart.  
 Osceola, A. Long.  
 Morgan, J. D. Crockett.  
 Walnut and Glen Rose, J. T. Rascoe.  
 Granbury Station, J. Sam Barcus.  
 Granbury Circuit, J. R. Steele.  
 Crenson, to be supplied.  
 Bluff Dale, E. M. Sweet.  
 Polytechnic College, J. W. Adkisson, President; W. P. Wilson, Agent.  
 Granbury College, R. F. Dunn, Professor.  
 Colporter, I. Z. T. Morris.

## VERNON DISTRICT.

*M. K. Little, P. E.*

Vernon Station, J. M. Barcus.  
 Harrold, L. G. Rogers.  
 Crowell, W. B. Ford.  
 Seymour Station, J. R. Henson.

Chillicothe, to be supplied by S. W. Turner.  
 Quanah and Childress, G. S. Hardy.  
 Childress Mission, Thomas Duncan.  
 Altus, R. A. Ellis.  
 Mangum, A. B. Trimble.  
 Duke, J. W. Kizziah.  
 Memphis, C. S. McCarver.  
 Clarendon and Claude, B. M. Stephens.  
 Amarillo Station, J. G. Miller.  
 Panhandle, W. S. P. McCullough.  
 Mobeetie, S. B. Sawyer.  
 Canyon City, W. M. Adams.  
 Plain View, B. F. Jackson.  
 Epworth, R. M. Morris.  
 Floyd and Briscoe, E. R. Wallace.  
 Guthrie, J. W. R. Bachman.  
 Benjamin, J. T. Griswold.  
 Seymour Mission, to be supplied.

## WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

*J. T. L. Annis, P. E.*

Weatherford Station, T. G. Whitten.  
 Weatherford: North Main Street, G. W. Bruce.  
 Aledo, E. J. Maxwell.  
 Weatherford Circuit, I. E. Hightower.  
 Springtown, C. W. Irvin.  
 Springtown Circuit, C. Rowland.  
 Whitt, B. A. Snoddy.  
 Santo, J. L. Hollars.  
 Barton Creek, C. E. Lindsey.  
 Mineral Wells, M. K. Irvin.  
 Boonsville, J. S. Tunnell.  
 Farmer, J. A. Burks.  
 Finis, A. P. Lipscomb.  
 Graham Station, T. E. Smith.  
 Garvin, L. W. Carlton.  
 Jacksboro Station, H. H. Vaughan.  
 Oak Glen Circuit, J. M. Montgomery.

## GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

*E. F. Boone, P. E.*

Gatesville Station, G. F. Boyd.  
 Lampasas Station, James Mackey.  
 Lampasas Circuit, G. D. Wilson.  
 East Lampasas, to be supplied by J. W. Fort.  
 Lometa, R. J. Tooley.  
 Bee House, G. C. Summers.  
 Coperas Cove, M. Mills; J. F. Neal, Sup.  
 Evant, G. A. Nance.  
 Jonesboro, J. M. Bond.  
 Henson Creek, J. A. Gardner.  
 Brookhaven, to be supplied by B. A. Sledge.  
 Coryell City, R. S. Heizer.  
 Killeen and Nolanville, J. R. Mood.  
 Hamilton, W. B. McKeown.  
 Meridian Station, W. E. Caperton.  
 Martin and Iredell, W. V. Jones.  
 Hico Station, William Price.  
 Harmony Chapel, T. B. Hillburn.

## CISCO DISTRICT.

*E. A. Bailey, P. E.*

Cisco, H. C. Jolly.  
 Breckenridge, S. J. Vaughan.

Eliasville, M. W. Rogers.  
 Eastland, J. H. Trimble.  
 Gordon and Strawn, C. V. Bailey.  
 De Leon, A. B. Roberts.  
 Carbon, to be supplied.  
 Dublin Station, J. H. Chambliss.  
 Green's Creek, B. F. Gassaway.  
 Armstrong, to be supplied by J. T. Owen.  
 Stephenville, J. J. Harris.  
 Duffau, W. K. Simpson.  
 Carlton, J. B. Elder.  
 Rising Star and Pisgah, M. M. Smith.  
 Sipe Springs, J. J. Canafax.  
 Proctor, to be supplied.  
 Caddo, to be supplied by A. P. Payne.

## BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

*J. P. Mussett, P. E.*

Brownwood Station, J. G. Putman.  
 Brownwood Circuit, to be supplied by G. W. Templin.  
 Coleman Station, A. E. Caraway.  
 Coleman Circuit, E. W. Simmans.  
 Santa Anna, J. W. Dickinson.  
 Ballinger Station, W. D. Bradfield.  
 Ballinger Mission, R. B. Bonner.  
 Robert Lee, G. F. Fair.  
 May, J. T. Bloodworth.  
 Indian Creek, D. T. Holmes.  
 Glen Cove, R. W. Wellborn.  
 Comanche Station, C. V. Oswalt.  
 Comanche Circuit, D. C. Starke.  
 Zephyr, D. Morgan.

Goldthwaite Station, W. C. Hillburn.  
 Mullen, T. J. Lasseter.  
 Cottonwood, J. C. Carter.

## ABILENE DISTRICT.

*E. L. Armstrong, P. E.*

Abilene Station, H. A. Bourland.  
 Abilene Mission, W. H. Harris.  
 Albany Station, T. S. Armstrong.  
 Colorado Station, E. Hightower.  
 Big Springs and Midland, C. L. Browning.  
 Haskell Station, W. D. Bass.  
 Anson, W. H. Crawford; J. H. Wiseman, Sup.  
 Neinda, to be supplied by T. C. Eason.  
 Sweet Water, W. P. Garvin.  
 Merkel, W. A. Gilliland.  
 Baird, W. L. Harris.  
 Buffalo Gap, I. L. Mills.  
 Throckmorton, G. C. Calhoun.  
 Roby, N. B. Bennett.  
 Rayner, J. I. Davis.  
 Snyder, R. V. Galloway.  
 Iatan and Gail, T. L. Adams.

*Transferred.*—William Sproule, to the East Texas Conference; F. M. Sherwood, to the North Texas Conference; G. C. Rankin, to the Texas Conference, and stationed at Shearn Memorial; M. L. Moody, to the Mexican Border Mission Conference, and stationed at Monterey; J. D. Scroggins, to the Indian Mission Conference, and stationed at Oklahoma City; S. R. Hay, to the Denver Conference, and stationed at Trinidad.

## TEXAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT CALVERT, TEX., NOVEMBER 10-14, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; SETH WARD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. James Kilgore, Hubert Willis, Columbus M. Thompson, John W. Thompson, Charles E. Simpson, Robert T. Blackburn, Winder C. Bracewell, John R. Murray, Robert W. Adams. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. C. Moore, John W. Morris, E. W. Myers, Thomas R. Cain, J. J. Calloway, George E. Clothier, E. L. Shettles, A. M. Eubank, Harry May, Ira B. Gordon, W. H. Brooks, J. P. Skinner. 12.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? W. D. White. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? T. S. Williford, John W. Brazleton, W. T. McDonald, John L. Russell. 4.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. S. Blackwood,

G. W. Briggs, B. H. Greathouse, G. A. LeClere, W. T. Keith, A. J. Wheeler, C. R. Lamar, J. W. Holt, J. M. Nickels, G. C. Rankin, J. L. Massey. 11.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? S. H. Morgan, E. D. Mouzon, D. H. Hotchkiss, H. G. Williams, L. P. Davis, John W. McMahan, J. W. Harmon, James M. Nickels, Robert T. Woolsey. 9.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Thomas S. Williford, John W. Brazleton. 2.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Thomas S. Williford, John W. Brazleton. 2.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? John W. Eichwurz, James Kilgore, G. C. Rector, Wilbur F. Walker, Jesse M. Wallace. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are or-

dained deacons? John W. Eichwuzel, James Kilgore, G. C. Rector, Wilbur F. Walker, Jesse M. Wallace, Winder C. Bracewell. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? William C. Hedrick. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? B. H. Greathouse, B. J. Guess, E. W. Tarrant, W. T. Keith. 4.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? C. L. Farrington, D. H. Linebaugh. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? John H. Davidson, A. Mizell, J. M. Wesson, W. K. Turner, J. W. Whipple, William Shapard, C. W. Thomas, Wesley Smith, W. G. Nelms, F. A. McShan, T. W. Blake, J. M. Turner, E. S. Smith. 13.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? James M. Gober. 1.

JAMES MARION GOBER was born in Drew County, Arkansas, January 7, 1864; and died of typhoid fever at Lyons, Tex., January 23, 1892. His parents, William V. and Elizabeth Gober, were Christians of the most pronounced type and members of the Methodist Church. The atmosphere of their home life was laden with the perfume of holiness. Brought up under such conditions, it is not surprising that our departed brother, at the early age of eight years, gave himself to God and the Church. This was the beginning of a religious life that was to be unreservedly consecrated to the Lord. In May, 1884, at Big Cane, La., he received license to exhort, and in November of the next year he came to Texas. He was licensed to preach at Elgin in April, 1886. He was admitted on trial into the Texas Conference at Houston in 1887, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Key at La Grange in 1889. Ill health threw him back in his classes so that he was never ordained elder. He served the following charges: 1888, the Hockley Circuit; 1889, the Montgomery Circuit; 1890, the Independence Circuit; 1891, the Lyons Circuit. He had just begun his second year on the Lyons Circuit when the chariot of Israel came along and he stepped in and his soul mounted to God. Our brother was married to Miss Sudie Baker, daughter of Rev. Jesse Baker, January 13, 1886, in Bastrop County. This union was blessed with three sons, two of whom are still living. The youngest, a bright and promising boy of two years, lingered only a few days after his father's departure, and then fell to sleep on the bosom of the great Shepherd. "We live in deeds, not in years." In the highest, best sense our brother is more alive today than when he tabernacled in the flesh. His was not a gigantic intellect, but he was

something infinitely better: he measured up to the fullness of the stature of a man in Christ Jesus. People loved him for the purity of his character, and his life was a benediction to those with whom he came in contact. He was a growing man, and would doubtless have developed into a most useful and effective minister of the gospel. He was kind, patient, and self-sacrificing to a very remarkable degree. Those who ministered to him during his last illness noticed that no matter how small the service done him, he always said: "I thank you." Truly he was a guileless man. Let us follow him as he also followed Christ.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference.

Galveston District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Galveston: St. John's.....	233		1
St. James.....	173		1
West End.....	93		
Houston: Shearn Memorial.....	509		1
Washington Street.....	187		
McKee Street.....	268		1
City Mission.....	145		2
Bolivar.....	75		
Richmond.....	113		2
Cedar Bayou.....	232		1
Alvin.....	280	4	5
Velasco.....	65		2
Columbia and Brazoria.....	90		1
Matagorda.....	225		1
Eagle Lake.....	99		1
Patterson.....	180		
Wharton and Hungerford.....	91		
Oyster Creek.....			1
	3,058	4	20

Austin District.

Austin: Tenth Street.....	602		
Twenty-fourth Street.....	103		
First Street.....	118		1
Merrilltown Circuit.....	352		1
Manchaca.....	259		1
Webberville.....	165		1
Elgin and Manor.....	187		
McDade.....	238	2	3
Bastrop.....	141		
Winchester, West Point, Smithville.....	209		
Cedar Creek.....	170		3
La Grange.....	181		
Columbus.....	166		1
Weimer.....	400		3
Flatonia.....	273		1
Muldoon.....	250		1
Alum Creek.....	236		1
	4,050	2	17

Chappell Hill District.

Chappell Hill.....	225		
Brenham.....	252		
Giddings.....	115		1
Caldwell.....	136		
Lyons.....	149		1
Cameron Station.....	225		2
Cameron Circuit.....	200	1	
Davilla.....	249		5
Maysfield.....	195		
Milana.....	376		2
Rockdale.....	157		

Chappell Hill District (Continued).

	Mem- bers.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' l Pr's.
Pleasant Hill.....	340	.....	5
Lexington.....	257	.....	4
Sealy and San Felipe.....	163	.....	.....
Bellville.....	277	.....	.....
	3,406	1	20

Calvert District.

Calvert.....	197	.....	1
Marlin.....	228	.....	1
Bremond and Reagan.....	351	.....	.....
Hearne and Wheelock.....	190	.....	.....
Kosse.....	409	.....	3
Franklin.....	258	.....	2
Bald Prairie.....	237	.....	2
Jewett and Buffalo.....	260	.....	2
Centerville.....	329	.....	.....
Fairfield.....	286	.....	2
Bryan.....	271	.....	2
Durango.....	281	.....	1
Wilderville.....	157	.....	1
Elliott.....	172	.....	.....
Center Point.....	58	.....	.....
Rogers Prairie.....	191	.....	1
	3,875	.....	18

Huntsville District.

Huntsville.....	130	.....	.....
Prairie Plains.....	186	.....	3
Zion.....	192	.....	6
Navasota.....	170	.....	4
Anderson.....	254	.....	.....
Madisonville.....	350	.....	1
Willis.....	196	.....	1
Montgomery.....	125	.....	.....
Conroe.....	84	.....	1
Cold Springs.....	293	.....	.....
Plantersville and Courtney.....	161	.....	.....
Hempstead.....	113	.....	1
Hockley.....	167	.....	2
Millican.....	237	.....	1
Dodge.....	180	.....	2
	2,838	.....	22

Recapitulation.

Galveston District.....	3,058	4	20
Austin District.....	4,050	2	17
Chappell Hill District.....	3,406	1	20
Calvert District.....	3,875	.....	18
Huntsville District.....	2,838	.....	22
Total this year.....	17,227	7	97
Total last year.....	16,523	4	99
Increase.....	704	3	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	2

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 818.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 943.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 170.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,275.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 10,094.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? Eight per cent. of the salaries of the preachers in charge.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$3,412.60. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$4,655.45; Domestic Missions, \$2,243.65. Total, \$6,899.10.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,497.65.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 155; value, \$314,350.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages. Number, 61; value, \$61,028.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Southwestern University: Teachers, 19; students, 486; value of property \$13,000. Chappell Hill Female College: Teachers, 8; students, 75; value of property, \$15,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Navasota, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

HOUSTON DISTRICT.

E. W. Solomon, P. E.

Houston: Shearn Memorial, G. C. Rankin.

Washington Street, A. J. Wheeler.

McKee Street, Charles A. Hooper.

Tabernacle, John E. Green.

Galveston: St. John's, J. L. Massey.

St. James, J. W. Horn.

West End, E. L. Shettles.

Bolivar, to be supplied by J. W. Bell.

Richmond Station, G. H. Collins.

Cedar Bayou, G. S. Sandel.

Alvin and Sandy Point, T. B. Graves.

Velasco, to be supplied.

Columbia and Brazoria, to be supplied.

Matagorda, J. W. Morris.

Eagle Lake, to be supplied by W. R. Campbell.

Pattison, J. W. Holt.

Wharton and Hungerford, D. H. Hotchkiss.

Dickerson, to be supplied.

La Porte, to be supplied by W. F. Brown.

AUSTIN DISTRICT.

J. B. Sears, P. E.

Austin: Tenth Street, G. W. Briggs.

Twenty-fourth Street, G. C. Rector.

First Street, Hubert C. Willis.

Merrilltown, E. G. Hocutt.

Manchaca, J. W. Harmon.

Webberville, J. L. Russell.

Elgin and Manor, S. H. Morgan.

McDade, G. J. Leath.

Bastrop Station, H. M. Sears.

Winchester, West Point, and Smithville, S.

P. Brown.

Cedar Creek, Ira B. Gordon.

La Grange Station, George E. Clothier.

Columbus Station, James Kilgore.

Weimer, H. M. Haynie.

Flatonia Station, W. W. Horner.

Muldoon, John W. Brazleton.

Alum Creek, to be supplied by H. B. Watts.

CHAPPELL HILL DISTRICT.

C. H. Brooks, P. E.

Chappell Hill Station, G. C. Stovall.



Brenham Station, E. H. Harmon.  
 Giddings, R. T. Woolsey.  
 Caldwell Station, E. D. Mouzon.  
 Lyons, Robert T. Blackburn.  
 Cameron Station, W. Wootton.  
 Cameron Circuit, E. M. Myers.  
 Davilla, W. H. Brooks.  
 Maysfield, J. W. Kelley.  
 Milano, J. W. Thompson.  
 Rockdale, J. W. McMahan.  
 Pleasant Hill, H. T. Hart.  
 Lexington, J. P. Skinner.  
 Sealy, A. S. Blackwood.  
 Bellville, J. C. Moore.  
 German Mission, J. T. Browning.

## CALVERT DISTRICT.

*F. L. Allen, P. E.*

Calvert Station, O. T. Hotchkiss.  
 Marlin Station, A. E. Goodwyn.  
 Bremond and Reagan, J. B. Cochran.  
 Hearne and Wheelock, T. S. Williford.  
 Kosse, F. O. Favre.  
 Franklin, G. H. Phair.  
 Bald Prairie, to be supplied by G. M. Williams.  
 Jewett and Buffalo, A. J. Anderson.  
 Centerville, to be supplied by T. K. True.  
 Fairfield, W. F. Brinson.  
 Bryan Station, C. R. Lamar.  
 Durango, J. J. Calloway.  
 Wilderville, Charles R. Cain.

Elliott, C. E. Simpson.  
 Rogers Prairie, A. M. Eubank.  
 Center Point, to be supplied by J. O. Jordan.

## HUNTSVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. C. Mickle, P. E.*

Huntsville Station, Seth Ward; C. L. Farrington, Sup.  
 Prairie Plains, to be supplied.  
 Zion, to be supplied by J. L. Yates.  
 Navasota Station, C. M. Keith.  
 Anderson, H. G. Williams.  
 Madisonville, J. M. Adams.  
 Willis Station, G. A. LeClere.  
 Montgomery, L. P. Davis.  
 Conroe, J. R. Murray.  
 Cold Springs, W. T. McDonald.  
 Plantersville and Courtney, Robert W. Adams.  
 Hempstead Station, J. M. Nickels.  
 Millican, G. Powledge.  
 Hockley, W. C. Bracewell.  
 Dodge, C. M. Thompson.  
 Missionary Secretary, I. G. John.

*Transferred.*—Harry May, to the East Texas Conference; J. F. Follin, to the Little Rock Conference; O. A. Dukes, to the Japan Mission Conference; J. R. Morris, to the Northwest Texas Conference; H. V. Philpott, to the West Texas Conference, and stationed at Laredo.

## NORTH MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.

HELD AT CORINTH, MISS., NOVEMBER 30—DECEMBER 5, 1892.

BISHOP GRANBERY, *President*; JOSEPH S. OAKLEY, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. James T. Murrah, Charles H. Pittman, Charles B. Ames, William W. Mitchell, L. M. Broyles, Samuel B. Myers. 6.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? L. M. Lipscomb, T. B. Clifford, W. D. Burroughs, W. L. Graves, J. A. Poe, W. A. Clark, J. H. Rogers, J. L. Bowling, J. M. Davenport, W. A. Bowlin; S. L. Boyd, W. F. Rogers, in class of first year. 12.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? B. P. Jaco, A. T. Buck, E. S. Lewis, J. W. Ramsey, R. A. Meek, J. P. Moore. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? J. A. Whitehurst. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other conferences? Julian C. Brown, from the White River Conference; H. C. Parrott, from the Indian Mission Conference; E. P. Craddock, from the North Alabama Confer-

ence; R. I. Allen, from the Los Angeles Conference; J. P. Moore, an elder from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. 5.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? C. W. Perkins, G. H. Lipscomb, R. O. Brown, J. C. Mimms, W. J. Burt, H. C. Edmondson, H. M. Young, J. W. Treadwell, B. B. Sullivan. 9.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Benton P. Jaco, Angus T. Buck, Edward S. Lewis, John W. Ramsey, Robert A. Meek. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Benton P. Jaco, Angus T. Buck, Edward S. Lewis, John W. Ramsey, Robert A. Meek. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? J. Aaron Braswell, E. H. McNabb, John H. Barrentine, John H. Rogers, Columbus R. Hall. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained

deacons? J. Aaron Braswell, E. H. McNabb, John H. Barrentine, John H. Rogers, Columbus R. Hall. 5.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Henry P. Gibbs, Henry P. Crowe, Thomas B. Hargrove, Richard H. B. Gladney, William H. Sanders, Joseph T. Howell. 6.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Henry P. Gibbs, Henry P. Crowe, Thomas B. Hargrove, Richard H. B. Gladney, William H. Sanders, Joseph T. Howell. 6.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? E. S. Lewis, B. R. East—both at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? W. S. Harrison, D. M. Cogdell. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. B. Carson, J. H. Brooks, A. A. Houston, S. A. Ellis, W. R. Rainey, C. N. Terry, J. M. Hampton, J. W. Bates, J. J. Wheat, R. C. Callo-way. 10.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? T. J. Lowry, H. L. Vaughn. 2.

THOMAS JEFFERSON LOWRY, son of Thomas and Temperance Lowry, was born December 5, 1813, in Chesterfield District, South Carolina. His parents were poor, and died when he was quite young. Thus early in life he was left to earn his own bread, and was deprived of anything like a finished education; what he did learn of letters was by a hard struggle. He professed religion at Shiloh Camp Ground, Anson County, N. C., and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, September 13, 1835. In 1838 he was licensed to preach in Henderson County, Tenn., by G. W. D. Harris, presiding elder. At Huntsville, Ala., he was received on trial in the Tennessee Conference, in 1838. In 1840 he was ordained deacon by Bishop James O. Andrew. In 1842 he was ordained elder by the same at Holly Springs, Miss. It might be tedious to mention the names of all the charges on which he labored, and as many of these names have been changed, or have passed from history, it would doubtless be uninteresting. His trips were made on horseback. It was this or go on foot: there was no other method of travel. He made his way through vast sections of unbroken forests, by rough Indian paths, or roads rudely marked out by the early settlers. Streams had to be crossed where bridges were unknown. After these long and weary rides he spent the night in the log cabin of the pioneer. The country through which he made these tedious rides is now traversed by great railroad lines, and those lonely forests now, in places, are occupied by flourishing towns and villages, where blocks of business

houses invite and command the trade of the country. Such hardships, such toil are unknown to the itinerant of the present day. His pay was often as poor as that of the most meagerly provided for preacher of the present time. All this he endured as a good soldier, looking for no easy place nor expecting reward by any promotion. His labors began on Lawrence Circuit, Tennessee Conference. The scene of his last active labors was Athens, Miss. Then followed two years, 1887 and 1888, in the supernumerary relation. Then he was regarded as a broken-down man in 1889. In 1891 he was superannuated. Few men, if any man, has been laid aside from active work in these relations whose spirit groaned within him and whose soul cowered under the affliction of being so disposed of as did Brother Lowry's. He was married to Miss Rebecca Far, who, to the end of his life, walked by his side, who was a help to him through all the toilsome years of his ministry. In a few years children were born. They purchased and made them a home near Houston, Miss. Here his children, five daughters and two sons, grew up. They were early brought into the Church and trained up for God. The wife and children all survive the departed husband and father. Brother Lowry's long residence at his home was a benediction to the immediate community, and also to many others at a greater distance. He had the confidence of every one. Children were born who grew up to be men and women, who felt and acknowledged the power of his religious life upon their own. Though removed from his place like some star from its center, his light is still falling on the world below. One year ago he stood up among us and declared his love for his brethren and his joy at being able to see them once more. On Tuesday morning, the day following the close of the Conference, he left Macon, where the Conference had been held, with the other preachers for his home. It was a very cold day. He was comfortable in the car; but when he left the train, for five hours in the drive home he was exposed to a cold north wind. At the end of his drive he was thoroughly chilled. He did not complain until next day. The day following he took to his bed, from which he never arose. He did not seem to think that he was very sick, but talked but little. He professed his faith in Christ and his confidence in God. When he seemed to realize that his end was approaching, he said: "I would like to talk much, but cannot." On Monday morning, December 14, 1891, he passed away from earth, and now rests from his labors, thus closing a life of fifty-three years in the ministry.

H. LUTHER VAUGHN, son of George W. and Mrs. S. E. Vaughn, was born March 11, 1856; converted August 23, 1870; licensed to preach January 23, 1876; admitted on trial into the North Mississippi Conference at Water Val-

ley in December, 1879; ordained deacon by Bishop Kavanaugh at that time and elder by Bishop McTyeire at Oxford in December, 1883; and died at McNutt, Miss., April 4, 1892. Brother Vaughn had the great advantage of having been brought up in an excellent Christian home. His early associations were of the best kind. This, no doubt, accounts for his early conversion, deep piety, and earnest zeal for the cause of Christ. He took a special course in the Theological Department of Vanderbilt University, from which he graduated in 1879. In 1880 he was happily married to Miss Trigg, of Gallatin, Tenn. In the providence of God his good wife was called home in 1885. After this he was married to the elder sister of his former wife. This wife and four children he left to the care of God and the Church. In 1880 he served the Fulton Circuit; in 1881-82, the Columbus Circuit; in 1883-84, Bolivar Station; in 1885-86, Prairie and Paine Chapel; in 1887-88, Cockrum Circuit; in 1888-91, Courtland Circuit; and was assigned to McNutt for 1892, where he ended his earthly labors. Brother Vaughn was a man of a warm heart, genial nature, amiable spirit, great energy, and invincible courage. He was also a devout Christian, full of faith and the Holy Ghost, deeply interested in and consecrated to the work of the Master. He was a close and diligent student of the word of God and of the standard works of theology. All the interests of the Church committed to his hands received his close and constant attention. He was a good preacher and faithful pastor. His last sickness was of short duration, and his death rather sudden and unexpected to his family and friends; but when the critical moment came, he was ready for the change. His last words were: "Rest, sweet rest." O what volumes of meaning and comfort to surviving loved ones in these three words! "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of W. T. Barnett, who was suspended from the ministry and membership of the Church for one year.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Sardis District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Sardis and Davis Chapel.....	175	.....
Como and Fredonia.....	225	.....
Senatobia.....	116	.....
Arkabutla.....	285	.....
Coldwater Mission.....	145	.....
Hernando and Coldwater.....	190	.....
Nesbitt.....	264	1

*Sardis District (Continued).*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Pleasant Hill.....	332	.....
Cockrum.....	458	2
Mt. Vernon.....	422	2
Batesville and Wesley.....	149	.....
Pleasant Grove.....	525	5
Panola.....	302	1
Courtland.....	315	.....
Wall Hill.....	250	2
	4,164	18

*Grenada District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Grenada Station.....	257	.....
Grenada Circuit.....	357	1
Water Valley Station.....	390	.....
Water Valley Circuit.....	357	4
Coffeeville.....	430	3
Charlestown.....	236	1
Oxford Station.....	162	2
Abbeville.....	335	1
Toceopola.....	467	1
Banner.....	530	6
Atlanta.....	371	3
Minter City and Strathmore.....	60	.....
Chapel Hill.....	410	2
Tillatoba.....	369	2
Pittsboro.....	414	1
Cherry Hill.....	257	2
	5,402	29

*Winona District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Winona Station.....	174	.....
Winona Circuit.....	450	2
Vaiden.....	380	.....
Carrollton.....	197	.....
Greenwood Station.....	182	.....
West.....	435	2
Black Hawk.....	422	3
Carrollton Circuit.....	575	5
McNutt.....	153	1
Indianola and Faisonla.....	169	.....
Dublin and Brooklyn.....	154	.....
Lehrton Mission.....	150	2
Sidon.....	254	2
	3,695	17

*Kosciusko District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Kosciusko and Durant.....	371	2
Sallis.....	622	.....
Weir.....	480	1
Ethel.....	533	2
Rural Hill.....	501	3
Belzona.....	140	1
Lexington and Telula.....	70	1
Pickens.....	176	.....
Ebenezer.....	345	1
Newport.....	243	2
Louisville.....	494	.....
Walthal.....	665	3
Chester.....	626	2
Maben.....	340	.....
Poplar Creek.....	474	.....
	6,080	18

*Columbus District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Columbus Station.....	403	2
Columbus Circuit.....	446	1
Crawford.....	250	.....
Brooksville.....	319	.....
Macon Station.....	239	.....
Hebron.....	118	1
Mashulaville.....	255	.....
Shuqualak.....	310	.....
Starkville Station.....	305	.....
Starkville Circuit.....	240	1
West Point Station.....	234	1
Tibbee.....	89	.....
Pheba.....	174	.....
Sturgis.....	540	1
Sparta.....	703	3
	4,625	10

*Aberdeen District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Aberdeen Station.....	333	1
Okolona Station.....	178	.....
Okolona Circuit.....	280	.....

Aberdeen District (Continued).

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Tupelo Station.....	125	1
Verona and Nettleton.....	195	2
Prairie.....	180	.....
Pontotoc.....	451	.....
Buena Vista.....	500	2
Houston and Wesley.....	284	1
Shannon.....	590	2
Nettleton and Fulton.....	850	5
Saltito.....	703	5
Tremont.....	904	3
Amory and Smithville.....	693	1
Athens.....	557	1
	6,823	24

Corinth District.

Corinth Station.....	315	2
Corinth Circuit.....	595	6
Iuka Station.....	229	2
Iuka Circuit.....	506	1
Kossuth.....	395	.....
Blackland.....	511	4
Jonesboro.....	449	.....
Ripley and New Albany.....	218	.....
Ripley Circuit.....	327	1
Booneville and Baldwin.....	314	2
Guntown.....	572	1
Blue Springs.....	266	1
New Albany Circuit.....	622	4
Marietta.....	540	3
Pleasant Ridge.....	499	5
	6,358	32

Holly Springs District.

Holly Springs Station.....	286	1
Holly Springs Circuit.....	212	.....
East Holly Springs Circuit.....	158	.....
Red Banks.....	147	.....
Byhalia.....	365	.....
Olive Branch.....	240	1
Mt. Pleasant.....	281	1
Early Grove.....	129	.....
Ashland.....	331	1
Myrtle.....	378	1
Eagle Springs.....	245	.....
Lebanon.....	282	2
	3,054	7

Greenville District.

Greenville Station.....	257	2
Stoneville and Lake Lea.....	46	.....
Shaw and New Salem.....	169	.....
Cleveland and Shelby.....	161	.....
Australia.....	40	.....
Clarksdale.....	97	.....
Jonestown.....	82	.....
Belen.....	82	.....
Tunica and Lula.....	83	.....
Friar's Point.....	58	.....
Rosedale.....	59	.....
Gunnison.....	45	.....
Bolivar.....	41	.....
Arcola and Hollandale.....	93	.....
Duncan and Coahoma.....	84	.....
	1,397	2

Recapitulation.

Sardis District.....	4,164	13
Grenada District.....	5,402	29
Winona District.....	3,695	17
Kosciusko District.....	6,080	18
Columbus District.....	4,625	10
Aberdeen District.....	6,828	24
Corinth District.....	6,358	32
Holly Springs District.....	3,054	7
Greenville District.....	1,397	2
Total this year.....*	41,602	152
Total last year.....	41,729	159
Decrease.....	127	7

\* This includes 6 Indians in Pickens, Kosciusko District.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 796.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,689.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 461.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,330.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 19,959.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,300.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,230.59. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$6,035.85; Domestic Missions, \$1,851.45. Total, \$7,887.30.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,527.65.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 483; value, \$463,457.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 110; value, \$105,525.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Grenada Collegiate Institute: Value, \$30,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Columbus, Miss.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

SARDIS DISTRICT.

H. C. Morehead, P. E.

Sardis and Davis Chapel, T. B. Hargrove. Como and McGee, J. M. Wyatt; D. M. Cogdell, Sup.

Senatobia Station, J. D. Cameron.

Arkabutla, J. M. Huggins.

Hernando and Coldwater, J. W. Malone.

Nesbitt, C. W. Perkins.

Pleasant Hill, A. J. Jones.

Cockrum, W. W. Williams.

Mt. Vernon, R. P. Gore.

Batesville and Wesley, Eugene Johnson.

Pleasant Grove, H. P. Gibbs.

Panola, B. P. Jaco.

Morganville Mission, to be supplied by J. A. Braswell.

Wall Hill, T. W. Dye.

Courtland, D. M. Geddie.

GRENADA DISTRICT.

R. A. Burroughs, P. E.

Grenada Station, T. B. Malone.

Grenada Circuit, W. J. O'Bryant.

Water Valley Station, J. W. Price.

Water Valley Circuit, W. A. Bowlin.

Coffeeville, G. W. Gordon.

Charleston, James Porter.

Oxford Station, J. E. Thomas.

Abbeville, J. W. Anderson.

Toccopola, J. M. Massey.

Banner, C. C. Grisham.  
 Atlanta, B. P. Fullilove.  
 Minter City and Strathmore, J. W. Luter.  
 Chapel Hill, E. H. Rook.  
 Tillatoba, S. L. Boyd.  
 Pittsboro, A. J. Foster.  
 Cherry Hill, E. P. Craddock.  
 Grenada Collegiate Institute, T. J. Newell,  
 President.

## WINONA DISTRICT.

*S. M. Thames, P. E.*

Winona Station, John Richey.  
 Winona Circuit, J. T. Howell.  
 Vaiden, R. A. Meek.  
 Carrollton Station, G. H. Lipscomb.  
 Carrollton Circuit, J. R. D. King.  
 Greenwood, W. S. Shipman.  
 West, R. M. Davis.  
 Black Hawk, Thomas Cameron.  
 McNutt, R. M. Evans.  
 Indianola and Faisonina, O. L. Savage.  
 Dublin and Brooklyn, C. B. Ames.  
 Lehrton, to be supplied by E. H. McNabb.  
 Sidon, L. M. Lipscomb.

## KOSCIUSKO DISTRICT.

*W. T. J. Sullivan, P. E.*

Kosciusko and Durant, J. F. Evans.  
 Sallis, W. D. McCullough.  
 Weir, T. G. Freeman.  
 Ethel, R. O. Brown.  
 Rural Hill, S. B. Myers.  
 Belzona, J. A. Poe.  
 Ashton, W. D. Burroughs.  
 Lexington and Tehula, L. D. Worsham.  
 Pickens, R. G. Porter.  
 Ebenezer, A. W. Langley.  
 Kosciusko Circuit, W. A. Dollar.  
 Louisville, J. A. Leech.  
 Eupora, W. C. Lester.  
 Stewart, T. L. Foster.  
 Chester, D. C. Foust.  
 Poplar Creek, J. H. Rogers.  
 Millsaps College, W. B. Murrah, President.  
 Colporter and Sunday School Agent, G. W.  
 Bachman.

## COLUMBUS DISTRICT.

*T. C. Wier, P. E.*

Columbus Station, R. M. Standefer.  
 Columbus Circuit, K. M. Harrison.  
 Crawford, K. A. Jones.  
 Brooksville, D. L. Cogdell.  
 Macon Station, J. H. Mitchell.  
 Mashulaville, R. I. Allen.  
 Shuqualak, A. T. Buck.  
 Hebron, D. W. Babb.  
 Starkville Station, J. W. Dorman; W. S. Har-  
 rison, Sup.  
 Starkville Circuit, A. P. Sage.  
 West Point, Amos Kendall.  
 Tibbee, J. T. Murrah.  
 Pheba, A. P. Leech.  
 Sturgis, J. W. Treadwell.  
 Sparta, J. D. Newsom.

## ABERDEEN DISTRICT.

*J. B. Stone, P. E.*

Aberdeen Station, J. A. Bowen.  
 Okolona Station, N. G. Augustus.  
 Okolona Circuit, B. B. Sullivan.  
 Tupelo Station, E. H. Moon.  
 Verona and Nettleton, J. T. Cunningham.  
 Prairie, J. M. Barnes.  
 Pontotoc, H. C. Parrott.  
 Buena Vista, W. W. Mitchell.  
 Houston and Wesley, H. R. Tucker.  
 Shannon, M. E. Tumlin.  
 Nettleton and Fulton Circuit, to be supplied  
 by R. Sargeant.  
 Salttillo, J. M. Deavenport.  
 Tremont, to be supplied by J. W. Raper.  
 Amory and Smithville, F. A. Whitson.  
 Athens, W. L. Graves.

## CORINTH DISTRICT.

*W. S. Lagrone, P. E.*

Corinth Station, T. Y. Ramsey.  
 Corinth Circuit, C. H. Pittman.  
 Iuka Station, W. C. Harris.  
 Iuka Circuit, W. A. Clark.  
 Kossuth, W. J. Burt.  
 Rienzi, J. H. Smith.  
 Jonesboro, to be supplied by W. W. Edge.  
 Blackland, H. M. Young.  
 Ripley and New Albany, J. W. Bell.  
 Ripley Circuit, J. W. Ramsey.  
 Booneville and Baldwin, B. F. Phillips.  
 Guntown, J. E. Buck.  
 Blue Springs, to be supplied by L. A. Mc-  
 Keown.  
 New Albany Circuit, M. H. Honnoll.  
 Marietta, J. P. Moore.  
 Brown's Creek, W. F. Rogers.  
 Pleasant Ridge, to be supplied by J. T. Mc-  
 Keown.

## HOLLY SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*J. W. Honnoll, P. E.*

Holly Springs Station, T. W. Lewis.  
 Holly Springs and Early Grove Circuit, J. J.  
 Brooks, Ben S. Rayner.  
 East Holly Springs, J. W. Poston.  
 Ashland, to be supplied by B. C. Gray.  
 Shelby Creek Mission, to be supplied by  
 Jackson Parker.  
 Cornersville, O. N. Koon.  
 Myrtle and Hickory Flat, J. W. Boswell.  
 Waterford, J. L. Bowling.  
 Red Banks, J. B. Harris.  
 Mt. Pleasant, G. H. Jacobs.  
 Byhalia, J. C. Lowe.  
 Olive Branch, J. H. Shumaker.  
 Editor, *Memphis Christian Advocate*, J. W. Bos-  
 well.

## GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. A. Randolph, P. E.*

Greenville Station, J. S. Oakley.  
 Stoneville and Glen Allen, L. M. Broyles.  
 Shaw and New Salem, H. P. Crowe.  
 Cleveland and Shelby, T. B. Clifford.

Duncan and Hillhouse, W. H. Sanders.  
 Clarksdale Station, E. H. Casey.  
 Jonestown Station, M. D. Fly.  
 Belen, J. R. Roberson.  
 Tunica and Lula, W. M. Young.  
 Friar's Point Station, Julian C. Brown.  
 Rosedale Station, W. W. Woollard.  
 Gunnison Station, J. A. Whitehurst.

Bolivar Station, R. H. B. Gladney.  
 Arcola and Hollandale, J. C. Mimms.  
 Coahoma and Lyon, Joseph Johnson.

*Transferred.*—W. W. Moss, to the St. Louis Conference; F. P. Spencer, to the North Georgia Conference; H. C. Edmondson, to the White River Conference.

## ARKANSAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT BENTONVILLE, ARK., NOVEMBER 30—DECEMBER 4, 1892.

BISHOP WILSON, *President*; J. A. WALDEN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION. 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. David N. Weaver, Foster A. Hill, Jesse J. Douglas, John H. Messer, William B. Hart, Banks M. Burrow, John S. Whitson, Benjamin F. McManáma. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? S. F. Goddard, J. A. McIver, J. M. Williams, J. E. Sutton, S. Anderson, J. M. Hively, D. H. Groover, W. H. H. Gilmore, J. C. Shipp. 9.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Douglas Reed. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? A. Marston, J. H. Sturdy, G. B. Griffin, W. H. Hatfield, J. S. Hackler, J. S. Simmons, J. B. Winsett. 7.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? J. W. Head. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. E. Rutledge, from the West Texas Conference; D. B. Price, from the Montana Conference; F. A. White, from the Western Conference; C. H. Gregory, from the White River Conference; C. F. Brewer, from the St. Louis Conference. 5.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? W. Sherman, W. M. Taylor, J. P. Humphreys, P. Merrill, C. H. Culpepper, H. R. Shinn. 6.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? J. S. Simmons, J. S. Hackler, W. H. Hatfield. 3.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? J. S. Simmons, J. S. Hackler, W. H. Hatfield. 3.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? W. N. Corbitt, W. M. Taylor, W. P. Whaley, J. S. Williams, A. F. Skinner, J. H. Messer, L. L. Seawel, L. H. Covey. 8.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? W. N. Corbitt, J. H. Messer, J. A. Fair, W. M. Taylor, L. L. Seawel, F. M. Suttle. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? W. S. Bristow, J. H. Smith, A. J. Cullum, W. H. Dyer, W. P. Hamilton, K. S. Vanzandt, J. C. Weaver. 7.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. S. Bristow, J. H. Smith, A. J. Cullum, W. H. Dyer, W. P. Hamilton, K. S. Vanzandt, J. C. Weaver. 7.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? I. T. Rice, J. W. Dutton, M. F. Burrus. 3.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? I. T. Rice, J. W. Dutton, J. W. Maddox. 3.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? E. A. Tabor. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. E. Martin, W. H. Corley. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. Cox, J. Loving, A. Mathes, J. H. Wade, G. W. Evans, T. A. Graham, F. A. Taff, W. R. Gardner. 8.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. C. Hooker. 1.

J. C. HOOKER, preacher in charge of the Mountain Home Circuit, and on trial in his first year, died in the faith and at his post. The following resolutions were adopted by the Conference:

Whereas in the providence of God Rev. J. C. Hooker, preacher in charge of the Mountain Home Circuit, and who was in his first year on trial in this Conference, has been called from labor to reward; therefore be it

1. *Resolved*, That in his transfer to the Conference of saints above we have lost one of our most useful and promising workers.

2. That we will pray God to let his mantle fall upon the young men of this Conference, and that we all, like him, may die on the field of battle.

3. That we extend to Sister Hooker and her two little children our profoundest sympathy, and pray God to make the visit of the death angel to her home a blessing, and that she may have grace abundant, and a home at last with the blood-washed throng, where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed,

except that of J. H. Welsh, who surrendered his credentials and withdrew from the Church.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Fort Smith District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fort Smith: First Church.....	205		
Central Church.....	275		2
Fort Smith Circuit.....	401		2
Hackett City Circuit.....	300		2
Huntington Station.....	149		1
Greenwood Circuit.....	381		1
Mansfield Circuit.....	316		2
Waldron Circuit.....	440		6
Cauthron Circuit.....	200		1
Sugar Grove Mission.....	293		1
Booneville Circuit.....	351		1
Roseville Circuit.....	205		1
Paris Station.....	200		
Charleston Circuit.....	316		4
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>4,122</b>		<b>24</b>

*Clarksville District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Clarksville Station.....	143		
Clarksville Circuit.....	352		2
Lamar Circuit.....	356		
Ozone Circuit.....	158		3
Coal Hill Circuit.....	180		
Altus and Webb City Station.....	118		2
Altus Circuit.....	50		
Ozark Station.....	133		
Ozark Circuit.....	360		5
Mulberry Mission.....	11		
Alma and Mulberry Station.....	90		1
Dyer Circuit.....	313		4
Van Buren Station.....	166		1
Van Buren Circuit.....	210		3
Chester Circuit.....	160		3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,800</b>		<b>24</b>

*Dardanelle District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Dardanelle District.....	172		
Dardanelle Circuit.....	366		3
Russellville Station.....	164		2
Atkins Circuit.....	498		3
Dover Circuit.....	350		4
Appleton Circuit.....	185		
Prairie View Circuit.....	292		
Danville Circuit.....	300		2
Chickalah Circuit.....	107		
Rover Circuit.....	371		4
Gravelly Hill Circuit.....	316		5
Walnut Tree Circuit.....	288		6
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,409</b>		<b>29</b>

*Morrilton District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Morrilton Station.....	294		
Plummerville Circuit.....	240		1
Conway Station.....	235		15
Conway Mission.....	171		1
Springfield Circuit.....	265		1
Mt. Vernon Circuit.....	446		4
Quitman Station.....	227		4
Quitman Circuit.....	541		2
Quitman Mission.....	276		2
Cleveland Mission.....	212		5
Martinsville Mission.....	258		4
Perryville Circuit.....	232		1
Perryville Mission.....	186		1
Ada Mission.....	340		4
Clinton Circuit.....	458	3	7
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>4,381</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>52</b>

*Fayetteville District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fayetteville Station.....	232		4
Springdale Station.....	170		
Rogers Station.....	126		
Bentonville Station.....	188		

*Fayetteville District (Continued).*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Bentonville Circuit.....	398		2
Center Point Circuit.....	390		2
Prairie Grove Circuit.....	322		4
Elm Springs Circuit.....	409		5
Boonsboro Circuit.....	307		4
Wedington Circuit.....	235		
Robinson Circuit.....	260		
Springtown Circuit.....	275		2
White River Mission.....	150		3
Sulphur Springs Mission.....	121		2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,583</b>		<b>28</b>

*Harrison District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Harrison Station.....	104		
Bellefonte Circuit.....	451		6
Lead Hill Circuit.....	277		1
Valley Springs Circuit.....	3 0	1	6
Wiley's Cove Circuit.....	265		4
Archie Circuit.....	260		4
Big Flat Circuit.....	166		6
Mountain Home Circuit.....	300		3
Yellville Station.....	141		3
Yellville Circuit.....	436		1
Powell Circuit.....	169		4
Oakland Mission.....	129		2
Omaha Mission.....	76		1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,154</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>41</b>

*Eureka Springs District.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Eureka Springs Station.....	130		2
King's River Mission.....	235		5
Hindsville Circuit.....	318		2
Berryville Circuit.....	297		3
Carrollton Circuit.....	247		3
Jasper Mission.....	81		
Cassville Mission.....	58		
Huntsville Circuit.....	374		4
St. Paul Mission.....	155		
Kingston Circuit.....	187		3
Goshen Circuit.....	260		4
Wesley Circuit.....	50		
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,432</b>		<b>26</b>

*Recapitulation.*

	White Men's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fort Smith District.....	4,122		24
Clarksville District.....	2,800		24
Dardanelle District.....	3,409		29
Morrilton District.....	4,381	3	52
Fayetteville District.....	3,583		28
Harrison District.....	3,154	1	41
Eureka Springs District.....	2,432		26
<b>Total this year</b> .....	<b>23,881</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>224</b>
<b>Total last year</b> .....	<b>23,297</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>238</b>
<b>Increase</b> .....	<b>584</b>		
<b>Decrease</b> .....			<b>14</b>

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 633.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,450.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 217.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,460.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 12,116.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$2,400.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$1,439.56. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$2,629.28; Domestic Missions, \$1,615.89. Total, \$4,245.17.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$766.10.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 203; value, \$174,701.50.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 79, value, \$36,715.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Hendrix College (one-third interest): Teachers, 7; students, 122; endowment, \$10,000; value of property, \$60,000. Quitman College: Teachers, 6; students, 144; endowment, \$12,000; value of property, \$40,700. Yellville Institute (District High School): Teachers, 4; students, 140; value of property, \$5,000. Galloway Female College (one-third interest): Teachers, 20; students, 250; value of property, \$60,000. Fayetteville District High School, Fort Smith District High School, and Dardanelle District High School: Teachers, 13; students, 460; value of property, \$12,500.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Clarksville, Ark.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### FORT SMITH DISTRICT.

*G. W. Hill, P. E.*

Fort Smith: First Church, J. T. Bagwell.  
Central Church, S. Anderson.  
Fort Smith Circuit, J. L. Hayes.  
Hackett Circuit, J. M. McAnally.  
Huntington and Mansfield, S. F. Goddard.  
Greenwood Circuit, W. Sherman.  
Mansfield Circuit, W. H. Metheny.  
Waldron Circuit, G. W. Dameron.  
Cauthron Circuit, P. Merrill.  
Boonville Circuit, J. M. C. Hamilton.  
Paris and Roseville, W. P. Hamilton.  
Charleston Circuit, J. B. Winsett.  
Caulksville Mission, to be supplied by J. F. Gates.  
Sugar Grove Mission, B. F. Crews.  
Searcy Male College, S. H. Babcock, President.

#### CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT.

*S. S. Key, P. E.*

Clarksville Station, R. M. Traylor.  
Clarksville Circuit, W. J. Stone.  
Lamar Circuit, J. W. Head.  
Altus and Coal Hill, Y. A. Gilmore.  
Altus Circuit, to be supplied by J. H. O'Bryant.  
Ozark Station, J. A. Walden.  
Ozark Circuit, B. W. Aston.  
Alma Circuit, J. H. Myers.  
Dyer Circuit, D. N. Weaver.  
Van Buren Station, T. J. Reynolds.  
Chester Mission, to be supplied by H. J. Poole.  
Ozone Mission, W. M. Taylor.  
Hiram and Lydia College, I. L. Burrow, President.

#### DARDANELLE DISTRICT.

*P. B. Summers, P. E.*

Dardanelle Station, A. H. Williams.  
Dardanelle Circuit, G. W. O. Davis.  
Russellville Station, W. E. Rutledge.  
Atkins Circuit, G. W. Boyls.  
Dover Circuit, W. A. McIver.  
Prairie View Circuit, J. C. Weaver.  
Danville Circuit, J. C. Shipp.  
Rover Circuit, J. W. Deshazo.  
Gravelly Hill Circuit, J. E. Dunaway.  
Walnut Tree Circuit, W. S. Bristow.  
Appleton Mission, W. H. H. Gilmore.  
Chicalah Mission, H. R. Shinn.  
Sunday School Agent, N. Futrell.

#### MORRILLTON DISTRICT.

*D. J. Weems, P. E.*

Morrillton Station, F. S. H. Johnston.  
Plummerville Circuit, D. B. Price.  
Conway Station, J. B. Stevenson.  
Clinton Circuit, Jesse Williams.  
Springfield Circuit, I. F. Harris.  
Mt. Vernon Circuit, J. H. Smith.  
Quitman Station, J. M. Cantrell.  
Quitman Circuit, Z. W. Lindsey.  
Martinville Circuit, A. C. Ray.  
Perryville Circuit, B. M. Burrow.  
Ada Circuit, A. J. Cullum.  
Gold Creek Mission, to be supplied.  
Morganton Mission, J. E. Sutton.  
Cleveland Mission, C. H. Culpepper.  
Perryville Mission, J. A. McIver.  
Hendrix College, A. C. Miller, President.  
Quitman College, O. H. Tucker, President.

#### FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*V. V. Harlan, P. E.*

Fayetteville Station, J. A. Anderson.  
Springdale Station, W. B. Johnson.  
Rogers Station, W. H. W. Burns.  
Bentonville Station, B. C. Matthews.  
Bentonville Circuit, to be supplied by E. H. Buttram.  
Center Point Circuit, P. B. Hopkins.  
Elm Springs Circuit, A. Marston.  
Prairie Grove Circuit, W. H. Dyer.  
Boonsboro Circuit, J. H. Sturdy.  
Cincinnati Circuit, D. C. Ross.  
Springtown Circuit, J. R. Maxwell.  
White River Mission, W. B. Hart.  
Sulphur Springs Mission, J. P. Humphreys.

#### EUREKA SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*E. L. Massey, P. E.*

Eureka Springs Station, F. A. White.  
Berryville and Green Forest, K. S. Vanzandt.  
Berryville Circuit, to be supplied by W. T. Cartwright.  
Carrollton Circuit, W. H. Hatfield.  
Huntsville Circuit, J. N. Villines.  
Hindsville Circuit, to be supplied by H. M. Conger.  
Kingston Circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Dutton.



Goshen Circuit, H. A. Armstrong.  
 Eureka Springs Mission, B. Williams.  
 King's River Mission, J. S. Simmons.  
 Jasper Mission, to be supplied by T. E. Doran.  
 Cassville Mission, to be supplied by H. Matley.  
 War Eagle Mission, to be supplied by S. S. Bristow.  
 St. Paul Mission, to be supplied by J. S. Whitson.

HARRISON DISTRICT.

*S. F. Dykes, P. E.*

Harrison Station, C. H. Gregory.  
 Bellefonte Circuit, F. A. Hill.  
 Lead Hill Circuit, J. W. Griffin.  
 Valley Springs Circuit, W. K. Biggs.  
 Wiley's Cove Circuit, J. S. Hackler.  
 Archey Circuit, J. J. Douglass.  
 Big Flat Circuit, G. B. Griffin.

Mountain Home Circuit, J. H. Watts.  
 Yellville Station, B. Monk.  
 Yellville Circuit, to be supplied by L. L. Seawell.  
 Powell Circuit, B. F. McManáma.  
 Oakland Mission, D. H. Groover.  
 Omaha Mission, to be supplied by C. C. Johnson.

*Transferred.*—C. B. Moseley, to the Japan Mission Conference; J. L. Massey, S. M. Godbey, to the Texas Conference; C. E. McClintock, to the St. Louis Conference, and appointed to Marble Hill Station; P. P. Burke, to the Little Rock Conference; C. F. Brewer, to the Indian Mission Conference, and appointed to Guthrie Circuit; J. M. Hively, to the Indian Mission Conference, and appointed to Claremore Circuit; J. H. Messer, to the Indian Mission Conference, and appointed to Olympus Circuit.

LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MAGNOLIA, ARK., DECEMBER 7-11, 1892.

BISHOP WILSON, *President*; J. R. MOORE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. James M. Robinson, Caldwell W. Watson, R. Luther Broach, Walter W. Christie, Walter W. Nelson, Llewellyn C. Woozencraft, Rufus L. Woozencraft, William E. Biggs. 8.  
 Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? E. R. Steele, L. C. Wilson, James Thomas, J. F. Taylor, M. W. Manville, S. C. Dean, A. C. Kelley. 7.  
 Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? G. W. McCarty, Thomas E. Bolding. 2.  
 Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? E. F. Wilson, J. W. Vantrease, J. J. Colson, J. A. Henderson, F. P. Doak, W. C. Hilliard, G. E. Parsons, R. G. Rowland, H. D. Thweatt, G. E. Cameron. 10.  
 Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? R. H. Poynter, G. E. Cameron. 2.  
 Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? P. P. Burke, from the Arkansas Conference; W. E. Boggs, from the St. Louis Conference; W. C. Adams, H. Jewell from the White River Conference. 3.  
 Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? G. W. Jones, W. J. Hearon, R. T. Riley, F. N. Brewer, J. J. Menefee, B. A. White, J. R. Rushing, J. B. Williams. 8.  
 Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? H. D. Thweatt, R. G. Row-

land, J. J. Colson, F. P. Doak, J. W. Vantrease, W. C. Hilliard. 6.  
 Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? H. D. Thweatt, R. G. Rowland, J. J. Colson, F. P. Doak, J. W. Vantrease, W. C. Hilliard. 6.  
 Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Clinton A. Broach, Matthew W. Manville. 2.  
 Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? C. A. Broach, M. W. Manville, Felix G. Davis. 3.  
 Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? G. S. Sexton, C. W. Drake, G. S. Turrentine, B. F. Scott, K. W. Dodson, W. F. Evans, Edward Rushing, A. S. Scott. 8.  
 Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? G. S. Sexton, C. W. Drake, G. S. Turrentine, B. F. Scott, K. W. Dodson, W. F. Evans, Edward Rushing, A. S. Scott. 8.  
 Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.  
 Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.  
 Ques. 16. Who are located this year? C. R. Montgomery, J. R. Harvey, H. D. Thweatt, at their own request. 3.  
 Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? H. Townsend, W. J. Davis. 2.  
 Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? A.

Hunter, A. W. Simmons, W. J. Scott, R. H. Saunders, A. Avery, J. E. Caldwell, A. B. Winfield, J. H. Blakely, B. G. Johnson, Joseph Turrentine, H. R. Withers, W. H. Browning, O. H. Keadle, R. C. Atchley. 14.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Little Rock District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Little Rock: First Church.....	549		1
Winfield Memorial .....	369		2
Asbury.....	183		1
Mabelvale Circuit .....	300		1
Maumelle Circuit.....	294		5
Liberty.....	9		
Austin Circuit.....	496		1
Lonoke Station.....	212		1
Hickory Plains Circuit .....	352		1
Carlisle and Hazen.....	247		1
Des Arc and Devall's Bluff.....	117		
Wattensas Circuit.....	300		1
England Circuit.....	281		2
	3,649		17

*Pine Bluff District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Pine Bluff: First Church.....	445		2
Lakeside .....	124		
Sheridan Circuit.....	394		2
Toledo Circuit.....	357		2
Kingsland Circuit.....	365		2
New Edinburg Circuit.....	462		
Lehi Circuit.....	376		3
Arkansas Post Circuit .....	235		2
White River Circuit.....	439		1
De Witt Circuit.....	189		2
Goldman Circuit.....	147		3
Stuttgart Station .....	64		
Old River Circuit.....	50		
Pastoria Circuit.....	121		
Redfield Circuit.....	197		1
	3,995		20

*Monticello District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Monticello Station.....	179		
Mt. Pleasant Circuit .....	364		
Star City Circuit.....	237		
Tillar Circuit.....	265		5
Arkansas City and Dermott.....	33		
Lake Village and Cariola .....	23		
Macon Hills Circuit.....	74		1
Bartholomew Circuit.....	141		1
Hamburg Station.....	108		
Hamburg Circuit.....	332		3
Berea Circuit.....	283		1
Palestine Circuit.....	346		
Warren Station.....	153		
Lacey Circuit.....	314		2
	2,852		13

*Camden District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Camden Station.....	209		1
Camden Circuit.....	339		
Ouachita Circuit.....	309		2
Carolina Circuit.....	472		1
Magnolia Station.....	234		1
Magnolia Circuit.....	332		2
Stephens and Waldo.....	425		1
Atlanta Circuit.....	415		1
El Dorado Circuit .....	438		2
Lapile Circuit.....	447		4
Hampton Circuit.....	364		1

*Camden District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fordyce Station.....	300		4
Bearden Circuit.....	335		
Buckner Circuit.....	348		2
Lewisville Circuit.....	324		1
	5,291		23

*Washington District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Prescott Station.....	159		2
De Ann Circuit.....	315		2
Emmett Circuit.....	494		1
Hope Station.....	187		1
Washington.....	207		3
Fulton and Colledge Hill.....	97		
Genoa Circuit.....	256		1
Peytonville Circuit.....	186		1
Richmond and Rocky Comfort.....	156		1
Little River Circuit.....	132		2
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	365		7
Locksburg Circuit.....	706		3
Mineral Springs Circuit.....	427		3
Center Point Circuit .....	618		3
Nashville Circuit.....	268		1
	4,573		31

*Arkadelphia District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Arkadelphia Station.....	361		4
Clark Circuit.....	335		1
Smithton Circuit.....	255		1
Gurdon and Beirne.....	116		
Okolona.....	455		
Murfreesboro Circuit.....	387		4
Social Hill Circuit.....	300		6
Dalark Circuit.....	297		3
Holly Springs Circuit.....	359		6
Princeton Circuit.....	355		
Lonon Circuit.....	296		
Malvern Station.....	290		1
Benton Station.....	394		2
Collegeville Circuit .....	408		3
Bryant Circuit.....	597		2
	5,205		33

*Hot Springs District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Hot Springs: Central Avenue.....	390		2
South Hot Springs.....	133		2
Malvern Hill and Glen Street.....	210		1
New Liberty Circuit.....	370		2
Mountain Valley Circuit.....	212		1
Crystal Springs Circuit.....	324		5
Mt. Ida Circuit.....	448		5
Amity Circuit.....	419		5
Dallas Circuit.....	343		7
Mountain Fork Circuit.....	262		4
Silver Hill Mission.....	108		4
Saline Circuit.....	352		4
	3,571		42

*Recapitulation.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Little Rock District.....	3,649		17
Pine Bluff District.....	3,995		20
Monticello District.....	2,852		13
Camden District.....	5,291		23
Washington District.....	4,573		31
Arkadelphia District.....	5,205		33
Hot Springs District.....	3,571		42
Total this year.....	29,136		179
Total last year.....	28,644		5 176
Increase .....	492		3
Decrease.....			5

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 739.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,464.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 344.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,039.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 15,174.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,333.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$3,512.65. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$5,417.85; Domestic Missions, \$3,043.95. Total, \$8,461.80.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,352.48.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 365½; value, \$325,642.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 67; value, \$49,113.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Hot Springs, Ark.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year.

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

*H. H. Watson, P. E.*

Little Rock: First Church, R. D. Smart.  
 Winfield Memorial, J. F. Follin.  
 Asbury, T. D. Scott.  
 Mabelvale Circuit, J. A. Henderson,  
 Maumelle Circuit, S. C. Dean.  
 Liberty, G. W. Matthews.  
 Austin Circuit, J. H. Bradford.  
 Lonoke Station, W. F. Evans.  
 Hickory Plains Circuit, F. P. Doak.  
 Des Arc and Devall's Bluff, E. N. Watson.  
 Carlisle and Hazen, C. L. Adams.  
 Wattensas Circuit, J. M. Robinson.  
 England Circuit, C. W. Watson.  
 Agent American Bible Society, E. M. Pipkin.  
 Agent Hendrix College, T. H. Wade.

PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

*J. H. Riffin, P. E.*

Pine Bluff: First Church, J. R. Moore.  
 Lakeside, J. F. Carr.  
 Riverside, L. C. Wilson.  
 Sheridan Circuit, G. W. Rice.  
 Toledo Circuit, J. D. Whiteside.  
 Kingsland Circuit, P. P. Burke.  
 New Edinburg Circuit, J. M. Cline.  
 Lehi Circuit, J. R. Sherwood.  
 White River Circuit, F. N. Brewer.  
 Stuttgart and De Witt, W. A. Steel.  
 De Witt Circuit, G. E. Parsons.  
 Little Prairie Mission, W. W. Christie.  
 Goldman Circuit, W. W. Mills.  
 Old River Circuit, W. C. Adams.

Pastoria Circuit, R. H. Poynter.  
 Redfield Circuit, R. L. Broach.

MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

*A. O. Evans, P. E.*

Monticello Station, John McLauchlan.  
 Mt. Pleasant Circuit, J. C. Rhodes.  
 Star City Circuit, W. W. Nelson.  
 Lacey Circuit, W. C. Hilliard.  
 Tillar Circuit, W. R. Harrison.  
 Arkansas City and Dermott, L. B. Hawley.  
 Lake Village Circuit, G. E. Cameron.  
 Bartholomew Circuit, J. B. Thomas.  
 Hamburg Station, Boone Keeton.  
 Hamburg Circuit, R. J. Raiford.  
 Berea Circuit, W. E. Biggs.  
 Palestine Circuit, F. J. Shaw.  
 Warren Station, S. N. Burns.

CAMDEN DISTRICT.

*J. R. Cason, P. E.*

Camden Station, R. R. Moore.  
 Camden Circuit, J. H. Gold.  
 Ouachita Circuit, Edward Rushing.  
 Carolina Circuit, B. A. Few.  
 Magnolia Station, C. B. Brinkley.  
 Stephens and Waldo, J. A. Sage.  
 Atlanta Circuit, J. M. G. Douglass.  
 El Dorado Circuit, C. D. McSwain.  
 Lapile Circuit, B. A. White.  
 Hampton Circuit, J. L. Johnston.  
 Fordyce Station, J. R. Sanders.  
 Bearden and Thornton, C. M. Keith.  
 Caledonia Circuit, J. M. D. Sturgis.  
 Buckner Circuit, J. R. Rushing.  
 Lewisville, R. W. McKay.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*G. M. Hill, P. E.*

Prescott Station, H. Jewell.  
 De Ann Circuit, R. T. Riley.  
 Emmett Circuit, G. W. Logan.  
 Bright Star Mission, L. C. Woozencraft.  
 Spring Hill Circuit, A. C. Kelley.  
 Hope Station, J. M. Pinnell.  
 Washington, E. L. Beard.  
 Fulton and College Hill, J. W. F. Scott.  
 Genoa Circuit, B. F. Scott.  
 Richmond Circuit, E. R. Steel.  
 Rocky Comfort Circuit, G. S. Turrentine.  
 Chapel Hill Circuit, L. M. Powell.  
 Locksburg Circuit, A. M. Robertson.  
 Mineral Springs Circuit, W. T. Locke.  
 Center Point Circuit, H. B. Scruggs.  
 Nashville, J. W. Berry.

ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

*H. D. McKennon, P. E.*

Arkadelphia Station, C. C. Godden.  
 Daleville Circuit, K. W. Dodson.  
 Clarke Circuit, S. A. Hill.  
 Gurdon Circuit, J. S. Clowet.  
 Okolona and Smithton, A. Turrentine; W.  
 J. Davis, Sup.  
 Murfreesboro Circuit, E. F. Wilson.

Social Hill Circuit, J. W. Vantrease.  
 Dalark Circuit, J. J. Tarlton.  
 Holly Springs Circuit, A. S. Scott.  
 Princeton Circuit, W. J. Rogers.  
 Lono Circuit, E. Garrett.  
 Malvern Station, W. E. Boggs.  
 Benton Station, M. W. Manville; H. Townsend, Sup.  
 Collegeville Circuit, W. J. Hearon.  
 Bryant Circuit, R. L. Woozencraft.  
 Arkadelphia Methodist College, G. J. Jones, President.

## HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*A. D. Jenkins, P. E.*

Hot Springs: Central Avenue and Glenn Street, E. N. Evans; one to be supplied.

Hot Springs: South Hot Springs, Will Crowson.

Malvern Hill, James Thomas.  
 New Liberty Circuit, J. B. Williams.  
 Mountain Valley, J. F. Taylor.  
 Crystal Springs Circuit, J. S. Nicholson.  
 Mt. Ida Circuit, J. Y. Christmas.  
 Amity Circuit, C. W. Drake.  
 New Hope Mission, to be supplied.  
 Dallas Circuit, R. G. Rowland.  
 Mountain Fork Circuit, J. J. Colson.  
 Silver Hill Mission, to be supplied by H. Rydings.  
 Saline Circuit, J. J. Menefee.

*Transferred.*—G. S. Sexton, to the North Texas Conference; H. M. Whaling, to the Northwest Texas Conference.

## NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT SHERMAN, TEX., NOV. 30—DEC. 5, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; CHARLES I. McQUINTER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Zebulon Vance Liles, Zora B. Pirtle, James Brice Turrentine, Isaac James Cuppedge, Joshua J. Clark, Nathaniel C. Little, William Clinton Wallis, Robert H. Kimball, William Kemp Strother, Columbus M. Shuffler, Alfred R. Sellers, Frank Leslie Farrington. 12.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? I. W. Clark, J. M. Sweeten, W. E. Jordan, E. C. McVoy, J. B. Lewis, J. M. Nichols, W. T. Morrow, H. M. Pirtle, J. B. Powers, G. A. Jamison, I. S. Smith, W. D. Wheeler, Joseph Jamieson. 13.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. S. McKee. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. W. Beckham, J. W. Murphy, J. M. Peterson, W. B. Walker, J. W. Clifton, D. W. Gardner, M. L. Blaylock, J. F. Pierce, John C. Carr, Ira M. Bryce, J. T. Kirkpatrick, T. H. Morris. 12.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? E. S. Boyd, F. M. Sherwood, A. S. Whitehurst, C. B. Carter, A. D. McVoy, D. P. Brown, P. A. Edwards, G. H. Adams, F. B. Carroll, T. B. Norwood, George S. Sexton. 11.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? James A. Kerr, J. L. Morris, William A. Stuckey, R. C. Hicks, J. M. Dunn, L. A. Hanson, W. F. Hodnett, W. H. Brown, J. C.

Fowler, A. W. Clark, L. H. McGee, D. T. Brown, J. P. Rodgers, J. I. Lavender, J. D. Hudgins, A. A. Wagnon, L. L. Nangle. 17.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John F. Pierce, John C. Carr, I. M. Bryce, J. T. Kirkpatrick, Thomas H. Morris, W. B. Walker. 6.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John F. Pierce, John C. Carr, Ira M. Bryce, J. T. Kirkpatrick, T. H. Morris, W. B. Walker. 6.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? G. R. Reynolds, H. M. Pirtle, A. R. Nash, J. A. Rodgers, W. D. Philpott, H. Y. Keller, William C. Wallis, W. W. Barnes, R. H. Kimball, J. B. Powers, F. M. Goynes, J. H. McCoy, R. H. White, N. Powell, L. M. Barnes, P. W. Byrd, J. A. Verner, W. C. Stallings, J. McCloud. 19.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? G. R. Reynolds, H. M. Pirtle, A. R. Nash, J. A. Rodgers, W. J. Philpott, H. Y. Keller, W. C. Wallis, W. W. Barnes, R. H. Kimball, J. B. Powers, F. M. Goynes, R. H. White, L. M. Barnes, P. W. Byrd, J. McCloud. 15.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? W. R. Manning, C. M. Harless, C. H. Peele, Stuart Nelson, J. B. Gober, B. H. Webster, J. R. Jones, C. C. Davis, T. J. Beckham, A. D. McVoy. 10.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are or-

dained elders? W. R. Manning, C. M. Harless, C. H. Peele, Stuart Nelson, J. B. Gober, B. H. Webster, J. R. Jones, C. C. Davis, T. J. Beckham, A. D. McVoy. 10.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? George W. Eller, Albert G. Noble, I. N. Coburn, R. P. McElwreath, James M. Sweeton. 5.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? George W. Eller, Albert G. Noble, I. N. Coburn, R. P. McElwreath, James M. Sweeton. 5.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? J. I. Lavender. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? T. B. Norwood. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? L. P. Lively, J. B. Rabb, J. C. Randall, W. R. Davis, W. P. Reed, R. Lane, R. G. Rainey, M. C. Blackburn, J. W. Chalk, A. C. McDougal, A. H. Brewer, J. R. Randle, D. P. Brown. 13.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? W. K. Duff, Calvin J. Cocke. 2.

WILLIAM K. DUFF was born in Washington County, Va., June 15, 1829; professed religion in September, 1844; was married to Miss Martha Anne Ward in December, 1851; was licensed to exhort in 1860; moved to Texas in 1866; was licensed to preach in 1868; was admitted on trial into this Annual Conference in 1874, and on account of physical debility was placed on the supernumerary list in 1878. After a long and painful sickness he died at his residence in Greenville, Tex., May 24, 1892. All who knew Brother Duff regarded him as a man of great moral worth. He had been for years a great sufferer, and was thereby kept from active work in the ministry. He was a safe counselor to the pastor, and his good judgment made his advice valuable to the Church. His work and honor were never called in question, and his piety was never doubted by saint or sinner. This good man, under much bodily affliction, filled the measure of life with good works, "visiting the fatherless and widows in their affliction and keeping himself unspotted from the world." As a preacher he was earnest, fearless, but loving and tender. As a husband and father he was affectionate and indulgent, "providing things honest in the sight of all men." As a member of the Church he stood like Saul, the son of Kish, head and shoulders above his fellows. He was liberal with his means for any purpose that honored God or blessed humanity. Since last Conference the Church members at Greenville have on several occasions given touching expressions of their love and veneration for this good man. He believed from the first that he would not recover, and talked freely about dying, always expressing himself as resigned to the will of God. Here are some of his dying words: "It exhausts me; but I am

not excited; I am just anxiously waiting." Speaking to Sister Duff, he said: "Mother, you will be lonely by yourself, but you will find plenty of friends in the Church. This is a beautiful morning to die. God will give you grace, mother. Religion is real; it sustains me now." When he could no longer speak audibly he whispered: "Praise the Lord." Soon after he passed away without a struggle, and thus closed one of the purest lives the writer has ever known. His funeral sermon was preached to a large congregation, and his remains were deposited in Greenville Cemetery, with the beautiful and impressive ceremonies of the Masonic lodge. He leaves a faithful and devoted wife and four children. May their last end be like his!

CALVIN JESSE COCKE, the subject of this notice, was born in Hardeman County, Tenn., March 19, 1827. He came to Texas early in life, and was educated at McKenzie College. While at college, under the influence and ministry of that prince of preachers and educators, Rev. J. W. P. McKenzie, D.D., he embraced the Christian religion and at once united with the M. E. Church, South. He was licensed to preach about 1852 or 1853. He was admitted on trial into the East Texas Conference in the fall of 1853, and was admitted to membership in the fall of 1855. He was ordained deacon November 25, 1855, by Bishop G. F. Pierce; and on November 22, 1857, he was ordained elder by Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh. He was happily married to Miss Eliza J. Patton October 15, 1861. She passed happily away to her reward on high August 27, 1879. To them six children were born. Two have gone over the dark river and are at rest. When the Trinity (now North Texas) Conference was set off from the East Texas Conference and organized in the fall of 1867 he was one of the number who helped to constitute the new Conference. Brother Cocke traveled and preached as a pastor for a great number of years, both in the East Texas and North Texas Conferences. I am unable to give the names of the different pastoral charges which he so effectively and faithfully served; but he was true and faithful to every charge or trust committed to his care and keeping. Many will rise up on the last day and call him blessed. As a preacher he was logical, pointed, and clear. His sermons were well arranged, full of thought and application. In his preaching he had a purpose, and that was to convince and save. At times he was exceedingly pathetic and eloquent under the inspiration of his theme. He had strong convictions and the courage to sustain them. He was a consistent Christian, full of good works and the Holy Ghost. Several years ago he took a superannuated relation. Since then he has made his home with his son, Buford Cocke, in Sulphur Springs. He was true to his pastor, and helped him all that he could. He was social and friendly, and

as clear of hypocrisy as any one I ever knew. Indeed, this is the verdict of saint and sinner. May 23, 1892, he breathed his last, and passed away as serenely and calmly as the sun sets in a cloudless sky. His four children were all present at his burial. He was buried with Masonic honors by the side of his companion, to wait the trump of the resurrection morn. May the three sons and the daughter left behind follow in the footsteps of their sainted parents until they shall meet where the surges cease to roll!

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Z. Parker, whose case was referred to the presiding elder of the Sherman District.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Dallas District.*

	White Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Dallas: First Church.....	635	2
Floyd Street.....	316	1
Trinity.....	196	2
Oak Lawn.....	88	.....
South Dallas.....	135	4
East Dallas.....	96	.....
Cochran and Caruth.....	334	.....
Plano Station.....	288	1
McKinney Station.....	251	1
Bethel Circuit.....	332	3
Frankford Circuit.....	275	1
Lewisville and Webb's.....	201	.....
Grape Vine Circuit.....	351	3
Argyle Circuit.....	340	4
Smithfield Circuit.....	275	1
North Fort Worth and Fossil Creek.....	71	.....
	4,184	23

*Terrell District.*

Terrell Station.....	306	.....
Will's Point Station.....	20	2
Kaufman Station.....	22	1
Forney Station.....	185	.....
Mesquite Circuit.....	321	1
Chisholm Circuit.....	376	1
Kemp Circuit.....	484	1
Rockwall and Roysce.....	380	4
Garland Station.....	218	.....
Poetry Circuit.....	400	4
Will's Point Circuit.....	333	1
Pleasant Mound Circuit.....	291	2
Prairieville Circuit.....	47	.....
Mt. Zion Circuit.....	288	.....
Crandall Circuit.....	121	.....
	4,167	17

*Jefferson District.*

Jefferson Station.....	226	.....
Hughes Springs Circuit.....	450	3
Coffeeville Circuit.....	444	8
Daingerfield Circuit.....	284	2
Atlanta Station.....	25	1
Texarkana Station.....	290	.....
Texarkana Mission.....	103	.....
Queen City Circuit.....	320	3
Bowie Mission.....	210	.....
Kildare Circuit.....	142	2
Linden Circuit.....	515	1
Boston Circuit.....	192	4
Three Springs Mission.....	194	.....
Dalby Springs Circuit.....	300	1
	3,926	25

*Greenville District.*

	White Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Greenville Station.....	632	3
Kingston Circuit.....	381	4
Long Oak Circuit.....	266	2
Emory Mission.....	308	5
Roberts Mission.....	239	2
Floyd Circuit.....	354	4
Farmersville Station.....	222	2
Merit Circuit.....	364	5
Celeste and Leonard.....	426	4
Weston Circuit.....	490	3
Nevada Circuit.....	392	1
Allen Circuit.....	340	1
Anna Mission.....	189	.....
Kyle and Orangeville Mission.....	178	4
Wylie Circuit.....	299	1
	5,080	41

*Sulphur Springs District.*

Sulphur Springs Station.....	375	6
Sulphur Bluff Circuit.....	487	3
Mt. Vernon Circuit.....	484	2
Cooper Circuit.....	231	1
Commerce and Wesley Chapel.....	600	8
Fairlee Circuit.....	328	.....
Campbell Circuit.....	771	.....
Black Jack Grove Circuit.....	465	2
Leesburg Circuit.....	586	2
Quitman Circuit.....	262	2
Winnsboro Circuit.....	350	1
Carrollton Circuit.....	517	1
Pittsburg Station.....	310	4
Mt. Pleasant Station.....	128	2
Gilmer Circuit.....	394	3
Barrett Circuit.....	393	2
	6,631	39

*Paris District.*

Paris: Centenary.....	394	1
Lamar Avenue.....	172	2
Emberson Circuit.....	460	.....
Roxton Circuit.....	428	2
Blossom Station.....	189	.....
Pattonville Circuit.....	380	1
Milton Circuit.....	331	2
McKenzie Circuit.....	479	.....
Deport Circuit.....	252	.....
Woodland Circuit.....	434	1
Clarksville Station.....	229	.....
Detroit Circuit.....	353	1
Annona Circuit.....	467	2
Powderly Mission.....	204	.....
Lake Creek Circuit.....	245	3
Maxey Mission.....	262	.....
	5,279	15

*Bonham District.*

Bonham Station.....	301	.....
Bonham Circuit.....	272	2
Fannin Circuit.....	375	4
Gober Circuit.....	339	2
Dodd City Circuit.....	424	2
Honey Grove Station.....	375	.....
Petty and White Rock.....	357	.....
Ladonia Station.....	322	.....
Wolfe City Station.....	265	1
Ben Franklin Circuit.....	302	.....
Brookston Circuit.....	236	2
Bailey and Randolph.....	456	.....
Lannius Circuit.....	390	1
	4,414	14

*Sherman District.*

Sherman Station.....	431	1
East Sherman Mission.....	139	1
Sherman Circuit.....	344	1
Bell's and Savoy.....	432	1
Van Alstyne Station.....	265	5
Denison Station.....	230	4
Pottsboro and Preston.....	275	2
Gordonsville Circuit.....	216	.....
Pilot Point Station.....	217	2
Whitesboro Station.....	260	2
Pilot Grove Circuit.....	390	5

Sherman District (Continued).

	White Men's.	Wom'n's Pr's.
Collinsville Circuit.....	400	3
Whitewright and Marvin.....	340	3
Howe Circuit.....	343	3
	4,282	33

Gainesville District.

Gainesville: Denton Street.....	319	2
Broadway.....	149	5
Gainesville Circuit.....	332	3
Dexter Circuit.....	334	4
Marysville Circuit.....	173	2
Era Circuit.....	240	2
Rosston Circuit.....	275	.....
Decatur Station.....	330	2
Decatur Circuit.....	367	1
Greenwood Mission.....	95	2
Aurora Mission.....	175	.....
Denton Station.....	236	.....
Denton Circuit.....	249	2
Aubrey Circuit.....	374	2
Valley View Circuit.....	193	3
Mountain Springs Circuit.....	258	4
	4,104	34

Montague District.

Montague and Belcher.....	450	4
Bowie Station.....	203	2
Henrietta Station.....	240	1
Bellevue Circuit.....	276	2
Alvard Circuit.....	350	6
Sunset Circuit.....	214	3
St. Joe Station.....	114	1
Chico Circuit.....	489	4
Crafton Circuit.....	298	2
Post Oak Circuit.....	355	1
Bointa and Illinois.....	346	3
Burlington and Nocona.....	319	2
Wichita Falls Station.....	350	.....
Holiday Circuit.....	270	6
Dye Mound Circuit.....	87	5
Cambridge and Doss.....	56	.....
Iowa Park Mission.....	195	1
Archer City Mission.....	106	2
Benvenue Mission.....	153	3
	4,871	48

Recapitulation.

Dallas District.....	4,184	23
Terrell District.....	4,167	17
Jefferson District.....	3,926	25
Greenville District.....	5,080	41
Sulphur Springs District.....	6,631	39
Paris District.....	5,279	15
Bonham District.....	4,414	14
Sherman District.....	4,282	33
Gainesville District.....	4,104	34
Montague District.....	4,871	48
Total this year.....	46,938	289
Total last year.....	45,215	277
Increase.....	1,723	12

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,190.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,737.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 341.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,542.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 21,750.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$4,152.15. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$8,355.55; Domestic Missions, \$4,598.20. Total, \$12,953.75.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,924.15.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 305 $\frac{2}{3}$ ; value, \$491,683.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 129; value, \$119,278.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Southwestern University: Teachers, 19; students, 486; endowment, \$15,419; value of property, \$116,834. North Texas Female College: Teachers, 18; students, 228; value of property, \$50,000. Central College: Teachers, 11; students, 152; value of property, \$19,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Wichita Falls, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

DALLAS DISTRICT.

E. W. Alderson, P. E.

Dallas: First Church, E. L. Spragins.

Floyd Street, W. E. Clark.

Trinity, P. L. Smith.

South Dallas, J. F. Archer.

Oak Lawn, E. C. McVoy.

East Dallas, L. A. Hanson.

Cochran and Caruth, W. H. Stephenson.

McKinney Station, C. B. Fladger.

Plano Station, O. S. Thomas.

Bethel, J. W. Blackburn.

Frankford, M. W. Shearer.

Lewisville and Webb's, C. I. McWhirter.

Grape Vine, S. Weaver.

Argyle, J. B. Lewis.

Smithfield, Z. B. Liles.

North Fort Worth, W. S. Mav.

Southwestern University, J. H. McLean, Regent; J. R. Allen, Professor.

TERRELL DISTRICT.

George T. Nichols, P. E.

Terrell Station, H. O. Moore.

Will's Point Station, W. A. Edwards.

Will's Point Circuit, H. M. Pirtle.

Kaufman Station, U. B. Phillips.

Forney, W. F. Easterling.

Mesquite, T. D. Brown.

Chisholm, J. H. White.

Kemp, W. E. Jordan.

Rockwall and Royse, J. H. Reynolds.

Garland, J. B. Adair.

Poetry, H. E. Smith.

Fate, J. M. Nichols.

Crandall, I. J. Coppedge.

## GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. A. Stafford, P. E.*

Greenville Station, I. W. Clark.  
 Greenville Mission, E. S. Boyd.  
 Farmersville, Joseph Jamieson.  
 Weston, P. A. Edwards.  
 Floyd, I. A. Thomas.  
 Nevada, J. F. Alderson.  
 Celeste and Merit, J. M. Peterson.  
 Allen, W. J. Owens.  
 Leonard, M. M. Dunn.  
 Blue Ridge, J. H. Hunter.  
 Kingston, W. J. Blutworth.  
 Wylie, W. D. Wheeler.  
 Emory, N. C. Little and A. W. Clark.  
 Lone Oak, A. C. Benson.  
 Anna, W. C. Wallis.  
 Roberts, J. L. Angell.  
 Assistant Editor *Texas Christian Advocate*, J. W. Hill.

## SULPHUR SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*W. L. Clifton, P. E.*

Sulphur Springs Station, D. J. Martin.  
 Pittsburg, W. B. Patterson.  
 Mt. Pleasant, E. B. Thompson.  
 Sulphur Bluff, to be supplied by C. A. Tower.  
 Mt. Vernon, William Hay.  
 Commerce, E. C. DeJernett.  
 Cooper, R. C. Hicks.  
 Fairlee, J. W. Murphy.  
 Campbell, J. M. Sweeten.  
 Black Jack Grove, J. W. Beckham.  
 Leesburg, S. W. Jones.  
 Quitman, W. T. Morrow.  
 Winnsboro, J. N. Hunter.  
 Carrollton, L. H. McGee.  
 Gilmer, J. C. Carr.  
 Barrett, B. T. Hayes.  
 Central College, J. M. Dunn, President.

## JEFFERSON DISTRICT.

*O. P. Thomas, P. E.*

Jefferson Station, S. C. Riddle.  
 Hughes Springs, J. B. Minnis.  
 Coffeeville, W. R. Manning.  
 Daingerfield, Julian Woodson.  
 Atlanta Station, S. A. Ashburn.  
 Texarkana: State Line, Arthur D. McVoy.  
 Fairview, J. C. Napier.  
 Park, Stuart Nelson.  
 Queen City, C. B. Carter.  
 Kildare, J. B. Turrentine.  
 Linden, James McDugald.  
 Boston, A. S. Whitehurst.  
 Three Springs, J. T. Kirkpatrick.  
 Dalby Springs, G. C. Hardy.

## PARIS DISTRICT.

*F. A. Rosser, P. E.*

Paris: Centenary, P. C. Archer.  
 Lamar Avenue, E. M. Murrill.  
 Emberson, E. S. Williams.  
 Roxton, J. T. Blutworth.  
 Blossom, I. M. Woodward.

Pattonville, J. R. Jones.  
 Milton, P. R. Eaglebarger.  
 Rosalie, R. R. Nelson.  
 Deport, C. H. Peale.  
 Woodland and Detroit, J. B. Gober.  
 Clarksville Station, J. L. Morris.  
 Annona, J. F. Sherwood.  
 McKenzie, M. G. Jenkins.  
 Douglass, R. H. Kimball.  
 Maxey, W. B. Walker.  
 Powderly, D. W. Gardner.

## BONHAM DISTRICT.

*J. R. Wages, P. E.*

Bonham Station, J. H. Keith.  
 Bonham Circuit, R. N. Brown.  
 South Bonham, L. L. Naugle.  
 Dodd, C. M. Harless.  
 Honey Grove Station, W. D. Mountcastle.  
 Petty and White Rock, A. W. Gibson.  
 Ladonia, W. H. Hughes.  
 Wolfe City, W. M. Robbins.  
 Ben Franklin, J. M. McKee.  
 Brookston, T. J. Milam.  
 Randolph, L. F. Palmer.  
 Bailey, W. A. Coppedge.  
 Lannius, R. S. Gorsline.  
 Fannin, H. K. Agee.  
 Lake Creek, J. B. Powers.

## SHERMAN DISTRICT.

*J. M. Binkley, P. E.*

Sherman: Travis Street, I. S. Ashburn.  
 Willow Street, J. J. Clark.  
 Sherman Circuit, S. S. Cobb.  
 Bell's and Savoy, Josiah Godbey.  
 Van Alstyne, J. A. Wyatt.  
 Denison Station, W. M. P. Rippey.  
 Pottsboro and Preston, S. Crutchfield.  
 Gordonville, W. H. Brown.  
 Pilot Point Station, C. E. Lamb.  
 Whitesboro, A. F. Hendrix.  
 Pilot Grove, J. P. Rodgers.  
 Collinsville, G. H. Adams.  
 Whitewright, C. N. Riggan.  
 Howe, W. K. Strother.  
 Farmington, F. L. Farrington.  
 North Texas Female College, J. C. Weaver,  
 Agent.

## GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*C. L. Ballard, P. E.*

Gainesville: Denton Street, T. R. Pierce.  
 Broadway, J. E. Vinson.  
 Decatur Station, W. M. Leatherwood.  
 Denton Station, J. F. Pierce.  
 Gainesville Circuit, S. W. Miller.  
 Dexter, M. L. Blaylock.  
 Marysville, S. L. Ball.  
 Era, J. C. Moore.  
 Rosston, T. J. Beckham.  
 Decatur Circuit, J. D. Whitehead.  
 Denton, J. W. Clifton.  
 Aubrey Circuit, C. C. Davis.  
 Mountain Springs, A. R. Sellers.  
 Valley View, W. W. Graham.



Greenwood, C. M. Shuffler.  
Aurora, H. P. Shrader.  
Dye Mound, Z. B. Pirtle.

## MONTAGUE DISTRICT.

*R. M. Powers, P. E.*

Montague and Belcher, T. L. Miller.  
Bowie Station, W. A. Stuckey.  
Bellevue, L. P. Smith.  
St. Joe Station, George S. Sexton.  
Bonita and Illinois, L. W. Harrison.  
Nocona and Burlington, H. C. Rogers.  
Sunset, B. H. Webster.  
Crafton, F. M. Sherwood.  
Chico, B. H. Bounds.  
Alvord, W. T. Ayers.  
Post Oak, F. C. Pearson.  
Henrietta, F. B. Carroll.  
Wichita Falls Station, F. O. Miller.  
Wichita, J. A. Kerr.  
Iowa Park, T. H. Morris.

Holliday, C. C. Williams; T. B. Norwood,  
Sup.  
Archer City, I. S. Smith.  
Benvenue, G. A. Jamieson.  
Blue Grove, J. D. Hudgins.  
Beaver, T. J. Minnis.

*Transferred.*—W. F. Hodnett, to the Indian Mission Conference, and stationed at Purcell and Wayne; Ira M. Bryce, to the Texas Conference, and stationed at Columbia and Brazoria; R. M. Chenault, to the West Texas Conference, and stationed at Kerrville and Center Point; T. E. Sherwood, to the Denver Conference, and stationed at Morrison Memorial; M. H. Neely, to the Denver Conference, and appointed presiding elder of Pueblo District; F. C. Mabry, to the Indian Mission Conference; C. O. Jones, to the Louisville Conference, and stationed at Fourth Avenue, Louisville.

## NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MADISON, GA., NOVEMBER 30—DECEMBER 6, 1892.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; E. R. COOK, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Frederick J. Mashburn, Walter J. Crawley, George W. Morgan, Caspar S. Wright, Loy Warwick, William A. Simmons, Thomas P. Graham, Joseph M. Fowler, Jefferson D. Turner, Samuel A. Harris. J. W. F. Gilreath continued in the class of first year. 10.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? James Walker Taylor, Henry M. Harrison, Joel T. Daves, Jr., John R. Lewis, Clayton Quillian, Henry S. Bradley, Jr., James E. Dickey, Alexander H. S. Bugg. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John Spier, F. W. McClesky, John W. Quillian, W. T. Hunnicutt, William Murdock, John P. Burges, W. R. Kennedy, Felix L. Church, G. W. Farr, James E. Russell, R. Toombs DuBose. 11.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. F. Tyson, J. W. F. Gilreath, S. H. Dimon, J. N. Snow, A. A. Barnett, L. G. Johnson, F. P. Spencer, J. A. Wright, C. C. O'Neal. 9.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Arthur B. Pope, John S. Askew, R. Frank Eakes, G. J. Orr. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John Spier, F. W. McCleskey, John W. Quillian, William Mur-

dock, John P. Burges, Felix L. Church, James E. Russell, R. Toombs DuBose. 8.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John Spier, F. W. McCleskey, John W. Quillian, William Murdock, John P. Burges, Felix L. Church, James E. Russell, R. Toombs DuBose. 8.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? John W. Jay, Henry M. Harrison, John H. McBrayer, William J. Luke, Newton A. Parsons, Miles L. Cantrell, Frank McCullough, Joseph F. Bell, Simon A. Hearn, William H. Budd, John R. Lewis. L. F. G. Powell recognized in deacon's orders from M. E. Church. 12.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? John W. Jay, Henry M. Harrison, William J. Luke, Newton A. Parsons, Miles L. Cantrell, Frank McCullough, Joseph F. Bell, Simon A. Hearn, William H. Budd, John R. Lewis. 10.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Fletcher Walton, John W. Bailey, Beverly P. Allen, Arthur S. Harris, Simeon W. Rogers, Anderson C. Cantrell. 6.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Fletcher Walton, John W. Bailey, Beverly P. Allen, Arthur S. Harris, Simeon W. Rogers, Anderson C. Cantrell, Henry R. Davies. 7.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Richard C. Manley, James N. Wall,

Francis A. Ragsdale. Jedediah Garrison recognized in elder's orders from M. E. Church. 4.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Richard C. Mauley, James N. Wall, Francis A. Ragsdale. 3.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? A. S. Adams, S. D. Evans, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? L. P. Neese, R. W. Rogers, G. Hughes, R. H. Jones, J. T. Norris, J. R. Smith, E. G. Murrab, J. R. Mayson, J. W. Roberts, W. D. Shea, W. T. Norman. 11.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? W. R. Branham, N. H. Palmer, R. A. Connor, R. J. Harwell, W. J. Scott, F. F. Reynolds, J. W. Baker, J. Chambers, J. M. Armstrong, J. A. Rosser, M. G. Hamby, M. F. Malsby, G. G. Smith, J. L. Perryman, L. Rush, T. S. L. Harwell, F. P. Langford, M. W. Arnold, W. F. Smith, S. D. Clements. 20.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. J. Singleton, W. P. Smith, B. F. Payne, J. M. Bright, J. J. Morgan. 5.

JOSEPH J. SINGLETON, one of the wisest and purest of all our brethren, was born in Jackson County, Ga., June 6, 1827; and fell on sleep December 17, 1891, at Rome, Ga. He was converted and joined the Church at the age of seventeen, while a student at the State University, at Athens, of which institution he was a graduate. His sterling qualities and good sense led to his selection as class leader among the students. It was not long before he felt called to the ministry. For several years, however, he held the question in abeyance, and before he had finally decided circumstances induced him to go to California. After his return, several years intervening, he reconsecrated himself to God, gave up long-cherished plans, and became an itinerant Methodist preacher. The Conference history of Brother Singleton is as follows: He was admitted on trial in 1859, and two years later into full connection with the Georgia Conference. He served the following charges most acceptably and with great ability: 1860, Troup and Colored Mission; 1861, Cave Spring; 1862-63, Forsyth Circuit; 1864-66, Putnam and Colored Mission; 1867, Covington and Oxford; 1868-69, Oxford; 1870-73, Forsyth Circuit; 1874-77, Kingston; 1878-79, Acworth; 1880, Kingston; 1881-82, Professor in North Georgia Agricultural College. In 1883, on account of ill health, he requested and was granted a location. In 1886 he was readmitted into the Conference, and for two years, 1887-88, served most acceptably the Zebulon Circuit. His health failing, he was granted a superannuated relation, which relation he sustained at the time of his death. Brother Singleton's ministerial life was blameless and beautiful. Eminently practical and logical, his sermons

contained food for thought, and were helpful to his hearers, building them up in the doctrine and duties of religion. His tender nature gave him great fondness and love for children, and in the families of his various charges the lambs of the fold were the special objects of his attention and care. His patient thoughtfulness of their wants, his tender sympathy and Christly love for the Master's little ones made them love him fondly. Many little eyes were made to brighten when this loving pastor entered their homes, and little children wept when they heard that their friend was dead. In all the charges he served he was concerned for the moral welfare of the young men committed to his care. Eternity alone will reveal the result of his efforts to turn the current of their lives into channels of usefulness and piety. Many of those to whom under God he was a benediction and blessing live to revere his memory and to thank God for the counsels and example of this faithful man of God. The last years of his life were brightened by many messages of love and appreciation from those he had helped in other days. While pastor of the Church at Oxford he became deeply interested in a class of students expecting to enter the ministry. At his request they often met him at the parsonage, where he assisted them in their studies preparatory to entering the Conference. The result of his careful training was manifest in the examination passed by these young men, it being pronounced by a man of wide experience the best he ever heard. From a child he was deeply interested in the promotion of the cause of temperance. Himself temperate in all things, as long as he lived he labored zealously in this good cause. Unostentatious, he was yet scholarly and profound. In the languages, especially in New Testament Greek, he was well versed. In higher mathematics he was at home. Geology was with him a favorite study. Few men surpassed him in the exegesis and exposition of the Scriptures. His object in preaching was to instruct and enlighten, and, by the plain presentation of the great truths of the Bible, to make men go free. Great men heard him with pleasure and profit, and little children understood his teaching. In social life he was a man of charming manners, courtly and kind—a true gentleman. He was gifted as a conversationalist, and what he said was always interesting and instructive. He loved his home and family. In early manhood he was happily married to Miss Francina Thomas, who survives him. A woman of rare gifts of person and mind, and of deep piety, she was to him a helpmate indeed. Together they labored and sacrificed that they might care for and educate their children. To all his children he gave the best advantages, and left them as a heritage an unsullied name and a good education. His hand of love was always

outstretched to help and bless the old and the young. His gentle life and happy smile were a benediction to all who knew him. We little thought, when we last saw him at Cartersville, that the shadows of death were gathering about his noble heart. We little thought that the chariot of God was waiting to convey him home. But through the gloom occasioned by the painful severance of the earthly ties comes the radiant thought: Safe forever, glorified one!

WILLIAM PARKS SMITH died in Atlanta, Ga., January 31, 1892. His ministerial career was very interesting, and his work wonderfully successful and more than ordinarily blessed of God. He was admitted to the North Georgia Conference in 1872, and labored continuously in the work for nineteen years. His first appointment was Clarksville Circuit, which he served for 1873; then Carnesville, 1874-5; Hartwell, 1876; Alpharetta, 1877; Buford, 1878; Norcross, 1879-81; Roswell, 1882-84; Troup, 1885-86; McDonough, 1887; Fairburn, 1888; Jonesboro, 1889; and Asbury Church, 1890-91, and appointed there for 1892, but was called from his labors just as he was fairly entering upon his third year at that station. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Wightman December 6, 1874, and elder by Bishop Pierce December 18, 1876. He was born in Franklin County, Ga., February 27, 1844. His father, Rev. Burgess Smith, was a local preacher of great power and extended usefulness. Our departed brother was converted and joined the Church in early life. He went into the Confederate army when sixteen years old, and served honorably till the war ended. During the war, to some extent, he drifted away from the careful observance of his religious duties, but the godly precepts of his parents restrained him from falling into wicked ways. When he returned to the sacred influence of his mother and the family, and the associations of his youth, through God's great mercy, he again turned his face toward Zion, and steadily walked in the way of life till the end came. With his reconsecration to God came the call to preach the gospel. This was a sore trial, a great and fearful struggle; but a final and full determination to go forward and discharge his duty brought light and peace to his soul, and he entered promptly upon the work under many discouragements and trying difficulties; but he pressed on, never wavering nor doubting, and his work was crowned with a glorious success as a preacher. The great revival meetings held by him during the last five years of his ministry were among the most wonderful of the time, especially on the McDonough, Fairburn, and Jonesboro Circuits, and at Asbury Station in Atlanta. As a pastor he was greatly beloved by his people from first to last. He was earnest and zealous in the Lord's work. As a preacher he was forcible and convinc-

ing. His words and his work reached the minds as well as the hearts of his hearers, and the conversions under his ministry, were more than ordinarily permanent; and he lived to see the day that his mother and her children rejoiced and thanked God that he had entered the ministry. His last presiding elder, Brother T. F. Pierce, said of him: "He was a good and faithful minister, and did his work well. He was decided in his opinions, frank and candid in their expression, sincere in his motives, and genuine in his piety. He was prompt to defend the Church and vindicate the cause of his Master. As a Christian minister, he was meek, modest, simple, unassuming, diligent in his office, and a friend to good order." His death was from heart failure, and unexpected to those who had been seeing his fine, healthy, physical appearance. His last illness was for but four days, and was without suffering. After the first attack, death was constantly expected by him. He was ready, and met it, as he met all of life's duties for the last twenty years. His spirit took its flight almost suddenly, on that bright and beautiful Sabbath evening, soon after the sun had gone below the western horizon. The writer of this remained with him during the Friday night previous, and was again with him for awhile late that Sabbath evening. He talked freely of his approaching death. He believed that it was at hand and would come soon. He was confident and even joyous. Such a death is inspiring and fills us with the loftiest aspirations. Brother Smith married Miss Mary L. Norman, in Wilkes County, September 7, 1886. She still lives. Three children were born to them, two of whom survive. They were and are the very best of children; in cheerful obedience, faithful devotion, and good conduct every way, not excelled by any; a constant source of delight in the family, giving no cause of anxiety—a great blessing from God.

BENJAMIN F. PAYNE, of the North Georgia Conference, M. E. Church, South, died in Marietta December 29, 1891. He was forty-five years old. Not often a man more lovingly and attractively in character, more generously endowed and loved, hath lived and died among us. He was a graduate of the Georgia State University, and shared the first honor. He made the first speech of the kind on its historic campus, when the class of 1872 inaugurated the "class tree" custom. Afterward he was graduated at Lebanon Law School, Tennessee. It was there that his eloquence in a debate, a supreme judge presiding, so thrilled the multitude that his fellow-students bore him from the platform on their shoulders amid outbursts of applause. He practiced law in Canton, Ga., with signal ability and success for seven years. In 1879 he was married to Miss Odessa Strickland, a lady of literary tastes

whose charming volume, "Psyche," one of whose characters was our great commoner, A. H. Stephens, so delighted Georgians several years ago. His firstborn son preceded him to heaven, but he leaves a boy of ten and a little girl of six summers, to find out yet what the loss of such a father may mean. In 1880 and 1881 he served in the Georgia Senate, and with such distinction that a nomination was again tendered. It was declined, for it was then the shadow of his father's death fell across his path shining with golden and political honors, and he heeded God's call to the unworldly path of the itinerant ministry. As long as he was of the world its currents bore him swiftly and easily onward to its goals: wealth and fame. But when to stem the tide bearing him on to fortune, he joined the North Georgia Conference at La Grange in 1882, he learned in the changed conditions, those of simply an itinerant Methodist preacher, as never before, that the world will love only its own. Some of his friends thought his course folly, and told him he had ruined a splendid career. But what cared he for the world's treasures of money and honors as now he visioned soul saving and heaven, however pressed by hardships? And amid those hardships he remained to the end, self-sacrificing, manly, sweet-souled. He ministered at Dallas two years, three at Cave Spring, one at Ringgold. He was in labors more abundant. Besides planning and building wisely for those who should follow him, he received into membership, in the six years, six hundred persons. He gave largely to Missions, and remembered tenderly "the least of these" at home, giving cheerfully to educate the orphan and to clothe and feed the naked and hungry. Four years ago, after a severe attack of pneumonia, his health was so broken that he took the supernumerary relation. But he could not give up his life work; the wounded soldier would join the battling army, and in the summer and fall months he helped his brethren in meetings, having more calls to revival work than he could fill. His tent meeting in Atlanta was memorable, where for six weeks he preached nightly to thronging crowds, of whom it is said not less than four hundred were converted. When asked why he did not report the meeting in the *Advocate* he replied: "If God wants me to have that kind of notoriety, he will send it. I am not working for fame, but for souls." His home life was a delightful comment on the sweet song "Love at Home," imparting by word and example Christlikeness to the sacred circle. His aged mother says: "He never gave me a disrespectful word; he was religious in his boyhood, and I account myself happy in suffering, because the highest, holiest ambition of my life was realized when he became a minister of the gospel of Christ." "In his last interval of consciousness," says his wife, "he asked me

if I would go with him anywhere, so he might preach all the time. He meant California. But to a clime fairer than even the Pacific slopes can boast he has gone. The sunny glance, the stately figure, the unique wisdom, the golden heart are now but the precious heritage of memory for us; for him the heavens, God's everlasting love."

JOHN M. BRIGHT entered into full connection with the Georgia Conference in 1851. His Conference history is as follows: 1851-52, Irwington; 1853, Macon Colored Charge; 1854, Springfield; 1855, Jeffersonville; 1856, Canton; 1857, Perry and Ocmulgee Mission; 1858 and 1859, Buena Vista and Colored Charge; 1860, Roswell; 1861, Dallas Mission; 1862, superannuated; 1866, Culloden; 1867 and 1868, McDonough and Colored Charge; 1869, superannuated. This is a summary in years of his active itinerant ministry, but how little do these few cold figures tell of his real life and service! No eye but that of the all-loving Father can read beneath and between these lines, the aspirations of his soul, the struggles of his heart and the mighty conflicts and triumphs of his faith. Brother Bright was gifted as a preacher. He was exceptionally conscientious in all things, religious and secular. Sensitiveness was a marked characteristic and often a source of inconvenience and trouble to himself. He was a pure, consecrated, unspotted man, and faithful in ministerial life and labors. Though so long hindered by bodily infirmities from his loved employ of preaching the gospel, he possessed his soul in patience without murmuring. In a little home among the evergreen pines and soft breezes of South Georgia he waited lovingly with rod and staff in hand the summons to cross over Jordan and enter the Canaan of eternal rest. He has joined the throng of glorified companions and colaborers above, and in the presence of his Lord is blessed forever.

J. J. MORGAN was born about sixty years ago in Effingham County, and died during the present year near Guyton, in the same county. Brother Morgan was admitted into the old Georgia Conference in 1858, and the following are some of the works he served: 1859, Stewart and Chattahoochee Missions; 1860, Troup and Columbus Missions; 1861, Houston Circuit; 1863, Greenville; 1864, Bethel and Columbus Missions; 1865, Decatur; 1867, Hawkinsville Mission; 1877-78, Fulton Circuit; 1880, Watkinsville and Factory Missions; 1881, Roswell Circuit; 1882, Morgantown Circuit; 1884, Monticello; 1885, Powell's Mill Mission; 1886-88, North Coweta Circuit. The unfilled spaces in this record represent a partial retirement from the regular work, due to Brother Morgan's feeble health when he was made supernumerary. Brother Morgan was a peculiar man, a descendant of one of the old Salzburger families, never robust in

health and was never married. Earnestness, independence, and the highest integrity marked his general character, while sound piety, good preaching ability, and an adherence to the simple theology of the Methodist Church characterized him as a preacher. He labored faithfully and as fully as his feeble health permitted, and won and maintained the love and esteem of a large circle of friends. Added to his ministerial functions were those of a doctor of medicine, and his services in this calling were in demand by many who knew his worth and valued his skill. His life was blameless and his end was peace.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Athens District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Athens: First Church.....	646		3
Oconee Street.....	563		3
Athens Factory.....	267		1
Athens Circuit.....	393		1
Watkinsville.....	525		4
Winterville.....	476		1
Lexington.....	286		
Woodstock.....	94		1
Greensboro.....	221	1	
Greene.....	349		
White Plains.....	393	1	1
Norwood.....	610		3
Washington.....	197		
Broad River.....	488	4	1
Little River.....	402		3
Apalachee.....	144		2
	6,054	8	24

*North Atlanta District.*

Atlanta: First Church.....	1,472		6
Payne's.....	891		6
Grace.....	285		1
Merritt's Avenue.....	132		4
St. James.....	281		
Edgeworth.....	115		
Epworth.....	48		
Fulton.....	508		2
Marietta.....	387		4
Acworth.....	602		4
Cobb.....	715		5
Woodstock.....	435		2
Toonigh.....	885		5
Canton.....	145		4
Walesca.....	293	2	2
Douglasville.....	316		2
Lithia Springs.....	389		2
Anstell.....	253		
Powder Springs.....	533		1
	8,765	2	50

*South Atlanta District.*

Atlanta: Trinity.....	1,150		6
Trinity Home Mission.....	60		
Walker Street.....	902		9
St. Paul.....	751		3
Asbury.....	380		2
St. John.....	284		4
West End and Park Street.....	416		3
East Point.....	485		3
Bolton.....	435		
Palmetto and Fairburn.....	310		2
Palmetto Circuit.....	539		2
Jackson.....	220		

*South Atlanta District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Fayetteville.....	522		2
Inman.....	598		4
Flovilla.....	458		
Jenkinsburg.....	240		
Morrow's Station.....	430		
McDonough.....	521		1
Snapping Shoals.....	546		1
	9,047		42

*Augusta District.*

Augusta: St. John.....	541		2
St. James.....	750		1
Asbury.....	600		1
St. Luke.....	412		
Broad Street.....	363		
Richmond.....	464		4
Grovetown.....	291		
Appling.....	297		
Harlem.....	534		2
Thomson.....	324		1
Mescana.....	361		2
Warrenton.....	459		3
Calverton.....	414		
Sparta.....	255		
Hancock.....	688		
Milledgeville.....	504		
Baldwin.....	276	2	
South Baldwin.....	169		
	7,705	2	16

*Dahlonega District.*

Dahlonega.....	298		5
Lumpkin.....	566		2
Cleveland.....	1,217		9
Clayton.....	415	3	
Towns.....	274		8
Blairsville.....	592		2
Morganton.....	152		8
Ellijay.....	334		1
Jasper.....	193		
Dawsonville.....	547		7
Clarksville.....	453		4
	4,781	3	46

*Dalton District.*

Dalton.....	409		4
Dalton Circuit.....	394	2	2
Cohutta.....	247		3
Spring Place.....	380		1
Mt. Zion.....	315		1
Fairmount.....	673		5
Calhoun.....	600		3
Adairsville.....	556		3
Resaca and Tilton.....	284		2
Floyd Springs.....	384		5
St. Ignace.....	372	1	4
Summerville.....	787		3
La Fayette and Trion.....	573		1
Chickamauga.....	339		4
Kensington.....	410		3
Ringgold.....	260		2
Tunnel Hill.....	301		1
Kingston.....	649		1
	8,033	3	46

*Elberton District.*

Elberton.....	394		2
Bethlehem.....	453		2
Bowman.....	579		4
Hartwell.....	740		
Royston.....	400		2
Carnesville.....	602		5
Lavonia.....	451	1	1
Toccoa.....	180		
Avalon.....	350		1
Danielsville.....	434		
Jefferson.....	661		5
Harmony Grove.....	599		1
Lincolnton.....	322		
Maysville.....	589		
	6,757	1	22

*Gainesville District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Gainesville.....	542	.....	6
Myrtle Street and Pendergrass.....	189	.....	3
Hall Circuit.....	463	.....	2
Flowers Branch.....	400	.....	6
Buford.....	455	.....	1
Chestatee.....	474	1	2
Cumming.....	357	.....	1
Jug Tavern.....	372	.....	5
Gwinnett.....	672	.....	3
Lawrenceville and Suwanee.....	235	.....	.....
Logansville.....	428	1	.....
Monroe.....	515	.....	1
Snellville.....	379	.....	1
Norcross.....	839	.....	4
Alpharetta.....	410	.....	1
Boswell.....	534	.....	3
Belton.....	463	.....	4
	7,727	2	43

*Griffin District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Griffin.....	510	.....	.....
Griffin Mission.....	101	.....	1
Milner.....	514	.....	4
Orchard Hill.....	300	.....	.....
Zebulon.....	680	.....	.....
Barnesville.....	380	.....	1
Upton.....	283	.....	2
The Rock.....	366	.....	1
Thomaston.....	202	.....	.....
Conloden.....	289	.....	.....
Forsyth.....	269	.....	1
Forsyth Circuit.....	412	.....	3
West Monroe.....	361	.....	2
Senola.....	486	.....	3
Turin.....	491	.....	1
Jonesboro.....	387	.....	.....
Hampton.....	477	.....	.....
Concord.....	210	.....	.....
	6,718	.....	19

*La Grange District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
La Grange.....	435	.....	1
Troup and Factory.....	482	.....	.....
West Point.....	232	.....	.....
West Point Circuit.....	533	.....	.....
Hogansville.....	516	.....	.....
Grantville.....	771	.....	.....
Newnan.....	372	.....	.....
North Coweta.....	180	.....	1
Chiplee.....	243	.....	2
Greenville and Trinity.....	407	.....	.....
Meriweather.....	316	.....	1
Woodbury.....	568	.....	.....
Carrollton.....	257	1	2
Whitesburg.....	377	.....	.....
Roopville.....	334	.....	1
Bowden.....	680	.....	3
Franklin.....	428	.....	2
West Heard.....	226	.....	1
Pine Mountain.....	444	.....	1
	7,921	1	15

*Oxford District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Oxford.....	737	.....	16
Covington.....	294	.....	.....
Conyers.....	574	.....	2
Lithonia.....	440	1	1
Clarkston.....	624	.....	3
Decatur.....	172	.....	2
Social Circle.....	395	.....	.....
Newborn.....	567	.....	3
Shady Dale.....	596	.....	1
Monticello.....	494	.....	.....
Madison.....	194	.....	.....
Rutledge.....	189	.....	.....
Eatonton.....	159	.....	.....
East Putnam.....	536	.....	2
West Putnam.....	453	.....	.....
Morgan.....	441	.....	1
Oemilgee.....	76	.....	1
Clinton.....	345	.....	.....
	7,306	1	32

*Rome District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Rome: First Church.....	673	.....	4
Second Church.....	358	.....	5
City Mission.....	149	.....	.....
Forestville.....	600	2	5
Coosa.....	391	.....	.....
Cave Spring.....	119	.....	.....
Cave Spring Circuit.....	395	.....	.....
Cedartown.....	329	.....	2
Cedartown Circuit.....	540	.....	4
Rock Mart.....	311	.....	1
Dallas.....	416	.....	1
East Paulding.....	201	.....	1
Paulding.....	217	.....	3
Villa Rica.....	479	.....	2
Hickory Level.....	716	.....	4
Buehanan.....	584	.....	9
Tallapoosa.....	156	.....	3
Cartersville.....	440	.....	6
	7,075	2	50

*Recapitulation.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Athens District.....	6,054	6	24
North Atlanta District.....	8,765	2	50
South Atlanta District.....	9,047	.....	42
Augusta District.....	7,705	2	16
Dahlonega District.....	4,781	3	46
Dalton District.....	8,033	3	46
Elberton District.....	6,757	1	23
Gainesville District.....	7,727	2	43
Griffin District.....	6,718	.....	19
La Grange District.....	7,921	1	15
Oxford District.....	7,306	1	32
Rome District.....	7,075	2	50
Total this year.....	87,889	23	406
Total last year.....	86,059	.....	415
Increase.....	1,830	23	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	9

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,598.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,338.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 708.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 5,084.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 44,822.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$18,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$15,686.88. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$18,046.78; Domestic Missions, \$9,282.01. Total, \$27,328.79.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,207.41.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 749; value, \$1,858,347.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 149; value, \$240,075.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Emory College: Teachers, 15; students, 286; endowment, \$206,000; value of property, \$125,000. Wesleyan Female College: Teachers, 18; students, 306; endowment, \$35,000; value of property, \$300,000. La Grange Female College: Teachers, 17;

students, 249; value of property, \$80,000. Dalton Female College: Teachers, 10; students, 135; value of property, \$4,000. Young L. G. Harris College: Teachers, 11; students, 404; value of property, \$16,000. Reinhardt Normal College: Teachers, 8; students, 228; value of property, \$8,000. Piedmont Institute: Teachers, 7; students, 170; value of property, \$12,000. Whitesburg High School: Teachers, 4; students, 100; value of property, \$2,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Gainesville, Ga.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ATHENS DISTRICT.

*H. H. Parks, P. E.*

Athens: First Church, W. P. Lovejoy.  
Oconee Street, S. R. England.  
City and Factory, W. F. Colley.  
Athens Circuit, W. M. D. Bond.  
Watkinsville, E. B. Rees.  
Winterville, J. B. Holland; E. G. Murrah, Sup.  
Lexington, E. A. Gray.  
Woodstock, to be supplied by J. C. Sorrow.  
Greensboro, J. J. Ansley.  
Greene, F. W. McCleskey.  
White Plains, J. B. Allen.  
Norwood, A. J. Hughes.  
Crawfordville, J. R. Lewis.  
Washington, H. S. Bradley.  
Broad River, Crawford Jackson.  
Little River, O. B. Quillian.  
Clarke County Mission, H. M. Harrison.

#### NORTH ATLANTA DISTRICT.

*J. W. Heidt, P. E.*

Atlanta: First Church, J. B. Robins.  
Payne Church, J. T. Daves.  
Grace, T. R. Kendall; J. W. Roberts, Sup.  
Merritt's Avenue, I. S. Hopkins, J. M. Lowry.  
St. James, W. C. Dunlap.  
North and East Atlanta Mission, J. H. Little, E. M. Stanton.  
- Freemansville, W. L. Singleton.  
- Canton, P. A. Heard.  
- Walesca, C. E. Patillo.  
- Douglasville, W. A. Parks.  
- Douglasville Circuit, J. W. Taylor.  
- Austell, H. L. Edmondson.  
- Powder Springs, J. A. Reynolds.  
- *Wesleyan Christian Advocate*, W. F. Glenn, Editor.  
Edgewood, J. M. White.  
Epworth, J. T. Daves, Jr.; J. R. Mayson, Sup.  
Fulton, F. P. Brown.  
Marietta, H. J. Ellis.  
Acworth, W. T. Caldwell.  
Cobb, A. D. Echols; one to be supplied by J. A. Burtz.  
Woodstock, D. C. Brown.  
Holly Springs, to be supplied by J. N. Sullivan.

Missionary Secretary, H. C. Morrison.  
Georgia School of Technology, I. S. Hopkins, President.

Orphans' Home, H. L. Crumley, Agent.  
Reinhardt Normal College, C. E. Patillo, President.

Preachers' Aid Society, C. A. Evans, Agent.

#### SOUTH ATLANTA DISTRICT.

*T. F. Pierce, P. E.*

Atlanta: Trinity, Walker Lewis; W. D. Shea, Sup.  
Walker Street, W. A. Dodge.  
St. Paul, W. T. Bell.  
West End, Park Street, J. W. Lee; J. R. Smith, Sup.  
Asbury, C. V. Weathers.  
St. John, C. C. Cary.  
South Atlanta Mission, T. R. McCarty.  
East Point, J. M. Tumlin, B. H. Sannett.  
Bolton, J. M. Owens.  
Palmetto and Fairburn, T. A. Seals; L. P. Neese, Sup.  
Palmetto Circuit, E. C. Marks.  
Jackson, J. H. Eakes.  
Fayetteville, E. H. Wood.  
Inman, Caspar Wright.  
Flovilla, John Spier.  
Jenkinsburg, J. S. Askew.  
Morrow's Station, W. E. Tarpley.  
McDonough, W. W. Brinfield.  
Locust Grove, J. A. Thurman.

#### AUGUSTA DISTRICT.

*G. W. Yarbrough, P. E.*

Augusta: St. John, W. W. Wadsworth.  
St. James, W. F. Quillian.  
Asbury, J. W. G. Watkins.  
St. Luke, B. E. L. Timmons.  
Broad Street, B. F. Fraser.  
Woodlawn, W. S. Stevens.  
Richmond, J. D. Milton.  
Marvin, H. W. Morris.  
Appling, F. R. Smith.  
Harlem, H. L. Embry.  
Thomson, A. W. Williams.  
Mesena, H. M. Strozier.  
Warrenton, J. W. Stipe.  
Culverton, G. W. Thomas.  
Sparta, E. R. Cook.  
Hancock, C. S. Owens.  
Milledgeville, R. J. Bigham.  
Baldwin, J. V. M. Morris.  
South Baldwin, F. L. Church.  
Missionary to Japan, S. Shaw.  
Chaplain to Asylum, T. H. Gibson.  
Paine Institute, R. L. Campbell, Professor.

#### DAHLONEGA DISTRICT.

*M. L. Underwood, P. E.*

Dahlonega, F. P. Spencer; one to be supplied by N. F. Howard; G. Hughes, Sup.  
Lumpkin, to be supplied by E. R. Seaborn.  
Cleveland, H. M. Newton; one to be supplied by A. C. Ledford.  
Clayton, W. A. Simmons.  
Towns, J. N. Snow.

Blairsville and Union, to be supplied by J. H. Ellis, T. C. Hughes.  
 Morganton, to be supplied by J. C. Atkinson  
 Ellijay, W. T. Hunnicutt.  
 Jasper, Ford McRee.  
 Dawsonville, G. W. Farr.  
 Clarksville, R. T. DuBose, Loy Warwick.  
 Young L. G. Harris College, C. C. Spence,  
 President.  
 Mossy Creek Academy, H. M. Newton, Pres-  
 ident.

## DALTON DISTRICT.

*H. J. Adams, P. E.*

Dalton: First Church, A. W. Quillian.  
 Dalton Circuit and Hamilton Street, M. D. Smith.  
 Cohutta, to be supplied by J. W. Gober.  
 Spring Place, J. N. Myers, J. D. Turner.  
 Fairmount, S. Leak.  
 Fairview, to be supplied by N. A. Parsons.  
 Calhoun, W. T. Hamby.  
 Adairsville, F. S. Hudson.  
 Resaca, to be supplied by T. T. Turner.  
 Floyd Springs, J. F. Tyson.  
 Subigna, L. D. Coggin, J. W. F. Gilreath.  
 Summerville, J. E. Rosser.  
 Trion and Broomton, F. Walton.  
 La Fayette and Chickamauga, R. R. Johnson.  
 Kensington, W. R. Kennedy.  
 Ringgold, W. G. Hanson.  
 Tunnel Hill, Clayton Quillian.  
 Kingston, J. E. England.  
 Dalton Female College, G. J. Orr, President.

## ELBERTON DISTRICT.

*J. F. Mixon, P. E.*

Elberton, W. L. Wootten.  
 Bethlehem, L. G. Johnson.  
 Bowman, B. Sanders; W. T. Norman, Sup.  
 Hartwell, R. B. O. England; one to be sup-  
 plied by J. N. Wall.  
 Royston, A. H. S. Bugg.  
 Carnesville, J. R. Speck.  
 Lavonia, F. D. Cantrell.  
 Toccoa, B. P. Allen.  
 Avalon, to be supplied by W. A. Cooper.  
 Danielsville, J. M. Sewell.  
 Jefferson, G. T. King.  
 Harmony Grove, W. R. Branham, Jr.  
 Lincolnton, N. E. McBrayer.  
 Maysville, C. A. Conaway.

## GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*M. J. Cofer, P. E.*

Gainesville, S. R. Belk.  
 Myrtle Street, C. M. Verdel.  
 Hall, T. P. Graham.  
 Flowery Branch, A. C. Cantrell.  
 Buford, J. E. Rorie.  
 Chestatee, to be supplied by J. G. Davis.  
 Cumming, W. C. Fox.  
 Jug Tavern, W. P. Rivers.  
 Gwinnett, G. W. Morgan.  
 Lawrenceville and Suwanee, J. L. Moon.  
 Logansville, H. R. Davies.  
 Monroe, W. B. Dillard.

Snellville, to be supplied by F. A. Ragsdale.  
 Norcross, J. W. Quillian.  
 Alpharetta, J. L. Ware.  
 Roswell, J. A. Sewell.  
 Belton, to be supplied by W. R. Stillwell.  
 Hoschton, to be supplied by S. H. Braswell.  
 Conference Colporter, J. T. Curtis.

## GRIFFIN DISTRICT.

*J. S. Bryan, P. E.*

Griffin, H. M. Quillian.  
 Hanleiter, L. P. Winter.  
 Milner, T. O. Rorie; R. W. Rogers, Sup.  
 Orchard Hill, J. F. Balis.  
 Zebulon, E. K. Akin.  
 Concord, J. E. Russell.  
 Barnesville, J. R. McCleskey.  
 West Monroe, L. M. Lyle.  
 The Rock, A. B. Pope.  
 Culloden, R. A. Seale.  
 Thomaston, D. J. Myrick.  
 Upton, J. W. Bailey.  
 Forsyth, J. M. Bowdon.  
 Forsyth Circuit, R. P. Martyn.  
 Senoia, W. M. Winn.  
 Turin, W. J. Cotter.  
 Jonesboro, T. H. Timmons.  
 Hampton, B. H. Trammell.

## LA GRANGE DISTRICT.

*W. F. Cook, P. E.*

La Grange, R. W. Bigham.  
 Troup and Factory, W. H. Speer.  
 West Point, W. R. Foote.  
 West Point Circuit, J. S. Embry.  
 Hogansville, J. T. Lowe.  
 Grantville, W. F. Robison.  
 Newnan, F. G. Hughes.  
 North Coweta, J. P. Burges.  
 Franklin, W. T. Hamilton.  
 Clem, to be supplied by W. L. Davenport.  
 Roopville, W. Murdock.  
 Bowdon, J. S. L. Sapington.  
 Carrollton, A. G. Worley.  
 Whitesburg, A. Lester.  
 Greenville and Trinity, J. R. Parker.  
 Mountville, A. S. Harris.  
 Chipley, T. J. Christian.  
 Pine Mountain, G. C. Andrews.  
 Woodbury, T. J. Warlick.  
 La Grange Female College, H. M. Smith,  
 Professor.  
 Whitesburg High School, G. W. Griner,  
 Principal.

## OXFORD DISTRICT.

*W. D. Anderson, P. E.*

Oxford, J. E. Dickey, J. S. Moore.  
 Porter Dale, M. H. Eakes.  
 Newborn, J. H. Daniel.  
 Social Circle, J. T. Richardson.  
 Madison, A. C. Thomas.  
 Morgan, L. H. Green.  
 Shady Dale, C. L. Pattillo.  
 Eatonton, J. A. Timmerman.  
 East Putnam, S. B. Ledbetter.



West Putnam, W. Dunbar.  
 Monticello, S. H. Dimon.  
 Clinton and Mission, M. H. Edwards.  
 Covington, S. P. Richardson.  
 Conyers, M. H. Dillard.  
 Lithonia and Rockland, O. C. Simmons, F. J. Mashburn.  
 Stone Mountain and Clarkston, W. G. Crawley.  
 Decatur, P. M. Ryburn.  
 Emory College, W. A. Candler, President;  
 M. Calloway, J. S. Moore, Julius Magath,  
 H. S. Bradley, Jr., and J. E. Dickey, Professors.

## ROME DISTRICT.

*J. T. Gibson, P. E.*

Rome: First Church, W. W. Bays.  
 Second Church, G. W. Duval.  
 City Mission, C. A. Jamison.  
 North Rome, T. S. Edwards.

Coosa, J. W. Brown.  
 Cave Spring, W. A. Farris.  
 Cedartown, J. R. King; J. T. Norris, Sup.  
 Cedartown Circuit, T. J. Edwards; one to be supplied.  
 Rock Mart, R. F. Eakes; R. H. Jones, Sup.  
 Dallas, W. J. Wood.  
 East Paulding, C. C. O'Neal.  
 Paulding, to be supplied by C. E. Dowell.  
 Villa Rica, M. S. Williams.  
 Hickory Level, J. M. Fowler.  
 Buchanan, S. A. Harris.  
 Bremen, to be supplied by J. M. Crow.  
 Tallapoosa, W. T. Irvine.  
 Cartersville, J. H. Mashburn.  
 Piedmont Institute, E. W. Ballenger, President; S. W. Rogers, Professor.  
 Orphans' Home, S. P. Jones, Agent.

*Transferred.*—A. A. Barnett, J. A. Wright, to the South Georgia Conference.

## MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.

HELD AT NATCHEZ, MISS., DECEMBER 14-19, 1892.

BISHOP GRANBERY, *President*; C. G. ANDREWS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Henry W. Van Hook, Clarence M. Crossley, Thomas H. King, Robert Emmett Rutledge, Talbert A. Luster, Albert C. Burt, John Henry Foreman, Paul Douglas Hardin, William Matthews Williams, Simpson Jefferson Tubby, Waldo Worley Moore, Adolphus Taylor Bell, Fletcher Bryant Ormond, George W. Huff, William Job Roberts, Samuel Hodges. 16.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Harrison D. Vandenberg, William T. Griffin, Matthew J. Miller, Charles C. Evans, William T. Currie, Paul M. Brown, James P. Haney. Continued in class of the first year: William T. Woodward, T. Jones Norsworthy, B. W. Lewis, J. R. Whittington, G. R. Ellis, W. M. Sullivan, R. H. Berr, J. C. Ellis, G. H. Thompson, J. T. Abney, W. J. Dawson, M. T. White, J. J. Smiley, H. B. Trevillion. 21.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Ira F. Hawkins, J. C. Campbell, T. E. Winecoff, at their own request; E. L. Rawls. 4.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? George H. Thompson, George A. Guice, John W. Crisler, Henry W. Wallace, James T. Liggett, Kirby Smith Enochs, Wiley J. Ferguson, John W. Tinnin. 8.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? William W. Hopper, James N. Tucker, Henry J. Harris. 3.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? R. W. Builey, from the Los Angeles Conference; H. E.

Partridge, from the Florida Conference; H. R. Singleton, from the Pacific Conference; C. F. Evans, from the Louisiana Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? H. Mellard, W. H. Lewis, H. M. Ellis, C. W. Crisler, P. H. Howse, H. L. Norton, W. G. Forsythe, G. D. Anders, N. J. Roberts, F. M. Keen, J. G. Sibley. In class of the third year: J. G. Cammack, H. C. Brown, W. M. Stephens. 14.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? George A. Guice, Kirby Smith Enochs, John W. Crisler, Henry W. Wallace. 4.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? George A. Guice, Kirby Smith Enochs, John W. Crisler, Henry W. Wallace. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Henry W. Van Hook, Thomas H. King, William T. Griffin, Robert E. Rutledge, Milton Ferrell, Walton P. Meador, D. C. Rawls, George Washington, William H. Carroll, James B. Anders, W. T. Woodward. 11.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Henry W. Van Hook, D. C. Rawls, R. E. Rutledge, G. W. Huff, W. T. Griffin, W. H. Carroll, T. H. King, J. B. Anders, Milton Ferrell, W. T. Woodward. 10.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? R. W. Tucker, J. M. Cowan, W. P. Jones, J. G. Galloway, G. W. Ferrer. 4.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? R. W. Tucker, J. M. Cowan, W. P. Jones, J. G. Galloway, G. W. Ferrer. 4.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? B. M. Drake, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. W. Sandell, J. A. Vance. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? D. Merchant, T. Price, A. B. Nicholson, T. J. Armstrong, G. T. Vickers, W. E. Ballard, B. Jones, J. W. Harmon, J. T. Nicholson, W. B. Hines, R. S. Gale, H. J. Harris, E. A. Flowers. 13.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? E. R. Strickland, L. Pearce, L. M. Wood. 3.

ERASTUS R. STRICKLAND, son of Joseph S. and Anna Strickland, was born in Meredith Square, Delaware County, N. Y., April 6, 1807, and died at his home, near Summit, Pike County, Miss., February 24, 1892. He was converted when about eighteen years of age, and joined the M. E. Church. His early Christian life was marked with earnestness and zeal rarely seen in the life and character of many of riper years. He was licensed as an exhorter in the year 1834, and obtained license to preach as a local preacher in 1835, and the same year moved with his family to Neshoba County, Miss. After serving the Church as a local preacher for nearly three years, Brother Strickland was admitted on trial as a traveling preacher in the Mississippi Conference at the session held in Grenada, Miss., in the winter of 1838, and was appointed to the Louisville Circuit, embracing at the time the counties of Winston, Oktibbeha, and about one-half of Choctaw. He traveled this circuit one year, and at the Conference held at Natchez in December, 1839, he was appointed to Paulding Circuit as junior preacher. Brother Strickland traveled Louisville Circuit one year, Paulding two years, Opelousas two years, Brandon two years, Bayou Pierre two years, Crystal Springs two years, Raymond one year, Greenville one year, Holmes two years, Summit two years, Monticello two years, was superannuated in 1877, and was faithful to the end. He fell asleep in Jesus, and is now joining the chorus of the redeemed.

LEVI PEARCE was born in Johnston County, N. C., October 28, 1808; and died in Jackson, La., July 26, 1892, just before completing his eighty-fourth year. He was reared in Anson County, N. C., where he professed religion and became a member of the M. E. Church in 1828. In 1832 he removed to Madison County, Miss.; was licensed to preach by Rev. Thomas Griffin September 12, 1834,

and was admitted on trial in the Mississippi Conference in December, 1835. After a year's service he was discontinued at his own request, but was readmitted in 1838, and continued to be a member until his death: a period of about fifty-five years, including twenty-three of superannuation. For more than thirty years Brother Pearce was a most zealous and devoted itinerant preacher, filling with great acceptability and usefulness all the varied appointments, from the humblest mission to the highest station, and all the offices from the preacher on trial to the presiding elder and the President of an Annual Conference. His appointment in 1835 was Opelousas, La., and between 1838 and 1854 he filled the following appointments: Grand Gulf, Fayette, Woodville, Port Gibson, Vicksburg, Natchez, Yazoo District, Yazoo Circuit, and Yazoo City. During the next eight years he was the presiding elder of the Yazoo and Vicksburg Districts. He served Vernon in 1863, and after the war filled Madison Circuit in 1866. No man in his day wielded a greater influence than he in the Mississippi Conference. In 1867 he removed with his family to British Honduras. In Honduras he found plenty of good, cheap land, covered by unbroken forests, where tropical productions of great market value grew almost spontaneously. By hard labor he opened lands and settled homes for himself and children. It must not be supposed that Brother Pearce lost interest in the work of the Church by his expatriation. He was ever active in preaching the gospel to those around him, and saw in Spanish as well as in British Honduras mission fields ripe unto the harvest. He had his own house registered as a place of worship until his circumstances enabled him, with the aid of his children, to erect a church. This, with several acres of land, he donated to the Wesleyan Mission, that being the only society of Methodists in the colony. Here he often preached in the absence of the pastor, even when his health was so broken that he was compelled to abandon all business. Thus we see that his heart was ever in the great work of his life—the preaching of the gospel for the salvation of men. He was several times elected to the General Conference, and once stood at the head of his delegation. He was twice married: first in his nineteenth year, to Miss Francis Valentine. To them two children were born, one of whom still lives. His second marriage was to Miss Maria L. Henderson, in 1836, who is still living. To them were born six children, four of whom are living.

LOUIS WALLACE WOOD, son of W. W. Wood and Euphemie Quegles, was born in New Orleans, La., March 10, 1855; and died in Pascagoula, Jackson County, Miss., August 26, 1892. He was thirty-seven years, five months, and sixteen days old. Brother Wood was reared in the city of Natchez,

Miss., and connected himself with the M. E. Church, South, at that place in the year 1887. After mature deliberation and much prayer he was moved by the Spirit to the conclusion that he must preach to others that blessed gospel which had so mightily delivered him. He argued that an expression of Christianity which had effectually overcome all his educational prejudices and absolved his soul from conscious condemnation, and taken him a physical wreck from long-continued dissipation, and clothed him in his right mind, was the religion that the world ought to know; and he determined, by the grace of God, to spend the remainder of his days and years in telling others "what a dear Saviour he had found." Accordingly he applied for recognition by the Church, and was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference at Wesley Chapel, the Rev. W. L. C. Hunnicutt, D.D., conducting the examination and signing the license in behalf of the Conference, January, 1888. About this time he was married to Mrs. Mary W. Hobbs, who was a strong support to him in his brief, though eminently successful and laborious career as a Methodist itinerant preacher. His first appointment, after he was admitted on trial at Vicksburg, was Covington Circuit, La., Bishop Hargrove making the appointment. There were eight appointments on the "plan" received from his predecessor. Brother Wood added five more, making thirteen. He preached three times every Sunday and several times during the week, riding on horseback about four thousand miles during that year. Having been appointed to this field the next year, the presiding elder, Rev. I. W. Cooper, discovered that his health was giving way, and sent him to Bay St. Louis, on the seashore, making the exchange with the Rev. H. C. Brown, in the interim of the Conference. At the close of this year, while he had given satisfaction, he felt, perhaps, that some more experienced preacher might accomplish more at the Bay than he could, and he asked to be removed. China Grove Circuit was the charge assigned him by Bishop Galloway in 1891. Here he did faithful work, and was beloved. In 1892 there was a request lodged with the presiding elder by some of the officials of the Scranton charge who knew him to send them Brother Wood. The appointment was made, but the Master has called his faithful servant to another charge. To his saddened, chastened wife the brethren of the Mississippi Conference extend heartfelt condolence.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Brandon District.

	White Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Indian Mission.....	18	.....
Brandon Station.....	187	.....
Fannin.....	151	1
Marvin.....	551	2
Shiloh.....	512	5
Westville.....	136	1
Trenton.....	425	2
Raleigh.....	330	.....
Montrose.....	420	2
Rose Hill.....	335	.....
Newton and Hickory.....	343	2
Lake.....	335	.....
Forest and Morton.....	224	1
Hillsboro.....	397	3
Decatur.....	459	1
Neshoba.....	480	.....
Walnut Grove.....	217	4
Carthage and Walnut Grove.....	291	1
Carthage.....	186	1
Clarksburg.....	226	1
Homewood.....	403	2
	6,631	29

Seashore District.

East Pearl.....	179	.....
Moss Point.....	131	1
Hattiesburg.....	298	2
Columbia.....	366	2
Mt. Carmel.....	482	1
Williamsburg.....	288	1
Eastabutehie.....	293	1
Ellisville.....	297	3
Heidelberg.....	233	.....
Pearlington.....	177	1
Bay St. Louis.....	159	.....
Whittington.....	465	1
Vaneleave.....	518	8
Americus.....	446	.....
Ocean Springs.....	149	3
Perry.....	191	1
Purvis.....	259	2
Scranton.....	149	1
	5,083	28

Vicksburg District.

Vicksburg: Crawford Street.....	429	1
South Vicksburg.....	135	1
Warren.....	422	2
South Warren.....	163	1
Mayersville.....	93	.....
Anquilla and Rolling Fork.....	301	1
Port Gibson.....	149	.....
Martin.....	178	.....
Rocky Springs.....	559	1
Burtontown.....	249	1
Utica.....	587	2
Natchez: Jefferson Street.....	337	.....
Wesley Chapel.....	300	2
Fayette.....	425	2
Roxie.....	158	.....
Meadville.....	339	1
Washington.....	112	.....
	4,936	15

Brookhaven District.

Brookhaven Station.....	188	.....
Crystal Springs Station.....	365	1
Hazlehurst Station.....	303	3
Wesson Station.....	653	1
McComb City Station.....	287	2
Magnolia.....	328	.....
Summit.....	246	3
Adams.....	502	3
Brookhaven Circuit.....	109	.....
Caseyville.....	284	1
Lebanon.....	165	.....
Bowerton.....	470	4
Beauregard.....	271	.....
Gallman.....	299	.....
Terry.....	267	1
Providence.....	302	1
Pleasant Grove.....	418	1

Brookhaven District (Continued).

	White Mem's	Loc'l Pr's.
China Grove.....	401	2
Holmesville and Topisaw .....	292	2
	6,150	25

Jackson District.

Jackson: First Church.....	388	5
Capitol Sreet.....	225	1
Madison.....	178	1
Canton.....	182	.....
Camden.....	227	2
Benton.....	429	1
Yazoo City.....	244	.....
Yazoo Circuit.....	292	.....
Silver Creek.....	33	.....
Lake City and Lodi.....	67	.....
Flora.....	160	.....
Pocahontas.....	45	.....
Raymond.....	241	.....
Edwards.....	148	.....
Mt. Olivet.....	292	1
Sharon.....	30	3
	3,457	14

Meridian District.

Meridian: Central Church.....	559	1
West End.....	246	.....
East End.....	182	.....
Yossburg.....	383	1
Enterprise and Stonewall.....	298	2
Shubuta.....	357	.....
Clarke.....	628	4
Waynesboro and State Line.....	279	3
Waynesboro Circuit.....	423	1
Daleville.....	89	.....
Linwood.....	298	.....
De Kalb.....	628	.....
Binnsville.....	285	.....
Porterville.....	193	1
Landerdale.....	268	1
Marion.....	370	2
Chunky.....	233	1
Leaksville.....	120	.....
Why Not.....	52	.....
West Wayne.....	25	.....
	5,966	17

Woodville District.

Wilson.....	216	1
Jackson (La.).....	161	4
Bayou Sara.....	339	.....
Woodville.....	250	.....
Perey Creek.....	94	.....
North Wilkinson.....	734	5
Amite.....	380	6
Gloster and Centerville.....	293	1
Clinton and Slaughter.....	230	1
Zachary and Deep Ford.....	207	.....
East Baton Rouge.....	288	1
Port Vincent.....	239	1
Springfield.....	213	1
Covington.....	155	.....
Tallisheck.....	272	1
St. Helena.....	721	1
Franklinton.....	357	1
Amite City.....	261	1
Live Oak.....	472	5
East Feliciana.....	592	1
	6,474	31

Recapitulation.

Brandon District.....	6,631	29
Seashore District.....	5,083	28
Vicksburg District.....	4,926	15
Brookhaven District.....	6,150	25
Jackson District.....	3,457	14
Meridian District.....	5,966	17
Woodville District.....	6,474	31
Total this year.....	38,697	159
Total last year.....	38,029	185
Increase.....	668	.....
Decrease.....	.....	26

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,344.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,034.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 403.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,113.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 16,240.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,100.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$5,150.15. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$6,957.16; Domestic Missions, \$2,845.55. Total, \$9,802.71.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,830.15.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 421; value, \$446,325.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 104; value, \$96,865.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Centenary College of Louisiana (male): Teachers, 8; students, 101; endowment, \$90,000; value of property, \$80,000. Millsaps College (male): Teachers, 6; students, 139; endowment, \$73,071.01; value of property, \$60,000. Port Gibson Female College: Teachers, 5; students, 150; value of property, \$10,000. Whitworth Female College: Teachers, 15; students, 130; value of property, \$75,000. Edward McGehee College for Girls: Teachers, 6; students, 81; value of property, \$10,000. East Mississippi Female College: Teachers, 10; students, 120; value of property, \$25,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Hazlehurst, Miss.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

JACKSON DISTRICT.

E. H. Moulger, P. E.

Jackson: First Church, A. F. Watkins.

  Capital Street, T. S. West.

Madison, H. L. Norton.

Canton, I. W. Cooper.

Camden, E. F. Edgar.

Benton, D. C. Langford.

Yazoo City Station, R. J. Jones.

Yazoo, T. H. King.

Silver Creek Circuit, H. McAllard.

Lake City and Lodi, J. M. C. Swan.

Flora, J. D. Crymes.

Pocahontas, J. W. Tinnin.

Edwards, J. P. Drake.

Mt. Olivet, J. W. Ellison.

Sharon, V. D. Skipper.

Tranquil, T. J. Norsworthy.

Bolton Circuit, J. A. B. Jones.

University of Mississippi, W. R. Sims, Prof.

Colporter, W. D. Dominick.

## BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT.

*R. S. Woodward, P. E.*

Brookhaven Station, J. M. Weems.  
 Brookhaven Circuit, C. M. Crossley.  
 Crystal Springs, R. D. Norsworthy.  
 Terry, W. T. Griffin.  
 Gallman, W. W. Morse.  
 Providence, F. M. Williams.  
 Pleasant Grove, L. J. Jones.  
 China Grove, M. J. Miller.  
 McComb City Station, M. L. Burton.  
 Holmesville and Topisaw, T. A. Luster.  
 Magnolia, V. V. Boone.  
 Summit, J. G. Cammack.  
 Adams, P. Howard.  
 Wesson, T. B. Holloman.  
 Beauregard, C. D. Cecil.  
 Caseyville, H. P. Lewis.  
 Bowerton, W. W. Hurst.  
 Hazlehurst, L. S. Jones.  
 Lebanon, B. W. Lewis.  
 District Superintendent American Bible Society, J. W. McLaurin.

## MERIDIAN DISTRICT.

*T. L. Mellen, P. E.*

Meridian: Central Church, C. F. Evans.  
 West End, W. W. Hopper.  
 East End and South Side, B. F. Lewis.  
 Chunkey, L. P. Meador.  
 Marion, George Bancroft.  
 Enterprise and Stonewall, I. L. Peebles.  
 Waynesboro and State Line, J. V. Penn.  
 Vossburg, R. Bradley.  
 Shubuta, D. P. Bradford.  
 Waynesboro Circuit, A. T. Bell.  
 Clarke, J. N. Ware.  
 Binnsville, N. M. Clark.  
 Lauderdale, H. C. Brown.  
 Daleville, D. G. W. Ellis.  
 Linwood, H. W. Van Hook.  
 De Kalb, R. A. Breland.  
 Leaksville, W. J. Dawson.  
 Why Not, F. B. Ormond.  
 North Kemper, W. J. Ferguson.  
 Eucutta, W. W. Moore; and one to be supplied by M. F. Bradford.  
 Millsaps College, J. W. Chambers, Financial Agent.

## BRANDON DISTRICT.

*C. McDonald, P. E.*

Brandon, W. H. Huntley.  
 Fannin, H. R. Caldwell.  
 Clarksburg, P. D. Hardin.  
 Homewood, K. S. Enochs.  
 Marvin, L. Carley.  
 Raleigh, R. A. Sibley.  
 Forest and Morton, B. S. Rayner.  
 Shiloh, J. G. Sibley.  
 Westville, R. H. Barr; one to be supplied by J. E. Lewis.  
 Montrose, B. H. Rawls.  
 Lake, R. F. Witt.  
 Newton and Hickory, J. M. Morse.  
 Decatur, W. M. Williams.

Neshoba, J. H. Foreman.  
 Hillsboro, C. C. Evans.  
 Walnut Grove and Carthage, G. H. Gallo-way.  
 Walnut Grove Circuit, J. C. Ellis; J. A. Vance, Sup.  
 Trenton, H. B. Vandenberg.  
 Rose Hill, G. H. Thompson.  
 Mission to Choctaws, W. W. Cammack, S. J. Tubby.

## SEASHORE DISTRICT.

*H. E. Partridge, P. E.*

Moss Point, J. A. Ellis.  
 Ocean Springs and Zion, J. M. Pugh, G. R. Ellis.  
 Bay St. Louis, N. B. Harmon.  
 Pearlinton Station, R. B. Downer.  
 Purvis, J. S. Parker.  
 Hattiesburg, H. D. Howell.  
 Whittington, G. W. Ferrer.  
 Vancleave, N. B. Young.  
 Americus, J. H. Holland.  
 Williamsburg, J. H. Evans.  
 Ellisville, T. W. Adams.  
 Columbia, M. H. Moore.  
 Heidelberg, W. G. Forsythe.  
 Mt. Carmel, M. L. White.  
 East Pearl, to be supplied by D. C. Rawls.  
 Estabutchie, W. G. Backus.  
 Augusta, A. C. Burt; one to be supplied by A. P. Cox.  
 Biloxi, R. Selby.  
 Covington, H. W. Wallace.  
 Tallisheek, H. B. Trevillion.

## WOODVILLE DISTRICT.

*P. A. Johnston, P. E.*

Woodville Station, R. W. Bailey.  
 Percy Creek Station, J. W. Brown.  
 Gloster and Centerville, W. W. Simmons.  
 North Wilkinson, G. W. Huff.  
 Wilson, R. W. Tucker.  
 Amite, W. P. Jones; one to be supplied by H. W. Day.  
 Jackson (La.) Station, H. R. Singleton.  
 Bayou Sara, J. R. Whittington, J. S. Hodges.  
 Zachary, J. T. Leggett.  
 Clinton (La.), J. G. Galloway.  
 East Feliciana, G. D. Anders.  
 East Baton Rouge, W. L. Linfield; one to be supplied by W. A. Sibley.  
 Port Vincent, W. T. Woodward.  
 Live Oak, J. P. Haney; one to be supplied by J. W. Lee.  
 Springfield, W. T. Currie.  
 Amite City, P. M. Brown.  
 St. Helena, N. J. Roberts.  
 Franklinton, W. M. Sullivan; one to be supplied by B. F. Hart.  
 Wilkinson Circuit, J. J. Smylie.  
 Slaughter, W. J. Roberts.  
 Centenary College, W. L. C. Hunnicutt, President.  
 Edward McGehee College, H. W. Featherstun, President.

## VICKSBURG DISTRICT.

D. A. Little, P. E.

Vicksburg: Crawford Street, C. G. Andrews.  
 South Vicksburg and Jefferson Street, I.  
 B. Robertson.  
 Warren, A. D. Miller.  
 South Warren, W. M. Stephens.  
 Rolling Fork, W. H. Lewis.  
 Sunflower, J. T. Abney.  
 Rocky Springs, G. A. Guice.  
 Utica Station, F. M. Keen.  
 Natchez: Jefferson Street, W. B. Lewis.  
 Wesley Chapel, H. M. Ellis.

Washington, C. W. Crisler.  
 Meadville, P. H. Howse.  
 Mayersville, T. W. Brown.  
 Port Gibson, B. F. Jones.  
 Hermanville, D. F. Guice.  
 Fayette, C. A. Powell.  
 Roxie, R. E. Rutledge.  
 Martin, J. W. Crisler.  
 Learned Circuit, J. N. Tucker.

*Transferred.*—W. C. Black, to the South Georgia Conference; J. H. Woodward, to the White River Conference.

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT EUFAULA, ALA., DECEMBER 7-13, 1892.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; J. M. MASON, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Thompson H. Cooper, John S. Chadwick, Oscar W. Welch, Edward A. Dannelly, R. A. Moody, Thaddeus D. Barrow, Benjamin D. Dismukes, Henry S. Ellison. 8.  
 Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? George N. Winslett, William T. Ellisor, Isaac F. Blair, Robert C. Williams, Leander W. Powell, Caleb Bates, J. O. Lawrence. 7.  
 Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Samuel T. Sanders, Hugh Baird. 2.  
 Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William S. Street, Charles A. Cornell, Benjamin E. Feagan, Mark H. Holt, Thomas P. Fincher, C. Prescott Atkinson, James A. Seale, William K. Dennis, James A. Stripling. 9.  
 Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Henry Trawick. 1.  
 Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. B. Wilson, from the North Alabama Conference; J. W. Shoaff, from the Baltimore Conference. 2.  
 Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? James F. Dailey, Joseph M. Sollie, Charles W. Gavin, Byrd L. Moore, James M. Glenn, D. J. Hartzog, Henry Trawick. 7.  
 Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William S. Street, Benjamin E. Feagan, Mark H. Holt, Thomas P. Fincher, William K. Dennis. 5.  
 Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? W. S. Street, Benjamin E. Feagan, Mark H. Holt, Thomas P. Fincher, William K. Dennis. 5.  
 Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Thompson H. Cooper, Edward A. Dannelly, Riley A. Moody, William T. Ellisor, Benjamin D. Dismukes. 5.  
 Ques. 11. What local preachers are or-

daind deacons? Thompson H. Cooper, Edward A. Dannelly, Riley A. Moody, William T. Ellisor, Benjamin J. Dismukes. 5.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Dowdell D. Reeves, Charles A. Rush, William D. Taylor, John B. Tate, James R. McGlaun. 5.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Dowdell D. Reeves, Charles A. Rush, William D. Taylor, John B. Tate, James R. McGlaun. 5.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Edward J. Benton. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Edward J. Benton. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? C. S. Perry, G. W. Mathison, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? S. A. Pilley, L. F. Dowell, George F. Ellis, C. R. Williamson, A. C. Hundley, C. M. Martin. 6.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. W. Solomon, J. Barker, W. Hargrave Morris, F. H. Wardlaw, A. H. Mitchell, J. O. Andrew, J. M. Scott, S. H. Cox, G. F. Fisher, W. A. McCarty, W. K. Norton, J. S. Peavey, D. C. Standley, A. B. Brown, M. M. Graham, Robert Smilie. 16.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. F. DeBardeleben, W. A. Rice. 2.

JOHN FINLEY DEBARDELEBEN was born at Cotton Valley, Macon County, Ala., September 13, 1851; and died at the parsonage in Louisville, Ala., at 2 o'clock, p.m., March 2, 1892. He was the son of John A. and Mrs. P. S. DeBardeleben. He was converted under the ministry of Rev. B. B. Ross in 1858, at Union Church, Tuskegee Circuit. De-

ember 23, 1877, he was happily united in marriage to Mrs. S. R. Thompson, of La Place, who lived only a few years, and died leaving him two children. July 9, 1883, he was married to Miss M. E. Haden, who has five children. He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Tuskegee Circuit November 27, 1880, and afterward recommended to the Annual Conference from the same circuit. He was received on trial in the Alabama Conference at the session held in Troy in December, 1882, and sent to the Oakey Streak Circuit, which he served for two years. He was received into full connection in the Conference and ordained a deacon by Bishop Keener at Opelika in December, 1884, and ordained an elder by the same bishop at Greensboro December 11, 1887. In 1885 he was assigned to the Elba Circuit, which he served for four years with great acceptability. His next charge was Eufaula Circuit, where he remained three years, laboring earnestly, though in feeble health most of the time. At the last session of the Conference in Selma he was sent to the Louisville Circuit. He reached his charge in due time, and made one round, preaching his last sermon at Louisville the first Sabbath in February, from Ps. i. 2, 3. Brother DeBardelen was reared in a Christian home, in good society, and enjoyed very good educational advantages. After he joined the Conference he was a close student, and qualified himself well for the great work to which God had called him. He was a good preacher, capable of presenting the truths of the gospel in a clear and forcible manner; and he might have filled a better class of appointments but for his want of self-confidence. He had a very humble opinion of himself, and thought it a great privilege to have any appointment at all. Some of his charges were poor, and during the nine years of his ministry he received about \$3,000, one-tenth of which he gave to the Lord. But he never complained, nor asked any favors. He did not attempt to push himself to the front, but was willing to take a humble place and work where he might be useful and do good. Many souls were converted and the Churches prospered under his ministry. The chief cause of his success was his holy and blameless life and the mighty unction that attended his preaching. He was "full of faith and the Holy Ghost," and while preaching his face often beamed with a heavenly radiance. Whole congregations were sometimes moved under his sermons, not because they were full of worldly wisdom, but because of the presence and power of the Holy Ghost with him. He was literally burdened with souls, and was never satisfied without witnessing conversions. He expected results, and results attended his ministry. In laboring with penitent, troubled sinners he was peculiarly gifted. Many a night, long after the congregation had retired, he was down upon his

knees praying and working with those who were convicted and inquiring the way of life. As a pastor he was true and faithful. No interest of the Church committed to him ever suffered through his neglect. His energy was greater than his physical strength. Though feeble in body, he continued to work without the slightest abatement of his zeal, praying and talking with the people on the great subject of their soul's salvation. All the details of Church work were carefully looked after. The Church Register was well kept, his reports to the Quarterly Conferences were complete, and if the collections were not always paid in full it was not his fault. As a husband and father he was loving and tender. No man was ever more devoted to his family, and he has left to his wife and children the greatest legacy that a man ever bequeathed to his family: the legacy of a beautiful, consecrated, Christian life. He consecrated his entire household to God, and, assisted by a pious wife, he was striving to train his children for God and heaven. His death was glorious. He died at his post, and in the full triumph of the Christian faith. His last day on earth was one of his happiest. His soul was filled to overflowing with love and joy and peace. There was no cloud, no shadow, no gloom, but all was as clear and bright as a sunbeam. Death had no sting, the grave no victory. A brother who was at his dying bed asked him if he realized the presence of Christ. His face became radiant with smiles, and he replied: "Yes! yes! yes!" and ever and anon he exclaimed: "Precious Saviour! precious Saviour!" He was conscious and able to speak to the last. During the day many of his brethren called to see him and receive his dying counsel. To them he gave good advice, and exhorted them all to meet him in heaven. He talked calmly and affectionately to his wife and children, told them how to live, and committed them into the hands of God. Just a few moments before he breathed his last he said to his wife: "Is this death?" She answered him: "Yes, it is death." He exclaimed, "Thank God!" and in an instant fell asleep in Jesus.

WILLIAM ALBERT RICE was born somewhere and some date about forty years ago, and died at Summerfield, Ala., March 9, 1892. Those who knew him will understand the expression "somewhere and some date." Doubtless his history is without parallel in the ministry. The story goes that when a babe he was stolen by a circus company. His earliest remembrance was in Cincinnati, O., though indistinct. But well did he remember the circus campaign of Dan Rice through the state of Texas. In 1861 the company disbanded in Montgomery, Ala., and the little boy was left in a strange land in the hands of strangers. Dan Rice left him in charge of Dr. —, who was destitute of the milk of human kindness, and to es-

cape the blows and to hide from the frowns of an inhuman creature the friendless boy would crouch and tremble under the shrubbery in the yard and garden and along the alleys of the city. For several Sabbaths Mrs. W. H. Smith, now in heaven, saw him on the street, and often talking with him, carried him to the Sunday school, where he was taught the name and love of Jesus. Soon he fell into the hands of Dr. J. Hamilton, when he had "expounded unto him the way of God more perfectly." Brother Rice spent some time in and near Mobile, Ala., and with Dr. James Heard, in Mississippi; then in Enterprise, Miss., in the home of Rev. T. S. Abernathy, where he was in school for one year, and was taught the ordinary branches and his mind directed to a course of reading. Dr. Hamilton never lost sight of him, and was quick to see the hand of God upon him in a call to preach, and he said to him: "William, you must go to Summerfield to school." Brother Rice had no means, but Brother William Otis, of Mobile, had money and a mind to use it for good, and he did. In the fall of 1868 he entered school at Summerfield, where he remained three sessions; and under the skilled eye of Dr. John Massey in the study hall, the Sunday school, the prayer meeting, and the class meeting he was qualified for the work which he successfully prosecuted for eighteen years. Dr. Massey says of him: "He was always a fine student, a great reader, and very intent on making the most of himself. He did more in the two years he was in my school than most young men do in four." He felt that then was the golden opportunity—that his future depended upon the manner in which he spent or misspent the days of pupilage. After leaving school he taught for a year or more, and was considered a good teacher. He was a loyal participator in every enterprise of the Church. He was licensed to preach in 1870. His first work was as supply on Coffeeyville Mission in 1873. He was admitted on trial into the Alabama Conference in Selma, Ala., in December, 1873. He served the following works in the order named: Tallahatta Circuit, 1874; Marianna Station, 1875; Wetumpka Station, 1876; East Selma Station, 1877-78; Clanton and Verbena, 1879-80; Camden and Oak Lawn, 1881; Navy Yard, 1882; Monterey Circuit, 1883; Uniontown Station, 1884-85; Marion Station, 1886-87; Auburn Station, 1888-91. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Marvin at Greenville, Ala., in December, 1875. Bishop Keener ordained him elder at Montgomery, Ala., in December, 1877. He was united in marriage with Miss Laura Savage, of Camden, Ala., July 10, 1882. Their life was one in love and purpose. To their union were added five children. Two preceded the father to heaven. At the last session of the Alabama Conference he was appointed to Tuskegee Station, but was not able to take charge of the work. Early last

year he had a spell of typhoid fever, and in the fall an attack of *la grippe*, which developed into consumption. He was very anxious to go to Tuskegee, and "to labor on at God's command," but his strength failed him. He was small in stature, but a larger, warmer heart never beat in the breast of a Methodist preacher. Pure, generous, and noble, he loved his friends with an undying affection. In his person he was remarkably neat, in his manners simple, unaffected, kind, and polite. He was a great lover of books. As a public speaker his voice was smooth, rich, silvery, varied, and its tones were often like music. His congregation never felt that his sermon was long, his subject dry or unimportant. His intellect was of a high order. In his writings and discourses there was a purity, chasteness, and beautiful delicacy. At all times his manner was ardent and pathetic, and often he seemed overwhelmed with the magnitude and grandeur of his theme and spoke with impassioned earnestness. Through his influence and indomitable energy the splendid Methodist church at Marion, Ala., was finished, and a good parsonage built at Auburn, Ala. He talked very little about dying during his sickness; he was hopeful of recovery till very near the end. Ten days before he died he said: "I am better now, and hope to get well; but I am in the hands of my heavenly Father." He read his Bible until he was too weak and feeble to hold it. He would say to his wife: "I enjoy such sweet communion with my Lord." The day before he died he was found in distress for breath and his nerves excited. Of his own accord he proposed that prayer be made with him. When his eyes were closing in death the watchers at his bedside saw his lips moving, and one stooped to listen, and heard from the quivering, dying lips: "Everlasting life." Again he listened, "and he was not, for God took him." He leaves his wife and three little children to the care of the Church which he loved.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Mobile District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Mobile: Government Street.....	474	.....	1
St. Francis Street.....	547	.....	1
Broad Street and City Mission...	256	.....	2
Grand Bay Circuit and Mission.....	101	.....	1
Ellington Circuit.....	505	.....	1
Whistler Station.....	182	.....	.....
Mauvilla Circuit.....	205	.....	.....
Citronelle Circuit.....	271	.....	1
Isney Circuit.....	450	.....	4
Bladon and St. Stephens.....	327	.....	1
Washington Circuit.....	264	.....	2
Suggsville Circuit.....	244	4	2



## Mobile District (Continued).

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Grove Hill Circuit.....	350		2
Coffeeville Circuit.....	222		
Baldwin Mission.....	89		2
	4,487	4	20

## Greensboro District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Greensboro Station.....	295		14
Greensboro Mission.....	130		
Newbern Circuit.....	348		1
Havana Circuit.....	666		4
Greene Circuit.....	274		3
Gainesville Circuit.....	263	1	3
Livingston and Entaw.....	218		3
Cuba Circuit.....	293		1
Panmataha Circuit.....	290		1
Butler and Mt. Sterling.....	110		
Choctaw Circuit and Mission.....	439		3
Marion Station.....	156		1
Marion Circuit.....	286		1
Cahaba River Mission.....	340		
	4,138	1	35

## Selma District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Church Street.....	512		2
Water Street and Mission.....	139		
Summerfield Station.....	117		
Uniontown Station.....	212		1
Faunshale and Marion Junction ..	67		
Demopolis and Jefferson ..	171		
Belmont Circuit.....	180		1
Dayton and Spring Hill.....	209		1
Orville Circuit.....	213		
Rembert Hills Circuit.....	415		
Arlington Circuit.....	468		
Lower Peach Tree Circuit.....	375		1
Choctaw Corner Circuit.....	240		2
	3,309		8

## Prattville District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Prattville Station.....	301		2
Robinson Springs Circuit and Mis.	477		3
Autangaville Circuit.....	365		2
Clanton Circuit.....	374		2
Verbena Circuit.....	176		2
Wetumpka Station.....	137		
Randolph Circuit.....	410		
Plantersville Circuit.....	286		2
Lowndesboro and Union.....	64		
Pleasant Hill Circuit.....	101		
Camden and Oak Lawn.....	93	1	2
Pine Apple Circuit.....	497		
Bell's Landing Circuit.....	324	1	1
River Ridge Mission.....	225		1
Centerville Mission.....	141		
	3,914	2	17

## Montgomery District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Montgomery: Court Street Station	748		
Dexter Avenue Station.....	365		4
City Mission.....	34		
Tuskegee Station.....	278		2
Tuskegee Circuit.....	475		1
Warrior Stand Circuit.....	345		
Salem Circuit.....	417		2
Opelika Station.....	520		4
Crawford Circuit.....	409		1
Loachapoka Circuit.....	485		2
Harmony Circuit and Mission ..	384		2
Tallahassee Station.....	310		
Pleasant Grove Circuit.....	505		5
Tallahpoosa Circuit.....	311		2
Auburn Station.....	212		2
	5,798		27

## Eufaula District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Eufaula Station.....	380		3
Villula Circuit.....	322		2
Seale Circuit.....	273		
Phoenix City Station.....	400		
Girard Station.....	248		
Enon and Midway.....	287		
Perote Circuit.....	320		2
Mt. Andrew Mission.....	118		

## Eufaula District (Continued).

	Colored Men's.	White Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Clayton Station.....	218		
Louisville Circuit.....	390		3
Ozark Circuit.....	486		1
Abbeville and Clopton.....	318		1
Shorterville Mission.....	450		2
Ashtury Circuit.....	260		5
Eufaula Circuit.....	610		3
Beulah Circuit.....	140		
	5,270		22

## Marianna District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Marianna Station.....	82		
Greenwood Circuit.....	267		1
Campbellton Circuit.....	714		2
Freeport Mission.....	255		1
Big Creek Circuit.....	319		1
Geneva Station.....	187		2
Pond Town Circuit.....	400		2
Coffee Springs Mission .....	281		1
Elba Circuit.....	503		3
Dothan Station.....	282		2
Ochseese Mission.....	185		2
Chipola Mission.....	178		
St. Andrew's Bay Mission.....	268		2
Columbia and Gordon.....	259		2
Echo Circuit.....	580		5
Newton Circuit.....	508		6
Headland Circuit.....	463		4
	5,891		36

## Union Springs District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Union Springs Station.....	231		1
Troy Station.....	442		3
Brundidge Circuit.....	550		4
Shady Grove Circuit.....	408	1	4
Greenville Station.....	297		
Greenville Circuit.....	314		1
Fort Deposit and Bolling .....	312		
Letohatchee Circuit.....	205		1
Rocky Mount Circuit.....	518		
Pine Level Circuit.....	590		3
Mt. Hilliard Circuit.....	406		1
Mt. Meigs Circuit.....	138		1
Rutledge Circuit.....	484		3
Oaky Streak Mission.....	375		3
Andalusia Circuit and Mission.....	215	1	4
Henderson Mission.....	17		
	5,502	2	29

## Pensacola District.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Pensacola Station.....	893		3
Milton and Bagdad.....	258		
Brent Mission.....	125		1
Powellton Circuit.....	350		4
Bay Minette Circuit.....	252		
Stockton Circuit.....	255		1
Brewton and Pollard.....	406		1
Douglasville Circuit and Mission..	507		1
Evergreen and Castleberry .....	300		2
Georgiana Circuit.....	400	1	7
Monterey Circuit.....	311		
Sepulga Circuit.....	482		2
Monroeville Circuit.....	285	1	1
Bellville Circuit.....	497		1
Garland Mission.....	209		3
	5,030	2	27

## Recapitulation.

	White Men's.	Colored Men's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Mobile District.....	4,487	4	20
Greensboro District.....	4,138	1	35
Selma District.....	3,309		8
Prattville District.....	3,914	2	17
Montgomery District.....	5,798		27
Eufaula District.....	5,270		22
Marianna District.....	5,891		36
Union Springs District .....	5,502	2	29
Pensacola District.....	5,030	2	27
Total this year.....	43,339	11	221
Total last year.....	41,801	14	207
Increase.....	1,538		14
Decrease.....		3	

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,018.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,532.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 499.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,971.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 23,881.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$10,450.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$7,721.36. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$12,047.53; Domestic Missions, \$4,168.90. Total, \$16,216.43.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,029.20.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of church edifices? Number, 526; value, \$624,694.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimate value, of parsonages? Number, 95; value, \$119,825.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Southern University (male college): Teachers, 11; students, 155; endowment, \$55,250; value of property, \$112,000. Alabama Conference Female College: Teachers, 13; students, 160; value of property, \$72,000. Paid for education, \$1,466.35.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Opelika, Ala.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### MOBILE DISTRICT.

*J. A. Peterson, P. E.*

Mobile: Government Street, O. C. McGehee.  
St. Francis Street, J. W. Shoaff.

Broad Street and City Mission, I. F. Bilbro.

Grand Bay Circuit and Mission, R. C. Williams.

Ellington Circuit, C. W. Gavin.

Whistler, C. A. Cornell.

Mauvilla Circuit, T. P. Fincher.

Citronelle Circuit, J. L. Grace.

Isney Circuit, E. G. Price.

Bladon and St. Stephens Circuit, J. R. McGlaun.

Washington Circuit, J. A. Seale.

Suggsville Circuit, O. S. Perry.

Grove Hill Circuit, J. O. Noble.

Baldwin Circuit and Mission, R. A. Moody.

#### GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

*O. R. Blue, P. E.*

Greensboro Station, J. O. Keener; G. F. Ellis, Sup.

Greensboro Mission, W. B. Wilson.

Newbern Circuit, N. Gillis.

Marion Station, J. H. James.

Marion Circuit, B. D. Gayle.

Cahaba River Mission, L. W. Powell.

Havana Circuit, J. M. Patton.

Greene Circuit, E. M. Turner.

Gainesville Circuit, A. J. Cousins.

Livingston and Eutaw, J. Bancroft.

Cuba Circuit, W. T. Rencher.

Pushmataha Circuit, J. W. Killough.

Butler and Mt. Sterling, R. F. Dennis.

Choctaw Mission, I. F. Blair.

Southern University, A. S. Andrews, President; F. M. Peterson, J. A. Moore, Professors.

#### SELMA DISTRICT.

*J. S. Frazer, P. E.*

Selma: Church Street, A. J. Lamar.

Water Street and Mission, L. C. Calhoun.

Summerfield and Mission, S. G. Boyd.

Uniontown, J. B. K. Spain.

Faunsdale Circuit, T. H. Cooper.

Demopolis and Jefferson, J. M. Greene.

Belmont Circuit, J. D. Kirsh.

Dayton and Spring Hill, E. E. Cowan.

Orville Circuit, J. W. Menefee.

Rembert Hills Circuit, J. W. Hamner.

Arlington Circuit, D. W. Barnes.

Lower Peach Tree Circuit, N. W. Beverly.

Thomasville Circuit, G. K. Williams.

#### PRATTVILLE DISTRICT.

*M. S. Andrews, P. E.*

Prattville Station, T. Y. Abernethy.

Robinson Springs Circuit and Mission, B. D.

Dismukes.

Autaugaville Circuit, A. H. Moore.

Clanton Circuit, B. E. Feagin.

Verbena Circuit, J. E. McCann.

Chilton Mission, to be supplied by J. A. Scott.

Wetumpka Station, J. P. Sanders.

Randolph Circuit, J. A. Stripling.

Okmulgee Mission, to be supplied by H. C.

Threadgill.

Plantersville Circuit, J. W. Shores.

Lowndesboro and Union, J. P. Hamilton.

Pleasant Hill Circuit, B. L. Moore.

Camden and Oak Lawn, R. H. Lewis.

Pine Apple Circuit, H. M. Gillis.

Bell's Landing Circuit, M. H. Holt.

River Ridge Mission, A. S. J. Haygood.

#### MONTGOMERY DISTRICT.

*T. F. Mangum, P. E.*

Montgomery: Court Street, J. W. Rush.

Dexter Avenue, J. B. Cumming.

City Mission, E. A. Dannelly.

Tuskegee Station, G. M. Roper; C. M. Martin, Sup.

Tuskegee Circuit, J. M. Glenn; L. F. Dowdell, Sup.

Warrior Stand Circuit, W. Bancroft.

Salem Circuit, R. A. Foster.

Opelika Station, J. M. Mason; C. R. Williamson, Sup.

Crawford Circuit, George Fontaine.

Loachapoka Circuit, C. A. Rush.  
 Harmony Circuit and Mission, to be supplied  
 by H. T. Dupre.  
 Tallassee Station, P. M. Guthrie.  
 Pleasant Grove Circuit, D. D. Reeves.  
 Tallapoosa Circuit and Mission, A. A. Easley.  
 Auburn Station, C. L. Clinton.  
 Chaplain in the United States Navy, W. G.  
 Isaacs.

## EUFAULA DISTRICT.

*W. H. Wild, P. E.*

Eufaula Station, W. P. Dickinson.  
 Villula Circuit, B. C. Glenn.  
 Seale Circuit, A. L. Andrews.  
 Phenix City, Angus Dowling.  
 Girard Station, W. J. Price.  
 Enon and Midway, C. B. Pilley.  
 Perote Circuit, A. L. Sellers.  
 Mt. Andrew Mission, G. N. Winslett.  
 Clayton Station, J. W. Glenn.  
 Louisville Circuit, J. M. Shofner.  
 Ozark Circuit, A. Hood.  
 Abbeville and Clopton, S. W. Roberts.  
 Shortersville Mission, T. L. Adams.  
 Asbury Circuit, D. L. Lindsey.  
 Eufaula Circuit, J. K. Powell.  
 Beulah Circuit, T. D. Albright.

## MARIANNA DISTRICT.

*W. S. Wade, P. E.*

Marianna Station, Henry Trawick.  
 Greenwood Circuit, L. P. Lathram.  
 Campbellton Circuit, W. D. Owens.  
 Freeport Mission, J. F. Daily.  
 Big Creek Circuit and Mission, H. S. Ellison.  
 Geneva Station, C. P. Atkinson.  
 Pond Town Station, D. J. Hartzog.  
 Coffee Springs Mission, to be supplied by H.  
 B. Register.  
 Elba Circuit, J. M. Sollie.  
 Dothan Station, H. T. Johnson.  
 Ocheese Mission, T. B. Barrow.  
 Chipola Mission, Caleb Bates.  
 Orange Hill Mission, to be supplied by  
 George Dee.  
 Columbia and Gordon, J. B. Nelson.  
 Echo Circuit, W. F. Arnold.  
 Newton Circuit, T. H. Jones.  
 Headland Circuit and Mission, J. L. Skipper.

## UNION SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*H. Urquhart, P. E.*

Union Springs Station, E. L. Loveless; W.  
 H. Morris, Sup.  
 Troy Station, W. M. Motley; S. A. Pilley,  
 Sup.  
 Brundage Circuit, J. L. Mathison.  
 Shady Grove Circuit, W. P. H. Connerly.  
 Greenville Station, W. M. Cox.  
 Greenville Circuit, W. S. Street.  
 Fort Deposit and Bolling, J. M. Dannelly.  
 Letohatchee Circuit, W. D. Taylor.  
 Rocky Mount Circuit, W. A. McCann.  
 Pine Level Circuit, G. W. Jones.  
 Mt. Hilliard Circuit, J. S. Williams.  
 Mt. Meigs Circuit, A. J. Briggs.  
 Rutledge Circuit, H. H. McNeill.  
 Oaky Streak Mission, J. O. Lawrence.  
 Andalusia Circuit and Mission, W. T. Ellisor.  
 Henderson Mission, to be supplied.

## PENSACOLA DISTRICT.

*J. R. Peavy, P. E.*

Pensacola, W. P. Hurt.  
 Milton and Bagdad, G. M. Sellers; A. C.  
 Hundley, Sup.  
 Brent Mission, J. S. Chadwick.  
 Powelton Circuit, J. B. Tate.  
 Bay Minette and Pollard Circuit, W. B.  
 Dennis.  
 Stockton Circuit, W. K. Dennis.  
 Brewton Station, J. P. Roberts.  
 Douglasville Circuit and Mission, O. S.  
 Welch.  
 Kirkland and May Creek Mission, to be sup-  
 plied by John A. Green.  
 Evergreen and Castleberry, L. H. S. Chap-  
 pelle.  
 Georgiana Circuit, B. L. Selman.  
 Garland Mission, to be supplied by J. L.  
 Jones.  
 Monterey Circuit, I. F. Betts.  
 Sepulga Circuit, D. J. Wright.  
 Monroeville Circuit, W. Ira Powers.  
 Belleville Circuit, J. C. Johnson.

*Transferred.*—H. D. Moore, to the Holston  
 Conference, and stationed at Church Street  
 Church, Knoxville; R. S. Adair, to the West  
 Texas Conference; C. R. Lamar, to the Texas  
 Conference.

## NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT GOLDSBORO, N. C., DECEMBER 14-19, 1892.

BISHOP DUNCAN, *President*; W. L. GUNNINGGIM, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Allison L. Ormond, N. Caviness, Walter H. Willis, James H. Frizelle, Thomas H. Sutton, William A. Jenkins, Marion T. Plyler, James P. Pate, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle, John W. Wallace, John R. Newlin, Henry E. Tripp. 13.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Nathan H. D. Wilson, Kenneth D. Holmes, Lucius S. Massey, Edward E. Rose, Michael Bradshaw, John C. McCall, Jesse D. Bundy, Elias B. Wilcox, Jesse J. Porter, Jesse W. Martin, Jesse T. Draper, Nathaniel L. Seabolt. 12.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Jesse F. Usrey, Major T. Best. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William Y. Everton, Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, George G. Harley, George D. Langston, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, William F. Galloway. 10.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Thomas W. Guthrie, Samuel P. Douglass, Thomas W. S. Parker, from the Western North Carolina Conference; William E. Edmondson, from the Pacific Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Milton D. Hix, Robert H. Broom, Richard F. Taylor, Asa J. Parker, Henry G. Stamey, James H. M. Giles, William H. Puckett, John R. Sawyer, John J. Barker. 9.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, Nathaniel L. Seabolt. 6.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? J. B. Thompson, G. W. Starling, W. B. Moore, J. A. Rouse, J. C. Jones, N. L. Seabolt. 6.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Thomas H. Walters, Jesse J. Porter, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle, William A. Jenkins. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? T. H. Walters, J. J. Porter, J. L. Rumley, S. T. Moyle, W. A. Jenkins. 5.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? John H. Shore, Ma.ruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Neill McK. Watson, Louland S. Etheredge, Daniel Reid, George T. Simmons, James G. Johnson, Charles F. Sherrill, Edwin C. Glenn. 10.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. H. Shore, M. H. Tuttle, E. C. Sell, N. McK. Watson, L. S. Etheredge,

Daniel Reid, G. T. Simmons, J. G. Johnson, E. C. Glenn. 9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? James A. Edwards. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? James A. Edwards. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? John T. Abernethy. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? I. W. Avent, T. B. Reeks, J. B. Bobbitt, R. W. Townsend, E. L. Peel, W. H. Call, J. C. Crisp, T. W. Guthrie. 8.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? Miles Foy, James B. Bailey, George E. Wyche, Marcus C. Thomas, Nathan A. Hooker, Joseph H. Wheeler, Thomas C. Lovin, T. Page Ricaud, Joseph B. Martin, David R. Bruton, Clayter W. Smith, Washington S. Chaffin. 12.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Robert O. Burton, Thomas C. Moses, John W. North, Samuel V. Hoyle, Joseph G. Nelson. 5.

ROBERT OSWALD BURTON was born near Lynchburg, Campbell County, Va., June 30, 1811. He was educated at West Point Military Academy. He was twice married: the first time to Miss Elizabeth H. Joyner, March 29, 1842, and the second time to Miss Mary Olivia Pearson August 17, 1858. He joined the Virginia Conference at Petersburg in 1833. He was ordained deacon in 1833; and elder in 1837. The following is a record of his appointments through a long and spotless ministry: 1834, junior preacher on Amelia Circuit; 1835, Greenville Circuit; 1836, Greensboro; 1837, Salisbury; 1838-42, agent for Randolph-Macon College; 1843-44, presiding elder on Washington District; 1845-46, Henderson Circuit; 1847-48, Raleigh Station; 1849-50, Roanoke Circuit; 1851-54, supernumerary on Roanoke Circuit; 1855-58, presiding elder on Raleigh District. In 1858 he was transferred to the Virginia Conference; 1859-62, presiding elder on the Petersburg District; 1863, Greenville Circuit; 1864, appointed to the military encampment near Garysburg, N. C.; 1865, Greenville Circuit; 1866-68, Union Circuit; 1869 superintendent colored work; 1870, Greenville Circuit. In the fall of 1870 he was transferred to the North Carolina Conference; 1871-73, superintendent colored work; 1874-76, Roanoke Circuit; 1877, Littleton Circuit; 1878, Henderson Circuit; 1879-80, Roanoke Circuit; 1881, Edgecombe Circuit; 1882-83, presiding elder on the Wilmington District; 1884, presiding elder on

the Greensboro District; 1885-88, Warrenton Circuit; 1889, Ridgeway Circuit. At the Annual Conference in Greensboro in 1889, he was placed on the supernumerary list, after having refused to be superannuated. In this relation he remained until the day of his death at his home in Halifax County, N. C., December 17, 1891. Thus is compressed into a few words the technical statement of the ministerial labors of Robert O. Burton; thus are drawn the lines that mark the flow of the river of his life; but what words are sufficient to describe the full and precious volume of that river's flow, or to paint the flowering and fruitful landscape that smiled along its banks? By what measure shall we take the height of his noble manhood, or calculate the results of his faithful and wonderful ministry? Alas, we are not sufficient for these things! But it is not difficult to fix the place of Robert O. Burton among his brethren; that place is not an ordinary one; he was one of our greatest preachers. He was one of the noblest endowed of all the watchmen that stood upon our walls; he held to his lips a trumpet that sent forth in silvery notes and sweetest cadence the messages of mercy and the warnings of justice with such emphasis and persuasive power that has been equaled by but few ministers of the Lord Jesus Christ. His ministry was a ministry of power. He had a wonderfully analytic mind for the teaching of the Scriptures, and seemed to comprehend, almost at a glance, the mind of the Spirit; and he delivered his sermons with all the power and passion of one under the divine conviction that he had a message from God. The blessed Master who sent him out went with him and gave him a triumphant gospel. As a minister in the social life of the world, as he went into the homes of our people he was a pattern of grace and refinement. As a friend there was hardly a limit to the strength of his devotion, and he was true though all the world should prove false. Through a ministry of nearly three score years he bore himself without blot or suspicion. He had victory in death. Surrounded by his children, who watched by his bedside in love and tenderness, he heard the summons of the Master, and went to join the redeemed.

THOMAS C. MOSES was born in Franklin County, N. C., in the year 1807. In youth and early manhood he obtained a good English and classical education, and spent several years of his life in academical work, which he made a success. He made application and was received on trial in the North Carolina Conference at its session held at Pittsboro, N. C., in December, 1844. After traveling nine years, being admonished by his failing health, he asked the Conference to grant him a location, but they preferred to give him a superannuated relation, which he sustained a few years and again was in

the field on the effective list. He traveled until 1876, when he again took a superannuated relation, where he remained until his death, which took place December 20, 1891, at his home in Center township, Chatham County, N. C. Brother Moses was a consecrated man of firm faith, deep thought, and profound piety. He regarded no work too laborious for him to do nor any sacrifice too great for him to make that he might advance the interests of the Redeemer's kingdom among men. He was married to Miss Sally Moore, of Franklin County, who became the mother of four children, all but one of whom still live. His wife died in 1878.

JOHN W. NORTH was born in Williamsburg County, S. C., July 28, 1828; and died at his home in Cleveland County, N. C., June 3, 1892, in the sixty-fourth year of his age. He joined the Church in 1846, and was converted June 14, 1849. He was received on trial in the South Carolina Conference at Camden, S. C., in December, 1849, and served the following charges: Barnwell Circuit, 1850; Sumterville Circuit, 1851; Santee Circuit, 1852-53; Yorkville Station, 1854; Winsboro and Chesterville, 1855; Yorkville Circuit, 1856-57; Cokesbury Circuit, 1858-59; Abbeville Circuit, 1860. In 1861 he sustained a supernumerary relation; Marion Street, Columbia, 1862; Santee Circuit, 1863-64; Sumter, Circuit, 1865-66. In 1867-70, presiding elder of Shelby District; in 1870 this territory being transferred to the North Carolina Conference, Dr. North became a member of this Conference. In 1871-73, he served Shelby Station; Shelby Circuit, 1874-77; Shelby Station, 1878; Shelby Circuit, 1879; Laurinburg Station, 1880-83; Mt. Zion Station, 1884-87; St. John Station, 1888-89; Jonesboro Circuit, 1890; Leasburg Circuit, 1891, when his health failed and he was compelled to give up his work. At the last session of our Conference in Greenville at his own request he was placed on the honored roll of superannuated preachers. Dr. North's active ministry embraced a period of forty-three consecutive years, save two. He first married a Miss Dye, of York County, S. C. She dying in 1862, he married Miss C. J. Wells, of Cleveland County, N. C. They were indeed helpmates to him, and contributed largely to his usefulness as an itinerant Methodist preacher. His educational advantages in early life were limited, but his natural endowments being of a high order, he soon succeeded, by hard study, in qualifying himself for filling, with great acceptability, every position to which he was called by his Church. Trinity College honored herself in conferring upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity, and in 1878 his brethren showed their appreciation of his worth by electing him to the General Conference. He was a tender and loving husband and a watchful and affectionate father, always ardently attached to his family and

home, this attachment steadily increasing as he advanced in years. May his sorrowing widow and fatherless children, his hosts of friends, and we, his brethren in the ministry, meet him there.

SAMUEL VINTON HOYLE was born in Georgetown, D. C., January 7, 1836; and died in Jonesboro, N. C., May 4, 1892, aged fifty-six years, three months, and twenty-seven days. He was converted to God when fourteen years of age. He became at once an active member of the Methodist Church, leading in public prayer and exhortation. He was licensed to preach when he was eighteen years of age, and his purpose then was to spend his life in the itinerant ministry of his Church. From the first he laid himself and his all upon God's altar. He was received on trial into the traveling connection by the Virginia Conference at Norfolk in November, 1854. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Early November 21, 1856, and elder by Bishop Kavanaugh November 28, 1858. He was a member of the Virginia Conference until 1869, when he was transferred to the Baltimore Conference; and in 1872 was transferred to the North Carolina Conference, of which he remained a member until his death. In these several Conferences Brother Hoyle was continuously on the effective list for more than thirty-seven years, and filled various circuits and stations with great acceptability, serving by appointment as chaplain in the Confederate army during the latter part of our civil war. Young Hoyle, after securing a good academic education, entered Dickinson College, Pa., which institution he left when within one session of graduation in the regular A.B. course, but not until he had laid a solid foundation for continued and broad intellectual culture through life. To the preaching of the gospel his whole life was given, and he was a strong preacher. Brother Hoyle was at his post as preacher in charge of Maxton and Caledonia Churches; preached twice on the fourth Sabbath in April; on Monday conducted a funeral service; on Thursday was decidedly unwell, and believing that he had a premonition of approaching death, took the train and came that evening to his home in Jonesboro. During the few remaining days he talked freely of his approaching death, from which his mind could not be diverted. He expressed himself as exceedingly glad that he had spent his life as a humble minister of the gospel, declared his readiness for death, and expressed triumphant faith as to his victory over death and the grave, and of the blessed immortality upon which he was about to enter. His Conference and his many friends will cherish his memory here, and his spiritual children will rise up in eternity and call him blessed.

JOSEPH GILLESPIE NELSON, son of Rev. Jesse S. Nelson, was born March 10, 1862;

and died at Hobgood, N. C., November 29, 1892. Trained at the altars of our Church he sought religion there, and was converted to God about the year 1882 at Greenville, N. C., under the ministry of Rev. S. V. Hoyle, who preceded him to the "house of many mansions" but a few short months. Brother Nelson dated his call to the work of the ministry from his conversion, and lingered not to confer with flesh and blood, but at once said: "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" He began ministerial life by serving Straits Mission in 1883 as supply, and was admitted on trial for the itinerancy at the session of our Conference held in December, 1884, at Wilmington, from which date he continued to receive annual appointments until December, 1891, when in much weakness of body, but strength of spirit, he received appointment to that field upon which he "laid his armor by" and went to his heavenly inheritance. His appointments were as follows: 1884, Pitt Mission; 1885, Scotland Neck Mission; 1886, Hillsboro Circuit; 1887, Goldsboro Circuit; 1888-89, Williamston Circuit; 1890, Fairfield Station; 1891, Carteret Circuit. In all these fields there were and are seats to his ministry. His reaping was especially large on the Hillsboro and Williamston Circuits. Brother Nelson's last sickness was long and painful. For months he would not believe his sickness was unto death, but with all the buoyancy of his spirit resisted every downward step of his disease. So persistent was his battle for life that he could not be induced to speak of his departure until the last few days of his life. Then, being persuaded that it was the appointed time, he calmly and clearly expressed his faith in Christ, committed his wife and children to God, who he said had been so good to him, and his spirit gently went to the God who gave it.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Henderson Cole, who had withdrawn.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Raleigh District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Raleigh: Edenton Street.....	635	.....	.....
Central.....	322	.....	2
City Mission and Brooklyn.....	141	.....	.....
Cary Circuit.....	515	.....	1
Rolesville Circuit.....	605	.....	1
Youngsville Circuit.....	407	.....	1
Franklinton Circuit.....	260	1	3
Louisburg Station.....	221	.....	.....
Tar River Circuit.....	550	.....	.....
Granville Circuit.....	635	.....	.....
Oxford Station.....	341	.....	.....
Oxford Circuit.....	611	.....	1
	5,353	1	9

Durham District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'1 Pr's.
Durham: Trinity.....	465	.....	3
Main Street.....	386	.....	.....
Carr Church.....	182	.....	1
Durham Circuit.....	739	1	3
Hillsboro Circuit.....	656	1	.....
Chapel Hill Station.....	122	7	1
Lcesburg Circuit.....	538	.....	1
Roxboro Circuit.....	547	.....	.....
Mt. Tirzah Circuit.....	470	.....	2
Person Circuit.....	149	.....	.....
Burlington Circuit.....	607	.....	.....
Alamance Circuit.....	314	1	.....
Milton Circuit.....	396	1	.....
Yanceyville Circuit.....	448	.....	.....
	5,849	11	11

Fayetteville District.

Hay Street and Camp Mission.....	487	.....	2
Cumberland Circuit.....	547	.....	2
Cokesbury Circuit.....	513	.....	.....
Samson Circuit.....	644	1	3
Lillington Circuit.....	400	.....	.....
Buckhorn Circuit.....	846	.....	3
Cape Fear Circuit.....	434	.....	1
Pittsboro Circuit.....	653	1	.....
Haw River Circuit.....	539	.....	.....
Deep River Circuit.....	597	1	2
Silver City Circuit.....	302	.....	2
Carthage Circuit.....	557	1	1
Manly Circuit.....	348	.....	1
Jonesboro Circuit.....	533	.....	.....
	7,410	3	18

Rockingham District.

Rockingham Station.....	255	.....	1
Rockingham Circuit.....	572	.....	2
Richmond Circuit.....	541	.....	1
Mt. Gilead Circuit.....	499	.....	.....
Pekin Circuit.....	558	.....	1
Prospect Circuit.....	478	1	.....
Asbury Circuit.....	827	.....	1
St. John's Station.....	403	.....	2
Laurinburg Station.....	431	.....	3
Maxton and Caledonia Station.....	290	.....	2
Maxton Circuit.....	300	.....	1
Lumberton Circuit.....	547	.....	1
Roberson Circuit.....	520	.....	1
	6,212	.....	17

Wilmington District.

Wilmington: Grace Church.....	596	1	.....
Fifth Street.....	453	.....	1
Bladen Street.....	144	.....	.....
Market Street.....	49	.....	1
Scott's Hill Circuit.....	484	.....	.....
Onslow Circuit.....	635	.....	2
Magnolia Circuit.....	465	.....	.....
Kenansville Circuit.....	705	1	.....
Clinton Circuit.....	747	.....	2
Bladen Circuit.....	605	.....	2
Elizabeth Circuit.....	451	1	1
Whiteville Circuit.....	495	.....	2
Waccamaw Circuit.....	436	1	2
Brunswick Mission.....	250	1	.....
Brunswick Circuit.....	623	2	1
Southport Station.....	343	.....	1
Carver's Creek Circuit.....	432	.....	.....
	7,947	7	15

New Berne District.

New Berne: Centenary.....	607	.....	3
Hancock Street.....	314	.....	1
Goldsboro: St. Paul.....	472	.....	.....
St. John.....	161	.....	1
Goldsboro Circuit.....	648	.....	5
Mt. Olive Circuit.....	738	.....	.....
La Grange Circuit.....	447	.....	.....
Snow Hill Circuit.....	740	.....	1
Kingston Station.....	283	.....	2
Grifton Circuit.....	252	.....	1
Craven Circuit.....	386	.....	1
Jones Circuit.....	549	.....	.....

New Berne District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'1 Pr's.
Carteret Circuit.....	393	.....	1
Morhead Station.....	285	.....	1
Beaufort Station.....	414	.....	.....
Paulcox Circuit.....	580	.....	1
Straits Circuit.....	358	.....	3
Core Sound Mission.....	71	.....	.....
	7,486	4	21

Washington District.

Washington Station.....	347	.....	1
Greenville Station.....	213	.....	.....
Greenville Circuit.....	300	.....	.....
Jamesville Circuit.....	207	.....	1
Plymouth Station.....	214	.....	.....
Roper City Station.....	160	.....	.....
Columbia Circuit.....	437	.....	.....
Dare Circuit.....	493	.....	1
Roanoke Island Circuit.....	204	.....	1
Kennebec Circuit.....	482	.....	4
Ocracoke and Hatteras Circuit.....	302	.....	2
Mattamuskeet Circuit.....	573	.....	1
Fairfield Station.....	122	.....	.....
Swan Quarter Circuit.....	392	.....	.....
Pantego Circuit.....	236	.....	1
Washington Circuit.....	237	.....	1
Aurora Circuit.....	315	.....	.....
Vanceboro Circuit.....	485	.....	2
	5,719	.....	15

Warrenton District.

Warrenton Circuit.....	394	.....	.....
Warren Circuit.....	547	.....	1
Ridgeway Circuit.....	575	2	1
Henderson Station.....	266	.....	.....
Littleton Circuit.....	308	.....	.....
Weldon Station.....	139	.....	1
Aurelian Circuit.....	627	.....	1
Halifax Circuit.....	238	.....	.....
Garysburg Circuit.....	495	.....	.....
Northampton Circuit.....	892	.....	1
Meherrin Circuit.....	633	.....	2
Murfreesboro Station.....	123	.....	.....
Harrellsville Circuit.....	257	.....	1
Bertie Circuit.....	350	.....	5
	5,833	2	13

Wilson District.

Wilson Station.....	454	.....	1
Spring Hope Circuit.....	573	.....	2
Nashville Circuit.....	291	.....	1
Rocky Mount Circuit.....	175	.....	2
Battleboro and Whitaker's Circuit.....	184	.....	.....
Tarboro Station and Mission.....	326	.....	1
Bethel Circuit.....	475	.....	2
Williamston & Hamilton Station.....	252	.....	2
South Edgecomb Circuit.....	449	.....	.....
Fremont Circuit.....	660	.....	.....
Kenly Circuit.....	462	.....	1
Smithfield Circuit.....	499	.....	1
Dunn Circuit.....	325	.....	3
Newton Grove Circuit.....	200	.....	.....
Clayton Circuit.....	390	.....	.....
	5,805	.....	16

Recapitulation.

Raleigh District.....	5,359	1	9
Durham District.....	5,849	11	11
Fayetteville District.....	7,410	3	18
Rockingham District.....	6,212	.....	17
Wilmington District.....	7,947	7	15
New Berne District.....	7,486	4	21
Washington District.....	5,719	.....	15
Warrenton District.....	5,833	2	13
Wilson District.....	5,805	.....	16
Total this year.....	57,619	28	135
Total last year.....	55,622	27	143
Increase.....	1,997	1	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	8

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,116.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,608.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 592.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 4,397.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 33,808.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$4,950. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,845.43. Domestic Missions, \$6,106.24. Total, \$15,951.67.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,892.06.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 573; value, \$697,685.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 94; value, \$118,670.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Trinity College: Teachers, 12; students, 156; endowment, \$33,000; value of property, \$182,000. Wesleyan Female College (Murfreesboro): Teachers, 6; students, 46; value of property, \$20,000. Littleton Female College: Teachers, 13; students, 80; value of property, \$12,000. Burlington Academy: Teachers, 7; students, 125; value of property, \$4,000. Jonesboro High School: Teachers, 4; students, 64; value of property, \$2,500. Richland Academy: No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Fifth Street Station, Wilmington, N. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### RALEIGH DISTRICT.

*J. A. Cuninggim, P. E.*

Raleigh: Edenton Street, J. N. Cole.

Central Church, J. B. Hurley; J. B. Bobbitt, Sup.

City Mission and Brooklyn, J. J. Barker.

Cary Circuit, B. C. Allred.

Rolesville Circuit, K. D. Holmes.

Youngsville Circuit, W. B. Moore.

Franklinton Circuit, N. H. D. Wilson; E. L. Pell, Sup.

Louisburg Station, L. E. Thompson.

Tar River Circuit, B. B. Culbreth.

Granville Circuit, V. A. Sharp.

Oxford Station, J. H. Cordon.

Oxford Circuit, P. L. Herman.

*Raleigh Christian Advocate*, F. L. Reid, Editor.

Oxford Orphan Asylum, W. S. Black, Superintendent.

#### DURHAM DISTRICT.

*E. A. Yates, P. E.*

Durham: Trinity, R. C. Beaman.

Main Street, F. A. Bishop.

Carr Church, L. L. Johnson.

Durham Circuit, J. W. Jenkins.

Hillsboro and Cedar Grove Station, D. N. Caviness.

Caldwell Circuit, E. E. Rose.

Chapel Hill Station, N. M. Watson.

Leasburg Circuit, L. S. Massey.

Roxboro Circuit, M. H. Tuttle.

Mt. Tirzah Circuit, D. L. Earnhardt.

Burlington Station, J. C. Underwood.

Burlington Circuit, A. L. Ormond.

Alamance Circuit, M. J. Hunt.

Milton Circuit, J. H. Shore.

Yanceyville Circuit, G. W. Fisher.

Conference Colporter, T. J. Gattis.

#### FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. T. Gibbs, P. E.*

Fayetteville: Hay Street and Campbellton

Mission, J. T. Lyon, T. H. Sutton.

Cumberland Circuit, J. D. Bundy.

Cokesbury Circuit, D. A. Futrell.

Samson Circuit, Jesse W. Martin.

Lillington Circuit, Michael Bradshaw.

Buckhorn Circuit, A. J. Parker; I. W. Avant, Sup.

Cape Fear Circuit, W. F. Galloway.

Pittsboro Circuit, C. W. Robinson.

Haw River Circuit, J. H. Hall.

Deep River Circuit, H. M. Jackson.

Silver City Circuit, J. R. Newlin.

Carthage Circuit, J. A. Lee.

Aberdeen Circuit, W. J. Crawson.

Jonesboro Circuit, J. E. Thompson.

#### ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

*W. H. Moore, P. E.*

Rockingham, W. B. Doub; T. W. Guthrie, Sup.

Rockingham Circuit, H. G. Stamey.

Richmond Circuit, E. B. Wilcox.

Mt. Gilead Circuit, G. B. Perry.

Pekin Circuit, J. M. Lawder.

Prospect Circuit, J. H. Frizelle.

Asbury Circuit, J. B. Thompson.

St. John Station, M. L. Wood.

Laurinburg Station, R. J. Moorman.

Maxton and Caledonia Station, C. W. Cain.

Maxton Circuit, A. D. Betts.

Lumberton Circuit, F. B. McCall.

Robeson Circuit, J. Sanford; R. W. Townsend, Sup.

#### WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

*W. S. Rone, P. E.*

Wilmington: Grace Church, W. C. Norman.

Fifth Street, L. L. Nash.

Bladen Street, J. C. McCall.

Market Street, M. T. Plyler.

Scott's Hill Circuit, E. Pope.

Onslow Circuit, J. L. Keen.



Magnolia Circuit, D. C. Geddie.  
 Kenansville Circuit, A. R. Raven.  
 Clinton Circuit, P. Greening.  
 Bladen Circuit, L. M. Chaffin.  
 Elizabeth Circuit, W. H. Townsend.  
 Whiteville, W. A. Forbes; J. C. Crisp, Sup.  
 Columbus Circuit, R. F. Taylor.  
 Waccamaw Circuit, T. J. Browning.  
 Brunswick Circuit, Daniel Reid.  
 Southport Station, O. Ryder.  
 Carver's Creek Circuit, L. S. Etheredge.

## NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

*F. D. Swindell, P. E.*

New Berne: Centenary, R. A. Willis.  
 Hancock Street, to be supplied by J. F. Butt.  
 Goldsboro: St. Paul, B. R. Hall.  
 St. John, M. D. Hix.  
 Mt. Olive Circuit, N. M. Jurney.  
 La Grange Circuit, R. H. Broom.  
 Snow Hill Circuit, N. E. Coltrane.  
 Kinston, F. M. Shamburger.  
 Grifton Circuit, J. C. Jones.  
 Craven Circuit, J. G. Johnson.  
 Jones Circuit, R. B. Gilliam.  
 Carteret Circuit, George W. Starling.  
 Morehead City Station, W. E. Edmonson.  
 Beauford Station, R. F. Bumpass.  
 Pamlico Circuit, to be supplied by F. S. Beeton.  
 Straits Circuit, J. P. Pate.  
 Core Sound Mission, to be supplied by J. M. Carroway.  
 Goldsboro Circuit, M. M. McFarland.

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*R. B. John, P. E.*

Washington Station, W. S. Davis; W. H. Call, Sup.  
 Greenville Station, G. F. Smith.  
 Greenville Circuit, R. L. Warlick.  
 Jamesville Circuit, H. E. Tripp.  
 Plymouth Station, W. H. Willis.  
 Roper City Station, J. T. Finlayson.  
 Columbia Circuit, J. A. White.  
 Dare Circuit, J. J. Porter.  
 Roanoke Island Circuit, J. R. Sawyer.  
 Kennekeet Circuit, J. A. Rouse.  
 Ocracoke and Hatteras Circuit, D. A. Watkins.  
 Mattamuskeet Circuit, J. D. Pegram.  
 Fairfield, C. P. Jerome.

Swan Quarter Circuit, G. D. Langston.  
 Pantego Circuit, L. H. Joyner, Jr.  
 Washington Circuit, J. W. Wallace.  
 Aurora Circuit, J. E. Bristowe.  
 Vanceboro Circuit, N. L. Seabolt.

## WARRENTON DISTRICT.

*S. D. Adams, P. E.*

Warrenton Circuit, A. McCullen.  
 Warren Circuit, C. O. Durant; T. B. Reeks, Sup.  
 Ridgeway Circuit, J. A. Hornaday.  
 Henderson Station, W. L. Cuninggim.  
 Littleton Circuit, J. L. Rumley.  
 Weldon Station, J. A. Green.  
 Roanoke Circuit, J. T. Draper.  
 Halifax Circuit, E. H. Davis, W. L. Grissom.  
 Garysburg Circuit, T. J. Dailey.  
 Northampton Circuit, L. J. Holden.  
 Meherrin Circuit, J. H. M. Giles.  
 Murfreesboro Station, R. P. Troy.  
 Harrellsville Circuit, B. B. Holder.  
 Lewiston Mission, to be supplied by William Grant.  
 Bertie Circuit, Z. T. Harrison.  
 Littleton Female College, J. M. Rhodes, President.  
 Wesleyan Female College, R. P. Troy, President.

## WILSON DISTRICT.

*G. A. Oglesby, P. E.*

Wilson, T. N. Ivey.  
 Spring Hope Circuit, T. W. S. Parker.  
 Nashville Circuit, S. T. Moyle.  
 Rocky Mount Station, J. O. Guthrie.  
 Battleboro and Whitaker's, H. B. Anderson.  
 Tarboro Station, D. H. Tuttle.  
 Tarboro Circuit, W. Y. Everton.  
 Bethel Circuit, G. G. Harley.  
 Williamston and Hamilton Station, E. C. Sell.  
 South Edgecombe Circuit, E. C. Glenn.  
 Fremont Circuit, W. W. Rose.  
 Kenly Circuit, N. H. Guyton.  
 Smithfield Circuit, W. H. Puckett.  
 Dunn Circuit, G. T. Simmons.  
 Newton Grove Circuit, W. A. Jenkins.  
 Clayton Circuit, J. M. Ashby.

*Transferred.*—J. P. Douglass, to the Western North Carolina Conference; C. F. Sherrill, to the Virginia Conference.

## FLORIDA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT OCALA, FLA., JANUARY 4-9, 1893.

BISHOP FITZGERALD, *President*; FREDERICK PASCO, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. John E. Michler, Henry W. Penny, Marion F. Dukes, Shade W. Walker, Wightman F. Melton, E. W. Barrington. 6.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? William N. Conoly, Charles B. Ames, James W. Bradford, J. L. Jones, John Beers, Josephus P. Durrance, William C. Norton, Asbury S. Whedon, G. W. Gatewood, John A. Hendry, W. B. Tresca. 11.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. P. Abbott, S. A. McCook. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? C. Frederick Blackburn, Andrew W. J. Best, Arthur D. Penny, A. Oscar Browne, Edward J. Gates, John W. Henson, Schuyler G. Meadows, Albert E. Peirce, Henry Hice, Edward K. Whidden, Calvin S. Claridy, Francis M. C. Eads, John B. Davis. 13.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Claude A. Saunders. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? E. D. Cameron, from the Indian Mission Conference; John Dodwell, from the St. Louis Conference; A. A. Barnett, T. J. Phillips, W. J. Dowell, from the South Georgia Conference; R. O. Wier, from the North Alabama Conference. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Thomas H. Sistrunk, Mahlon H. Outland, Thomas G. Lang, Charles C. Temple, Joseph H. Vann. 5.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? C. Frederick Blackburn, Samuel W. Lawler, Edward K. Whidden, Edward J. Gates, Schuyler G. Meadows, Albert E. Pearce, Francis M. C. Eads, John W. Henson, A. Oscar Brown. 9.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? C. F. Blackburn, S. W. Lawler, E. K. Whidden, E. J. Gates, S. G. Meadows, A. E. Pearce, F. M. C. Eads, J. W. Henson, A. O. Browne. 9.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? James W. Bradford, James E. Wells, Marion F. Dukes. 3.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James W. Bradford, James E. Wells, Marion F. Dukes, John P. Besant. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? George W. Sellers, William A. Brown, Benjamin F. Mason, Fayette E. Shipp, William J. J. Whidden, James A. Howland, Benjamin T. Rape, Joseph C. Sale. 8.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are or-

dained elders? William A. Brown, Benjamin F. Mason, F. E. Shipp, Joseph C. Sale, William J. J. Whidden, James A. Howland, Benjamin T. Rape. 7.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Thomas Howell, William K. G. Kilgore, Edward B. Poosa, Noah J. Tilghman. 4.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Thomas Howell, W. K. G. Kilgore, Edward B. Poosa, Noah J. Tilghman. 4.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? John A. Giddens. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? E. F. Gates, G. Taylor, C. S. Bird, W. C. Jordan. 4.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? A. Johnson, W. R. Johnson, J. E. Neal, J. G. Graham, A. Peeler, R. Stock, W. G. Booth, J. D. Rogers, E. L. T. Blake, S. Woodbery. 10.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? A. A. Robinson, William Scott, M. J. Perez. 3.

ADAM A. ROBINSON was born in Georgia October 29, 1815; and after a long and useful life "fell asleep in Jesus," at Monticello, Fla., October, 29, 1892, it being his seventy-seventh anniversary. For two years he had been slowly declining, and at times was a great sufferer; but faith never faltered, and the all-sufficient grace of God was illustrated in his patience, fortitude, and cheerful resignation to the divine will. The immediate cause of his death was slow fever. He was rational to the last. While passing down into "the valley and shadow of death," from time to time, as his failing strength would permit, he would repeat substantially the same testimony which he gave with so much tenderness and affection in his farewell address to the Florida Conference at Tampa last year. He was laid in the old cemetery near the village of Manatee, attended by multitudes of people among whom he had lived, labored, and died, and who were wont to honor his memory. Brother Robinson was in many respects a superior man. Though his early educational training was not collegiate, it was, nevertheless, liberal. When he left school he was a good English scholar and possessed knowledge of Greek and Latin. Having chosen law as his vocation, he commenced its study while yet in school, and subsequently pursued it with great assiduity. In the course of a few years he gained an enviable reputation as a man and as a lawyer of ability.

Having in the meantime embraced religion and united with the Church, he gave himself to God in an everlasting covenant, and soon thereafter felt called to the work of the ministry. Married and settled in life with an ample income outside of returns from his legal profession, and the most flattering prospects of political preferment and honor, it is not surprising that worldly considerations involved him in a severe and protracted struggle. After years of such conflict he opened his mind and heart fully to judicious brethren—took counsel of them—gave himself to special meditation and prayer, and in the providence of God soon reached a decision from which he never appealed. He immediately entered the ranks of the local ministry, commanding from the start the esteem and confidence of the Church and general public. He magnified his office as a local preacher. For fifteen years he was State's Attorney. He gradually relinquished his legal profession and devoted himself to the preaching of the word until in 1869 he entered the South Georgia Conference. He labored in this Conference until January, 1872, when he was transferred to the Florida Conference and stationed at Spark's Chapel, Key West. He was a member of this Conference twenty-one years. He served on missions, circuits, and stations, and was ten years presiding elder. His preaching was effective. He was apt in teaching, in unfolding and illustrating great truths and doctrines, and in leading souls into the way of permanent assurance and peace. He was gifted in delicate, undefinable qualities of head and heart which combine to render a pastor an effectual comforter among his people; and now that he is gone, may people bless and honor his memory. He doubtless has many stars in his crown of rejoicing.

WILLIAM SCOTT was born near Glasgow, Scotland, January 29, 1843. He joined the Presbyterian Church in early life, and for awhile was quite an active member; but he fell away, and for many years lived an ungodly and wicked life. He came to America about twenty years ago, the last ten of which he spent in Starke, Fla. He was reclaimed from his wicked ways and soundly converted in April, 1887, during a meeting held by Brothers Walker and Richardson while the latter was pastor of the Church. His conversion was thorough, changing the whole man. He made no demonstrations, but quietly gave himself to God. Bad habits were left off forever, and religious duties were immediately taken up. He united with the Methodist Church at Starke, and soon became an active and zealous worker for God. He was licensed to preach in the autumn of 1887, and preached, laboring at his own Church and helping the brethren at other points. He applied for admission to the Annual Conference which

met at Bartow in January, 1889, was accepted and sent to the Hampton Circuit, where he did a good work. The next year, 1890, passing an approved examination, he was continued on trial and sent to Lady Lake Circuit. Here he was universally beloved, and did effective work. At the Conference of 1891, which met at Monticello, he was ordained deacon by Bishop Duncan. Having lost his voice, he was granted a supernumerary relation, hoping that rest from public speaking would assist in restoring his voice. But when the Conference met at Tampa in 1892 he was no better, and he was given a superannuated relation. Brother Scott had many traits of character well worthy of imitation. In the family circle the law of kindness ever prevailed. He was zealous, full of fire and energy; and when he worked for the Lord he did it with all his might, preaching and praying and singing until his physical forces were used up all too quickly. His voice gave out, and throat trouble ensued, ending in his death. He had been a great sufferer for over eighteen months, but bore his sufferings patiently. He was fully prepared to die, and on February 9, 1882, in his fiftieth year, the Lord called him home.

M. J. PEREZ was born in Havana, Cuba; and died in the same city December 19, 1892, when about thirty-five years of age. He came to us from the Baptist Church, moved, as he often said, "by conscientious scruples in regard to the subject of immersion." He was admitted on trial at the Tampa Conference, in January, 1892, and was appointed assistant missionary, with Rev. H. B. Someillan as preacher in charge of the Havana and Key West Cuban Mission. He was a good preacher and a Christian gentleman. His lack of marked success in his work was due mainly, and perhaps exclusively, to lack of experience in the Methodist ministry. Yet he was faithful and honest in all that he did, and we are quite certain that "his labors were not in vain in the Lord." Five hours before he died he said to a brother who stood by him: "I am saved. I know that Christ is my Mediator and Intercessor with the Father. I am only a pilgrim here, and to-night I shall be with Jesus for evermore." He died in peace. The members of our Church, his countrymen, and Brother Someillan feel that his death is a greater loss to the cause of Christ among them, and more to be lamented, than would be the death of the highest civil officer in the island, or even that of the Bishop in the capital—the highest ecclesiastical dignitary in the country. For him "to die was gain."

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of H. A. H. Crumpton, who was expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Orlando District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Orlando.....	378	3
Oviedo and Geneva.....	135	4
Maitland Mission.....	94	.....
Kissimee Mission.....	176	1
Apopka Circuit.....	270	2
Osceola Circuit.....	103	2
Altoona Mission.....	72	.....
Umattilla Circuit.....	190	2
Leesburg Circuit.....	342	10
Lady Lake Circuit.....	236	1
Yalaka and Mission.....	164	1
Stewart's Chapel.....	225	1
Brooksville and Mission.....	327	5
Florida City.....	186	1
Pasco Circuit.....	218	5
West Pasco Mission.....	210	4
Dade City and Lakeland.....	190	3
Lakeland Mission.....	226	1
Hillsboro Circuit.....	102	3
Clear Water Circuit.....	362	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>4,266</b>	<b>52</b>

*Live Oak District.*

Newnansville.....	204	4
Jasper Circuit.....	253	1
White Springs Mission.....	83	1
Welborn Circuit.....	363	5
O'Brien Mission.....	101	.....
Branford Circuit.....	120	1
La Fayette Circuit.....	.....	.....
Live Oak and Mission.....	218	4
Columbia Circuit.....	580	1
Lake City.....	125	.....
Corinth Mission.....	197	1
McCleny Mission.....	175	2
Lake Butler Mission.....	220	2
Starke.....	145	1
Waldo.....	124	2
Brooklyn.....	41	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,950</b>	<b>26</b>

*Gainesville District.*

Gainesville and Mission.....	310	3
Archer Circuit.....	158	3
Levy Mission.....	235	3
Bronson and Cedar Keys.....	150	.....
Melrose Circuit.....	200	.....
Rochelle and Hawthorne.....	185	1
Orange Springs Circuit.....	248	2
Micanopy.....	168	1
Millwood and Mission.....	159	.....
Citra.....	89	.....
Anthony.....	267	4
Ocala.....	292	1
Cotton Plant.....	214	2
Summerfield Mission.....	80	1
Wildwood Circuit.....	317	4
Sumter Circuit.....	227	.....
Mansfield Mission.....	111	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,400</b>	<b>26</b>

*Tampa District.*

Tampa.....	487	2
Tampa Mission.....	73	.....
Palmetto.....	134	1
Manatee.....	122	2
Sarasota.....	146	2
Plant City Circuit.....	803	2
Alafia Circuit.....	299	.....
Bartow.....	225	1
Bartow Mission.....	71	.....
Homeland Circuit.....	134	2
Fort Meade Mission.....	71	.....
Bowling Green Circuit.....	266	4
Wauchula Mission.....	108	2
Arcadia.....	805	1
De Soto Circuit.....	129	2
Charlotte Harbor.....	78	1
Choculuskee.....	47	.....

*Tampa District (Continued).*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Myers.....	132	.....
Caloosahatchee Mission.....	32	.....
Key West: First Charge.....	353	1
Spark's Chapel.....	395	.....
Memorial Chapel.....	150	.....
Key Largo and Coconut Grove Mission.....	173	2
St. Petersburg.....	66	1
Key West and Cuban Misson.....	168	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>4,417</b>	<b>29</b>

*Jacksonville District.*

Jacksonville: McTycire Memorial.....	259	2
St. Matthew's.....	154	.....
Riverside.....	58	.....
Duval Mission.....	175	2
Fernandina.....	110	2
Callahan Circuit.....	120	.....
King's Ferry and Chester.....	70	.....
Mandarin Circuit.....	65	.....
Green Cove.....	50	1
Middleburg.....	99	3
Palatka.....	208	3
West Putnam Mission.....	112	1
St. Augustine and Moultrie.....	78	1
Fruitland Circuit.....	183	.....
Volusia Circuit.....	157	2
Halifax River Mission.....	89	1
Sanford.....	213	1
Titusville Circuit.....	141	.....
Indian River Mission.....	57	.....
Lake Worth Mission.....	55	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,462</b>	<b>22</b>

*Tallahassee District.*

Tallahassee.....	294	1
Leon Circuit.....	205	.....
Madison Circuit.....	499	2
Jefferson Circuit.....	297	2
Monticello Circuit.....	205	.....
Madison and Ellaville.....	200	.....
Moseley Hall and Greenville.....	171	.....
Taylor Mission.....	118	1
Wankeenah Circuit.....	276	1
Wakulla Circuit.....	306	2
Concord Circuit.....	306	1
Midway Mission.....	156	1
Quincy.....	107	.....
Gadsden Circuit.....	331	4
Liberty Mission.....	113	.....
Apalachicola.....	255	.....
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>3,749</b>	<b>15</b>

*Recapitulation.*

Orlando District.....	4,206	52
Live Oak District.....	2,950	26
Gainesville District.....	3,400	26
Tampa District.....	4,417	29
Jacksonville District.....	2,462	22
Tallahassee District.....	3,749	15
<b>Total this year.....</b>	<b>21,193</b>	<b>170</b>
<b>Total last year.....</b>	<b>20,512</b>	<b>159</b>
<b>Increase.....</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>11</b>

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,036.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 845.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 302.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,710.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 12,247.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,489.74. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$3,772.30; Domestic Missions, \$4,026.86. Total, \$7,799.16.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,160.11.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 256; value, \$364,487.10.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages. Number, 73; value, \$66,210.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Florida Conference College: Teachers, 8; students, 150; value of property, \$20,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Palatka, Fla.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

ORLANDO DISTRICT.

*T. J. Nixon, P. E.*

Orlando, B. K. Thrower; G. Taylor, Sup.  
 Oviedo and Geneva, R. L. Honiker.  
 Maitland, C. A. Saunders.  
 Kissimee, C. A. Fulwood.  
 Osceola, J. A. Hendry.  
 Apopka Circuit, E. H. Giles.  
 Umatilla, J. H. D. McRae.  
 Leesburg, J. F. Marshall.  
 Lisbon, W. H. Steinmeyer.  
 Lady Lake, S. W. Lawler.  
 Clermont, S. G. Meadows.  
 Stewart's Chapel, T. H. Sistrunk.  
 Brooksville, J. P. Durrance.  
 Hernando, W. J. J. Whidden.  
 Pasco, A. S. Whedon.  
 Dade City, G. W. Sellers.  
 Lakeland Mission, B. T. Rape.  
 Hillsboro, W. H. Parker.  
 Clear Water, G. W. Mitchell.  
*Florida Christian Advocate*, Josephus Anderson, Editor.  
 Florida Conference College, W. F. Melton, President; T. Griffith and F. A. Taylor, Professors.  
 Conference Colporter, R. H. Barnett.

LIVE OAK DISTRICT.

*T. J. Phillips, P. E.*

Live Oak, T. G. Lang.  
 Live Oak Mission, George J. Kennelly.  
 Jasper, T. J. Evans.  
 White Springs, W. F. Alexander.  
 Welborn, J. B. Davis.  
 Pine Mount Mission, J. S. Collier.  
 Bradford, J. T. Waters.  
 La Fayette, W. S. McMannen.  
 Newnansville, T. B. Reynolds.  
 Columbia, Sam Scott.  
 Lake City, J. A. Castel.  
 Corinth Mission, C. C. Temple.  
 McClenny, W. C. Norton.

Lake Butler Mission, E. Wilson.  
 Starke, F. Pixton.  
 Waldo, H. S. Miller.  
 Hampton, A. M. Daiger.  
 Hamilton, W. F. Shoemaker.  
 State Agricultural College, J. P. DePass.

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. F. Norton, P. E.*

Gainesville, J. B. Ley.  
 Archer, J. C. Ley.  
 Levy, J. W. Hinson.  
 Bronson and Cedar Keys, J. Howland.  
 Melrose, J. R. Taylor.  
 Rochelle and Hawthorn, E. F. Ley.  
 Orange Springs, C. W. Inman.  
 Micanopy and Marvin, D. A. Cole.  
 Millwood Circuit, A. M. Mann.  
 Citra, R. A. Holloway.  
 Anthony, W. S. Richardson.  
 Ocala, J. M. Pike.  
 Cotton Plant, J. W. Porter.  
 Summerfield, to be supplied.  
 Wildwood, B. F. Mason.  
 Sumter, W. C. Collins.  
 Crystal River, J. L. Jones.  
 Inverness, E. K. Whidder.

TAMPA DISTRICT.

*A. E. Householder, P. E.*

Tampa, J. B. Anderson.  
 Hyde Park and Ybor City, James Bolton.  
 St. Petersburg and Palmetto, I. S. Patterson.  
 Manatee, E. W. Barrington; E. F. Gates, Sup.  
 Sarasota, J. W. Bradford.  
 Seffner, I. A. Vernon.  
 Lakeland and Plant City, H. B. Frazee.  
 Alafia, W. A. Brown.  
 Bartow, F. E. Shipp.  
 Homeland, A. W. J. Best; W. C. Jordan, Sup.  
 Fort Meade and Avon Park, E. J. Gates, A. O. Brown.  
 Bowling Green, R. O. Wier.  
 Wauchula, W. B. Tresca.  
 Arcadia and De Soto, F. R. Bridges, A. E. Pierce.  
 Charlotte Harbor, A. D. Penney.  
 Myers and Caloosahatchie, J. M. Sweat, R. M. Evans.  
 Key West: First Charge and City Mission, S. E. Phillips, John Mickler.  
 Spark's Chapel and Cocaluskie, L. W. Moore, G. W. Gatewood.  
 Key West Memorial, T. M. Strickland.  
 Key Largo and Mission, S. B. Black, John Dodwell.  
 Cuban Mission and Havana, H. B. Someilan, M. DeLofeu.

JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT.

*T. W. Tomkies, P. E.*

McTyeire Memorial, J. C. Sale.  
 St. Matthew's, W. N. Conoly.

Riverside, M. H. Outland.  
 Duval Mission, H. W. Penney.  
 Fernandina, J. F. Shands.  
 Callahan, C. S. Clarady.  
 King's Ferry and Chester, N. R. Hamer.  
 Mandarin, J. N. Jones.  
 Green Cove, H. F. Phillips.  
 Middleburg, to be supplied by J. H. McDowell.  
 Palatka, J. P. Hilburn.  
 West Putnam, F. M. C. Eads.  
 St. Augustine and Moultrie, Shade W. Walker.  
 Fruitland, I. Ryder.  
 Volusia Mission, D. D. Warlick.  
 Halifax River Mission, J. L. Rast.  
 Sanford, T. W. Moore.  
 Titusville, E. D. Cameron.  
 Rockledge and Cocoa, Henry Hice.  
 Indian River and Lake Worth Mission, M. F. Dukes, C. F. Blackburn.  
 Duval High School, F. Pasco, Principal.

## TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT.

*E. J. Holmes, P. E.*

Tallahassee, W. M. Poage.  
 Leon, R. M. Williams.  
 Monticello, T. C. Bradford.  
 Jefferson, J. H. Vann.  
 Madison, G. D. Turner.  
 Madison Circuit, W. H. F. Roberts.  
 Moseley Hall, J. S. Barnett.  
 Taylor, W. J. Dowell.  
 Waukeenah, J. E. Penney.  
 Waukulla, W. J. Gray.  
 Concord, C. B. Ames.  
 Midway, John Beers.  
 Quincy, T. S. Hubert.  
 Gadsden, T. S. Armistead.  
 Liberty, T. M. White.  
 Apalachicola, A. A. Barnett.

*Transferred.*—H. E. Partridge, to the Mississippi Conference; J. A. White, to the South Carolina Conference.

## INDIAN MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT ARDMORE, IND. T., NOVEMBER 16-21, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; M. L. BUTLER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Edwin M. Leming, Willis F. Folsom, W. T. Barnhouse, G. W. Jamison, P. B. Hicks, Wall Wilson, John R. Smith, A. B. L. Hunkapiller, W. A. Brewer, H. H. Goode, J. I. Irvine, J. H. Godfrey. 12.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? D. W. Hughes, J. M. Russell, A. S. Cook, J. D. Wasson, J. W. Holland, J. A. Trickey, D. L. Berryhill, J. A. Lovett. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. H. D. Terrell, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? T. C. Ely, T. H. Prim, P. C. Atkins, E. F. McClannahan, T. O. Shanks, D. E. Shaffer. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? I. M. Carter. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. Wimberly, I. B. Hickman, M. D. Long, T. A. Martin, E. D. Cameron, A. C. Briggs, J. M. Russell, J. R. Divilbiss, F. C. Mabry, J. W. McCreary, J. A. Lovett, J. D. Wasson, J. H. Roberts, J. M. Porter. 14.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? A. M. Belcher, J. L. Southward, John Y. Bryce, E. D. Cameron, R. H. Grinstead, J. T. Farris, Miles Sturgeon. 7.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? E. M. Leming, F. M. Suttle, H. H. Goode, John Yarbrough, Roly Myatt (Cawaka), D. P. Wilburn, J. S. Milburn, T. A. Scott, C. M. Brown, I. F. Dalton, D. P. Tipps. 11.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? E. M. Leming, H. H. Goode, John Yarbrough, Roly Myatt (Cawaka), D. P. Wilburn, J. S. Milburn, T. A. Hart, C. M. Brown, I. F. Dalton, D. P. Tipps. 10.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? J. S. Lamar, L. W. Cobb, J. F. Wagnon, J. W. Lloyd, L. H. Stuckey, H. T. Lyles, J. Y. Bryce, Thomas Little, William Jimboy. 9.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. S. Lamar, L. W. Cobb, J. F. Wagnon, J. W. Lloyd, L. H. Stuckey, H. T. Lyles, J. Y. Bryce, Thomas Little. 8.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? A. B. L. Hunkapiller, J. P. Lane. 2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? A. B. L. Hunkapiller, J. P. Lane. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? J. R. Holland, J. L. Southward, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? G. W. Atkins. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? J. H. Walker, J. W. Cowart. 2.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. S. Williams, J. O. Shanks, J. Y. Bryce. 3.

JOHN S. WILLIAMS was born in Middle Tennessee October 27, 1818; professed religion and joined the Methodist Church in 1836. Soon after his conversion he was licensed to preach, and was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference. He was married to Miss Mary P. Turner, near Athens, Ala., September 2, 1847. Three children (John, Simon, and Laura) were the fruits of this marriage. The former is a preacher in Tennessee; the latter is the wife of Rev. R. C. Parks, of Wagoner, Ind. T. Simon died in Bedford County, Tenn., six or seven years ago. His mother preceded him to the glory land a few years before. After the death of his wife Brother Williams transferred to the Indian Mission Conference, where for ten years he did faithful service on circuits and stations. He was granted a superannuated relation to the Conference just fifteen days before his death, which occurred at Wagoner, Ind. T., November 23, 1891. He was impressed that he was nearing the end of his earthly pilgrimage, and said to Brother Brewer: "I have notified my daughter to have you to preach my funeral when I die. I am ready to go whenever the Master calls me." His education was quite limited, but by hard study and close application to books he became a good English scholar and a creditable theologian. His sermons were sound in matter, logical in arrangement, and eloquent in address. His style was so inimitable, his language so beautiful that he has been called the "sweet singer of the Indian Mission Conference." His preaching was always a feast to the young preachers of the Conference. He was a most lovable man. He had no enemies among the preachers and none among the people. He lived so close to Christ that his piety was unquestioned. He did not claim the higher graces of which some speak, yet he said just before his death: "I know that my peace flows like a river; I am happy all the time." He served over his three score and ten. The Master said, "It is enough," and, like a ripe sheaf, he was gathered home.

JEREMIAH OSCAR SHANKS was born in Barbour County, Ala., August 20, 1856, and removed with his parents to Clarke County, Miss., in the fall of the same year. He professed religion in 1875, having joined the M. E. Church, South, two years before. He was licensed to preach in Whitesboro, Tex., in 1878. He was admitted on trial into the North Texas Conference in November, 1879, and was sent to the St. Joe Circuit, where

he remained two years. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Kavanaugh in Greenville, Tex., in November, 1881. At this session of the Conference he was transferred to the Indian Mission Conference and assigned to the Washita Circuit. He served Vinita Station in 1883. At the close of this year he was ordained elder by Bishop Pierce and appointed presiding elder of the Paul's Valley District (composed at that time of the territory now occupied by the Ardmore and Wynnewood Districts). He traveled this district three years; was married September 29, 1886, to Miss Alice A. Boardman, of St. Louis. He was sent to Muskogee Station in the fall of this year. In 1888 he was appointed to Tahlequah Station, and remained in this charge three years. In 1891 he was stationed at Atoka, and 1892 at Ardmore, where he died June 17, 1892. In all of these appointments he was acceptable and efficient. The fruits of his labors were abundant. His sermons were orthodox and spiritual. In the death of Brother Shanks our Conference has lost one of its best and most efficient workers. When he died there was not a cloud upon his moral sky, nor the stain of sin, so far as we know, upon his pure life. His beloved wife died November 11, 1892, and they were buried side by side in the cemetery at Ardmore, Ind. T.

JAMES Y. BRYCE was born in Georgia March 31, 1834; and died at his home, near Kiowa, Choctaw Nation, September 13, 1892. He was converted and joined the Church about the age of 17; was married to Mary J. Broome March 11, 1855; was licensed to preach by John C. Simmons, P. E., in the summer of 1856, and joined the Conference in Columbus, Ga., in December, 1858; and was transferred to Washita Conference, in Arkansas. He filled, in succession, four charges in this Conference. In 1862 he moved to Navarro County, Tex., and served Fairfield and Springfield each one year and Corsicana Circuit two years. In the spring of 1868, on account of failing health, he was advised to go North, and removed to Washington County, Ark., and soon after was employed to travel Fort Gibson and Tahlequah Circuits. The next year he was stationed at Fort Gibson, Cherokee Nation. In the spring of 1869 he was removed to Skullyville, Choctaw Nation, and placed in charge of New Hope Seminary, at the same time serving as presiding elder of the Choctaw District, with Willis Folsom as interpreter. He next served Denison Mission; then, for the next five years, he served Railroad Circuit, extending from South Canadian to Red River. In 1879 he was appointed to Washita Circuit, when, on account of poor health and arduous labors, he was compelled to ask for a superannuated relation. After five years he again asked for work, and was appointed to Railroad Circuit. This circuit he served two years, and in 1887-88 he was stationed

at Muskogee. In 1889 he was again given the superannuated relation. In 1890 he was appointed to Lehigh, but failing health compelled him to give up the work. In 1891 he was appointed Conference Colporter, but he was able to do but little in that line. Brother Bryce was the father of a large family. Two of his sons are preachers. He was very anxious to give them an education and bring them up in the fear of the Lord. The three things he wished to have impressed on the young preachers at Conference were to avoid debt, to keep up the family altar, and preach a living Christ. Brother Bryce came to this Conference in the dark days of reconstruction, when to bring a large family to a far distant Indian Mission Conference of three districts and five hundred members was no little trial of his faith. His preaching was acceptable and effective. In a love feast in McAlister, January 31, 1892, Brother Bryce testified that for a long time he had been unable to see in the word of God the doctrine of perfect love as taught by some of his brethren in the gospel, but at that time he could see nothing else. Almost the last words he spoke were: "Jesus! O how I love Jesus!"

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of W. M. Baldwin, whose case was referred to the presiding elder of the Canadian District.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Canadian District.

	White Mem's.	Indian Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Canadian.....	145	126	3
Fort Gibson.....	25	50	2
Salisaw.....	195	37	2
Webber's Falls.....	136	39	2
Muskogee Station.....	164	85	1
Brooken.....	101	6	.....
Pheasant Bluff.....	158	15	1
Bokoshe.....	263	24	3
Wagoner.....	27	74	1
Muldrow.....	204	.....	2
Sans Bois.....	6	62	1
Cameron.....	405	.....	4
Hanson.....	50	25	1
Skullyville.....	208	18	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,087</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>26</b>

Ardmore District.

Leon and Burneyville Station.....	123	1	.....
Mannsville.....	212	.....	2
Lebanon.....	270	40	2
Thackerville.....	154	.....	2
Linn.....	110	1	1
Dixie.....	330	.....	6
Eastman.....	140	3	.....
Duncan.....	202	.....	1
Overbrook.....	145	2	1
Simon.....	93	.....	1
Ardmore.....	143	.....	3
Lone Grove.....	250	.....	2
Red River.....	48	2	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,234</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>22</b>

Okmulgee District.

Checotah.....	41	43	.....
Arbeka.....	65	6	1
Red Fork and Berryville.....	30	.....	1
Enfauia.....	103	.....	1
Choska.....	65	5	1
Springfield.....	.....	120	8
Seminole.....	.....	144	8
Okmulgee.....	.....	46	6
Sapulpa.....	.....	33	1
Cowetah.....	.....	31	3
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>304</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>30</b>

Cherokee District.

	White Mem's.	Indian Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Cherokee Circuit.....	1	240	6
Tahlequah Circuit.....	97	169	1
Olympus.....	80	180	2
Chelsea.....	36	60	2
Oaks.....	10	25	.....
Vinita.....	52	113	.....
Afton.....	82	85	1
Flint.....	133	148	2
Chouteau.....	61	106	1
Tahlequah Station.....	18	106	.....
Nowata.....	.....	.....	.....
Bluejacket.....	88	12	3
Claremore.....	13	45	.....
Vinita.....	86	.....	1
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>757</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>19</b>

Choctaw District.

Kiamitia.....	7	14	5
Sugar Creek.....	89	41	2
Clear Creek.....	9	129	7
Pleasant Hill.....	15	3	1
Bok Lusa.....	.....	90	2
Cedar.....	.....	126	2
Kuli Tuklo.....	1	84	6
Kulli Chito.....	.....	65	3
Mnshlatnbbie.....	4	71	4
Wister.....	155	.....	1
Boggy.....	4	200	10
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>234</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>43</b>

McAlister District.

Atoka Station.....	50	.....	3
Boggy Depot.....	142	10	2
Enfauia Station.....	31	32	.....
Durant.....	84	13	1
Springtown.....	49	8	1
Krebs.....	81	.....	2
Colbert.....	183	51	1
Kiowa.....	75	20	.....
Chickasaw.....	3	392	2
Leader.....	105	.....	.....
South Canadian.....	117	18	.....
McAlister Station.....	44	12	.....
Cale.....	122	1	2
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>1,086</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>14</b>

Oklahoma District.

Stillwater Circuit.....	63	.....	1
Norman Station.....	139	.....	1
Lexington.....	218	.....	2
Moore.....	104	.....	.....
East Edmund.....	19	.....	.....
Guthrie Station.....	112	.....	1
Edmund.....	37	.....	1
Oklahoma City and Station.....	108	.....	3
West Oklahoma.....	123	.....	1
El Reno and Minco.....	55	.....	.....
East Oklahoma.....	87	.....	1
Little River.....	127	.....	2
Norman.....	100	.....	1
Kingfisher.....	87	.....	.....
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>1,379</b>	.....	<b>14</b>



Wynnewood District.

	White Mem's.	Indian Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Anadarko.....	16	65	3
Leeper.....	25	5	1
Wynnewood Station.....	101	6	1
Arbuckle.....	176	8	.....
Beef Creek.....	60	15	.....
Purcell Station.....	77	4	1
Paoli.....	302	.....	.....
Marlow.....	180	13	2
White Bead.....	141	.....	1
Fred.....	112	8	1
Daugherty.....	100	1	.....
Naples.....	21	1	1
Velma.....	119	.....	4
Rush Mill.....	160	.....	2
	1,590	126	17

Recapitulation.

Cherokee District.....	757	1,289	19
Choctaw District.....	284	949	43
Canadian District.....	2,087	561	26
Ardmore District.....	2,234	49	22
Okmulgee District.....	394	433	30
McAlister District.....	1,086	557	14
Oklahoma District.....	1,379	.....	14
Wynnewood District.....	1,590	126	17
Total this year.....	8,811	3,964	185
Total last year.....	8,069	3,209	142
Increase.....	1,742	655	43

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 803.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,329.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 171.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,869.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 6,548.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$510.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$582.60. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$2,150.05; Domestic Missions, \$972. Total, \$3,122.50.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$492.35.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 160; value, \$74,265.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 43½; value, \$21,194.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics. Schools, 5; teachers, 22; pupils, 577.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Vinita, Ind. T.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

CHEROKEE DISTRICT.

W. B. Austin, P. E.

Vinita Station, J. W. McCreary.

Vinita Circuit, H. H. Goode.

Blue Jacket Circuit, to be supplied.

Nowata Circuit, J. H. Roberts.

Claremore Circuit, to be supplied.

Chelsea Circuit, J. S. Lamar.

Afton Circuit, G. S. Yarborough.

Chouteau Circuit, J. A. Trickey.

Olympus Circuit, to be supplied.

Tahlequah Station, J. J. Lovett.

Tahlequah Circuit, to be supplied by N. Bitting.

Flint Circuit, E. M. Leming; G. W. Atkins, Sup.

Oaks Circuit, J. M. Russell.

Cherokee Circuit, M. A. Clark.

Cherokee Orphan Asylum, J. F. Thompson, Superintendent.

CHOCTAW DISTRICT.

W. M. Keith, P. E.

Kullituklo Circuit, to be supplied by John Taylor.

Kulichito Circuit, to be supplied by Kenimaebbi.

Bokloso Circuit, to be supplied by S. Colbert.

Clear Creek Circuit, to be supplied by R. S. Frazier.

Kiamitia Circuit, L. W. Cobb.

Boggy Circuit, to be supplied by Charles Armby, Moses Wade, and Taylor Durant.

Wister Circuit, John McElhannon.

Sugar Creek Circuit, J. T. Hall.

Mushulatubbie, to be supplied by G. Battese and William Watson.

Pleasant Hill Circuit, J. I. Irvine.

Cedar Creek Circuit, to be supplied by E. Battise.

CANADIAN DISTRICT.

C. M. Coppedge, P. E.

Muskogee Station, M. L. Butler.

Canadian Circuit, W. P. Pipkin.

Wagoner, A. M. Belcher.

Fort Gibson Circuit, W. T. Barnhouse.

Brooken Circuit, to be supplied by L. M. Harris.

San Bois Circuit, D. C. Murphy, W. F. Folsom.

Blaine Circuit, to be supplied.

Cowlington Circuit, to be supplied by R. A. Cowan.

Webber's Falls Circuit, Frank Naylor.

Bokoshe Circuit, P. C. Atkins.

Cameron Circuit, T. O. Shanks.

Skullyville Circuit, I. B. Hickman.

Muldrow Circuit, J. D. Wasson.

Hanson Circuit, to be supplied by L. S. Byrd.

Sali-saw Circuit, T. H. Prim.

Harrell International Institute, Theo. F. Brewer.

Webber's Falls Academy, Frank Naylor.

Our Brother in Red, F. M. Moore, Editor.

ARDMORE DISTRICT.

A. C. Pickens, P. E.

Ardmore Station, L. W. Rivers.

Lone Oak Circuit, to be supplied by T. A. C. Durr.

Dixie Circuit, L. H. Stuckey.

Overbrook Circuit, J. W. Holland.

Thackerville Circuit, P. B. Hicks.  
 Duncan Circuit, E. F. McClanahan.  
 Ryan Circuit, to be supplied by J. S. Yelton.  
 Red River Circuit, to be supplied by E. M. Garrett.  
 Simon Circuit, T. C. Ely.  
 Lebanon Circuit, D. E. Shaffer.  
 Leon and Burneyville Circuit, A. S. Cook.  
 Mannville Circuit, J. H. Godfrey.  
 Washita Circuit, to be supplied by William Hawkins.  
 Linn Circuit, to be supplied by J. T. Armstrong.  
 Eastman Circuit, W. A. Rutherford.  
 Loko Circuit, to be supplied by D. P. Wilburn.  
 Chickasaw Orphan Home, W. S. Derrick.  
 Conference Colporter, J. N. Moore.

## OKMULGEE DISTRICT.

*J. D. Edwards, P. E.*

Eufaula Station, J. M. Porter.  
 Eufaula Circuit, to be supplied by R. M. Broadhead.  
 Checotah Circuit, J. Y. Bryce.  
 Choska Circuit, G. W. Jamison.  
 Okmulgee Circuit, D. L. Berryhill, A. Davis.  
 Sapulpa Circuit, to be supplied by William Jones.  
 Coweta Circuit, to be supplied by M. H. Asbury.  
 Springfield Circuit, William Jimboy.  
 Seminole Circuit, Thomas Little.  
 Wewoka Circuit, to be supplied by Cawaka.  
 Berryville Circuit, Wall Wilson.

## WYNNEWOOD DISTRICT.

*J. L. Keener, P. E.*

Wynnewood and Davis Station, T. A. Martin.  
 White Bead Hill Circuit, J. K. Florence.  
 Paoli Circuit, C. W. Myatt.  
 Purcell and Wayne, to be supplied.  
 Velma Circuit, to be supplied by W. H. Averyt.  
 Marlow Circuit, R. H. Grinstead.  
 Daugherty, J. A. Lovett.  
 Sulphur Springs, M. H. Wagon.  
 Chickasha and Minco Circuit, A. N. Averyt.  
 Anadarko Circuit, J. J. Methvin.  
 Fort Sill and West Cash Circuit, W. A. Brewer.  
 Bush Springs Circuit, J. C. Scivally.  
 Walnut Circuit, to be supplied by L. H. Fulligan.  
 Prairie Grove Circuit, A. B. L. Hunkapiller.  
 Johnsonville Circuit, to be supplied by J. C. Hall.  
 Rush Mill Circuit, to be supplied by R. M. Hancock.

## McALISTER DISTRICT.

*M. A. Smith, P. E.*

McAlester Station, A. K. Miller.  
 Atoka and Caddo, N. F. Law.  
 Lehigh and Colgate, to be supplied.  
 Chickasaw Circuit, H. T. Lyles, Gibson Grayson, J. D. Collins.  
 Colbert Circuit, F. E. Shanks.  
 Leader Circuit, to be supplied by D. D. Mullins.  
 Durant Circuit, I. M. Carter.  
 South Canadian Circuit, to be supplied by E. J. Matthews.  
 Boggy Depot Circuit, Miles Sturgeon.  
 Kiowa Circuit, J. F. Wagon.  
 Cale Circuit, to be supplied by T. R. McKinney.  
 Krebs Circuit, John R. Smith.  
 Yarnaby Circuit, to be supplied by S. E. Alexander.  
 Tishomingo Circuit, J. W. Lloyd.

## OKLAHOMA DISTRICT.

*J. M. Gross, P. E.*

Oklahoma City Station, E. D. Cameron.  
 Norman Station, T. M. Patterson.  
 Moore Circuit, to be supplied by D. C. Strange.  
 Little River Circuit, to be supplied by J. H. Miller.  
 Lexington Circuit, C. F. Roberts.  
 Edmond Circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Ball.  
 Guthrie Station, W. Wimberly.  
 Guthrie Circuit, C. P. Brewer.  
 Stillwater Circuit, W. Full.  
 Chaddick Circuit, D. W. Hughes.  
 Chandler Circuit, Alpheus Clark.  
 Keokuk Falls Circuit, to be supplied by W. W. Brinks.  
 Tecumseh Circuit, to be supplied by Luther Amos.

## EL RENO DISTRICT.

*A. J. Worley, P. E.*

El Reno Station, J. R. Divilbiss.  
 Watona Circuit, to be supplied by Frank Moore.  
 Cloud Chief Circuit, F. C. Maberry.  
 Country "I" Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Union City Circuit, M. B. Long.  
 Youkon Circuit, P. T. McWhirter.  
 Mathewson Circuit, A. C. Briggs.  
 El Reno and Kingfisher, H. J. Brown.

*Transferred.*—F. M. Sherwood, to the Northwest Texas Conference; Marion Moore, to the Missouri Conference; H. C. Parrott, to the North Mississippi Conference.

NORTHWEST MEXICAN CONFERENCE.

HELD AT NOGALES, ARIZONA, OCTOBER 12-14, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; J. F. CORBIN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Josué Bustamante, Miguel M. Bustamante. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. O. Maldonado, Marcos de la Garza. 2.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Juan C. Caverer. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. M. Langston, from the Los Angeles Conference; S. G. Kilgore, from the Mexican Border Mission Conference; V. P. Rubin, from the Central Mexico Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Julián Castro, V. P. Rubin, R. C. Elliott. 3.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Rosendo E. del Valle, who was expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Chihuahua District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Chihuahua.....	64	.....
Santa Rosalia.....	35	.....
El Paso.....	62	1
La Luz.....	58	1
Fort Davis.....	65	1
Presidio del Norte.....	27	1
Durango.....	70	.....
Cuencamé.....	19	.....
Nombre de Dios.....	96	1
	496	5

*Sonora District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Nogales.....	35	3
Nogales (English).....	12	.....
Phoenix.....	9	.....
Guaymas.....	30	.....
Alamos.....	8	.....
Culiacán.....	11	.....
Mazatlán.....	70	2
	175	5

*Recapitulation.*

Chihuahua District.....	496	5
Sonora District.....	175	5
Total this year.....	671	10
Total last year.....	620	10
Increase.....	51	.....

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 98.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 97.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 22.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 54.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 694.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$75.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$47. There being no claimants, the money was put out at interest.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? \$572.16.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$104.32.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 6; value, \$13,500.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 6; value, \$10,200.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Palmore College: Teachers, 5; students, 45; value of property, \$12,000. Macdonnell Institute: Teachers, 4; students, 80; value of property, \$11,000. El Paso Seminary: Teachers, 2; students, 75; value of property, \$800. Nogales Seminary: Teachers, 3; students, 90; value of property, \$2,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? El Paso, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

## CHIHUAHUA AND SONORA DISTRICT.

*J. F. Corbin, P. E.*

Chihuahua (English), to be supplied.  
 Chihuahua (Spanish), Pedro Grado.  
 Jiménez and San Pablo, Josué Bustamante.  
 El Paso, A. de León.  
 La Luz, Pedro Vázquez.  
 Marfa, J. C. Cavener.  
 Nogales (English), J. M. Langston.  
 Nogales (Spanish), E. Quiñones.  
 Phoenix, R. C. Elliott.  
 Guaymas, M. Villarreal.  
 La Paz, to be supplied.

Alamos, M. M. Bustamante.  
 Culiacán, H. C. Hernández.  
 Mazatlán and Rosario, Marcos de la Garza.

## DURANGO DISTRICT.

*S. G. Kilgore, P. E.*

Durango, S. G. Kilgore.  
 Nombre de Dios, J. O. Maldonado.  
 Cuencamé, Julián Castro.

*Transferred.*—W. D. King, D. F. Acosta, to the Central Mexico Conference; V. P. Rubin, to the Mexican Border Mission Conference.

## LOUISIANA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT LAKE CHARLES, LA., DECEMBER 14-18, 1892.

BISHOP GALLOWAY, *President*; JOHN T. SAWYER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. John Herbert Stafford, Albert Lutz, J. F. Johnson, Robert Henry Wynn, Lyman F. Jackson, James N. Gibbs, Willie Adolph Clarke, Robert Christopher Grace. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Samuel S. Bogau, James Russell Ray, Noel B. Norwood, John B. Kent, C. R. Seward, W. F. Sanders, W. D. Gaskins, in class of first year; B. H. Sheppard, Henry M. Banks, in class of second year; E. T. Densen, Herbert W. Knickerbocker, in class of third year. 11.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? James Matthew Henry. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? W. W. Drake. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Isaac T. Reams, William G. Evans, William Schuhle, Charles E. McDonald, James J. Kelly, W. W. Drake. In class of third year: H. H. Ahrens, Ewel L. Singletary. 8.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Herbert W. Knickerbocker. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Herbert W. Knickerbocker. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? James Russell Ray, Edward T. Densen, Robert Christopher Grace, Thomas W. Pipes, Frank M. Henry. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James Russell Ray, Edward T. Densen, Robert Christopher Grace, Thomas W. Pipes. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are

elected elders? James E. Riddle, John T. Foster, Thomas L. Lallance, George E. Greene, Charles F. Staples. 5.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James E. Riddle, John T. Foster, Thomas L. Lallance, George E. Greene, Charles F. Staples. 5.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Chester R. Seward. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Chester R. Seward. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? A. M. Wailes, Christian Keener. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? Joseph H. Stone, P. H. Diffenweirth, Jesse Fulton, E. W. Yancey, George Jackson, Reynolds S. Trippett, Enos B. Foust, James L. Wright, M. C. Manley, J. O. Bennett. 10.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Walter Dunstan. 1.

WALTER DUNSTAN was born in England June 15, 1861, his mother, and probably his father, being a communicant of the Church of England. His education was thorough, begun at home but continued during the last three years of his school days at Paris, France. Here, and during his subsequent three years as a paymaster in the British Navy, he became a fluent speaker of the French, German, Spanish, and Italian languages, as well as a skillful accountant and a mathematician of unusual acquirements. He traveled much in various parts of Europe and Asia, becoming familiar with the Holy Land, especially so with Jerusalem. During his service in the Navy, and until a few

years ago, he was thoroughly a man of the world, but one in whom the high principles of honor and of purity of purpose were dominant. His health so far failing as to make it necessary that he should be discharged from the British Naval Service, he mastered the science and art of stenography as a means of livelihood, and became the leading teacher of that science in New Orleans, where he made his home. Under the ministry of Rev. Mr. Aitken, a missionary of the Church of England, who was holding at the time special services at a Protestant Episcopal Church in New Orleans, Brother Dunstan was converted to Christ. Reared in the communion of the Church of England, he naturally connected himself with the Protestant Episcopal Church, being confirmed and becoming a communicant at Grace Church, New Orleans. Finding, however, the fellowship of the Methodist Church more congenial with his conscious experience of salvation, Brother Dunstan severed his connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, and in 1886 became a member of the Felicity Street M. E. Church, South, under the pastorate of Rev. S. H. Werlein. By the Quarterly Conference of the Felicity Street Church he was licensed to preach, and was admitted on trial into the Louisiana Annual Conference in December, 1887. In 1888 he served the Simmesport Circuit, and at the next Conference was sent to the Vidalia Circuit. During that year his health failed so entirely that he was unable to complete his work, but he was admitted into full connection with the Conference in January, 1890, and reported for work. He was, however, placed upon the list of supernumeraries, in the hope that his health might still further rally. Gradually but surely his disease, pulmonary consumption, worked its ravages until, October 8, 1892, alone with God, at some hour during the night, his soul slipped away to Jesus.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except those of J. M. Brown, whose case was referred to the presiding elder of the Delhi District for investigation, and A. A. Cornett, who withdrew from our ministry.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*New Orleans District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
New Orleans: Carondelet Street...	672	3	2
Felicity Street.....	440	1	1
Rayne Memorial.....	250		1
Moreau Street.....	142		
Carrollton Avenue.....	42		
Louisiana Avenue.....	267		
Parker Chapel.....	110		
Dryades Street.....	119		
Craps Street and Soraparu.....	134		

*New Orleans District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Plaquemine and Donaldsonville...	59		
Grefna.....	14		
Algiers.....	122		
Baton Rouge.....	362		
Grossé Tête and False River.....	79		
Lower Coast Mission.....	103		
Thibodeaux and Houma.....	25		
	2,940	4	4

*Shreveport District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
First Church and City Mission.....	429		2
Mooringsport.....	130		
Caddo.....	235		1
Mansfield.....	141		
Many.....	218		
Sabine.....	205		
Grand Cane.....	117		2
Anaeoco.....	160	1	4
Bellwood and Cane River.....	101		2
Pleasant Hill.....	421		
Natchitoches.....	47		
Conshatta.....	129		1
Wesley.....	329		1
Red River.....	40		
South Bossier.....	195		
North Bossier.....	203		
De Soto.....	298		
Fort Jessup.....	220		3
West Natchitoches.....	65		3
	3,683	1	19

*Opelousas District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Opelousas and Washington.....	308		
Plaquemine Brulce and Rayne.....	355		
Lafayette.....	65		1
Crowley.....	227		
Abbeville.....	244		
New Iberia.....	226		1
Franklin and Jeanerette.....	150		
Lake Charles.....	215		
Patterson and Morgan City.....	219		
Sulphur Mine.....	84		1
Grand Cheniere.....	207		2
Indian Bayou.....	356		
Lake Arthur.....	74		1
Lake Charles Mission.....	34		1
	2,764		7

*Alexandria District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Alexandria.....	73		1
Evergreen.....	175		2
Simmesport.....	74		
Melville and Big Cane.....	93		
Spring Creek.....	283		5
Sugartown.....	292		
Montgomery.....	480		
Ada.....	280		1
Centerville.....	346		2
Vidalia and Troyville.....	52		
Columbia.....	60		
Boyce and Colfax.....	264		
Pineville.....	450		5
Castor Mission.....	146		3
Bayou Chicot.....	190		1
	3,198		20

*Arcadia District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Homer.....	441		1
Haynesville.....	480		2
Minden.....	284		2
Ringgold.....	285		2
Sparta.....	528		
Arcadia.....	320		3
Summerfield.....	494		3
Rnston.....	355		1
Vienna.....	222		1
Vernon.....	366		
Downsville.....	520		2
Farmerville.....	268		
Gainesville.....	281		1
Tulip.....	307		1
Valley.....	262		
	5,456		19

Delhi District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Monroe.....	335	.....	.....
West Monroe.....	135	1	.....
Bastrop.....	94	.....	.....
Lind Grove.....	244	.....	1
Delhi.....	81	.....	.....
Floyd.....	359	.....	1
Lake Providence.....	110	.....	.....
Oak Ridge.....	157	.....	.....
Harrisonburg.....	124	.....	.....
Waterproof.....	98	.....	.....
Winnsboro.....	124	.....	1
Rayville.....	183	.....	.....
Oakley.....	96	.....	.....
Indian Village.....	452	.....	4
	2,587	1	7

Recapitulation.

New Orleans District.....	2,940	4	4
Shreveport District.....	3,683	1	19
Opelousas District.....	2,764	.....	7
Alexandria District.....	3,198	.....	20
Arcadia District.....	5,456	.....	19
Delhi District.....	2,587	1	7
Total this year.....	20,628	6	76
Total last year.....	20,476	27	82
Increase.....	152	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	21	6

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 876.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 418.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 219.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,288.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 10,429.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$3,354.60. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$5,834.36; Domestic Missions, \$1,545.40. Total, \$7,379.76.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,440.50.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 238½; value, \$465,889.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 60; value, \$66,530.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Centenary College (one-half interest): Teachers, 9; students, 98; endowment, \$90,000; value of property, \$75,000. Mansfield Female College: Students, 90; value of property, \$30,000. Collected for education, \$453.45.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Homer, La.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

C. W. Carter, P. E.

Carondelet Street, William H. La Prade.  
 Felicity Street, James M. Beard.  
 Rayne Memorial, Franklyn N. Parker.  
 Louisiana Avenue, John T. Sawyer.  
 Moreau Street, J. B. Walker.  
 Plaquemine and Donaldsonville, Felix G. Hocutt.  
 Carrollton, James M. Henry, Christian Keener.  
 Gretna and Soraparau, H. H. Ahrens.  
 Parker Chapel, Robert H. Wynn.  
 Algiers, Henry S. Johns.  
 Baton Rouge, Samuel S. Keener.  
 Grossé Tête and False River, Noel B. Norwood.  
 Dryades Street, Alfred E. Clay.  
 Craps Street, J. B. A. Ahrens.  
 Lower Coast Mission, James R. Roy.  
 Thibodeaux and Houma, to be supplied.  
 New Orleans Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Colporter, F. D. Van Valkenburgh.  
 Agent Centenary College, Robert Harry.  
*New Orleans Christian Advocate*, C. W. Carter, Editor.  
*Familien Freund*, J. B. A. Ahrens, Editor.

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

R. J. Harp, P. E.

Shreveport and City Mission, J. L. Pierce, L. F. Jackson.  
 Mooringsport, W. F. Henderson.  
 Caddo, Robert Randle.  
 Mansfield, T. K. Faunt Le Roy.  
 Many, to be supplied.  
 Sabine, W. A. Clarke.  
 Grand Cane, Lewis A. Reed.  
 Anacoco, to be supplied by R. T. Wright.  
 Bellewood and Cane River, Sam S. Bogan.  
 Pleasant Hill, S. H. Whatley.  
 Natchitoches, John F. Foster.  
 Coushatta, W. H. Hill.  
 Wesley, S. S. Holliday.  
 Red River, James E. Densen.  
 South Bossier, John B. Williams.  
 North Bossier, J. S. Sanders.  
 De Soto, H. J. Boltz.  
 Fort Jesup, to be supplied by John Franklin.  
 West Natchitoches and Provencal, J. N. Gibbs; one to be supplied.  
 Mansfield Female College, A. D. McVoy, Sr.

OPELOUSAS DISTRICT.

John A. Miller, P. E.

Opelousas, Thomas S. Randle.  
 Washington, to be supplied.  
 Plaquemine Brulée, William J. Porter.  
 Lafayette and Rayne, H. Armstrong.  
 Crowley, W. W. Drake.  
 Abbeville, E. T. Densen.  
 New Iberia, Fitzgerald Sale Parker.  
 Franklin and Jeanerette, J. B. Cassity.  
 Lake Charles, Harry W. May.  
 Jackson Street and West Lake, Albert S. Lutz.

Pattersonville and Morgan City, Clayton M. Lyons.  
 Sulphur Mine, William Schulhle,  
 Grand Chenière, J. B. Kent.  
 Indian Bayou, C. R. Seward.  
 Lake Arthur, to be supplied.

ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

*Stephen J. Davies, P. E.*

Alexandria, Thomas J. Upton.  
 Evergreen, Thomas L. Lallance,  
 Lecompte, James Ivy Hoffpauir.  
 Simmesport, R. C. Grace.  
 Melville and Big Cane, George E. Greene.  
 Spring Creek, J. F. Johnson.  
 Dry Creek, H. M. Banks.  
 Montgomery, William D. Gaskins.  
 Ada, B. H. Sheppard.  
 Centerville, W. F. Sanders.  
 Vidalia and Black River, J. H. Stafford.  
 Columbia, J. F. Patterson.  
 Boyce and Colfax, James E. Riddle.  
 Pineville, John F. Wynn.  
 Bayou Chicot, Wilson Moore.  
 Pollock, J. F. Scurlock.

ARCADIA DISTRICT.

*J. L. P. Sheppard, P. E.*

Homer, James A. Parker.  
 Haynesville, Robert P. Howell.  
 Minden, Joseph W. Medlock.  
 Ringgold, to be supplied by Thomas J. Martin.  
 Sparta, Robert Parvin.  
 Arcadia, Thomas B. White.  
 Summerfield, Reuben S. Collier.

Ruston, Jacob D. Harper.  
 Vienna, Thomas H. McClendon.  
 Vernon, Daniel C. Barr.  
 Downs ville, Robert A. Davis.  
 Farmersville, J. H. Brown.  
 Gannsville, to be supplied by J. J. Murphy;  
 A. M. Wailes, Sup.  
 Tulip, Charles T. Munholland.  
 Valley, to be supplied by W. L. Hamil.  
 Lisbon, R. M. Blocker.

DELHI DISTRICT.

*Henry O. White, P. E.*

Monroe, B. F. White.  
 West Monroe, William G. Evans.  
 Bastrop, H. W. Knickerbocker.  
 Lind Grove, James J. Kelly.  
 Delhi, E. L. Singeltary.  
 Floyd, C. R. Godfrey.  
 Lake Providence, R. S. Isbell.  
 Oak Ridge, Charles E. McDonald.  
 Harrisonburg, John M. Johnston.  
 Waterproof, N. S. Cornell.  
 Winnsboro, Charles F. Staples.  
 Rayville, Isaac T. Reames.  
 Oakley, J. White Davis.  
 Calhoun, George A. Mandeville.  
 Lapine Mission, to be supplied by Philip Burkett.

*Transferred.*—Charles F. Evans, to the Mississippi Conference, and stationed at Meridian; A. D. McVoy, Jr., to the North Texas Conference, and stationed at Texarkana; Charles Briscoe Carter, to the North Texas Conference, and stationed at Queen City; E. B. Galloway, to the West Texas Conference.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT CHARLESTON, S. C., NOVEMBER 23-28, 1892.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; H. F. CHREITZBERG, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. E. H. Beekham, G. F. Clarkson, J. L. Daniel, R. M. Dubose, O. L. Durant, Shala W. Henry, P. B. Ingraham, J. N. Isom, W. B. Justus, A. S. Leslie, W. H. Miller, R. C. McRoy, D. M. McLeod, A. R. Phillips, A. Q. Rice, J. J. Stevenson, R. W. Speigner, T. J. White, W. B. Wharton, W. E. Wiggins, John D. Major, Edward K. Moore. 22.  
 Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Alexander N. Brunson, A. J. Cauthen, Jr., C. H. Clyde, John D. Crompt, J. Clarence Spann, James H. Thacker, William C. Winn. 7.  
 Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? David Hucks, E. Palmer Hutson (from the Presbyterian Church), E. W. Mason, John Manning, J. Hubert Noland, D. Arthur Phillips, S. H. Zimmerman. 7.  
 Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.  
 Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? F. M. Totten, from the St. Louis Conference; W. H. Hodges, from the East Columbia Conference; John A. White, from the Florida Conference; H. W. Bays, from the Western North Carolina Conference. 4.  
 Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year?

Jefferson S. Abercrombie, A. H. Best, B. O. Berry, R. A. Childs, George W. Davis, Melvin B. Kelly, John W. Shell, W. S. Stokes, Henry C. Morgan, A. B. Watson, E. A. Wilkes, S. S. Blanchard, O. N. Rountree, N. G. Ballenger. 14.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? David Hucks, E. W. Mason, James Hubert Noland, D. Arthur Phillips, S. H. Zimmerman. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? David Hucks, E. W. Mason, James Hubert Noland, D. Arthur Phillips, S. H. Zimmerman. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Virgil C. Dibble, Wesley B. Justus, John D. Crout, James L. Mullinix, Allen M. Dusenbury, J. Melvin Shell. 6.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Virgil C. Dibble, Wesley B. Justus, John D. Crout, James L. Mullinix, Allen M. Dusenbury, J. Melvin Shell. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Maxey W. Hook, Pierce F. Kilgo, John L. Ray, R. E. Stackhouse, Ellie P. Taylor, William A. Wright, Thomas M. Dent. 7.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Maxey W. Hook, Pierce F. Kilgo, John L. Ray, Ellie P. Taylor, William A. Wright, Thomas M. Dent. 6.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? William Roof. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? William Roof. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. F. Smith, J. M. Fridy, A. W. Jackson, E. L. Archer, T. E. Wannamaker, A. W. Attaway. 6.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. Leard, Whitefoord Smith, J. M. Carlisle, Sidi H. Browne, William Carson, R. L. Duffie, W. C. Patterson, R. P. Franks, L. M. Hamer, M. A. Connolly, L. C. Loyal, F. Auld, J. A. Wood, A. W. Walker, J. J. Neville, I. J. Newberry, T. W. Munnerlyn, A. H. Lester, John A. Porter, D. W. Seale, S. Jones, W. W. Mood, J. J. Workman, A. M. Chreitzberg, W. T. Capers, J. C. Bissell, John A. Mood, M. L. Banks, G. W. Gatlin. 29.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? William Hutto, Manning Brown, Jacob L. Shuford, Landy Wood. 4.

WILLIAM HUTTO was born in Orangeburg County, S. C., January 24, 1828; and died in Williamston, S. C., January 19, 1892. He belonged to that sturdy and thrifty old Teutonic stock that settled in the lower part of our state in the early days of her colonial history, and inherited from his ancestors those substantial and useful traits of mind and heart which were so prominent in their characters and lives. Reared amid religious privileges and holy influences in an old-time

Methodist home, we are not surprised to know that in early life he consecrated all his ransomed powers to the services of his Redeemer and Saviour. His conversion was clear and satisfactory, and his piety deep and uniform. Being impressed that it was his duty to "preach the unsearchable riches of Christ," he "conferred not with flesh and blood," but entered promptly and cheerfully upon his life work as an itinerant Methodist preacher. He was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference in 1849, of which body he was an honored and useful member until his death. Though not blessed with the educational advantages now enjoyed by our young men, he, by close and judicious application to such studies as the Church recommended and required, stored his mind with useful and varied knowledge, and under the divine blessing prepared himself for efficiency and success in his ministerial work. During a ministry of forty-two years he maintained an unblemished and irreproachable character. Entering the South Carolina Conference at a time when large circuits and small salaries were the order of the day, he patiently and even cheerfully endured all the privations and difficulties incident to an itinerant's life. Brother Hutto was a man in whom everybody had the most implicit confidence. He was peculiarly the friend of the poor and afflicted. As a preacher he was sound, instructive, and edifying. His sermons were practical and persuasive. As a pastor he was kind, attentive, and sympathetic. For the last six years he was on the superannuated list, but even in this relation he was still useful to his fellowmen. In his last sickness his patience and gentleness were beautiful to behold, and his unwavering faith and joyous hope impressed every beholder with the divine power of our holy religion. He was conscious to the last, and his end was in harmony with his life. He died in great peace and in sure and blessed hope of a glorious resurrection.

MANNING BROWN was born in Columbia, S. C., January 26, 1827, and died in that city July 29, 1892. He was converted and joined the Church in 1857, and in the same year was licensed to preach and joined the South Carolina Conference. For thirty years the gospel was to him the power of God—"the power of God unto salvation." The will of God as revealed in the gospel was the rule of his life. He was no ordinary preacher. Always clear, logical, instructive, sometimes overwhelmingly powerful, many souls during his ministry were led by him to Christ. He lived much upon his knees and held close communion with God. Christ to him was not an abstraction, but a Saviour and elder brother. Prayer was coming to God. Religion was a divine and precious experience. O how the love of God did shine out in his countless deeds of kindness to the poor! As a friend he was always there to



help when help was most needed, and ready with his heart and hand. The dauntless hero of two wars—the Mexican and the late war—he gained an enviable reputation as a patriot and a soldier. This truly brave spirit manifested itself continually in the readiness with which he always came to the relief of the oppressed, and the loving concern he always exhibited for the children of his pastorate. His conversation was in heaven. He walked with God. One who knew him well and loved him says: "In the closest intimacy and friendship of twenty years I do not now recall a speech or act of his inconsistent with his character and profession as a Christian and a gospel minister."

JACOB L. SHUFORD was born March 15, 1834, in Cleveland County, S. C.; and died at his residence, near Summerton, Clarendon County, S. C., March 19, 1892. He made a profession of religion and united with the Church when a small boy. He was twice married. First to Miss Roxana Fullenwider, in 1849. This excellent woman died March 21, 1869. His second marriage was to Mrs. M. A. Bell. Nine children honor this marriage, seven girls and two boys, who live to comfort and bless their stricken and bereaved mother. Brother Shuford was admitted on trial in the South Carolina Conference in December, 1844, at Columbia, S. C. He was received into full connection and ordained deacon in January, 1847, at the Conference held in Charleston, and two years after ordained elder by Bishop Capers. He traveled as an active itinerant forty-six years, thirty-one on missions and fifteen on circuits, receiving cheerfully his appointments and laboring earnestly, with the esteem and affection of his people. He died superannuated, having held this relation two years. He was an earnest and successful preacher and diligent worker. Some gracious revivals were the result of his ministry. The most powerful revival ever known on the Santee Circuit was under his ministry in 1877. Numbers were convicted, and there was a large ingathering to the Church, and many living witnesses now speak of this extraordinary work of grace. Before he closed his last year of active service he had a slight stroke of paralysis, which was not regarded as serious, but soon this was followed by another and another. He suffered much from confinement to the house, but was submissive and resigned, bearing this disability like a martyr. He was large in person and large in heart. His frank and open countenance was a true index of a noble heart. In his family he was gentle and loving in all the small, sweet amenities of life, which was the occasion of a close and loving fellowship. After his first attack he gradually declined, and literally fell asleep in death. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints."

LANDY WOOD was born in Rutherford County, N. C., in 1825; and died at Clio, in Marlboro County, September 5, 1892. His parents were Baptists, and at the early age of eleven years he was converted and joined the Baptist Church. His early opportunities for education were quite limited. When he quit school he could only read and write. Going from his home in North Carolina to Greenville, S. C., when but a youth, he entered a printing office and rapidly became a practical printer. Here he had opportunities for improving his mind. His naturally bright and active mind at once utilized them to his mental development. While in Greenville, in a great revival, he entered into a deeper experience of saving grace, and at the same time united with the Methodist Church, the doctrines of which accorded more fully with his matured convictions. He at once became an active and useful member. He preached a number of years as a local preacher, and in November, 1854, he was admitted into the South Carolina Conference. He was a member of the Conference for thirty-seven years; of these, twenty-five he served on circuits, nine on stations, one on a mission, and for two years was a superannuate. He was twice married: first in 1845 to Miss Annie Snider, of Greenville, S. C., who died in 1881; he was again married, in 1882, to Miss Reese, of Anderson County, who with three children still lives. Brother Wood was a preacher of no mean ability. He had a logical and inquiring mind. His preaching was always clear, scriptural, and often delivered with great power. He was in the best sense a revivalist. His excellent tact in managing such meetings, his power in prayer, his deep experience of grace, and the power with which he preached the word could not but result in many souls being won to Christ. As a pastor he was faithful and diligent; as a friend he was true and confiding. As he lived so he died: it was peaceful, triumphant. Just before he became unconscious his wife said to him: "How is it now?" His answer was: "I am crossing over the river, but all is well." And thus his redeemed spirit passed away to be forever with the Lord.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Charleston District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Charleston: Trinity.....	523	.....	1
Bethel.....	425	.....	.....
Spring Street.....	279	.....	2
Cumberland.....	189	.....	.....
McClellanville.....	400	.....	3
Berkeley.....	381	.....	2

Charleston District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' Pr's.
Summerville.....	114	.....	.....
Cypress and St. Paul's .....	610	.....	.....
Ridgeville.....	412	.....	1
St. George's.....	688	.....	1
Receville.....	94	.....	1
Colleton.....	416	.....	1
Round O.....	545	.....	.....
Walterboro Station.....	120	.....	.....
Walterboro Circuit.....	644	1	3
Hampton.....	229	.....	2
Allendale.....	369	.....	.....
Black Swamp.....	390	.....	.....
Hardeeville.....	327	.....	2
Beaufort Station.....	84	.....	.....
	7,239	1	19

Chester District.

Chester Station.....	192	.....	.....
Chester Circuit.....	556	.....	.....
East Chester.....	410	.....	.....
Richburg.....	315	1	1
Rock Hill.....	249	.....	.....
Leslie Circuit.....	275	.....	.....
Catawba Circuit.....	207	.....	.....
Yorkville.....	125	.....	.....
Blacksburg Station.....	118	.....	.....
Hickory Grove Circuit.....	368	.....	.....
York Circuit.....	552	.....	.....
Fort Mill.....	673	.....	1
Lancaster Circuit.....	342	1	.....
Tradesville.....	350	.....	2
Chesterfield.....	494	.....	1
Jefferson.....	608	.....	2
Blackstock.....	157	.....	.....
Lancaster Station.....	121	.....	1
	6,112	2	8

Cokesbury District.

Cokesbury.....	475	.....	2
Greenwood.....	325	.....	.....
Ninety-six.....	342	.....	1
Donnald's.....	382	.....	.....
Abbeville Station.....	172	.....	.....
Abbeville Circuit.....	650	.....	.....
McCormick.....	437	.....	1
Lowndesville.....	258	.....	.....
Princeton.....	327	.....	.....
Waterloo.....	300	.....	1
North Edgefield.....	292	.....	.....
Newberry Station.....	290	.....	.....
Newberry Circuit.....	453	.....	1
Kinard's.....	120	.....	1
Saluda.....	604	.....	.....
Bntler.....	314	.....	.....
Parksville.....	139	.....	.....
Prosperity.....	504	.....	.....
	6,424	.....	7

Columbia District.

Columbia: Washington Street.....	405	.....	2
Marion Street.....	264	.....	.....
City Mission.....	172	.....	2
New Brookland Mission.....	31	.....	.....
Lexington Fork.....	489	.....	1
Lexington.....	549	.....	2
Batesburg.....	291	.....	1
Johnston.....	317	.....	.....
Edgefield.....	320	.....	.....
Graniteville.....	316	.....	.....
Aiken.....	78	1	1
Upper St. Matthew's.....	420	.....	.....
Fort Motte.....	221	.....	.....
Ridgeway.....	236	.....	.....
Winnsboro.....	77	.....	.....
Fairfield Station.....	214	.....	.....
Monticello.....	123	.....	.....
Leesville Circuit.....	596	.....	3
Cedar Creek Circuit.....	303	.....	.....
	5,422	1	12

Florence District.

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc' Pr's.
Florence Station.....	295	.....	1
Mars Bluff.....	218	.....	.....
Darlington Station.....	243	.....	.....
Cheraw Station.....	162	.....	.....
Cheraw Circuit.....	447	.....	1
Hartsville.....	235	.....	1
Clyde.....	526	2	.....
Darlington Circuit.....	668	.....	.....
Lamar.....	590	.....	3
Cartersville.....	345	1	1
Timmonsville.....	337	.....	.....
Effingham.....	321	1	.....
East Effingham.....	391	.....	2
Scranton.....	275	.....	2
Lake City.....	839	.....	.....
Kingtree.....	274	.....	.....
Salters.....	359	.....	.....
Georgetown Station.....	170	.....	1
Georgetown Circuit.....	449	.....	3
Johnsonville.....	742	.....	1
	7,916	4	18

Greenville District.

Greenville: Buncombe Street.....	500	.....	1
West End.....	87	.....	.....
Greenville Circuit.....	645	.....	4
Reidsville.....	823	.....	1
North Greenville.....	727	.....	2
Fountain Inn.....	515	.....	.....
Williamston.....	497	.....	1
Anderson Station.....	282	.....	.....
Anderson Circuit.....	277	.....	2
West Anderson Circuit.....	444	.....	2
Townville.....	474	.....	.....
Pendleton.....	739	.....	2
Pickens.....	649	.....	3
Seneca City.....	317	.....	.....
Westminster.....	375	.....	1
Walhalla.....	393	.....	.....
Blue Ridge Mission.....	97	.....	.....
Easley.....	677	.....	.....
Piedmont.....	854	.....	3
	9,372	.....	22

Marion District.

Marion Station.....	346	.....	1
Centenary.....	535	1	1
Britton's Neck.....	257	.....	1
Conway Station.....	113	.....	.....
Conway Circuit.....	625	.....	1
Bucksville.....	150	.....	.....
Waccamaw.....	410	.....	4
Bayboro.....	620	.....	2
Loris.....	358	.....	.....
Little Pedee.....	562	.....	2
Mullins.....	620	.....	4
Latta.....	512	.....	1
Little Rock.....	359	.....	1
Clio.....	620	.....	2
Blenheim.....	701	.....	1
Pedee Mission.....	101	.....	.....
Bennettsville Circuit.....	519	.....	1
Bennettsville Station.....	285	.....	.....
Brightsville.....	696	.....	.....
North Marlboro.....	525	.....	1
	8,865	1	23

Orangeburg District.

Orangeburg Station.....	435	.....	.....
Orangeburg Circuit.....	473	.....	2
Lower St. Matthew's.....	412	.....	.....
Providence.....	678	.....	3
Branchville.....	388	.....	2
Bamberg and Buford's Bridge.....	329	.....	2
Graham.....	416	1	.....
Edisto.....	411	.....	2
Upper Edisto.....	350	.....	3
Barnwell Station.....	185	.....	.....
Blackville.....	256	.....	1
Boiling Springs.....	384	.....	2
Orange.....	558	.....	5
Williston.....	131	.....	1

Orangeburg District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc's Pr's.
South Branchville.....	551		1
South Aiken.....	196		
	6,144	1	24

Spartanburg District.

Spartanburg: Central Church.....	580		
Bethel Mission.....	271		1
Union.....	175		
Cherokee.....	527		1
Santuc.....	228		
Goshen Hill.....	117		
Jonesville.....	887	1	2
Gaffney.....	445		
Laurens.....	206		
North Laurens.....	437		
Enoree.....	258		
Clinton.....	144		
Belmont.....	525		1
Campobello.....	441		2
Pacolet.....	668		1
Clifton.....	720		1
	6,579	1	9

Sumter District.

Sumter Station.....	382	1	
Sumter Circuit.....	536		2
Lynchburg.....	394		3
Wedgfield.....	324		
Bishopville.....	356		
Santee.....	457		2
Forreston.....	234		
Manning.....	143	1	
Oakland.....	374		2
New Zion.....	506		2
Camden.....	215		
Hanging Rock.....	453		1
Richland.....	446		
East Kershaw.....	464		
West Wateree.....	237		
	5,626	2	12

Recapitulation.

Charleston District.....	7,239	1	19
Chester District.....	6,112	2	8
Cokesbury District.....	6,424		7
Columbia District.....	5,422	1	12
Florence District.....	7,916	4	16
Greenville District.....	9,372		22
Marion District.....	8,865	1	23
Orangeburg District.....	6,144	1	24
Spartanburg District.....	6,579	1	9
Sumter District.....	5,626	2	12
Total this year.....	69,699	13	152
Total last year.....	69,228	32	164
Increase.....	471		
Decrease.....		19	12

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 2,158.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,705.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 708.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 4,966.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 39,632.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$11,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$8,549.38. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$20,496.10; Domestic Missions, \$9,848.74. Total, \$30,344.84.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,816.99.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 703; value, \$841,213.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 161; value, \$232,387.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Sumter, S. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year.

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

R. N. Wells, P. E.

Charleston: Trinity, W. R. Richardson.

Bethel, Jesse A. Clifton.

Spring Street, J. L. Stokes.

Cumberland, J. C. Yongue.

McClellanville, to be supplied by W. R. Buchanan.

Berkeley, W. E. Wiggins.

Summerville Station, W. M. Duncan.

Cypress, W. A. Wright.

Ridgeville, J. H. Thacker.

St. George's, A. J. Cauthen.

Reevesville and St. Paul's, to be supplied by J. C. Welch.

Colleton, C. E. Wiggins.

Round O, D. R. Brown.

Walterboro Station, P. L. Kirton.

Hendersonville, S. S. Blanchard.

Hampton, A. C. Walker.

Allendale, P. F. Kistler.

Black Swamp, R. L. Holroyd.

Hardeeville, David Hucks.

Beaufort Station, J. W. Kilgo.

CHESTER DISTRICT.

George T. Harmon, P. E.

Chester Station, J. W. Daniel.

Chester Circuit, G. H. Waddell.

East Chester, J. N. Isom.

Richburg, Thomas Raysor.

Rock Hill, W. S. Wightman.

Leslie Circuit, to be supplied by James Russell.

North Rock Hill, F. M. Totten.

Yorkville Station, Samuel A. Weber.

Blacksburg Station, L. A. Johnson.

Hickory Grove, R. A. Yongue.

York Circuit, J. Marion Rogers.

Fort Mill, J. L. Harley, J. J. Stevenson.

Lancaster Station, E. G. Price.

Lancaster Circuit, A. S. Leslie.

Tradesville, W. L. Pegues.

Chesterfield, R. R. Dagnall.

Jefferson, J. L. Ray.

Blackstock, J. W. Humbert.

COKEsbury DISTRICT.

J. B. Campbell, P. E.

Cokesbury, S. D. Vaughan.

Greenwood Station, W. H. Hodges.

Greenwood Circuit, W. B. Wharton.  
 Ninety-six, M. M. Brabham.  
 Donald's, E. W. Mason.  
 Abbeville Station, H. W. Bays.  
 Abbeville Circuit, H. W. Whitaker.  
 McCormick, J. M. Steadman.  
 Lowndesville, J. D. Crout.  
 Lowndesville Circuit, C. H. Pritchard.  
 Princeton, M. H. Pooser.  
 Waterloo, John Manning.  
 North Edgefield, W. W. Jones.  
 Newberry Station, W. W. Daniel.  
 Newberry Circuit, W. L. Wait.  
 Kinard's, T. B. Ingraham.  
 Saluda, E. P. Taylor.  
 Butler's, A. M. Attaway.  
 Parkersville, B. O. Berry.  
 Prosperity, D. D. Dantzier.

## COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*E. Toland Hodges, P. E.*

Columbia: Washington Street, John A. Rice.  
 Marion Street, S. P. H. Elwell.  
 Greene Street and Brookland, J. E. Beard.  
 Lexington Fork, A. R. Phillips.  
 Lexington Circuit, R. C. McRoy.  
 Lewisdale, W. H. Kirton.  
 Leesville, T. C. Ligon.  
 Batesburg, J. B. Traywick.  
 Johnston, Thomas G. Herbert.  
 Edgefield, A. B. Watson.  
 Graniteville, J. W. Neely.  
 Aiken, R. E. Stackhouse.  
 Upper St. Matthew's, W. P. Meadors.  
 Fort Motte, S. W. Henry.  
 Edgewood, W. H. Ariail.  
 Ridgeway, G. H. Pooser.  
 Winnsboro, W. S. Stokes.  
 Fairfield and Monticello, Maxey W. Hook.  
 Cedar Creek, G. W. Davis.  
 Columbia Female College, S. B. Jones, President; Marion Dargan, Financial Agent.  
 Paine Institute, George W. Walker, President.  
*Southern Christian Advocate*, W. D. Kirkland, Editor.

## FLORENCE DISTRICT.

*J. B. Wilson, P. E.*

Florence Station, H. B. Browne.  
 Darlington Station, John E. Carlisle.  
 Cheraw Station, Pierce P. Kilgo.  
 Cheraw Circuit, to be supplied by S. M. Jones.  
 Hartsville, J. A. White.  
 Clyde, A. H. Best.  
 Darlington Circuit, S. J. Bethea.  
 Lamar, C. D. Mann.  
 Cartersville, J. R. Copeland.  
 Timmons ville, R. W. Speigner.  
 Clausen, N. K. Melton, W. C. Winn.  
 East Effingham, J. S. Abercrombie.  
 Scranton, to be supplied by D. Durant.  
 Lake City, W. B. Baker.  
 Kingstree, W. B. Duncan; A. W. Jackson, Sup.

Salters, J. C. Counts, R. M. DuBose.  
 Georgetown Station, T. C. O'Dell.  
 Georgetown Circuit, J. D. Frierson.  
 Johnsonville and Plantersville Mission, J. E. Rushton, A. Q. Rice.

## GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

*John O. Willson, P. E.*

Greenville: Buncombe Street, J. Thomas Pate.  
 St. Paul's, R. Herbert Jones.  
 Greenville Circuit, E. A. Wilkes.  
 Reidville, T. P. Phillips.  
 North Greenville, Alston B. Earle.  
 Fountain Inn, J. F. Anderson.  
 Williamston, J. C. Stoll, A. W. Attaway, Sup.  
 Anderson Station, George P. Watson.  
 Anderson Circuit, John Attaway.  
 West Anderson, O. L. Durant.  
 Townville, J. C. Spann.  
 Pendleton, S. H. Zimmerman.  
 Pickens, G. R. Shaffer.  
 Seneca City, E. Palmer Hutson.  
 Westminster, W. B. Justus.  
 Walhalla, H. C. Mouzon.  
 Blue Ridge Mission, Eli M. McKissick.  
 Easley, N. G. Ballenger.  
 Piedmont, George M. Boyd.  
 Williamston Female College, Samuel Lander, President.

## MARION DISTRICT.

*Thomas J. Clyde, P. E.*

Marion Station, J. Sidney Beasley.  
 Centenary, O. N. Rountree.  
 Britton's Neck, M. M. Ferguson.  
 Conway, A. J. Stafford.  
 Conway Circuit, D. A. Calhoun.  
 Bucksville, J. L. Daniel.  
 Waccamaw, G. R. Whitaker.  
 Bayboro, to be supplied by A. M. Dusenbury.  
 Loris, W. C. Gleaton.  
 Little Pedee, C. H. Clyde.  
 Mullins, John Owen.  
 Latta, Leroy F. Beaty.  
 Little Rock, R. W. Barber.  
 Clio, Rufus A. Child.  
 Blenheim, J. W. Ariail.  
 Pedee Mission, to be supplied by M. J. Covington.  
 Bennettsville Station, E. O. Watson.  
 Bennettsville Circuit, W. S. Martin.  
 Brightsville, P. A. Murray.  
 North Marlboro, A. Frank Berry.

## ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.

*J. Walter Dickson, P. E.*

Orangeburg Station, C. B. Smith; T. E. Wanamaker, Sup.  
 Orangeburg Circuit, J. W. McRoy.  
 Lower St. Matthew's, W. W. Williams.  
 Providence, J. K. McCain.  
 Branchville, B. M. Grier.  
 South Branchville, J. B. Platt.

Bamberg, J. W. Elkins.  
 Graham, J. E. Grier.  
 Barnwell, A. N. Brunson.  
 South Aiken, to be supplied by J. N. Wright.  
 Blackville, L. S. Bellinger.  
 Boiling Springs, W. M. Hardin.  
 Upper Edisto, to be supplied by J. C. Abney.  
 Orange, D. Z. Dantzer.  
 Edisto, A. J. Cauthen, Jr.

## SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

*J. Marion Boyd, P. E.*

Spartanburg: Central Church, William A. Rogers.  
 Bethel and Duncan, E. B. Loyless; J. T. Smith, Sup.  
 Union, T. E. Martin.  
 Cherokee, J. S. Porter; E. L. Archer, Sup.  
 Santuc, E. K. Moore.  
 Whitmire, S. T. Blackman.  
 Jonesville, D. Tiller.  
 Kelton, G. F. Clarkson.  
 Gaffney, N. B. Clarkson.  
 Laurens, W. I. Herbert; W. A. Clark, Sup.  
 North Laurens, J. W. Shell; J. M. Fridy, Sup.  
 Enoree, W. H. Miller.  
 Clinton, W. A. Betts.  
 Belmont, D. P. Boyd.  
 Campobello, D. Arthur Phillips.  
 Pacolet, J. L. Sify.

Clifton, M. B. Kelly.  
 Wofford College, John C. Kilgo, Financial Agent.

## SUMTER DISTRICT.

*William C. Power, P. E.*

Sumter Station, Andrew J. Stokes.  
 Sumter Circuit, W. H. Wroton; B. M. McLeod.  
 Lynchburg, O. A. Darby.  
 Wedgefield, J. C. Chandler, T. J. White.  
 Bishopville, T. M. Dent.  
 Santee, C. W. Creighton.  
 Forreton, W. H. Lawton.  
 Manning, Henry M. Mood.  
 Oakland, W. E. Barre.  
 New Zion, J. C. Davis.  
 Camden Station, M. L. Carlisle.  
 Hanging Rock, J. E. Mahaffey.  
 Richland, J. P. Attaway.  
 East Kershaw, E. H. Beckham.  
 Conference Colporter, J. C. Chandler.

*Transferred.*—A. Coke Smith, to the Virginia Conference, and stationed at Granby Street, Norfolk; E. M. Merritt, to the Western North Carolina Conference; J. Hubert Noland, to the Montana Conference; John D. Major, to the East Columbia Conference; Hilliard F. Chreitsburg, to the Western North Carolina Conference, and stationed at Central Church, Asheville.

## CHINA MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT SOOCHOW, CHINA, OCTOBER 5-10, 1892.

BISHOP KEY, *President*; C. F. REID, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Sz Tsz-kwen. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Nn Dong-shien, Ling Tsz-yien, Yau Me-kung, Dzung Tsz kiun, Tsiiau Lan-sung, L. Leitch. 6.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Herbert L. Gray, C. K. Marshall, Dzung Ying-kyin, Dong Moh-san, O. E. Brown, Tsa Vong-tsang. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Sz Tsz-kia, Dzung Zing-san, Sung Yön-peh, Li Tsz-i. Continued in class of first year: B. D. Lucas. 5.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Dong Moh-san, Tsa Vong-tsang. 2.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Dzung Zing-san, Sung Yön-peh, Dong Moh-san, Tsa Vong-tsang. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Herbert L. Gray. 1.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Herbert L. Gray. 1.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Shanghai District.

	Foreign Mem's.	Native Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Shanghai Station.....	5	152	3
College Station.....	9	28	.....
Hongkew Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....
Sungkiang Circuit.....	1	15	1
Taitsang Circuit.....	.....	52	.....
Kiating Circuit.....	2	10	1
Tsih Pao Circuit.....	.....	8	1
Tse So Circuit.....	.....	4	.....
	17	269	6

Soochow District.

Soochow Station.....	6	72	.....
Konghong Station.....	.....	1	.....
Nanzing Circuit.....	.....	6	.....
W. Nanzing Circuit.....	.....	5	1
Wusieh Circuit.....	1	4	1
Changshuh Circuit.....	.....	4	.....
Kwenshan Circuit.....	.....	4	1
Luhchih Circuit.....	.....	6	1
	7	102	4

Recapitulation.

Shanghai District.....	17	269	6
Soochow District.....	7	102	4
Total this year.....	24	371	10
Total last year.....	23	354	11
Increase.....	1	17	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	1

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 13.

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

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 23.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 73.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 943.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? Nothing.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? Nothing collected.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? \$299.10.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? Nothing.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what

is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 9; value, \$22,816.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 14; value, \$47,760.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Of General Board: Colleges, 2; teachers, 13; pupils, 256; day schools, 14; teachers, 15; pupils, 316; number of school buildings, 4; value, \$66,735. Of Woman's Board: Girls' Boarding Schools, 3; teachers, 8; pupils, 56; day schools, 33; teachers, 33; pupils, 671; number of school buildings, 4; value, \$19,790.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Shanghai, China.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

M. B. Hill, P. E.

Shanghai: Trinity and Central Church, C. F. Reid, Sz Tsz-kia.

College Chapel, G. P. Loehr.

Hongkew, W. B. Bonnell.

Sungkiang Circuit, W. B. Burke, Ling Tsz-yien.

Nantziang Circuit, M. B. Hill, Sz Tsz-kwen. Kading Circuit, Sung Yon-peh, Yau Me-kung.

Chwanshan Circuit, Tsiaw Lan-sung.

Tsihpao Circuit, Dzung Tsz-kiun.

Tsingpoo Circuit, Dzung Zing-san.

Anglo-Chinese College, Y. J. Allen, President; G. R. Loehr, W. B. Bonnell, Professors.

SOOCHOW DISTRICT.

A. P. Parker, P. E.

Soochow Station, A. P. Parker, Dzung Ying-kyin.

Soochow Circuit, T. A. Hearn; one to be supplied by Li Yien-eng.

Changshuh Circuit, H. L. Gray, B. D. Lucas, Li Tsz-i.

Wusieh Circuit, L. Leitch, and one to be supplied by Dzung San-tsun.

Nanzing Circuit, J. L. Hendry, Ng Dong-shien.

West Nanzing and Dispensary, C. K. Marshall.

Kwensan Circuit, Dong Moh-san.

Luhchih Circuit, Tsa Vong-tsang.

Buffington College, A. P. Parker, President.

Transferred.—O. E. Brown, to the Missouri Conference.

CENTRAL MEXICO MISSION CONFERENCE.

HELD AT MEXICO CITY, MEX., OCTOBER 27-30, 1892.

BISHOP HAYGOOD, *President*; L. G. PRIETO, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. J. M. Morales, David M. Navas, Vicente G. Santín, Moises C. Abeyro, Enrique S. Ferniza. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Pedro Godínez, in class of second year. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. S. Piña, Alejandro Mejía, Rafael García. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Teóduo Becerra, J. Ramirez. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. D. King, D. F. Acosta, from the Northwest Mexican Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? S. G. Paz. 1.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Teóduo Becerra. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Teóduo Becerra. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Miguel Culhuac, Jose María Morales, Carlos Espinosa. 3.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Miguel Culhuac, Jose María Morales, Carlos Espinosa. 3.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Delfino F. Sandoval, Agapito Portugal, Francisco Reyes. 3.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Delfino F. Sandoval, Agapito Portugal, Francisco Reyes. 3.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Francisco Aguilar. 1. (No memoir).

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except those of J. R. Oliva and Florentino Gonzales, who were expelled. 2.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 28; members, 2,948. (No details.)

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 239.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 315.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 65.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 107.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,390.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$150.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$50.29. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$286.36.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$121.81.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 31; value, \$56,364.70.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 8; value, \$37,402.37.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Schools, 14; pupils, 349.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Mexico City, Mex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

MEXICO DISTRICT.

*D. F. Watkins, P. E.*

Mexico, A. Blanco.  
Xochiaca, N. Aguilar.  
Texcoco, to be supplied by R. Dominguez.  
Tula, J. B. Alarcon.  
Toluca, J. G. Ramirez.  
Tenango, C. C. Abeyro.  
Joquicingo, D. Navas.  
Santa Maria, E. Gomez.  
Cocotitlan, S. M. Reyes.  
Rincon de Victoria, D. O. Monsalvo.  
Metepec, to be supplied.  
Ixtapan del Oro, to be supplied by N. Gomez.  
Santa Cruz, to be supplied by L. M. Hernandez.  
Caracas (Venezuela), D. F. Acosta.  
Agent of American Bible Society in Venezuela, J. Norwood.

PUEBLA DISTRICT.

*W. D. King, P. E.*

Puebla, I. S. Rivera.  
Matamoros, Cruz Martinez.  
Tochimisolco, to be supplied by M. Culhuac.  
Acatzingo, to be supplied by A. Ortiz.  
Orizaba, V. G. Santin.  
Cuernavaca, to be supplied by D. Ortiz.

Cuautla and Yautepec, N. Gomez.  
Tepetlixpa, to be supplied by E. Palomino.  
Tuyehualco, to be supplied by C. Espinosa.  
Amecameca, to be supplied by M. Obregon.

#### GUADALAJARA DISTRICT.

*B. Guerrero Reyes, P. E.*

Guadalajara, M. Zavaleta.  
Tocolotlan, D. F. Sandoval.  
Ciudad Guzman, E. S. Ferniza.  
Ahualulco and Tequila, J. M. Morales.  
Autlan, M. C. Abeyro.  
Colotlan and Mesquitic, to be supplied by  
J. B. Anguiano.  
Tepic and Santiago, F. Reyes.  
Rosa Morada, T. C. Becerra.  
Santa Maria del Cro, to be supplied by Vi-  
cente Aguayo.  
Tlajomulco, J. M. Sandoval.  
Colima, O. Torres.

Agent of Church Property in the three Con-  
ferences, J. W. Grimes.

#### SAN LUIS POTOSI DISTRICT.

*A. Portugal, P. E.*

San Luis Potosi, L. G. Prieto.  
English Congregation and Training School,  
G. B. Winton.  
Leon, D. Paz.  
Aguascalientes, M. H. Cuevas.  
Puruandiro and Zirondaro, P. Godinez.  
Morelia, S. G. Paz.  
Paracho, to be supplied by M. Lopez.  
Training School, L. G. Prieto, Professor.  
*Evangelista Mexicano*, G. B. Winton, Editor.

*Transferred.*—C. A. Moya, to the Florida  
Conference; J. D. Scoggins, to the North-  
west Texas Conference; A. H. Sutherland,  
to the Northwest Mexican Conference, and  
appointed to Chihuahua.

### WESTERN CONFERENCE.

HELD AT COUNCIL GROVE, KAN., AUGUST 31—SEPTEMBER 5, 1892.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; W. H. COMER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. J. L. Miller, J. E. Bullock, J. E. Owen, D. R. McBee. 4.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. L. Sells, J. T. Smith. 2.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Samuel B. Graves. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? James E. Vick, Richard A. Parker. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? L. A. Blevans, W. B. Jennings, T. G. Whitten. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? H. I. Miller, J. L. Patterson, A. J. Notestine. 3.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Richard A. Parker. 1.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Richard A. Parker. 1.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? John D. Harris. 1.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? John D. Harris. 1.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Frank Siler, Jefferson D. Austin. 2.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Frank Siler, Jefferson D. Austin. 2.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? James T. Alexander. 1.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? James T. Alexander. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? A. H. Moore. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? Charles Boles. 1.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? A. A. Lewis. 1.

ALEXANDER A. LEWIS was born in North Carolina in 1817, and moved to Mississippi in early life. Here he professed religion and joined the M. E. Church, in which he lived till the "disruption," when he cast his lot with the M. E. Church, South, in which communion he lived till his death, which occurred at Exeter, Neb., January 17, 1892, aged seventy-five years. Brother Lewis moved from Mississippi to Kansas about the year 1870, and located near Netawaka. He came to Kansas as a local elder, and served the Church in this sphere acceptably as a supply and otherwise to the time of his admission into the traveling connection of the Western Conference at Wyandotte in 1874, and was appointed between the years 1874 and 1890 to the following works: In 1875, Troy Circuit; 1876, Oskaloosa Circuit; 1877, Waterville Circuit; 1878-79, Holton Circuit; 1880, Oskaloosa Circuit; 1881, Paola Circuit; 1882-83, Wyandotte Circuit; 1884, Shawnee-town Circuit; 1885, Strong City Circuit;



1886, Wellington Circuit; 1887, Wyandotte Circuit; 1888, Strong City Circuit; 1889-90, Bronson Circuit. We learn from the above that he traveled seventeen consecutive years, when, at his own request, he was granted a superannuated relation at the preceding session held at Hillsdale in 1891. Brother Lewis was blessed with a helpmate of solid piety and of great usefulness. She died a most triumphant death near Wyandotte in 1887, at which place she was laid to rest. About five years later she was followed by her sorrowing husband. Most of his appointments were long, hard work with poor pay, which would have been trying to a man of less mature years, yet he never faltered or wavered. His love for his brethren of his Conference was exhibited to the last.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of A. J. Lawless, who had withdrawn from the Church.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Atchison District.*

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Atchison Station.....	95	2
Effingham Circuit.....	145	1
Holton Circuit.....	293	2
Waverly Circuit.....	152	3
Rulo Circuit.....	150	3
Nebraska City Circuit.....	164	2
Oskaloosa Circuit.....	149	1
Kickapoo Circuit.....	145	.....
Leavenworth Circuit.....	148	.....
Kansas City Station.....	268	2
Wyandotte Circuit.....	136	1
Shawneetown Circuit.....	144	3
Bucyrus and Stillwell Circuit.....	113	.....
Hillsdale Circuit.....	117	.....
	2,216	20

*Council Grove District.*

Council Grove Station.....	137	.....
Council Grove Circuit.....	141	1
Strong City Circuit.....	30	3
Augusta Circuit.....	163	2
Howard and Elk Circuit.....	122	.....
Labette Circuit.....	109	3
Bronson Circuit.....	41	1
Winfield Circuit.....	266	1
Wellington Circuit.....	117	1
Mt. Hope Circuit.....	58	.....
Kinsley Circuit.....	52	.....
Hazleton Circuit.....	97	2
	1,333	14

*Recapitulation.*

Atchison District.....	2,216	20
Council Grove District.....	1,334	14
Total this year.....	3,550	34
Total last year.....	3,338	34
Increase.....	162	.....

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 88.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 232.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 42.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 338.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 1,988.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$186.22.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$186.22. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$815.12; Domestic Missions, \$281.81. Total, \$1,096.93.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$303.67.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 47 $\frac{1}{4}$ ; value, \$91,300.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 17; value, \$13,550.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Collected for Paine and Lane Institute, \$34.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Kansas City, Kan.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

**ATCHISON DISTRICT.**

*T. C. Downs, P. E.*

- Atchison Station, W. H. Comer.
- Effingham Circuit, J. T. Smith.
- Holton Circuit, J. Tillery, W. E. Tull.
- Waverly Circuit, W. D. Kincaid, D. E. Bundy.
- Leavenworth Circuit, H. I. Miller.
- Troy and Rulo Circuit, J. L. Sells, R. U. Waldraven.
- Nebraska City Circuit, J. L. Patterson.
- Kickapoo Circuit, A. J. Notestine.
- Oskaloosa Circuit, J. L. Miller, D. J. Doughty.
- Wyandotte Circuit, J. E. Owen.
- Kansas City Station, W. D. Kelley.
- Shawneetown Circuit, H. D. Hogan.
- Hillsdale Circuit, R. A. Parker.
- Bucyrus and Stillwell, J. W. Payne.

**COUNCIL GROVE DISTRICT.**

*J. W. Faubion, P. E.*

- Council Grove Station, F. A. White.
- Council Grove Circuit, L. A. Blevins.
- Strong City Circuit, to be supplied by W. O. Lewis.
- Howard and Elk, to be supplied.
- Bronson Circuit, D. R. McBee.
- Winfield Circuit, W. E. Broadhurst.
- Wellington Circuit, J. E. Bullock.
- Mt. Hope Circuit, W. B. Jennings.
- Parsons Circuit, J. D. Austin.
- Hazleton Circuit, J. E. Vick.
- Augusta Circuit, C. W. Thorp, W. P. Owen.

*Transferred.*—Frank Siler, T. G. Whitten, to the Missouri Conference.

## WHITE RIVER CONFERENCE.

HELD AT BATESVILLE, ARKANSAS, DECEMBER 14-17, 1892.

BISHOP WILSON, *President*; R. S. DEENER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. J. K. Farris, J. B. McDonald, W. C. Davidson, W. A. Manley, W. E. Webb, A. E. Holloway. 6.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? S. B. Barker, Thomas Bowen, W. J. Vick, A. J. Blakemore, B. D. Holly. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? H. L. Bugg, F. Barrett, I. B. Manley, N. E. Gardner, H. E. May, W. D. Ellis, E. N. Bickley, A. B. Weaver. 8.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? H. C. Edmonson, A. B. Weaver. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? A. C. Graham, J. W. Watson, W. S. Southworth, J. Eidson. 4.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? H. L. Bugg, F. Barrett, I. B. Manley, N. E. Gardner, H. E. May, W. D. Ellis, E. N. Bickley, A. B. Weaver. 8.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? H. L. Bugg, F. Barrett, I. B. Manley, N. E. Gardner, H. E. May, W. D. Ellis, E. N. Bickley, A. B. Weaver. 8.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? W. F. Atkinson, E. D. Williams, R. S. Farrish. 3.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? W. F. Atkinson, E. D. Williams, R. S. Farrish. 3.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? W. E. Bishop, M. B. Corrigan, S. F. Brown. 3.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. E. Bishop, M. B. Corrigan, S. F. Brown. 3.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? J. D. Spence. 1.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? F. C. Sterling. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. H. Anderson, S. C. Stone. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? John Rhyne, R. M. Manley. 2.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? B. Harris, J. G. Miller (no memoir), T. A. Craig. 3.

BENONI HARRIS died at his residence at Paragould, Greene County, Ark., February 25, 1892, of pneumonia, aged sixty-four years. He was born in Howard County, Mo., July

2, 1827. He was reared and educated in Arkansas; commenced preaching at eighteen years of age; was admitted into the Arkansas Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in the year 1848. Since then he has done the work of an itinerant minister of the gospel of peace, having either a mission, circuit, station, or district in charge, as directed by his Conference, up to two years before his death. All this labor was performed in Arkansas. His illness was of short duration, his suffering was severe, but he bore it with meekness and Christian resignation. Benoni Harris spent the prime of his manhood in the work of the ministry in the hills and swamps of Arkansas. Cheerfully he accepted and without murmuring he went to the work assigned him from time to time by authority of his Church. As a preacher he was able, sincere, and efficient—a workman who had no need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word, giving to each his portion in due season. Instant in season and out of season, every whit a Methodist of the true Southern type, he was ready for every good word and work, and shunned not to preach the doctrine of his Church without intending offense to any, and with charity for all. To him deliverance has come, and with it palms of victory and crowns of glory. In the death of Brother Harris a useful life has ended.

THOMAS A. CRAIG was born in Tennessee April 12, 1832. He professed religion in his nineteenth year and joined the M. E. Church, South. He was licensed to preach by Rev. T. L. Boswell in 1850, and came to Arkansas in 1862, and settled near Clarendon. He was twice married: the first time to Miss Louisa Robertson, from which union there were five children, three of whom are dead. Two are alive: Rev. L. C. Craig, of the White River Conference, and Mrs. Henry Lownsberry, of Brinkley, Ark. The last marriage was to Mrs. L. M. Beckham, widow of the Rev. J. C. Beckham, of the White River Conference. He joined the White River Conference at Batesville in the year 1871, and served eight pastoral charges. Any of the charges he ever served would have gladly received him again as their pastor. His last charge was Melbourne Circuit, Batesville District. He had often said that he wanted to die at his post; so he did. On the evening of his fourth Quarterly Conference he complained of having a severe

headache. He went home and was soon confined to his bed with typhoid fever. His illness lasted just three weeks. His last audible words were: "I am going home." He suffered very much until the last day, when he sank into a stupor and passed away without a struggle. He breathed his last at 5 o'clock P.M., November 16, 1892. He was a Mason, Knight of Honor, and belonged to the Ministerial Aid Association. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of Wade Preston, who had withdrawn from the Church.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Searcy District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Anvergne Station.....	48		
Beebe Station.....	156		
El Paso Circuit.....	592	2	1
Weldon Circuit.....	176		2
Bradford Circuit.....	279		2
West Point Circuit.....	260		
Augusta Station.....	139		
West Searcy Circuit.....	246		1
Center Hill Circuit.....	391		2
Union and Revels Circuit.....	232		2
Searcy Station.....	305		2
Argenta Station.....	149		2
Beebe Circuit.....			
Mineral Circuit.....	318		4
Jacksonville Circuit.....	928		1
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,220</b>		<b>19</b>

*Jonesboro District.*

Lorado Mission.....	455		1
Gainesville Circuit.....	449		5
Marmaduke Mission.....	265		2
Pecan Point Circuit.....	118		
Chickasawba Circuit.....	526		6
Vandale and Hamburg.....	251		2
Marion Circuit.....	104		2
Hamburg Circuit.....	519		3
St. Francis Circuit.....	320		3
Paragould Circuit.....	552		1
Jonesboro Station.....	299		2
Jonesboro Circuit.....	434		3
Paragould Station.....	228		1
Boydsville Circuit.....	379		6
Shiloh Circuit.....	470		2
Osceola Circuit.....	177		
Lake City Mission.....	225		5
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,731</b>		<b>44</b>

*Helena District.*

La Grange Circuit.....	108		
Poplar Grove Circuit.....	96		
Holly Grove Circuit.....	200		1
Howell and Cotton Plant Station.....	185		
Taylor Creek Circuit.....	395		1
Clarendon Station.....	87		
Brinkley and Anderson.....	175		3
Haynes Circuit.....	233		
Wynne and McCrory Station.....	285		1
Cypress Ridge Circuit.....	257		
Marianna Station.....	132		
De View Mission.....	171		4
Helena Station.....	184		
Wheatley Circuit.....	156		

*Helena District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Forrest City Station.....	178		
Spring Creek Circuit.....	245		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,087</b>		<b>10</b>

*Batesville District.*

Oil Trough Circuit.....	336		2
Salem Circuit.....	551	1	11
Cedar Grove Circuit.....	337		5
Viola Circuit.....	278		2
Mountain View Circuit.....	261		2
Jamestown Circuit.....	258		3
Newburg Circuit.....	573		10
Bethesda Circuit.....	425		4
Sulphur Rock Circuit.....	596		7
Evening Shade Circuit.....	380		4
Ash Flat Circuit.....	392		4
Batesville Station.....	294		
West Batesville Mission.....	53		
Calamine Circuit.....	288		1
Melbourne Circuit.....	375		2
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,457</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>57</b>

*Newport District.*

Jacksonport and Tuckeruan.....	212		
Walnut Hill Circuit.....	2.8		3
Warm Springs Mission.....	54		
Siloam Circuit.....	485		3
Reno Circuit.....	110		2
Corning and Reno Station.....	112		2
Clover Bond Circuit.....	95		1
Pocahontas Circuit.....	262		3
Walnut Ridge.....	162		2
Smithville Circuit.....	297		1
Cache Mission.....	109		
Newport Station.....	130		1
Swift Circuit.....	157		
Portia Circuit.....	504		3
Mammoth Springs.....	101		1
Imboden Circuit.....	249		3
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,347</b>		<b>25</b>

*Recapitulation.*

Searcy District.....	4,220		19
Jonesboro District.....	5,781		44
Helena District.....	3,087		10
Batesville District.....	5,457	1	57
Newport District.....	3,347		25
<b>Total this year</b>	<b>21,892</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>155</b>
<b>Total last year</b>	<b>20,903</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>157</b>
<b>Increase</b>	<b>989</b>		
<b>Decrease</b>			<b>2</b>

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 436.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,281.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 239.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,475.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 11,359.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$1,765.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$1,284.35. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$1,498.10; Domestic Missions, \$879.05. Total, \$2,377.15.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$334.45.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 206½; value, \$170,995.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 49; value, \$32,633.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Jonesboro, Ark.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### HELENA DISTRICT.

*M. B. Umsted, P. E.*

Helena Station, M. B. Corrigan.  
La Grange and Spring Creek, W. C. Davidson.  
Marianna Station, H. M. Cryer.  
Forrest City Station, F. E. Taylor.  
Haynes Circuit, W. W. Hendrix.  
Wynne and McCrory, E. C. Castleberry.  
Wheatley Circuit, W. A. Manley.  
Goodwin Circuit, D. Leake.  
Clarendon Station, R. G. Brittain.  
Brinkley Station, J. B. McDonald.  
Howell and Cotton Plant Station, Thomas Whittaker.  
De View Mission, to be supplied by J. K. Pope.  
Cypress Ridge Circuit, S. B. Barker.  
Holly Grove and Turner, J. I. Maynard.  
Poplar Grove Circuit, W. J. Vick.  
Walnut Bend Mission, to be supplied by J. A. Melton.  
Taylor Creek Circuit, Eli Bickley.

#### SEARCY DISTRICT.

*F. A. Jeffett, P. E.*

Searcy Station, R. C. Morehead.  
West Searcy, J. M. Talkington; S. C. Stone, Sup.  
Mt. Pisgah Circuit, I. B. Manley.  
Beebe Station, A. M. R. Branson.  
Auvergne and Weldou, J. W. Patton.  
El Paso Circuit, to be supplied.  
Mineral Circuit, W. W. Anderson.  
Augusta Station, W. B. Hays.  
Jacksonville Circuit and Mission, W. A. Pendergrass; one to be supplied.  
Beebe Circuit, L. C. Craig.  
West Point Mission, J. A. Peebles.  
Bradford Circuit, Frank Barrett.  
Argenta Station, J. F. Jernigan.  
Union Circuit, W. R. Foster.  
Galloway College, J. H. Dye, President.  
*Arkansas Methodist*, Z. T. Bennett, Editor.  
Sunday School Agent, G. A. Dannelly.

#### JONESBORO DISTRICT.

*J. C. Ritter, P. E.*

Jonesboro Station, M. M. Smith.  
Jonesboro Circuit, A. J. Blakemore.  
Vanndale and Cherry Valley Circuit, A. C. Graham; J. H. Anderson, Sup.  
Harrisburg Circuit, John Eidson.  
Shiloh Circuit, W. M. Watson.  
Lorado Circuit, J. W. Watson.

Buffalo Island Circuit, to be supplied by T.

E. Andrews.

Paragould Station, G. W. Smith.  
Paragould Circuit, A. C. Griffin.  
Gainesville Circuit, P. B. Wallace.  
Marmaduke Mission, W. C. Toombs.  
Boydsville Circuit, S. F. Brown.  
St. Francis Circuit, J. D. Rutledge.  
Lake City Mission, W. E. Webb.  
Marion Circuit, T. B. Williamson.  
Osceola Circuit, J. H. Woodward.  
Chickasawba Circuit, A. E. Holloway.  
Pecan Point Circuit, H. C. Edmonson.

#### NEWPORT DISTRICT.

*W. L. King, P. E.*

Newport Station, F. Ritter.  
Jacksonport and Tuckerman, H. L. Bugg.  
Swifton Circuit, S. D. Evans.  
Walnut Ridge and Black Rock, D. W. Reid.  
Corning and Reyno, N. E. Skinner.  
Reyno Circuit, W. D. Ellis.  
Portia Circuit, J. S. Watson.  
Pocahontas Circuit, H. E. May.  
Mammoth Spring and Hardy Station, S. L. Cochran.  
Walnut Hill Circuit, J. Kelley Farris.  
Imboden Circuit, E. M. Davis.  
Smithville Circuit, J. F. Armstrong.  
Siloam Circuit, T. A. Bowen.  
Clover Bend Mission, R. H. Grissett.  
Warm Springs Mission, to be supplied by W. A. Downing.  
Cache Mission, to be supplied by J. F. Clark.

#### BATESVILLE DISTRICT.

*H. T. Gregory, P. E.*

Batesville Station, R. S. Deener.  
West Batesville Mission, J. R. Edwards.  
Sulphur Rock Circuit, S. W. Register.  
Jamestown Circuit, J. S. Brooke.  
Barren Fork Circuit, F. R. Noe.  
Evening Shade Circuit, W. L. Southworth.  
Ash Flat Circuit, to be supplied by George Rogers.  
Calamine Circuit, W. E. Bishop.  
Salem Circuit, T. J. Settle.  
Viola Mission, to be supplied by T. J. Franks.  
Newburg Circuit, F. M. Smith.  
Melbourne Circuit, N. E. Gardner.  
Mountain View Circuit, J. J. Alexander.  
Cedar Grove Circuit, B. D. Holly; one to be supplied.  
Oil Trough Mission, to be supplied by C. L. Castleberry.

*Transferred.*—Horace Jewell, W. C. Adams, to the Little Rock Conference; J. V. Millis, to the Missouri Conference; W. D. Kelley, to the Western Conference; J. C. Hooks, to the Memphis Conference; J. C. Brown, to the North Mississippi Conference; Lewis Kelley, to the Indian Mission Conference; A. B. Weaver, to the St. Louis Conference; C. H. Gregory, to the Arkansas Conference.

EAST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

HELD AT NACOGDOCHES, TEX., DEC. 13-15, 1892.

BISHOP HARGROVE, *President*; L. M. FOWLER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Alphonso A. Kidd, James W. Downs, Joseph R. Richie. 3.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. W. Bridges, J. B. Luker, H. W. Bowman, Ellis Smith, James W. Cullen, W. W. Watts, L. A. Webb, J. W. Griffin, S. N. Allen, T. B. Vinson. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Harry May, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William H. Dean, John C. Box, Thomas H. Boynton, George B. Hines, A. J. Weeks. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences. William Sproule, Harry May, W. H. Hayes. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John C. Box, G. B. Hines, A. J. Weeks. 3.

What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John C. Box, G. B. Hines, A. J. Weeks. 3.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Nimrod E. Shepherd, James B. Stone, Joseph R. Ritchie, Isaac F. Pace, George M. Henderson. 5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? J. R. Ritchie, G. W. Henderson, I. F. Pace, Thomas G. Watson, W. C. Stallins. 5.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? O. C. Fontaine, J. L. Wyche, V. A. Godbey, A. A. Wagnon. 4.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? O. C. Fontaine, J. L. Wyche, V. A. Godbey, A. A. Wagnon. 4.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? Joseph H. Westmoreland, Perry O. Tunnell. 2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Joseph H. Westmoreland, Perry O. Tunnell. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? C. H. Ellis, W. H. Lafevre, W. H. Dean. 3.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. B. Hall, E. D. Parks. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? R. Menifee, H. M. Booth, M. Donegan, W. N. Bonner, A. G. Scruggs, R. W. Thompson. 6.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? W. H. Ardis. 1.

WILEY HAMIL ARDIS was born in Georgia, May 30, 1830; and was married to Miss Fran-

ces Miller November 9, 1848. He was licensed to exhort in 1850, and to preach in 1851; he was ordained a deacon by Bishop Andrew in December, 1854, and an elder by Bishop Kavanaugh December 7, 1859. Brother Ardis moved to Texas in 1859, and settled on a farm in Anderson County. We have not the dates of his reception into the Alabama Conference or how long he remained in that Conference; neither have we at command the date of his readmission into our Conference, but we know that he traveled the following circuits—viz., De Berry Circuit, 1881-82; Athens Circuit, 1883-84; Edom Circuit, 1885-86; De Berry Circuit, 1887; Melrose, 1888; Carthage, 1889, and at the end of the year he was superannuated and retained that relation until his death, which transpired at Carthage January 22, at 2 o'clock p.m. Our brother was married twice. His first wife died at Athens in March, 1885, and afterward he married Miss Demetria J. Higgins, who still survives him. Brother Ardis was a Christian gentleman, modest and unpretending in all the relations of life. As a preacher he was fluent of speech, mighty in prayer, with a fine, soft voice, gifted in song, and deservedly popular with the people. Peace to his memory.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of L. F. Smith, who was suspended for one year.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Marshall District.

	Mem- bers.	Loc'l Pr's.
Marshall Station.....	415	3
Marshall Mission.....	200	1
Harrison Circuit.....	209	2
De Berry Circuit.....	303	3
Hallville Circuit.....	415	1
Longview Station.....	272	3
Kilgore Circuit.....	357	5
Church Hill Circuit.....	359	3
Henderson Station.....	180	1
Henderson Circuit.....	275	2
Beckville Circuit.....	523	1
	3,508	25

Tyler District.

Tyler Station.....	619	1
Tyler City Mission.....	106	.....
Tyler Circuit.....	518	1
Mineola Station.....	198	1

Tyler District (Continued).

	Mem- bers.	Loc' l Fr'a.
Lindale Circuit.....	406	3
Canton Circuit.....	351	1
Grand Saline Circuit.....	391	4
Edom Circuit.....	789	9
Athens and Malakoff.....	368	.....
New York Circuit.....	658	4
Lawndale Mission.....	500	2
Larissa Circuit.....	518	1
Whitehouse Circuit.....	384	2
Troup and Overton.....	586	5
	6,392	34

Palestine District.

Palestine Station.....	520	2
Elkhart Mission.....	306	2
Kickapoo Circuit.....	421	1
Augusta Circuit.....	324	1
Grapeland Circuit.....	223	3
Crockett Station.....	426	2
Crockett Circuit.....	473	.....
Trinity and Groveton.....	224	2
Sharon Mission.....	195	.....
Alto.....	471	3
New Birmingham Mission.....	110	1
Homer Circuit.....	386	2
Lufkin Station.....	414	1
Rusk Station.....	272	1
Jacksonville Station.....	178	.....
Trinity River Mission.....	22	.....
	4,965	21

San Augustine District.

San Augustine and Sexton.....	228	.....
San Augustine Mission.....	311	1
Melrose Circuit.....	626	6
Center and Timpson.....	306	1
Center Circuit.....	510	3
Shelbyville Circuit.....	552	6
Carthage Station.....	240	.....
Minden Circuit.....	704	3
Nacogdoches and Garrison.....	218	.....
Hemphill Circuit.....	440	4
Linn Flat Circuit.....	460	1
Teneha Circuit.....	256	3
Murvall Mission.....	244	3
Martinsville Mission.....	266	3
	5,371	34

Beaumont District.

Beaumont Station.....	326	3
Beaumont Mission.....	72	.....
Orange Station.....	249	.....
Jasper Station.....	118	.....
Jasper Circuit.....	330	3
Livingston Circuit.....	228	1
Woodville Circuit.....	163	4
Colmesneil Circuit.....	240	4
Moscow Circuit.....	355	5
Orange Circuit.....	105	1
Sunset Circuit.....	134	1
Liberty Circuit.....	215	1
Burkville Circuit.....	444	6
	2,979	29

Recapitulation.

Marshall District.....	3,508	25
Tyler District.....	6,392	34
Palestine District.....	4,965	21
San Augustine District.....	5,371	34
Beaumont District.....	2,979	29
Total this year.....	23,215	143
Total last year.....	22,977	126
Increase.....	238	17

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 905.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,526.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 194.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 1,242.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 10,038.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$1,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$2,107.80. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$3,943.97; Domestic Missions, \$1,484.63. Total, \$5,428.60.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,661.75.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 209½; value, \$201,286.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 42; value, \$32,782.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Alexander Institute: Teachers, 7; students, 173; value of property, \$12,000. Southwestern University: Teachers, 19; students, 486; value of property, \$135,684.81; paid to Curators, \$576.05.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Orange, Tex.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

MARSHALL DISTRICT.

John Adams, P. E.

Marshall Station, J. S. Mathis.  
 North Side, J. C. H. McKnight.  
 Harrison, J. M. Mills.  
 Longview Station, H. G. Scudday.  
 Hallville, W. M. Sproule.  
 Kilgore, J. M. Smith; J. B. Hall, Sup.  
 Church Hill, J. W. Lively.  
 Henderson Station, J. A. Smith.  
 Henderson Circuit, J. W. Bridges.  
 Beckville, W. W. McAnally.  
 De Berry, J. W. Downs.  
*Texas Christian Advocate*, James Campbell,  
 Editor.

TYLER DISTRICT.

T. P. Smith, P. E.

Tyler Station, W. M. Hayes.  
 Cedar Station, R. S. Finley.  
 Tyler Circuit, D. W. Towns.  
 Mineola Station, W. P. Pledger.  
 Lawndale, J. W. Griffin.  
 Canton, D. P. Cullen, A. A. Kidd.  
 Grand Saline, E. R. Large.  
 Edom, S. N. Allen.  
 Athens and Malakoff, J. C. Calhoun.  
 Lindale, M. L. Pate.  
 Larissa, J. B. Luker.  
 White House, T. T. Booth.  
 Troup and Overton, C. H. Smith.  
 New York, T. B. Vinson.

## PALESTINE DISTRICT.

*J. T. Smith, P. E.*

Palestine Station, D. F. C. Timmons.  
 Elkhart, C. B. Smith.  
 Brushy Creek, J. L. Dawson.  
 Augusta, A. J. Weeks.  
 Grapeland, to be supplied by J. L. Whitescarver.  
 Crockett Station, L. M. Fowler.  
 Crockett Circuit, to be supplied by A. Methvin.  
 Trinity and Groveton, V. A. Godbey.  
 Sharon, J. M. McCarter.  
 Alto, John Helpenstill.  
 New Birmingham, Ellis Smith.  
 Homer, J. R. Ritchie.  
 Lufkin, J. C. Box.  
 Rusk Station, J. W. Johnson.  
 Jack-onville Station, A. Little.  
 Trinity River, to be supplied by D. C. Neel.

## SAN AUGUSTINE DISTRICT.

*A. J. Frick, P. E.*

San Augustine and Sexton, W. A. Sampey.  
 San Augustine Circuit, to be supplied by William Pounds.  
 Melrose, G. W. Langley; A. D. Parks, Sup.  
 Hemphill, T. W. Boynton.  
 Center and Timpson, F. Smith.

Center Circuit, J. D. Burke.  
 Sharpsville, to be supplied by T. H. Price.  
 Garrison, W. W. Watts.  
 Minden, G. R. Hughes.  
 Nacogdoches Station, Leon Sonfield.  
 Appleby, H. W. Bowman.  
 Carthage Station, A. A. Waggon.  
 Murvall, to be supplied.  
 Shelbyville, L. A. Burk.  
 Teneha, L. A. Webb.  
 Linn Flat, to be supplied by G. R. Bryce.

## BEAUMONT DISTRICT.

*F. J. Browning, P. E.*

Beaumont Station, G. W. Riley.  
 Beaumont and Sabine Pass, to be supplied by John Jasper.  
 Liberty, J. J. Rafe.  
 Orange Station, G. V. Ridley.  
 Jasper Station, O. C. Fontaine.  
 Jasper Circuit, to be supplied by R. M. Stewart.  
 Livingston, L. C. Ellis.  
 Woodville, J. L. Wyche.  
 Colmesneil, G. B. Hines.  
 Moscow, J. M. Warren.  
 Sunset, to be supplied by O. A. Shook.  
 Burkville, W. D. Lum.  
 Orange Circuit, to be supplied by S. D. Horger.

## WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT WINSTON, N. C., NOV. 30-DEC. 5, 1892.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; C. C. MONTGOMERY, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. John M. Price, John D. Belk, James D. Gibson, David R. Proffitt, Lee T. Mann, Joseph J. Havener, Edgar W. Dixon, Jesse P. Rodgers, Joseph J. Edes, Thomas B. Johnson, Samuel T. Barber, Jacob R. Moose, Samuel D. Stamey, Perry R. Fulton, Alva W. Plyler, Albert Sherrill. 16.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? W. F. Womble, Andrew J. Burrus, John C. Mock, Miles H. Vestal, Henry H. Jordan, James J. Gray, Robert B. Shelton, William H. Nelson, Charles H. Curtis, William H. Perry. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Thomas B. McCurdy, James M. Rice, William S. C. Cherry, Perley E. Parker, Tevis E. Weaver, William L. Sherrill, Robert D. Sherrill, Ebenezer Myers, Henry T. Hoover, Thomas W. Mansfield, Lorenzo D. Gillespie, Walter M. Curtis, John F. Crowell. 13.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? E. M. Merritt, J. A. Cook, H. F. Chreitzburg. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? William P. McGhee, D. Franklin Carver, Alfred R. Surratt, Edward J. Poe, Parker Holmes, Walter L. Dawson, Joseph H. West, Anthony W. Jacobs, William V. Honeycutt, Thomas J. Rodgers. 10.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? James M. Rice, William S. C. Cherry, Tevis E. Weaver, Robert D. Sherrill, Henry T. Hoover, T. W. Mansfield, Walter M. Curtis, Perley E. Parker, William L. Sherrill, Ebenezer Myers, John F. Crowell. 11.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? James M. Rice, Walter M. Curtis, William S. C. Cherry, Perley E. Parker, Tevis E. Weaver, W. L. Sherrill, Robert D. Sherrill, Ebenezer Myers, Henry

T. Hoover, Thomas W. Mansfield, John F. Crowell. 11.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Jacob R. Moose, J. M. Price, Edgar Dixon, L. B. Albertson. 4.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Jacob R. Moose, J. M. Price, Edgar Dixon, L. B. Albertson. 4.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Lee A. Falls, S. B. Turrentine, H. L. Atkins, J. C. Troy, W. G. Malonee. 5.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? L. A. Falls, S. B. Turrentine, H. L. Atkins, J. C. Troy, W. G. Malonee. 5.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? James E. Petree, Wilbur LeGette. 2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? James E. Petree, Wilbur LeGette. 2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Isaac F. Keerans. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? E. J. Eudailey, J. S. Burnett, S. H. Holsabeek, J. F. Austin, J. D. Carpenter, T. W. Smith, J. P. Reynolds. 7.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? C. D. Smith, W. W. Albea, W. S. Haltom, C. M. Pepper, S. D. Peeler, J. W. Wheeler, C. W. King, W. H. Cooper, W. M. Kerr, J. W. Bird, J. W. Puett, R. W. Pickens, C. M. Anderson, S. M. Davis, J. A. Wiggins, Z. Rush, J. C. Thomas, R. G. Barrett. 18.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Hilary T. Hudson, M. W. Boyles, J. T. Crocker. 3.

HILARY THOMAS HUDSON was born near Mocksville, Davie County, N. C., November 15, 1823. He was the eldest of the three children of John and Diana Hudson. His only brother, John W. Hudson, now lives in the city of Winston, and his only sister, Mrs. Susan Parnell, is now dead. His father, a good and true man of God, died when Hilary was only five years of age, leaving his widow with very limited means to rear his children. This good, strong-minded woman was equal to the task, and trained them up "in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." Hilary worked on the farm till he was nineteen years of age, when he was apprenticed to a carriage maker. While thus employed he appropriated every spare moment to the study of grammar and other elementary branches of an education. His friends, seeing his studious habits, opened the way for him to attend the academy at Mocksville. His progress was so gratifying that when his academic course was completed they again made the way for him to attend Randolph-Macon College, Va. Not having the means to complete the college course, he returned home and taught school in Iredell County. While teaching here he was licensed to preach. At the session of

the North Carolina Conference held in Salisbury in 1851 he was received on trial. He was ordained deacon in 1853, at Raleigh, by Bishop Paine, and elder in 1855, at Wilmington, by Bishop Andrew. His work in the Conference was as follows: 1852, Washington Station; 1853-54, Salisbury Station; 1855, Hillsboro; 1856-57, Chapel Hill; 1858, Roanoke Circuit; 1859, Salisbury Station; 1860-61, Wilson; 1862-63, Greensboro; 1864-65, Fayetteville; 1866-69, Edenton Street, Raleigh. During the year 1868 his wife died, leaving one son, now living and practicing law in Shelby, N. C. She was Miss Hattie Cole, of Greensboro. In 1870 he served Salisbury District; 1871, Warrenton Station; 1872, Associate Editor of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*. During this year he was married to Miss Mary T. Lee, of Mecklenburg County, N. C. In 1873 he was appointed to Warrenton Station; 1874-77, Shelby Station; 1878, Shelby Circuit; 1879, Shelby and King's Mountain; 1880, Rockingham Station; 1881-84, Shelby District; 1885-87, on the superannuated list. At the Fayetteville Conference in 1887 he was again put on the effective list, and appointed to Morgantown and Mariou, but was afterward changed to Fallston Circuit, where he labored during the years 1888-91. At the last Conference, held at Asheville, he was appointed to the Shelby Circuit. On coming home he contracted a cold, which soon developed into a mild attack of "grip." Through the remainder of the winter he bore up heroically against this disease. When spring came it was seen that the physical man was succumbing to the pressure, and that the mental was in strong sympathy. He was taken to the state hospital at Morganton April 27, 1892. He gradually improved, and his dear wife began to be more cheerful and to arrange for his return. On the morning of June 20 the "wire" told us that loving friends were bringing him home, but his spirit had ascended to his Father and his God. He represented his Church in two General Conferences, the one at Nashville, Tenn., in 1882, and St. Louis, Mo., in 1890. The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Rutherford College in 1879. The distinctive characteristics of Dr. Hudson were very decided and marked. He was a preacher—judged by the highest standard, he was a great preacher. His sermons were preëminently luminous. Dr. Hudson's great power as a teacher of men was with the pen. He was the author of several valuable works, the most conspicuous of which are the "Methodist Armor" and "Shield of the Young Methodist." He had just finished a new book and had it ready for the press, but unfortunately the manuscript cannot now be found among his papers. He wrote largely for the columns of the press, being intimately connected for a long while with the *Raleigh Christian Advocate* as editor, associate editor, and corre-



sponding editor. He did not aspire to *Review* articles, but wrote as he preached—for the people. When the evils of the day were to be met he was called for to take the lead, which he did with the courage and boldness of a hero. When his leadership was no longer needed he was as unobtrusive and as gentle as a child. Where he lived longest he was best loved. His religious life was a heavenly life. His faith joined the present and future life so closely that the partition wall was but a shadow. The gentle, saintly, sweet-spirited Dr. Hudson has made the voyage with his Pilot, and now awaits his comrades on the other shore.

MARCUS W. BOYLES was born in Lincoln County, N. C., October 27, 1849; and died in Lexington, N. C., of *la grippe*, or rheumatism of the heart, on the night of January 15, 1892. He was brought up on a farm; was reared in obscurity, poverty, and without educational advantages. His grandfather was a local Methodist preacher. He was from childhood not only shielded from evil influences, but he was always under the restraint and healthful discipline of a Christian home. Here the solid foundation of his Christian character was laid. In the year 1860 he joined the Methodist Church as a seeker of religion, being about eighteen years of age. On July 9, 1861, he entered the Confederate army as a soldier in the First Regiment, North Carolina Volunteers. He was taken to Virginia, and soon put on the important duty of a nurse in the hospital at Fredericksburg. He remained in that station about three years. He returned to his company in April, 1864, for active field duty, and was at the battle of the Wilderness on the 5th and 6th of May, and at Spottsylvania on the 12th of May. At Winchester he was taken sick and given a furlough of forty days, which was afterward extended thirty days. He then returned to the Valley of Virginia to his command, which was soon ordered to Petersburg in March, 1863, and on the 1st and 2d of April was engaged in the battles around that city. He was captured at the post of duty while on the retreat to Danville. He was imprisoned at Point Lookout on April 14, and remained there until June 23, when he was released and returned home. He served from the beginning to the close of the war, discharging every duty, and without being absent a day without permission. He was converted at Church Hill, near Richmond, Va. He was married to Miss Susan A. Wood March 14, 1866. Ten children were born to them, of whom six are living: Augustus C., Franklin C., Joseph H., Marcus M., Pitman B., and Ola Blanche. In 1872 he felt called of God to the ministry, but saw that poverty and a want of sufficient education were in the way. By the assistance of his faithful, Christian wife, he spent one and a half sessions at school, and was licensed to preach and rec-

ommended to the Annual Conference on June 10, 1873, for admission on trial. He was admitted at Goldsboro in the fall of that year, and sent to Monroe Circuit, which he served for two years. He then served the Cokesbury Circuit two years; the Uwharrie, three; the Robeson, four; the Mt. Gilthead, four; and the Davidson, three, and had entered upon the fourth year when the Master called him from labor to reward. In his memorandum we find that 1,179 souls had been converted and received into the Church during the seventeen years of his ministry. He said to his son, who came from Greensboro because of his sickness: "Have you come to see me die? It is all right with me either way." He said to his physician, "Tell me plainly what you think of my case?" and received the answer, "You are very sick, but I hope that with care it will all be right." To which he replied: "It will all be right with me, let it terminate as it may." He talked much of his work and prayed with great fervor for his family and for his people.

JAMES T. CROCKER was born in Northampton County, N. C., about the year 1840, and when he grew up to young manhood was sent to our State University, where he received his education, after which he chose for his life work the profession of the law, which he pursued successfully, with honor and credit to himself, being highly respected by the profession for his high legal attainments. After following his profession some fifteen years, under the influence of the gospel he became fully convinced of his sinful and lost estate and his great need of salvation. During a protracted meeting held at Asheboro, N. C., in October, 1888, he gave heed to the calls of God, and with deep contrition of spirit he voluntarily came to the altar of prayer, and there on his knees sought the Lord until he was enabled to accept Christ as his Redeemer and Saviour. He soon arose, with his countenance all radiant with peace and joy, and confessed that Christ had pardoned all his sins and set him free from the bondage of Satan. His faithful and consistent after life convinced all that his confession was of the Lord. He soon felt called to preach the gospel, and expressed his determination to obey the call; and so fully convinced were his brethren of his sincerity and the genuineness of the call that they gave him every encouragement and indorsement necessary to his entrance on this high and holy calling. Grace, gifts, and abundant fruits were conspicuous in his ministrations of the glorious gospel. Sinners were converted; saints were edified and comforted and built up in the most holy faith. He and his devoted and faithful wife literally left all to follow Christ in the itinerant ministry of our Church. He was recommended to the Conference held at Concord two years ago, and was received on

trial and sent to the Jamestown Circuit, where he remained till last October, laboring for the conversion of sinners and the up-building of the Church of God with much success. He was caught by a passing train and instantly killed. His ministerial life was very short, but it was successful and glorious from first to last.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference.

*Greensboro District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Greensboro: West Market Street..	446		4
Centenary.....	255		2
Greensboro Circuit.....	534		
Reidsville Station.....	370		2
Ruffin Circuit.....	612		2
Wentworth Circuit.....	223		
Summerfield Circuit.....	469		1
Jamestown Circuit.....	409		1
Pleasant Garden Circuit.....	485		
High Point Station.....	277		1
Randleman Station.....	245		3
Asheboro Station.....	210		
Ramseur Circuit.....	562		2
Randolph Circuit.....	1,050		8
Uwharrie Circuit.....	686		
Uwharrie Mission.....	306		1
	7,189		27

*Winston District.*

Winston: Centenary.....	844		3
Burkhead.....	187		
Forsyth Circuit.....	864		4
Kernersville Circuit.....	369		1
Madison Circuit.....	613		1
Danbury Circuit.....	329	1	1
Stokes Circuit.....	563		
Thomasville Station.....	310		
Zion Prospect Circuit.....	334		
Lexington Station.....	237		
Davidson Circuit.....	1,029		4
North Yadkin Circuit.....	443	1	3
South Yadkin Circuit.....	187		2
	6,308	2	19

*Mt. Airy District.*

Mt. Airy Station.....	380		1
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	621		8
Dobson Circuit.....	481	6	4
Elkin and Jonesville Station.....	175		1
Wilkes Circuit.....	375	1	
Reddie's River Mission.....	172	3	
Sparta Circuit.....	297		4
Jefferson Circuit.....	457		5
Watauga Circuit.....	267		2
Creston Circuit.....	393		2
Boone Circuit.....	218		
Elk Park Circuit.....	197		
	4,036	10	27

*Statesville District.*

Statesville Station.....	391	1	1
Statesville Circuit.....	711		
Iredell Circuit.....	636		2
Mooresville Circuit.....	881		4
Catawba Circuit.....	773		1
Newton Circuit.....	622		2
Alexander Circuit.....	1,010		1
Hickory and Lenoir Station.....	454		2
Lenoir Circuit.....	523	2	1
Caldwell Circuit.....	675		3

*Statesville District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Connelly Springs Circuit.....	523		7
Morganton Station.....	179		1
Morganton Circuit.....	815		2
Table Rock Circuit.....	841		1
Marion Station.....	94		1
McDowell Circuit.....	662		
	9,790	3	29

*Salisbury District.*

Salisbury Station.....	419	1	2
Chestnut Hill Mission.....	189		1
Salisbury Circuit.....	450		
Woodleaf Circuit.....	424		3
Mocksville Circuit.....	945		1
Farmington Circuit.....	908		1
Concord: Central.....	253		
Forest Hill.....	400		1
Concord Circuit.....	400		
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	481		1
Albemarle Circuit.....	591	1	
Norwood Circuit.....	498		
Salem Circuit.....	481		
Mt. Zion Station.....	389		1
Enochville Circuit.....	506		2
Gold Hill Circuit.....	430		1
	7,765	2	14

*Charlotte District.*

Charlotte: Tryon Street.....	781		1
Church Street.....	164		2
Charlotte Circuit.....	445		1
Matthews Circuit.....	481		
Clear Creek Circuit.....	482	1	1
Pineville Circuit.....	277		
Pleasant Grove Circuit.....	795		3
Monroe Station.....	379		
Monroe Circuit.....	728		
Wadesboro Station.....	197		1
Wadesboro Circuit.....	813		2
Ansonville Circuit.....	442	2	
Lilesville Circuit.....	440		
Rocky River Mission.....	128		
	6,552	3	11

*Shelby District.*

Shelby Station.....	212		
Shelby Circuit.....	384		1
King's Mountain Circuit.....	408		1
Gastonia Station.....	317		
MeAdenville Circuit.....	275		
Stanley Creek Circuit.....	376		2
Mt. Holly Circuit.....	262		
Mt. Island Station.....	180		
Rock Springs Circuit.....	519		1
Lincolnton Circuit.....	608		1
East Lincoln Circuit.....	437		
South Fork Circuit.....	756		4
Fallston Circuit.....	636		4
Double Shoals Circuit.....	572	1	1
Forest City Circuit.....	402		2
Heuvietta Circuit.....	514		1
Rutherford Circuit.....	421		1
Polk Circuit.....	369	1	2
	7,657	2	21

*Asheville District.*

Asheville: Central Church.....	545		4
North Asheville.....	100		
Riverside.....	151		
Bethel and College Streets.....	93		
Weaverville Circuit.....	656		4
Sulphur Springs Circuit.....	619		3
Swannanoa Circuit.....	366		2
Ivy Circuit.....	179		1
Leicester Circuit.....	503		2
Cane Creek Circuit.....	550		1
Hendersonville Station.....	111		
Mills River Circuit.....	401		1
Brevard Circuit.....	326		1
Hot Springs Circuit.....	322		1
Burnsville Circuit.....	675		3
Bakersville Station.....	176		

Asheville District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Toe River Circuit.....	212		1
Spring Creek Mission .....	266		2
Old Fort Circuit.....	378		2
	6,629	2	28

Franklin District.

Franklin Station.....	201		
Franklin Circuit.....	275		
Macon Circuit.....	716		1
Waynesville Station.....	178		
Pigeon River Circuit.....	570		5
Haywood Circuit.....	427		1
North Haywood Circuit.....	407		3
Webster Circuit.....	314		2
Hamburg Mission.....	144		1
Bryson City Station.....	127		1
Bryson City Circuit.....	278		2
Hayesville Circuit.....	492		5
Murphy Station.....	141		1
Andrews Circuit.....	240		
Hiwassee Mission.....	128		1
Robbinsville Mission .....	108		1
	4,741		24

Recapitulation.

Greensboro District.....	7,189		27
Winston District.....	6,303	2	19
Mt. Airy District.....	4,036	10	27
Statesville District.....	8,790	3	29
Salisbury District.....	7,765	2	14
Charlotte District.....	6,552	3	11
Shelby District.....	7,651	2	21
Asheville District.....	6,629	2	28
Franklin District.....	4,741		24
Total this year.....	60,666	24	200
Total last year.....	59,013	35	169
Increase.....	1,653		31
Decrease.....		11	

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,892.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,167.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 623.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 4,061.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 40,752.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,100.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$4,050.68. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,002.28; Domestic Missions, \$4,976.44. Total, \$13,978.72.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,615.25.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 606; value, \$640,447.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 89; value, \$173,987.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Teachers, 52; pupils, 682; value of property, \$241,000.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Tyron Street Church, Charlotte, N. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

J. R. Brooks, P. E.

Greensboro: West Market Street, S. H. Hilliard.

Centenary, W. M. Bagby.

Greensboro Circuit, J. M. Lumley.

Reidsville Station, W. R. Ware.

Ruffin Circuit, L. M. Brower.

Wentworth Circuit, W. F. Womble.

Summerfield Circuit, J. F. Craven.

Jamestown Circuit, S. T. Barber.

Pleasant Garden Circuit, J. B. Tabor.

High Point Station, J. W. Jones.

Randleman Station, N. R. Richardson; J. D. Carpenter, Sup.

Asheboro Station, Parker Holmes.

Ramseur Circuit, R. S. Abernethy.

Randolph Circuit, J. E. Woosley.

Uwharrie Circuit, J. W. Strider.

East Uwharrie Circuit, W. H. Nelson.

Trinity College, J. F. Crowell, President; L. W. Crawford, Professor and Financial Agent.

Trinity High School, J. F. Heitman, Head Master.

WINSTON DISTRICT.

P. J. Carraway, P. E.

Winston: Centenary, S. B. Turrentine.

Burkhead Church, J. R. Moose.

Grace Church, W. M. Curtis.

Forsythe Circuit, T. F. Gibson.

Kernersville Circuit, E. J. Poe.

Madison Circuit, H. F. Wiley.

Danbury Circuit, J. C. Mock.

Stokes Circuit, M. H. Vestal; S. H. Helsebeck, Sup.

Thomasville Station, W. S. Hales.

Zion and Prospect Circuit, J. H. Totten.

Lexington Station, T. A. Boone.

Davidson Circuit, G. W. Hardison.

Linwood Circuit, T. H. Pegram.

Yadkinville Circuit, M. C. Field.

MT. AIRY DISTRICT.

R. M. Hoyle, P. E.

Mt. Airy Station, H. M. Blair.

Mt. Airy Circuit, H. L. Atkins.

Dobson Circuit, to be supplied by J. B. Tucker.

Elkin and Jonesville, J. C. Hartsell.

Wilkesboro Circuit, A. E. Wiley.

North Wilkesboro Circuit, T. R. Fulton; E. J. Eudailey, Sup.

Sparta Circuit, W. H. Perry.

Jefferson Circuit, J. A. Cook.

Watauga Circuit, A. J. Burrus.

Creston Circuit, J. M. Rice.

Boone Circuit, W. S. C. Cherry.

\* This includes 60 Indians in Bryson City Circuit, Franklin District.

## STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. R. Scroggs, P. E.*

Statesville Station, D. Atkins, James Will-  
son.  
Statesville Circuit, R. S. Webb.  
Iredell Circuit, M. D. Giles.  
Mooresville Station, J. A. Bowles.  
Mooresville Circuit, W. L. Dawson.  
Mt. Zion Station, J. O. Shellev.  
East Lincoln Circuit, J. W. Clegg.  
Rock Springs Circuit, P. L. Terrell.  
Catawba Circuit, J. M. Downum.  
Newton Circuit, G. W. Ivey.  
Hickory and Lenoir, C. G. Little.  
Connelly Springs Circuit, W. L. Sherrill.  
Lenoir Circuit, H. H. Jordan.  
Caldwell Circuit, J. J. Brooks.  
Alexander Circuit, J. T. Stover.  
Davenport Female College, J. F. England,  
Financial Agent.

## SALISBURY DISTRICT.

*J. J. Renn, P. E.*

Salisbury Station, W. H. Leith.  
Chestnut Hill Mission, to be supplied by A.  
L. Coburn.  
Salisbury Circuit, R. F. Bryant.  
Woodleaf Circuit, P. E. Parker.  
Mocksville Circuit, C. M. Gentry, W. C.  
Wilson.  
Farmington Circuit, L. E. Stacey.  
Concord: Central Church, S. Pool, T. W.  
Smith.  
Forest Hill, M. A. Smith.  
Concord Circuit, A. R. Surratt.  
Mt. Pleasant Circuit, T. T. Salyer.  
Albemarle Circuit, R. M. Taylor.  
Norwood Circuit, Z. Paris.  
Salem Circuit, W. V. Honeycutt.  
Enochville Circuit, T. L. Triplett.  
Gold Hill Circuit, T. W. Mansfield.

## CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

*A. P. Tyler, P. E.*

Charlotte: Tryon Street, W. S. Creasy.  
Church Street, J. B. Carpenter.  
B Street, J. D. Belk.  
Charlotte Circuit, E. G. Pusey.  
Matthews Circuit, R. T. N. Stephenson.  
Clear Creek Circuit, E. M. Merritt.  
Pineville Circuit, T. P. Bonner.  
Pleasant Grove Circuit, C. C. Brothers.  
Monroe Station, W. R. Barnett.  
Monroe Circuit, J. C. Postell.  
Wadesboro Station, F. L. Townsend.  
Morven Circuit, J. S. Nelson.  
Ansonville Circuit, J. H. Moore.  
Lilesville Circuit, B. A. York.

## SHELBY DISTRICT.

*C. W. Byrd, P. E.*

Shelby Station, J. E. Thompson.  
Shelby Circuit, A. J. Gantt.  
King's Mountain Circuit, J. W. Bowman.

Gastonia Circuit, C. M. Campbell.  
McAdenville Circuit, J. M. Price.  
Stanley Creek Circuit, L. A. Falls.  
Mt. Holly Circuit, E. W. Dixon.  
Mountain Island Station, T. J. Rogers.  
Lincolnton Station, M. T. Steele, J. J. Hav-  
ener.  
South Fork Circuit, M. V. Sherrill.  
Fallston Circuit, D. P. Tate.  
Polkville Circuit, S. S. Gasque.  
Forest City Circuit, Wilbur LeGette.  
Henrietta Circuit, Samuel Stamey.  
Bellwood Academy, J. P. Rogers, Principal.

## MORGANTON DISTRICT.

*F. H. Wood, P. E.*

Morganton Station, J. H. Page.  
Morganton Circuit, T. S. Ellington.  
Table Rock Circuit, J. D. Buic.  
Marion Station, G. W. Callahan.  
McDowell Circuit, T. H. Edwards.  
Old Fort Circuit, Albert Sherrill.  
Rutherfordton Circuit, M. H. Hoyle.  
Broad River Circuit, J. A. Belk.  
Saluda and Tryon City, W. B. Lyda.  
Green River, J. J. Edes.  
Burnsville Circuit, to be supplied by L. D.  
Gillespie.  
Bakersville Station, L. T. Mann.  
Elk Park Circuit, to be supplied.  
Bald Creek Circuit, T. E. Weaver.  
North Cove Circuit, J. D. Gibson.

## ASHEVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. H. Weaver, P. E.*

Asheville: Central Church, H. F. Chreitz-  
berg; J. S. Burnett, Sup.  
North Asheville, R. D. Sherrill.  
Riverside, J. C. Troy.  
Bethel and College Street, E. L. Stamey.  
Weaverville Circuit, T. E. Wagg; J. F. Aus-  
tin, Sup.  
Sulphur Springs Circuit, J. A. Clark.  
Swannanoa Circuit, H. T. Hoover.  
Leicester Circuit, J. A. Sronce; J. P. Rey-  
nolds, Sup.  
Cane Creek Circuit, W. M. Boring.  
Hendersonville Station, Ira Erwin.  
Mills River Circuit, J. H. West.  
Brevard Circuit, Ebenezer Myers.  
Hot Springs Station, A. W. Plyler.  
Spring Creek Circuit, to be supplied by J. C.  
Logan.  
Marshall Circuit, D. R. Proffitt.  
*Western Carolina Advocate*, P. L. Groome,  
Editor.  
Asheville Female College, J. D. Arnold, Pro-  
fessor.

## FRANKLIN DISTRICT.

*J. C. Rowe, P. E.*

Franklin Station, D. H. Comann.  
Franklin Circuit, T. B. Johnson.  
Macon Circuit, W. G. Malonee.  
Waynesville Station, J. E. Gay.  
Canton Circuit, W. P. McGee.

Haywood Circuit, D. F. Carver.  
 West Haywood Circuit, to be supplied by R. H. Penland; J. R. Long, Sup.  
 Webster Circuit, T. B. McCurdy.  
 Glenville Circuit, C. H. Curtis.  
 Bryson City Station, T. F. Marr.  
 Bryson City Circuit, R. B. Shelton.  
 Hayesville Circuit, A. W. Jacobs, H. P. Bailey.  
 Murphy Station, L. T. Cordell.

Andrews Circuit, to be supplied by Z. V. Cordell.  
 Hiwassee Circuit, J. J. Gray.  
 Robbinsville Mission, to be supplied by J. C. Wilson.

*Transferred.*—T. W. Guthrie, S. P. Douglas, and T. W. S. Parker, to the North Carolina Conference; H. W. Bays, to the South Carolina Conference, and stationed at Abbeville.

## VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.

HELD AT NORFOLK, VA., NOVEMBER 16-22, 1892.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; PAUL WHITEHEAD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Edward T. Dadmun, Robert F. Beadles, Luther T. Hitt, Richard G. James, James N. Latham, Robert E. Bentley, John R. Gill, W. A. Christian, James W. Baker, George W. Carter, Adrian L. Carson, Charles H. Williams, James K. Jolliff, Henry C. Bunting, Robert W. Webb, James B. Chitty, George F. Green, Joseph A. Thomas, Henry E. Johnson. 19.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Charles H. Galloway, Edgar A. Potts, W. J. Williams, Albert S. J. Rice, Benjamin M. Beckham, G. Hansford Spooner, W. C. Smith, Asa Driscoll, William E. Thompson, John B. Winn, Frederick B. Glenn, Leroy L. Banks, Daniel B. Austin, Samuel W. Day, Emmett F. Garner. 15.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Otway P. Moorman, James W. Heckman, Samuel R. Drewry, Eugene H. Rawlings, Samuel W. Eason, William B. Jett, John A. Smith. 7.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. W. Royall, from the Western Virginia Conference; C. F. Sherrill, from the North Carolina Conference; James W. Moore, from the Holston Conference; A. Coke Smith, from the South Carolina Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Leroy J. Phaup, E. V. Carson, John L. Bray, Thomas N. Potts, M. S. Elliott, Randolph T. Clarke, William R. Proctor, Arthur R. Goodchild, James H. Pike. 9.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Otway P. Moorman, Samuel R. Drewry, Samuel W. Eason, William B. Jett, John A. Smith. 5.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are or-

daind deacons? Otway P. Moorman, Samuel R. Drewry, Samuel W. Eason, William B. Jett, John A. Smith. 5.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? David H. Kern, Robert F. Beadles, James W. Baker, Thomas T. Garthwright, Henry C. Bunting, John A. Thomas, A. A. Whitmore, William E. Thompson, A. S. J. Rice, Leroy Lee Banks. 10.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? David H. Kern, Robert F. Beadles, James W. Baker, Thomas T. Garthwright, Henry C. Bunting, John A. Thomas, A. A. Whitmore, William E. Thompson, Leroy Lee Banks. 9.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? James H. Moss, W. A. S. Conrad, Porter Hardy, James Cannon, Jr., Cyrus Roper James, James W. Moore. 6.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James H. Moss, W. A. S. Conrad, Porter Hardy, James Cannon, Jr., Cyrus Roper James, James W. Moore. 6.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? Walter J. Hubbard, Richard H. Bennett. 2.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? William H. Camper, Thomas H. Early, Henry C. Bowles, B. F. Smith, J. Wiley Bledsoe. 5.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? H. T. Bacon, Thomas J. Bayton, Thomas M. Beckham, F. J. Boggs, James F. Brannin, William A. Crocker, R. N. Crooks, John B. Dey, Joseph J. Edwards, Alex. M. Hall, E. M. Jordan, S. S. Lambeth, John B. Laurens, John McClelland, James A. Riddick, William A. Robinson, Joseph R. Sturgis, James R. Waggener, David M. Wallace, Davis P. Wills, E. P. Wilson, Thomas P. Wise. 22.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Thomas H. Boggs, Leonidas Rosser, Jacob Shough, James F. Twitty, John W. Tucker. 5.

THOMAS H. BOGGS entered life in Frederick County, Va., November 15, 1833; the Christian life, in Weston, Lewis County, Va., at the age of sixteen; the local ministry, October 17, 1854; the itinerancy, November, 1855; and heaven, December 3, 1891. From the second to the last of these dates he was faithful, and did as much honest work for the Master and his cause as strength and opportunity would permit. He belonged to that long line of preachers whose efforts are confined to missions and circuits, and whose labors have contributed so largely to make Methodism what it is. In every charge that he served the Lord blessed his labors, revivals followed, the membership increased, and every department of the work prospered. His father was of Celtic, his mother of Teutonic blood—sturdy stock on both sides—a combination of intellectual force and fervid sensibility, a union of strength and beauty. He was married on December 14, 1859, to Miss Sallie Withers Adams, daughter of Rev. Thomas Adams, Lunenburg County, Va. She has been a fond, devoted wife, helping her husband in his work as a minister of Christ. The widow and five sons survive him. At the last Conference in Petersburg, when the appointments had been announced and the good-byes uttered, the subject of this memoir was apparently as well as he had been for years. But even then *la grippe* was insidiously taking hold of him. He returned home, the disease attacked his lungs, and in two weeks, on December 3, he received an honorable discharge and went up to put on his crown. In his last illness his wife says: "He was calm, resigned, patient, and gentle as a lamb. His only solicitude was for the work to which he had been appointed. Without a struggle or groan he passed away."

LEONIDAS ROSSER was born in Petersburg, Va., July 31, 1851; and died in Ashland, Va., January 25, 1892. In childhood and youth he was blessed with the care, the counsels, and prayers of a discreet, devout mother. In 1828 he was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1834 he was called of God to preach the gospel. For some time he had been ardently cherishing other plans of life. But as soon as he heard the voice of God he renounced his own plans and entered on a course of preparation for the ministry. After preparatory studies in Wesleyan Academy, Massachusetts, he entered Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn. He graduated in 1838, receiving the degree of Master of Arts. The university was at that time presided over by one of Israel's princes, Rev. Wilbur Fisk, D.D. Dr. Rosser always regarded it one of the most

fortunate circumstances of his life that while his mental habits and tastes and his religious character were yet in their formative state, he was brought into relations with and enjoyed the instructions and guidance of a man so wise and Christlike. Immediately after graduation he entered on the work of the ministry. He joined the New York Conference on trial, and labored nearly two years in Wethersfield, Conn. His ministry there was crowned with great success. In 1840 he was transferred to the Virginia Conference, and maintained an unbroken connection with it until his death. He traveled the Charlotte, Warrenton, Bedford, and Pungoteague Circuits, and the Fredericksburg, Norfolk, Lynchburg, Richmond, and Randolph-Macon Districts. He served stations in Richmond, Alexandria, Washington City, Charlottesville, Portsmouth, and Farmville. While pastor of the Church in Charlottesville he was also chaplain of the University of Virginia. He was two years editor of the *Richmond Christian Advocate*, three years missionary to Ewell's Corps in the Confederate army, and seven years evangelist with the sanction of his Conference. He was elected to four successive General Conferences. In 1886 his name was placed on the list of supernumeraries, and in 1889 on that of superannuates. But these five years of retirement from the effective ranks were crowded with evangelistic work in his own and in other states. Nearly the whole of the last year of his life was spent in such work in Texas. During the year he preached nearly four hundred times.

JACOB SHOUGH was born in the city of Philadelphia November 11, 1814; and died at the home of his son, Watson R. Shough, in Patrick County, Virginia, February 1, 1892, at the age of nearly four score years. He was the son of Jacob and Elizabeth Shough, who were of German extraction. In 1817 his parents moved from Philadelphia to Harper's Ferry, Va., and at a tender age he was bound as an apprentice to a tailor in Martinsburg. His opportunities for acquiring intellectual training were, at this time, very limited. Being deprived of the advantages of school, he spent his spare hours in reading and in storing his mind with useful knowledge. Some of the members of the family with whom he lived while in Martinsburg were Methodists, and in his fourteenth year he made a profession of his faith in Jesus, and united at once with the Methodist Episcopal Church. In March, 1839, at the age of twenty-five, he joined the Baltimore Conference, and was immediately transferred to the Virginia Conference, and appointed to Madison Circuit. From that time he served for twenty-seven years in the regular itinerant work among his brethren. During this period of active service his labors were mostly confined to the rural portions of the Conference, and during the

latter part of his active ministry he filled the following appointments: Buckingham, Princess Anne, Gloucester, Halifax, Pittsylvania, and Patrick Circuits. In 1866 he was forced, by impaired health, to take his place among the superannuates of the Conference. Being a man of a weak constitution and of a delicate nervous temperament, he never regained sufficient health to fill the place of a regular itinerant. But he still remained an earnest, faithful, and con-secrated servant of God. He loved Methodism as taught by its founder, and would have suffered a martyrdom for his faith. The simplicity of his life, the earnestness of his soul, the firmness of his character, and the sincerity of his piety, together with his modest and affable manners, won for him the love and esteem of all who knew him. He was twice married. His first wife, Miss Jane Y. Bishop, of Shepherdstown, Jefferson County, W. Va., lived only twenty-two months after marriage, leaving him one child, who became the wife of the late Rev. J. W. Wonnycott, of the Virginia Conference. In 1842 he married his second wife, Miss Lucy Fitzhugh Stuart, of King George County, Virginia. She was a kind and affectionate companion, consistent in her daily walk and conversation. This godly woman passed away August 6, 1887, only five years before the death of her sainted husband. The fruit of the second marriage was five boys and two girls, all of whom are now dead except two sons and one daughter, who live in the same county in which their father died.

JAMES FITTS TWITTY was the son of Thomas T. and Evelyn Twitty. They were both natives of North Carolina, and their son, James, was born in that state, at Warrenton, May 4, 1848. While he was an infant his parents removed to New Orleans. In the year 1853 that dread scourge, yellow fever, appeared as an epidemic, and to escape it the family went to Covington, La. The disease, however, pursued them, and all, including James, were sick, his mother and two brothers dying. Notwithstanding this calamity, his father remained in the South, and his son continued there till the first year of the war, when he returned to Warren County, N. C., and worked on the farm of an uncle, with whom he lived. Though under eighteen, he had just arranged to join the Confederate army when the war was terminated by Lee's surrender. Meantime he had sought salvation and been converted at a small church in Warren County, N. C., in the year 1864, and becoming impressed that it was his duty to preach the gospel, he came in the year 1867 to Petersburg, Va., where his brother-in-law, Dr. James A. Duncan, was pastor of Washington Street Church, seeking a better preparation for that great work. While living with Dr. Duncan, he was licensed to preach, and in 1868, Dr. Duncan being elected President of

Randolph-Macon College, removed from his old site and relocated at Ashland, changed his residence to Ashland, and James Twitty came with him, and was enrolled as a student of the college. He was in his twenty-first year, a tall youth of pleasant address and evident promise of intellectual progress. He was a student three years. He entered the itinerancy at the Conference held in Portsmouth in November, 1871. His first appointment was Powhatan Circuit. Perhaps, for his health, it was a mistake that he had but one year of circuit work. But such young men were in demand for stations, and he was sent to Murfreesboro, N. C., and afterward, in succession, to Charlottesville, Farmville, Queen Street (Norfolk), Elizabeth City, N. C., Suffolk, and at length to Market Street, Petersburg. In this, the most important pastoral charge committed to him, he had served three years, when, at the Conference of 1890, he was made presiding elder of the Petersburg District. His health had been threatened more than once, and was often a matter of anxiety to his kindred, and in his last year at Market Street he was obliged to take himself to the mountains for rest and recuperation. In the latter part of the spring of 1891 he fell sick on his district, and after some time struggling to keep up the failing flesh, he was compelled to succumb and leave his work to be done by others. Consumption of the bowels had set in. At Conference he was too sick and feeble to attend its session, though held in Petersburg. With his patient acquiescence, he was placed on the superannuated list, and his brethren, fearing the worst, provided for the wants of his family, for which act of love he was deeply grateful. On January 12, 1892, his household removed with him to Christiansburg, Va., where it was hoped he might improve. There he made many friends among the kind people of that town. All who saw him were attracted and attached to him, and kinder and more affectionate attentions from comparative strangers never followed a sick man down his path to the grave. He did not rally. Aware of his condition, he preserved a cheerful spirit and grew riper for heaven while he waited the Master's summons. This came on the night of July 12, just six months after his coming to Christiansburg. He died in perfect peace, conscious to the last, and assuring a clerical brother who ministered beside his dying bed that "all was well," and that he had unbroken and sustaining communion with the Lord Jesus his Saviour.

JOHN W. TUCKER was born in Amherst County, Virginia, July 28, 1836; and died at Gatesville, Gates County, N. C., September 21, 1892. He commenced life under adverse circumstances. Bereft in boyhood of a child's chief stay, his mother, he went out from home as an apprentice to the trade of brick

laying and plastering. He pursued this avocation till he had accumulated some means with which to educate himself, in the meantime sending each year a portion to his father, till he became of age. He did not enjoy the advantages of a collegiate course, but received a liberal education at Fancy Hill Academy, in Amherst County, a high school conducted by Mr. James M. Watts. After leaving school he taught for several sessions in his native county. He commenced his life work at Mt. Pleasant Church, in Amherst County, where he was licensed to preach and recommended to the traveling connection. He entered the Virginia Conference during the stormy period of 1861. From that time, without intermission, he continued in the itinerant work, serving cheerfully on charges which paid but small salaries, and frequently laboring with his own hands to support himself and family. In 1867, while on the King William Circuit, he was married to Miss Mattie A. Richards, of Richmond, Va., who proved a faithful companion and an efficient helper in his work, and with seven children, five daughters and two sons, lives to mourn their loss. His death was occasioned by a severe cold, coupled with a bilious attack, which resulted in gastritis.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except those of William E. Evans and Elijah S. Gunn, who withdrew from the Church.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Richmond District.*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Richmond: Broad Street.....	459		
Trinity .....	532		
Union Station .....	978		
Howard's Grove .....	232		
Denny Street .....	215		
Manchester: Central.....	523		
Fifth Street .....	222		1
West End .....	251		1
Henrico .....	274	1	1
Charles City.....	218	2	
New Kent .....	201	1	
West New Kent .....	285	3	
West Point.....	167		
East King and Queen.....	236		1
Gloucester .....	1,250		
Williamsburg.....	77		
York .....	879	1	2
Newport News.....	221		
	7,217	8	6

*West Richmond District.*

Richmond: Centenary .....	664		1
Clay Street.....	686		2
Park Place .....	592		2
Laurel Street.....	528		
Washington Street.....	164		1
Hanover .....	350		2
King William.....	286		
Ashland.....	219		1
Ashland Circuit.....	234		

*West Richmond District (Continued).*

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Ashland Mission .....	46		
West Hanover .....	473	1	
Caroline.....	412		1
Goochland .....	358		
West Goochland Mission .....	337		1
Cartersville.....	256		
Chesterfield.....	215		1
West Chesterfield Mission.....	245		1
South Chesterfield.....	320		2
	6,388	1	15

*Rappahannock District.*

Whitestone .....	376		1
Lancaster.....	413		2
Heathsville .....	489		2
Bethany.....	345		
Richmond Circuit.....	302		1
Westmoreland.....	405	1	1
Montross.....	352		
King George.....	454		
Spottsylvania.....	381		1
Bowling Green .....	308		
Port Royal Mission .....	78		1
Essex.....	421		1
King and Queen .....	386	1	1
Middlesex.....	436		
West Matthews.....	483		2
Matthews.....	1,157	3	1
	6,814	5	14

*Charlottesville District.*

Charlottesville.....	582		2
Albemarle.....	495	1	
Scottsville.....	436	2	1
Batesville.....	525		
Nelson.....	606		
Amherst .....	507	1	2
West Amherst .....	489		
Mt. Pleasant.....	665		1
Milton Mission.....	214		
Fluvanna .....	656	3	2
Lonisa .....	747		
Gordonsville.....	272		
Orange.....	213		1
Greene .....	679	1	
Madison.....	732		1
Woodville.....	392	1	2
Calpeper.....	116	1	
Calpeper Circuit.....	438		
Rappahannock.....	571	1	2
	9,336	11	14

*Lynchburg District.*

Lynchburg: Centenary .....	577	1	1
Court Street.....	562		3
Memorial.....	527		2
Trinity and Cleveland Avenue..	91		
Danielstown.....	121		
Madison Station .....	171		
Bedford City .....	257		3
Bedford Circuit .....	501		1
North Bedford .....	230		
Bedford Springs.....	640		1
Middle Bedford.....	509	1	2
West Bedford.....	599		
Staunton River .....	194		
West Campbell .....	277		1
Campbell.....	620	2	
Concord.....	441		1
Appomattox.....	306		1
West Charlotte .....	322		
	6,995	4	16

*Petersburg District.*

Petersburg: Washington Street ...	547		1
Market Street.....	361		2
High Street.....	482		
Wesley .....	324		1
Blandford Mission.....	150		
West End Mission.....	150		
Ettrick.....	287		1



## Petersburg District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Motoaca.....	329		
West Dinwiddie.....	411	1	1
Dinwiddie.....	475		1
East Dinwiddie.....	468	1	1
Prince George.....	390		1
Wakefield.....	199		1
Sussex.....	449	1	2
Greensville.....	433		
South Brunswick.....	603		2
Brunswick.....	553		1
West Brunswick.....	511	1	1
	7,052	4	16

## Farmville District.

Farmville.....	269	1	
Prince Edward.....	324	2	
Prospect.....	564	1	1
Charlotte.....	487		
West Buckingham.....	445	1	
Buckingham.....	454		
Cumberland.....	487	1	
Amelia.....	507	3	1
Burkeville.....	212		
Crewe and Nottoway C H.....	295		
Nottoway.....	557		
Lunenburg.....	444		1
West Lunenburg Mission.....	272		3
Mecklenburg.....	352		
North Mecklenburg.....	620		2
Boydton.....	95	1	
Chase City.....	293		
Clarksville.....	206		
South of Dan.....	398		
	7,281	10	8

## Danville District.

Danville: Main Street.....	666		2
Floyd Street.....	189		1
Mt. Vernon and Sunnyside.....	364		1
North Danville.....	376		
Pittsylvania.....	394	1	
Chatham.....	681		
Cascade.....	375		
North Pittsylvania.....	525	1	1
Franklin.....	546		
East Franklin.....	476		3
Snow Creek Mission.....	94		
West Franklin Mission.....	198		1
Henry.....	384	2	
Martinsville.....	215		
Patrick.....	250	3	1
Meadows of Dan.....	293	2	5
South Boston.....	521	2	1
Halifax.....	491		
East Halifax.....	210		
	7,248	11	16

## Suffolk District.

Suffolk.....	398		2
East Suffolk and Magnolia.....	71		
Chuckatuck.....	360		
Isle of Wight.....	450		
Smithfield and Benn's.....	519		1
Surry.....	189		
South Norfolk.....	646		3
Newsom's.....	495	1	
Southampton.....	407		
Boykins.....	503		1
North Gates.....	708		1
Gates.....	496		2
Edenton.....	94		
Hertford.....	271		
Perquimans.....	658		2
Pasquotank.....	360		
Elizabeth City.....	255		
Camden.....	753		1
Currituck.....	574		
	8,207	1	13

## Norfolk District.

Norfolk: Cumberland Street.....	767		4
Granby Street and Huntersville	570		1
Centenary.....	279		
Queen Street.....	639	1	1

## Norfolk District (Continued).

	White Mem's.	Colored Mem's.	Loc'l Pr's.
Norfolk: McKendree.....	328		1
Asbury.....	119		
Berkeley: Chestnut Street.....	448		1
Portsmouth: Monumental.....	686		1
Central.....	475		1
Wright Memorial.....	525		
Effingham Street Mission.....	88		
Norfolk Circuit.....	234		
Churchland.....	119		
East Norfolk.....	265		1
Oaklette and Bethel.....	110		
Princess Anne.....	596		2
South Princess Anne.....	858		1
	7,186	1	14

## Eastern Shore District.

Eastville and Cobb's Island Mis ...	643		1
Cape Charles City Mission.....	39		
Belle Haven.....	363		
Pungoteague.....	779		3
Onancock.....	394		
South Accomac.....	276		
Accomac.....	594		
Atlantic.....	458		
Wicomico.....	287		
Berlin.....	272		1
Salisbury.....	154		
Cambridge Station.....	200		1
Dorchester.....	284		1
Hooper's Island.....	126		
Hampton.....	345		2
Fox Hill.....	225		
Cambridge Circuit.....	255		1
	5,698		10

## Recapitulation.

Richmond District.....	7,217	8	6
West Richmond District.....	6,388	1	15
Rappahannock District.....	6,814	5	14
Charlottesville District.....	9,336	11	14
Lynchburg District.....	6,995	4	16
Petersburg District.....	7,052	4	16
Farmville District.....	7,281	10	8
Danville District.....	7,248	11	16
Suffolk District.....	8,207	1	13
Norfolk District.....	7,186	1	14
Eastern Shore District.....	5,698		10
Total this year.....	79,422	56	142
Total last year.....	75,645	63	158
Increase.....	3,777		
Decrease.....		7	16

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,658.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 4,200.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday schools? 803.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 8,325.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 57,437.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$12,000.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account? and how has it been applied? \$11,822.21. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$22,507.18; Domestic Missions, \$11,009.43. Total, \$33,516.61.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,903.76.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices? Number, 744; value, \$1,713,185.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages? Number, 121; value, \$224,785.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics? Randolph-Macon College: Teachers, 16; students, 130; endowment, \$111,635.22; value of property, \$105,000. Randolph-Macon Academy (Bedford City): Teachers, 12; students, 173; value of property, \$100,000. Chesapeake Academy (Irvington): No report. Suffolk Female College: Teachers, 10; students, 120. Bowling Green Female Seminary: Teachers, 10; students, 60; Southern Female College: Teachers, 12; students, 150. Danville Female College: Teachers, 14; students, 158.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Danville, Va.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### RICHMOND DISTRICT.

*Paul Whitehead, P. E.*

Richmond: Broad Street, W. V. Tudor.  
Trinity, P. A. Peterson.  
Union Station, G. H. Ray.  
Denny Street, W. A. Laughon.  
Fairmont Avenue, H. E. Johnson.  
St. James and City Mission, H. P. Mitchell.  
Manchester: Central, W. C. Vaden.  
Fifth Street, McDaniel Rucker.  
West End Memorial, E. T. Dadmun.  
Henrico, R. B. Beadles.  
Charles City, W. E. Bullard.  
New Kent, R. G. James.  
West New Kent, O. P. Moorman.  
West Point, W. G. Boggs.  
East King and Queen, L. L. Banks.  
Gloucester, W. H. Gregory, W. C. Smith.  
Williamsburg, W. F. Davis.  
York, Joseph E. Potts.  
Newport News, R. M. Chandler.  
*Richmond Christian Advocate*, J. J. Lafferty,  
Editor.

#### WEST RICHMOND DISTRICT.

*A. G. Brown, P. E.*

Richmond: Centenary and Highland Park,  
R. N. Sledd, J. N. Latham.  
Clay Street, R. T. Wilson.  
Park Place, W. J. Young.  
Laurel Street, W. E. Judkins.  
Washington Street, W. A. Christian.  
Burton Heights, to be supplied.  
Hanover, W. T. Williams.  
King William, J. W. Heckman.  
Ashland, C. F. Sherrill.  
Ashland Circuit, to be supplied by D. H.  
Kern.  
West Hanover, C. S. Wamsley.  
Caroline, John A. Smith.  
Goochland, E. P. Parham.  
West Goochland, R. H. Mullen.

Cartersville, Paul Bradley.  
Chesterfield, J. R. Griffith.  
West Chesterfield, L. J. Phaup.  
South Chesterfield, J. B. Chitty.  
Colportage, A. G. Brown, General Superintendent.  
Chester Collegiate Institute, F. M. Edwards,  
President.

#### RAPPAHANNOCK DISTRICT.

*W. E. Payne, P. E.*

Whitestone, John T. Payne.  
Lancaster, N. H. Robertson.  
Heathsville, W. G. Bates.  
Bethany, J. T. Moore.  
Richmond Circuit, W. B. Jett.  
Westmoreland, Joseph W. Shackford.  
Montross, S. W. Day.  
King George, J. O. Babcock.  
Spottsylvania, J. A. Thomas.  
Bowling Green, W. H. Riddick.  
Port Royal Mission, C. H. Williams.  
Essex, H. C. Bunting.  
King and Queen, John P. Woodward.  
Middlesex, B. M. Beckham.  
West Matthews, G. H. McFaden.  
Matthews, D. G. C. Butts.  
Bowling Green Female Seminary, E. H.  
Rowe, Principal.

#### CHARLOTTESVILLE DISTRICT.

*O. Littleton, P. E.*

Charlottesville, B. F. Lipscomb.  
Albemarle, J. D. Southall; B. F. Smith, Sup.  
Scottsville, T. G. Pullen.  
Batesville, C. E. Hobday.  
Nelson, J. W. Crider.  
Amherst, J. W. Moore.  
West Amherst, B. E. Ledbetter.  
Mt. Pleasant, O. L. Martin.  
Milton Mission, M. S. Elliott.  
Fluvanna, W. E. Grant.  
Louisa, J. Q. Rhodes.  
Gordonsville, W. F. Bain; J. W. Bledsoe,  
Sup.  
Orange Circuit, Ernest Stevens; W. H. Camper,  
Sup.  
Greene, R. F. Beadles.  
Madison, M. S. Watts.  
Woodville, G. H. Spooner.  
Culpeper, J. T. Bosman.  
Culpeper Circuit, J. E. Gates.  
Rappahannock, Charles H. McGhee.

#### LYNCHBURG DISTRICT.

*J. Powell Garland, P. E.*

Lynchburg: Centenary, W. H. Atwill.  
Court Street, L. B. Betty; T. H. Early,  
Sup.  
Memorial, E. M. Peterson.  
Trinity and Cleveland Avenue, Jacob  
Manning.  
Danielstown, John L. Clarke.  
Madison Station, C. W. Turner.  
Bedford City, George W. Carter.

Bedford Circuit, Jacob H. Proctor.  
 North Bedford, E. A. Gibbs.  
 Bedford Springs, C. F. Comer.  
 Middle Bedford, Asa Driscoll.  
 West Bedford, to be supplied by J. W. Parrish.  
 Staunton River, A. L. Carson.  
 West Campbell, W. E. Thompson.  
 Campbell, Charles E. Watts.  
 Concord, J. W. Hilldrup.  
 Appomattox, George H. Wiley.  
 West Charlotte, J. W. Baker.

## DANVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. E. DeShazo, P. E.*

Danville: Main Street, W. E. Edwards.  
 Mt. Vernon, J. S. Hunter.  
 Floyd Street, James H. Moss.  
 North Danville (Calvary), J. C. Martin.  
 Pittsylvania, R. T. Clarke.  
 Chatham, E. V. Carson, L. T. Hitt.  
 Cascade, H. J. Browne.  
 North Pittsylvania, J. E. McSparran.  
 Franklin, James O. Moss.  
 East Franklin, J. D. Forkner.  
 West Franklin Mission, S. R. Drewry.  
 Henry, R. W. Webb.  
 Martinsville, W. H. Christian.  
 Patrick, T. P. Duke; H. C. Bowles, Sup.  
 Meadows of Dan, J. H. Pike; one to be supplied.  
 South Boston, J. D. Hank.  
 Halifax, J. L. Pribble.  
 East Halifax, M. L. Williams.  
 W. F. Tillett, Professor in Vanderbilt University.

## FARMVILLE DISTRICT.

*T. H. Campbell, P. E.*

Farmville, James Cannon, Jr.  
 Prince Edward, L. S. Reed.  
 Prospect, R. W. Watts.  
 Charlotte, S. H. Johnson.  
 West Buckingham, A. S. J. Rice.  
 Buckingham, W. A. S. Conrad.  
 Cumberland, John O. Moss.  
 Amelia, C. C. Wertenbaker.  
 Burkeville, F. B. Glenn.  
 Crewe and Nottoway C. H., R. F. Gayle.  
 Nottoway, R. B. Blankenship, R. E. Bentley.  
 Lunenburg, John M. Burton.  
 West Lunenburg Mission, J. L. Spencer.  
 Mecklenburg, W. P. Jordan.  
 North Mecklenburg, C. R. James.  
 Boydton, T. O. Edwards.  
 Chase City, W. R. Smithey.  
 Clarksville, J. B. Winn.  
 South of Dan, William A. Tompkins.

## PETERSBURG DISTRICT.

*J. H. Riddick, P. E.*

Petersburg: Washington Street, A. C. Bledsoe.  
 Market Street, Herbert M. Hope.  
 High Street, W. W. Lear.

Petersburg: Wesley, J. R. Tillery.  
 Blandford Mission, A. R. Goodchild.  
 West Street Mission, J. B. Askew.  
 Ettrick, Porter Hardy.  
 Matoaca, E. A. Potts.  
 West Dinwiddie, Bascom Dey  
 Dinwiddie, N. B. Foushee.  
 East Dinwiddie, J. E. R. Riddick.  
 Prince George, N. J. Pruden.  
 Wakefield, E. E. Harrell.  
 Sussex, G. E. Booker.  
 Greenville, John H. Kabler.  
 South Brunswick, R. H. Younger.  
 Brunswick, J. C. Watson.  
 West Brunswick, W. W. Southall.  
 Surrey, R. E. Barrett.

## SUFFOLK DISTRICT.

*James C. Reed, P. E.*

Suffolk, George C. Vanderslice.  
 East Suffolk and Magnolia, J. K. Joliff.  
 Windsor, C. H. Green.  
 Ebenezer, A. A. Jones.  
 Isle of Wight, J. B. DeBerry.  
 Smithfield, Charles L. Bane.  
 Benn's, R. M. Maxey.  
 South Norfolk, M. S. Colonna, J. A. Proctor.  
 Newsom's, W. E. Allen.  
 Southampton, W. W. Royall.  
 Boykin's, W. W. Sawyer.  
 North Gates, Richard Ferguson.  
 Gates, C. R. Taylor.  
 Edenton, W. R. Proctor.  
 Hertford, J. W. S. Robins.  
 Perquimans, T. J. Wray.  
 Pasquotank, B. S. Herrink.  
 Elizabeth City, J. W. Stiff.  
 Camden, C. D. Crawley.  
 Currituck, A. C. Jordan.

## NORFOLK DISTRICT.

*Joseph H. Amiss, P. E.*

Norfolk: Cumberland Street, William G. Starr.  
 Granby Street and Huntersville, A. Coke  
 Smith, D. B. Austin.  
 Centenary, E. H. Rawlings.  
 Queen Street, J. T. Whitley.  
 McKendree, J. T. Mastin.  
 Asbury, J. T. Routten.  
 Berkeley (Chestnut Street, South Norfolk), G. W. Wray.  
 Portsmouth: Monumental, T. McN. Simpson.  
 Central, W. H. Edwards.  
 Wright Memorial, T. J. Taylor.  
 Effingham Street Mission, W. J. Twilley.  
 Norfolk Circuit, C. H. Boggs.  
 Churchland and West Norfolk, W. T. Green.  
 East Norfolk, R. A. Compton.  
 Oaklette, J. L. Bray.  
 Bethel Mission, to be supplied.  
 Ebenezer and Lynnhaven, G. F. Green.  
 Princess Anne, J. S. Wallace.  
 South Princess Anne, John W. Carroll.  
 Seamen's Bethel, Joseph B. Merritt, Chaplain.

## EASTERN SHORE DISTRICT.

*W. P. Wright, P. E.*

Cape Charles City, S. W. Eason.  
 Franktown, W. R. Crowder.  
 Capeville and Cobb's Island Mission, W. F. Robins.  
 Belle Haven, to be supplied by T. Burton.  
 Pungoteague, J. M. Anderson, W. J. Williams.  
 Onancock, A. C. Berryman.  
 South Accomac, D. J. Traynham.

Accomac, J. W. Nicholson, J. R. Gill.  
 Atlantic, R. B. Scott.  
 Wicomico, E. F. Garner.  
 Berlin, C. H. Galloway.  
 Salisbury, T. N. Potts.  
 Cambridge Station, R. H. Potts.  
 Cambridge Circuit, V. W. Bargamin.  
 Dorchester, J. G. Lennon.  
 Hooper's Island, to be supplied by A. A. Whitmore.  
 Hampton, H. C. Cheatham.  
 Fox Hill, W. F. Hayes.

# TABLE NO. 1.—MINISTERIAL RELATIONS.

CONFERENCE.	TRAVELING PREACHERS.								PRESENT NUMBER.				ORDINATIONS.						
	Admitted on Trial.	Admitted into Full Connection.	Readmitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discontinued.	Located.	Withdrawn or Expelled.	Died.	Effective.	Superannuated.	Total Traveling Preachers.	Traveling Preachers.			Local Preachers.			Total Ordinations.	
												Deacons.	Elders.	Total.	Deacons.	Elders.	Total.		
Alabama.....	8	9	1	2	2	2	2	142	6	16	164	5	5	10	5	1	6	16	
Arkansas.....	8	7	1	5	1	1	1	91	2	8	101	3	7	10	6	3	9	19	
Baltimore.....	5	11	1	2	4	1	1	175	8	19	202	8	11	19	4	.....	4	23	
Brazil Mission.....	2	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	20	6	2	8	.....	.....	.....	8	
Central Mexico Mis.....	5	2	.....	2	3	.....	2	35	.....	.....	35	1	3	4	3	.....	3	7	
China Mission.....	1	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	.....	.....	26	4	1	5	.....	.....	.....	5	
Columbia.....	2	2	.....	1	1	.....	1	21	1	.....	22	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	
Denver.....	1	1	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	16	2	1	19	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	
East Columbia.....	1	4	.....	2	1	2	.....	18	1	.....	19	1	1	2	1	1	2	4	
East Texas.....	3	5	.....	3	1	3	.....	66	2	6	74	3	4	7	5	2	7	14	
Florida.....	6	13	1	6	2	1	1	129	4	10	143	9	7	16	4	4	8	24	
German Mission.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	17	.....	2	19	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	
Holston.....	27	13	.....	3	.....	1	.....	176	14	17	207	4	2	6	12	2	14	20	
Illinois.....	10	5	.....	.....	5	2	.....	52	2	3	57	3	7	10	4	4	8	18	
Indian Mission.....	12	6	1	14	1	2	.....	95	1	2	98	.....	8	8	10	2	12	20	
Japan Mission.....	2	2	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	20	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	
Kentucky.....	7	6	2	2	3	1	.....	113	6	7	126	4	2	6	7	.....	7	13	
Little Rock.....	8	10	2	3	2	3	.....	109	2	14	125	6	8	14	3	.....	3	17	
Los Angeles.....	2	1	.....	7	.....	1	.....	31	4	3	38	1	2	3	.....	.....	.....	3	
Louisiana.....	8	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1	98	2	10	110	1	5	6	4	1	5	11	
Louisville.....	5	7	.....	.....	1	2	.....	141	5	14	160	4	3	7	9	3	12	19	
Memphis.....	7	9	1	1	.....	1	.....	148	5	16	169	5	4	9	9	1	10	19	
Mexican Border Mis.....	3	2	.....	3	1	.....	.....	31	1	.....	32	2	1	3	.....	.....	.....	3	
Mississippi.....	16	8	3	4	4	1	.....	149	2	13	164	4	4	8	10	.....	10	18	
Missouri.....	10	10	3	7	1	4	2	156	.....	17	173	7	9	16	10	.....	10	26	
Montana.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	1	13	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	2	
New Mexico.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	17	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	2	
North Alabama.....	9	6	.....	2	3	2	.....	149	2	15	166	3	7	10	5	1	6	16	
North Carolina.....	13	10	.....	4	2	1	1	150	8	12	170	6	9	15	5	1	6	21	
North Georgia.....	11	11	.....	9	.....	2	.....	235	11	20	266	8	7	15	10	3	13	28	
North Mississippi.....	6	6	1	5	.....	2	.....	141	2	10	153	5	6	11	5	.....	5	16	
North Texas.....	12	12	.....	11	1	1	.....	173	1	13	187	6	10	16	15	5	20	36	
Northwest Mex. Mis.....	2	1	.....	3	.....	.....	1	16	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Northwest Texas.....	9	11	2	8	5	2	.....	197	6	30	233	5	12	17	9	2	11	28	
Pacific.....	1	2	1	11	.....	1	.....	74	2	5	81	.....	5	5	.....	.....	.....	5	
South Carolina.....	22	7	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	193	6	29	228	5	6	11	6	1	7	18	
South Georgia.....	6	10	2	3	3	2	1	167	7	16	190	4	20	24	6	2	8	32	
Southwest Missouri.....	8	6	2	5	.....	2	.....	139	5	13	157	5	8	13	3	.....	3	16	
St. Louis.....	11	9	1	8	.....	2	2	97	2	11	110	5	2	7	6	2	8	15	
Tennessee.....	9	9	.....	3	2	2	.....	179	9	25	213	8	9	17	4	.....	4	21	
Texas.....	9	4	.....	11	1	4	.....	77	2	13	92	2	.....	2	6	1	7	9	
Virginia.....	19	7	.....	4	.....	2	2	221	5	22	248	5	6	11	9	.....	9	20	
West Texas.....	5	5	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	86	3	16	105	5	3	8	1	1	2	10	
Western.....	4	2	.....	3	1	1	1	30	.....	1	31	1	2	3	1	1	2	5	
Western N. Carolina.....	16	13	.....	3	.....	1	.....	159	7	18	184	11	5	16	4	2	6	22	
Western Virginia.....	5	8	1	1	1	.....	.....	81	2	9	92	6	6	12	7	.....	7	19	
White River.....	6	8	.....	2	.....	1	1	79	2	2	83	8	3	11	3	1	4	15	
Bishops.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Total this year.....	343	294	28	187	53	56	18	95	4757	152	459	5368	188	226	409	212	47	259	668
Total last year.....	343	261	29	183	51	68	12	80	4631	162	438	5231	155	169	325	244	44	288	613
Increase.....	.....	33	.....	4	2	.....	6	15	125	.....	21	137	27	57	84	.....	3	.....	55
Decrease.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	.....	29	.....

TABLE NO. 2.—MEMBERS AND BAPTISMS.

CONFERENCE.	Traveling Preachers.	Local Preachers.	White Members.	Colored Members.	Indian Members.	Total Preachers and Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.
Alabama.....	164	221	43,339	11	.....	43,735	1,551	.....	1,018	1,532
Arkansas.....	101	224	23,881	4	.....	24,210	649	.....	633	1,450
Baltimore.....	202	106	42,060	28	.....	42,396	2,017	.....	1,608	1,500
Brazil Mission.....	20	11	679	.....	.....	710	152	.....	58	157
Central Mexico Mission.....	35	28	2,948	.....	.....	3,011	336	.....	239	315
China Mission.....	26	10	395	.....	.....	431	3	.....	13	23
Columbia.....	22	10	1,261	.....	.....	1,293	.....	47	14	40
Denver.....	19	10	1,128	.....	.....	1,157	.....	227	22	44
East Columbia.....	19	26	1,274	.....	.....	1,319	17	.....	65	119
East Texas.....	74	143	23,215	.....	.....	23,432	240	.....	905	1,526
Florida.....	143	170	21,193	.....	.....	21,506	693	.....	1,036	845
German Mission.....	19	19	1,063	.....	.....	1,101	50	.....	119	3
Holston.....	207	287	46,873	30	.....	47,397	2,831	.....	1,266	2,870
Illinois.....	57	80	7,470	.....	.....	7,607	.....	365	153	346
Indian Mission.....	98	185	9,811	.....	3,964	14,058	2,411	.....	803	1,329
Japan Mission.....	20	20	505	.....	.....	545	65	.....	22	118
Kentucky.....	126	116	27,123	.....	.....	27,365	112	.....	455	1,161
Little Rock.....	125	179	29,136	.....	.....	29,440	497	.....	739	1,464
Los Angeles.....	38	27	2,138	3	.....	2,206	127	.....	76	147
Louisiana.....	110	76	20,628	6	.....	20,820	123	.....	876	418
Louisville.....	160	226	40,833	16	.....	41,235	227	.....	785	1,541
Memphis.....	169	237	50,672	4	.....	51,082	666	.....	834	2,531
Mexican Border Mission.....	32	23	1,535	.....	.....	1,590	37	.....	153	170
Mississippi.....	164	159	38,697	.....	.....	39,020	693	.....	1,344	1,034
Missouri.....	173	158	38,539	19	.....	38,839	1,042	.....	503	1,700
Montana.....	13	3	664	.....	.....	680	148	.....	54	67
New Mexico Mission.....	17	5	568	.....	.....	590	170	.....	61	32
North Alabama.....	166	391	56,454	1	.....	57,012	1,030	.....	1,044	2,270
North Carolina.....	170	135	57,619	28	.....	57,952	1,999	.....	1,116	2,608
North Georgia.....	266	406	87,889	23	.....	88,584	1,856	.....	1,598	3,338
North Mississippi.....	153	152	41,602	.....	.....	41,907	.....	129	796	1,689
North Texas.....	187	289	46,936	.....	.....	47,412	1,744	.....	1,190	2,737
Northwest Mexican Mission.....	16	10	671	.....	.....	697	51	.....	98	97
Northwest Texas.....	233	441	54,073	9	.....	54,756	3,318	.....	1,884	3,415
Pacific.....	81	42	6,442	16	.....	6,581	384	.....	220	335
South Carolina.....	228	152	69,699	13	.....	70,092	456	.....	2,158	1,705
South Georgia.....	190	211	57,431	5	.....	57,837	1,988	.....	1,492	2,820
Southwest Missouri.....	157	172	29,596	.....	.....	29,925	294	.....	387	1,450
St. Louis.....	110	161	24,390	31	.....	24,692	1,890	.....	980	1,713
Tennessee.....	213	278	60,784	.....	.....	61,275	771	.....	986	2,575
Texas.....	92	97	17,227	7	.....	17,423	703	.....	818	943
Virginia.....	248	142	79,422	56	.....	79,868	3,768	.....	1,658	4,200
West Texas.....	105	103	15,195	3	.....	15,406	1,339	.....	685	1,192
Western.....	31	34	3,550	.....	.....	3,615	169	.....	88	232
Western North Carolina.....	184	200	60,636	24	.....	61,074	1,637	.....	1,892	2,167
Western Virginia.....	92	151	20,329	19	.....	20,591	60	.....	319	1,145
White River.....	83	155	21,892	1	.....	22,131	1,030	.....	436	1,281
Bishops.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total this year.....	5,368	6,481	1,289,545	357	3,964	1,305,715	.....	.....	33,749	60,394
Total last year.....	5,231	6,404	1,251,223	396	3,308	1,266,562	.....	.....	35,283	64,955
Increase.....	137	77	38,322	.....	656	39,153	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,534	4,561

TABLE NO. 3.—SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

CONFERENCE.	Sunday Schools.		Sunday School Teachers.		Sunday School Scholars.		Churches.	Value.	Parsonages.	Value.
		Increase.		Increase.		Increase.				
Alabama.....	499	d 3	2,971	8	23,881	2,177	526	\$ 624,694	95	\$ 119,825
Arkansas.....	217	9	1,460	5	12,116	266	203	174,701	79	36,715
Baltimore.....	554	17	5,436	98	37,183	559	463	990,140	121	207,425
Brazil Mission.....	11	1	47	12	441	108	3	71,626	.....	.....
Central Mexico Mission.....	65	....	107	d 9	1,390	89	31	56,364	8	37,402
China Mission.....	23	d 1	73	d 7	943	90	9	22,816	14	47,760
Columbia.....	29	d 2	186	31	1,022	d 186	27	29,292	11	7,580
Denver.....	26	d 15	184	d104	1,429	d 756	18	90,310	12	23,750
East Columbia.....	31	.....	.....	.....	213	d1,178	22	54,450	9	8,400
East Texas.....	194	d 13	1,242	d 49	10,038	d 75	209	201,286	42	32,782
Florida.....	302	d 9	1,710	d 42	12,247	19	256	364,487	73	66,210
German Mission.....	24	1	170	26	838	27	22	37,450	16	10,150
Holston.....	610	44	4,268	257	37,300	2,297	523	793,755	91	124,400
Illinois.....	130	2	919	d 78	6,580	d 137	119	133,861	39	22,150
Indian Mission.....	171	d 18	1,869	939	6,548	d1,022	160	74,265	43	21,194
Japan Mission.....	38	4	81	d 21	1,535	633	5	5,200	2	3,175
Kentucky.....	257	15	1,854	d 16	14,201	235	272	659,176	58	85,850
Little Rock.....	344	d 33	2,039	d161	15,174	d2,455	365	325,642	67	49,113
Los Angeles.....	42	5	327	34	2,334	110	23	125,200	24	30,875
Louisiana.....	219	1	1,288	d 75	10,429	250	238	465,889	60	66,530
Louisville.....	332	13	2,356	119	18,930	283	404	683,194	107	125,484
Memphis.....	471	d 7	3,420	12	28,070	d 231	479	765,826	80	131,291
Mexican Border Mission.....	66	7	126	16	1,558	363	15	22,175	5	2,680
Mississippi.....	403	5	2,113	d 99	16,240	d 811	421	446,325	104	96,865
Missouri.....	383	19	3,432	186	24,453	748	410	674,186	88	118,970
Montana.....	16	.....	102	d 1	816	118	15	65,075	10	16,200
New Mexico.....	20	.....	128	5	910	114	18	41,400	7	6,250
North Alabama.....	602	21	3,619	164	32,215	1,860	640	636,716	120	150,335
North Carolina.....	592	9	4,397	111	33,808	d1,227	573	697,685	94	118,670
North Georgia.....	708	d 2	5,084	d173	44,822	d1,138	749	1,858,347	149	240,075
North Mississippi.....	461	36	2,330	35	19,950	d 152	483	463,457	110	105,525
North Texas.....	341	3	2,542	d 5	21,750	d 88	305	491,683	129	119,278
Northwest Mexican Mission.....	22	d 2	54	2	694	121	6	13,500	6	10,200
Northwest Texas.....	409	9	3,064	142	25,053	949	313	520,554	142	123,374
Pacific.....	103	14	698	78	4,857	78	78	282,600	47	51,150
South Carolina.....	708	22	4,966	257	39,632	707	703	841,216	161	232,387
South Georgia.....	590	7	3,559	d 97	27,847	d 425	562	715,760	103	167,075
Southwest Missouri.....	283	26	2,517	209	18,884	4,336	310	725,180	89	97,365
St. Louis.....	289	10	2,252	164	19,362	1,223	224	645,735	58	65,710
Tennessee.....	517	d 7	3,559	d 17	33,729	2,600	539	943,720	104	110,093
Texas.....	170	13	1,275	62	10,094	652	155	314,350	61	61,028
Virginia.....	803	13	8,325	44	57,437	2,137	744	1,713,185	121	224,785
West Texas.....	149	5	1,074	32	8,212	550	120	193,255	58	44,510
Western.....	42	1	338	d 2	1,988	d 490	47	91,300	17	13,550
Western North Carolina.....	623	8	4,061	d180	40,752	d 221	606	640,447	89	173,987
Western Virginia.....	298	d 11	2,107	4	14,878	85	237	323,645	43	53,280
White River.....	239	3	1,475	d 29	11,359	d1,003	206	170,995	49	32,633
Total this year.....	13,426	.....	95,204	.....	754,223	.....	12,856	\$20,287,112	3,015	\$3,693,436
Total last year.....	13,206	.....	93,517	.....	747,788	.....	12,485	18,899,495	2,890	3,431,683
Increase.....	220	.....	1,687	.....	6,435	.....	371	\$ 1,387,617	125	\$ 261,753

TABLE NO. 4.—BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS.

CONFERENCE.	Church Extension.	Conference Claimants.	Increase.	Foreign Missions.	Increase.	Domestic Missions.	Increase.	Total Missions.	Increase.
Alabama.....	\$ 3,029 20	\$ 7,721 36	d 508 58	\$ 12,017 53	d 1,986 62	\$ 4,168 90	d 171 06	\$ 16,216 43	d 2,157 63
Arkansas.....	766 10	1,439 56	d 208 89	2,629 28	298 64	1,615 89	d 308 01	4,245 17	d 9 37
Baltimore.....	2,400 00	8,888 30	d 110 70	12,462 75	1,866 75	5,733 00	501 00	18,195 75	2,367 75
Brazil Mission.....	3,437 54	203 00	203 00	50 00	d 1,789 07	3,534 47	3,534 47	3,584 47	1,751 39
Gen. Mex. Mission	121 80	50 29	33 58	286 36	d 323 71			286 36	d 328 71
China Mission.....								299 10	d 99 30
Columbia.....	39 50	46 86	d 8 95	155 35	d 97 15	99 95	44 60	265 30	d 52 55
Denver.....	183 60	176 75	1 25	435 00	32 50	111 00	19 95	546 00	51 45
East Columbia.....	161 25	16 50	d 4 50	342 85	d 100 74	710 00	598 30	1,052 85	497 59
East Texas.....	1,661 75	2,107 80	750 80	3,943 97	282 21	1,434 63	46 53	5,428 60	328 80
Florida.....	1,160 11	2,489 74	77	3,772 30	1,437 85	4,026 86	1,674 87	7,799 16	2,114 72
German Mission...	86 40	211 75	d 12 50	817 15	d 117 60	817 10	124 80	1,634 25	7 20
Holston.....	1,645 03	2,447 19	58 33	5,024 25	d 117 70	3,955 18	d 87 34	8,979 43	d 205 04
Illinois.....	133 07	642 46	130 46	235 27	d 18 02	229 70	57 58	514 97	39 56
Indian Mission.....	492 35	582 60	173 75	2,150 50	d 252 61	972 00	274 15	3,122 50	21 54
Japan Mission.....	288 15							457 99	
Kentucky.....	1,560 82	2,406 72	497 80	5,520 57	59 30	2,286 39	2,286 39	7,806 96	3,345 61
Little Rock.....	1,352 48	3,512 65	d 240 80	5,417 85	d 429 40	3,043 95	d 278 30	8,461 80	d 707 70
Los Angeles.....	475 75	519 90	126 65	1,345 30	d 81 52	407 60	155 45	1,752 90	73 93
Louisiana.....	1,440 50	3,354 60	d 762 10	5,334 36	d 29 28	1,544 40	292 25	7,379 76	262 97
Louisville.....	1,987 33	2,281 52	71 77	5,240 87	330 18	3,331 20	329 33	8,572 07	959 51
Memphis.....	2,590 96	4,815 00	402 14	9,373 02	d 931 87	2,350 67	d 307 71	11,723 69	d 1,237 51
Mex. Bor. Mission	226 70	181 00	97 64	594 00				594 00	48 31
Mississippi.....	1,330 15	5,150 15	904 60	6,957 16	d 103 39	2,845 55	d 231 50	9,802 71	d 334 81
Missouri.....	3,002 26	6,059 20	586 91	11,094 15	1,299 56	4,774 23	d 151 15	15,868 38	1,148 81
Montana.....	110 00		d 91 35	400 00	d 43 56	200 00	83 30	600 00	43 74
New Mexico.....	40 20	45 40	d 45 60	237 50	d 63 75	110 00	110 00	347 50	47 25
North Alabama.....	1,976 88	4,291 20	607 97	7,397 66	d 1,108 27	4,037 27	d 545 33	11,434 93	d 1,654 10
North Carolina.....	1,892 06	4,950 00	d 75 00	9,845 43	d 2,369 73	6,106 24	d 148 12	15,951 67	d 2,517 85
North Georgia.....	4,207 41	15,086 88	202 32	18,046 78	d 992 34	9,282 01	675 98	27,328 79	d 317 86
North Mississippi..	1,527 65	2,230 58	d 162 23	6,035 85	d 1,018 50	1,851 45	d 457 30	7,887 30	d 1,475 30
North Texas.....	1,924 15	4,152 15	d 546 05	8,355 55	d 623 95	4,598 20	d 348 05	12,953 75	d 972 00
N. W. Mex. Mis....	104 32	47 00	d 9 00					572 16	93 92
Northwest Texas..	2,533 95	6,203 25	d 605 90	9,338 38	d 1,104 06	7,162 55	d 393 75	16,550 93	d 1,497 81
Pacific.....	633 70	1,315 75	d 236 35	2,143 40	d 143 95	1,363 30	d 100 75	3,511 70	d 244 90
South Carolina.....	2,816 99	8,549 38	d 234 23	20,496 10	8,059 77	9,848 74	d 632 70	30,344 84	7,427 07
South Georgia.....	2,333 02	5,408 70	d 218 74	11,588 98	d 746 01	5,884 30	d 615 17	17,473 28	d 1,411 18
S. W. Missonri....	1,580 46	3,736 23	d 713 77	4,923 06	d 2,527 90	4,125 80	105 55	9,048 86	d 2,422 35
St. Louis.....	1,596 00	4,492 42	1,201 89	4,700 96	d 377 11	3,295 75	587 55	7,996 74	210 44
Tennessee.....	3,355 24	6,498 59	810 49	15,405 11	d 2,791 73	5,542 50	749 92	20,947 61	d 2,141 86
Texas.....	1,497 65	3,412 60	159 05	4,655 45	d 413 60	2,243 65	104 40	6,899 10	d 309 20
Virginia.....	3,903 76	11,822 21	316 67	22,507 18	4,239 32	11,009 43	d 739 86	33,516 61	3,399 46
West Texas.....	680 10	3,319 00	126 95	2,916 57	d 1,007 88	3,158 16	d 143 74	6,074 73	d 1,151 62
Western.....	303 67	186 22	d 19 03	815 12	d 40 28	231 81	16 45	1,096 93	d 23 82
Western N. C.....	1,615 25	4,050 68	d 178 00	9,002 28	d 489 78	4,976 44	650 69	13,918 72	160 91
Western Virginia..	423 27	1,139 97	257 76	1,040 98	d 216 73	635 42	d 46 75	1,726 40	d 263 48
White River.....	334 45	1,234 35	16 35	1,498 10	d 365 10	379 05	78 93	2,377 15	d 286 17
Total this year..	\$66,067 97	\$148,577 46		\$ 257,190 31		\$ 134,690 74		\$393,210 30	
Total last year..	71,084 60	145,836 45		263,933 12		127,390 08		391,323 20	
Increase.....		\$ 2,691 01				\$ 7,300 66		\$ 1,887 10	
Decrease.....	\$ 5,016 63			\$ 6,742 81					



## TABLE No. 5.—EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

Since the insertion of the Thirty-third Question, in 1886, the Book Editor has endeavored to compile a table from the answers furnished by the Minntes. These answers have been so confused and fragmentary as to render it impossible hitherto. We have used the material furnished us, with the hope that those concerned may see the errors and defects of this table, and correct them. BOOK EDITOR.

CONFERENCE REPORTING.	NAME OF INSTITUTION.	Teachers.	Pupils.	Endowment.	Value of Property.
Alabama, North Alabama.....	Southern University.....	12	192	\$ 50,000	\$ 100,000
Alabama.....	Alabama Conference Female College	13	175		60,000
Arkansas.....	Quitman Male and Female College..	7	218		40,000
Arkansas, Little Rock.....	Hendrix College.....	7	158		95,000
Arkansas, Little Rock.....	Galloway Female College.....	20	240		52,000
Arkansas.....	Four district high schools.....	13	600		17,500
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon Academy.....	11	138		100,000
Baltimore.....	Wesleyan Female Institute.....	20	135		60,800
Baltimore.....	Valley Female College.....				
Baltimore.....	Alleghany Collegiate Institute.....				
Brazil Mission.....	Four schools.....	28	337		40,000
Central Mexico Mission.....	Twenty-six schools.....		792		
China Mission.....	Anglo-Chinese College.....	9	161		60,000
China Mission.....	Boys' boarding school.....	5	75		5,500
China Mission.....	Anglo-Chinese School.....	6	63		
China Mission.....	Two girls' boarding schools.....	6	46		
China Mission.....	Forty-four day schools.....	49	733		56,600
Columbia.....	One school.....	2	50		
Denver.....	Pueblo Institute.....	5	71		
East Columbia.....	Corvallis College.....	2	60		1,000
East Columbia.....	Western High School.....	2	36		
East Texas.....	Alexander Institute.....	5	160		
Florida.....	Florida Conference College.....	9	148		10,500
Holston.....	Seven schools.....	60	950		376,000
Indian Mission.....	Harrell International Institute.....	11	215		23,000
Indian Mission.....	Willie Halsell Institute.....	6	100		24,000
Indian Mission.....	Oklahoma District High School.....	4	75		1,270
Indian Mission.....	Pierce Institute.....	2	42		3,500
Japan Mission.....	Eleven schools.....		397		
Little Rock.....	Arkadelphia Methodist College.....	10	170		40,000
Little Rock.....	Little Rock Conf. Training School..	3	100		3,000
Little Rock.....	Stuttgart Collegiate Institute.....	2	50		6,000
Louisiana, Mississippi.....	Centenary College.....	10	133	10,000	40,000
Louisiana.....	Mansfield Female College.....	11	166		30,000
Louisville.....	One institution.....	12	156		35,000
Memphis.....	McTyeire Institute.....	3	81		10,000
Memphis.....	Jackson District High School.....		130		4,000
Memphis.....	Brownsville and Dyersburg.....	3	69		8,500
Memphis.....	Wesleyan Female College.....		107		3,000
Memphis.....	Marvin College.....		247		12,000
Memphis.....	McFerrin College.....		200		14,000
Memphis.....	Memphis Conf. Female Institute.....		166		40,000
Mexican Border Mission.....	English College.....	5	100		6,000
Mexican Border Mission.....	Villa de Fuentes School.....	1	27		
Mexican Border Mission.....	Border Institute.....	2	60		700
Mexican Border Mission.....	Laredo Seminary.....	13	310		40,000
Mississippi.....	Millsaps College (male).....			64,000	00,000
Mississippi.....	Port Gibson Female College.....	7	150		10,000
Mississippi.....	East Mississippi Female College.....	10	120		25,000
Mississippi.....	Edward McGee College for Girls.....	7	147		10,000
Mississippi.....	Whitworth Female College.....	16	150		75,000
Missouri, St. Louis, Southwest Mo.....	Central College.....	8	154	110,000	80,000
Missouri, St. Louis, Southwest Mo.....	Central Female College.....	14	156		50,000
Missouri.....	Howard Payne Female College.....	12	187		40,000
Missouri.....	Centenary High School.....	6	164		3,000
Missouri.....	Macon District High School.....	6	149		13,000
Missouri.....	St. Charles College.....	8	58	23,000	15,000
New Mexico Mission.....	Las Vegas Female Seminary.....		183		20,000
North Alabama.....	Athens Female College.....	10	100		30,000
North Carolina.....	Trinity College.....	17	207	110,000	90,000
North Carolina.....	Wesleyan Female College.....	5	55		25,000
North Carolina.....	Littleton Female College.....	5	75		12,000
North Georgia, South Georgia.....	Emory College.....	15	279	200,000	125,000
North Georgia.....	La Grange Female College.....	17	207		75,000
North Georgia.....	Dalton Female College.....	10	135		4,000
North Georgia.....	Reinhardt Normal College.....	5	212		5,000
North Georgia.....	Piedmont Institute.....	7	200		10,000
North Georgia.....	Georgia Female College.....				8,000
North Georgia.....	Young L. G. Harris College.....				11,000
North Mississippi.....	Grenada Collegiate Institute.....				30,000
North Texas.....	Southwestern University.....	19	484		113,000
North Texas.....	Central College.....	10	168	13,000	18,000
North Texas.....	North Texas Female College.....	17	250		15,000
Northwest Mexican.....	MacDonell Institute.....	3	54		10,000
Northwest Mexican.....	Palmore College.....	4	35		12,000
Northwest Mexican.....	El Paso Seminary.....	3	146		500
Northwest Mexican.....	Nogales Seminary.....	2	40		1,200
Pacific.....	One college.....	8	55		

# EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS (Continued).

CONFERENCE REPORTING.	NAME OF INSTITUTION.	Teachers.	Pupils.	Endowment.	Value of Property.
South Carolina .....	Two colleges, one Conference school .....				\$ 123,272
South Georgia, North Georgia.....	Wesleyan Female College.....	18	306	\$ 50,000	250,000
Southwest Missouri.....	Scarritt Collegiate Institute.....	12	207		30,000
Southwest Missouri.....	Morrisville College.....	7	165		10,000
St. Louis.....	Bellevue Collegiate Institute.....	5	127		18,000
Tennessee.....	Vanderbilt University.....	60	700	900,000	1,000,000
Tennessee.....	Webb School.....	5	250		3,000
Tennessee.....	Nashville College for Young Ladies.....	25	413		125,000
Tennessee.....	Tennessee Female College.....	8	112	3,000	35,000
Tennessee.....	Clarksville Female Academy.....	6	153		16,000
Tennessee.....	Howard Institute.....	5	103		6,800
Tennessee.....	Martin College.....	8	112	30,000	35,000
Tennessee.....	Wall and Mooney's school.....	3	156		8,200
Virginia, Baltimore.....	Randolph-Macon College.....	18	126	125,000	105,000
Virginia.....	Danville College for Young Ladies..	12	142		40,000
Virginia.....	Bowling Green Female Seminary....	10	50		
Virginia.....	Suffolk Female College.....	9	120		25,000
Virginia.....	Southern Female College.....				
Virginia.....	Chesapeake Academy.....	7	79		5,000
Western North Carolina.....	No names.....	27	424	50,000	211,000
Western Virginia.....	Barboursville College.....	6	140		20,000
<b>Total: 38 Conferences.</b>	<b>179 schools and colleges.</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>16,620</b>	<b>\$ 1,538,000</b>	<b>\$ 4,485,042</b>

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

*Of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.*

### Receipts from Annual Conference Societies 1891-92.

Alabama Conference.....\$ 2,221 00	Northwest Texas Conference.....\$ 835 03
Arkansas Conference..... 360 56	Pacific Conference..... 639 87
Baltimore Conference..... 2,198 16	South Carolina Conference..... 4,075 86
Denver Conference..... 105 65	South Georgia Conference..... 4,294 04
East Columbia Conference..... 25 55	Southwest Missouri Conference.. 2,635 29
East Texas Conference..... 692 67	St. Louis Conference..... 1,458 05
Florida Conference..... 2,287 70	Tennessee Conference..... 3,198 05
Holston Conference..... 2,601 90	Texas Conference..... 1,105 08
Indian Mission Conference..... 89 13	Virginia Conference..... 4,143 66
Kentucky Conference..... 2,787 03	West Texas Conference..... 316 70
Little Rock Conference..... 765 94	Western Conference..... 155 79
Los Angeles Conference..... 218 04	Western Virginia Conference... 642 76
Louisville Conference..... 2,633 53	Western N. Carolina Conference.. 1,339 25
Louisiana Conference... 526 70	White River Conference..... 731 80
Memphis Conference..... 1,939 75	Miscellaneous..... 6,421 13
Mississippi Conference..... 1,108 86	Memorial Fund..... 11 00
Missouri Conference..... 1,537 15	
North Alabama Conference..... 1,969 21	<b>Total this year.....\$ 66,448 59</b>
North Carolina Conference..... 2,344 95	<b>Total last year..... 83,865 72</b>
North Georgia Conference..... 4,716 82	
North Mississippi Conference... 2,422 73	
North Texas Conference..... 842 20	<b>Decrease.....\$ 17,417 22</b>

### Receipts Since Organization.

Received for the fiscal year 1878-79.....	\$ 4,014 27
“ “ 1879-80.....	13,775 97
“ “ 1880-81.....	19,362 10
“ “ 1881-82.....	25,609 44
“ “ 1882-83.....	29,647 31
“ “ 1883-84.....	38,873 52
“ “ 1884-85.....	52,652 12
“ “ 1885-86.....	51,588 76
“ “ 1886-87.....	50,092 63
“ “ 1887-88.....	69,729 65
“ “ 1888-89.....	68,165 34
“ “ 1889-90.....	75,476 54
“ “ 1890-91.....	85,969 44 *
“ “ 1891-92.....	66,448 59 *
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$651,405 68</b>

\* Memorial Fund included.

## DEATH ROLL FOR THE CONFERENCE YEAR 1892-93.

Name.	Conference.	Memoir Page.
Ardis, Wiley Hamil.....	East Texas.....	181
Ballard, Thomas S. ....	West Texas.....	55
Barton, Thomas C.....	Pacific.....	51
Boggs, Thomas H.....	Virginia.....	190
Bolton, John G.....	Tennessee.....	17
Boyles, Marcus W.....	Western North Carolina.....	185
Bright, John M.....	North Georgia.....	132
Brown, Manning.....	South Carolina.....	168
Bunton, James W.....	Louisville.....	45
Burton, Robert Oswald.....	North Carolina.....	148
Bryce, James Y.....	Indian Mission.....	159
Cocke, Calvin Jesse.....	North Texas.....	125
Craig, Thomas.....	White River.....	178
Crocker, James T.....	Western North Carolina.....	185
DeBardleben, John Finley.....	Alabama.....	142
Deering, Richard.....	Kentucky.....	28
De Miranda, Ludgero.....	Brazil Mission.....	13
Duff, William K.....	North Texas.....	125
Dunstan, Walter.....	Louisiana.....	164
Fenton, Louis Andrew.....	Columbia.....	99
Ford, Elisha C.....	Tennessee.....	21
Fly, Jasper V.....	Memphis.....	80
Frazier, Andrew J.....	Holston.....	65
Gillespie, W. M.....	West Texas.....	55
Gober, James Marion.....	Texas.....	111
Haggard, Berry Stephens.....	Tennessee.....	21
Harris, Benoni.....	White River.....	178
Heterick, Edward F.....	Baltimore.....	9
Hickman, William Pierce.....	Tennessee.....	18
Hoffman, Henry.....	Baltimore.....	5
Hogan, William H.....	St. Louis.....	101
Hooker, J. C.....	Arkansas.....	118
Hoyle, Samuel Vinton.....	North Carolina.....	150
Hudson, Hilary Thomas.....	Western North Carolina.....	184
Huffaker, James N. S.....	Holston.....	66
Hutto, William.....	South Carolina.....	168
Jared, William W.....	Southwest Missouri.....	58
Jones, Amos W.....	Memphis.....	81
Jones, Middleton Richard.....	Missouri.....	36
Kavanaugh, Hubbard Hinde.....	Kentucky.....	31
Kavanaugh, William Barbour.....	Kentucky.....	30
Kelly, Jephthah M.....	Southwest Missouri.....	58
Lambuth, James William.....	Japan Mission.....	61

Name.	Conference.	Memoir Page.
Landstreet, John	Baltimore	6
Lassiter, Charles Samuel Dickinson	North Alabama	73
Lewis, Alexander A.	Western	176
Lowry, Thomas Jefferson	North Mississippi	114
Mauldin, James Dannelly	South Georgia	86
Miles, George W.	Holston	68
Morehouse, Norman David	South Georgia	85
Morgan, J. J.	North Georgia	132
Moses, Thomas C.	North Carolina	149
Nelson, Joseph Gillespie	North Carolina	150
North, John W.	North Carolina	149
Oliver, Christopher D.	North Alabama	72
Payne, Benjamin F.	North Georgia	131
Pearce, Levi	Mississippi	138
Perez, M. J.	Florida	155
Philips, Preston	Southwest Missouri	59
Pope, Thomas Jefferson	Holston	67
Potter, Marion T. E.	Missouri	37
Ralston, Thomas Neely	Kentucky	30
Rankin, Charles Y.	Pacific	50
Reynolds, M. D.	Northwest Texas	105
Rice, William Albert	Alabama	143
Robinson, Adam A.	Florida	154
Rosser, Leonidas	Virginia	190
Scott, William	Florida	155
Sevier, Valentine J.	Southwest Missouri	60
Shanks, Jeremiah Oscar	Indian Mission	159
Shough, Jacob	Virginia	190
Shuford, Jacob L.	South Carolina	169
Singleton, Joseph J.	North Georgia	130
Smith, Presley B.	Baltimore	8
Smith, William Parks	North Georgia	131
Stanford, Thomas	Northwest Texas	106
Stewart, George	Holston	64
Strickland, Erastus R.	Mississippi	138
Tanquary, Grafton	Missouri	36
Twitty, James Fitts	Virginia	191
Todd, Harry	Western Virginia	41
Tucker, John W.	Virginia	191
Vaughn, H. Luther	North Mississippi	114
Warren, William	Missouri	35
Watts, William M.	South Georgia	87
West, Joseph Burgess	Tennessee	19
Williams, John S.	Indian Mission	159
Williamson, J. T.	West Texas	55
Winton, George Mitchell	Southwest Missouri	59
Winton, James Braxton	Pacific	51
Witcher, William W.	Holston	67
Wood, Landy	South Carolina	169
Wood, Louis Wallace	Mississippi	138

# DIRECTORY.

The abbreviations in *italics* designate members as follows: *dis*, discontinued; *loc*, located; *sup*, supernumerary; *sup'd*, superannuated; *dec*, deceased; *tr t*, transferred to; *tr f*, transferred from. Figures after name of Conference refer to page.

<p><b>Alabama.....142-147</b>  Abernethy T Y  Adair R S <i>tr f</i>  Adams T L  Albright T D  Andrew J O <i>sup'd</i>  Andrews A L  Andrews A S  Andrews M S  Arnold W F  Atkinson C P  Baird H <i>dis</i>  Bancroft J  Bancroft W  Barker J <i>sup'd</i>  Barnes D W  Barrow T B  Bates C  Betts I F  Beverly N W  Bilbro I F  Blair I F  Blue O R  Boyd S G  Briggs A J  Brown A B  Calhoun L C  Chadwick J S  Chappelle L H S  Clinton C L  Connerly W P H  Cooper T H  Cornell C A  Cousins A J  Cowan E E  Cox S H <i>sup'd</i>  Cox W M  Cumming J B  Daily J F  Dannelly E A  Dannelly J M  DeBardeleben J F  <i>dec</i>  Dennis R F  Dennis W B  Dennis W K  Dickinson W P  Dismukes B D  Dowell L F <i>sup</i>  Dowling A  Easley A A  Ellis G F <i>sup</i>  Ellison H S  Ellisor W T  Feagin B E  Fincher T P  Fisher G F <i>sup'd</i>  Fontaine G  Foster R A  Frazier J S  Gavin C W  Gayle B D  Gillis H M  Gillis N  Glenn B C  Glenn J W  Grace J L  Graham M M <i>sup'd</i>  Green J A  Greene J M  Guthrie R M  Hamilton J P  Hamner J W</p>	<p>Hartzog D J  Haygood A S J  Holt M H  Hood A  Hundley A C <i>sup</i>  Hurt W P  Isaacs W G  James J H  Johnson J C  Johnson H T  Jones G W  Jones T H  Keener J O  Kirsh J D  Killough J W  Lamar A J  Lamar C R <i>tr f</i>  Latham L P  Lawrence J O  Lewis R H  Lindsey D L  Loveless E L  Mangum T F  Martin C M  Mason J M  Mathison G W <i>loc</i>  Mathison J L  McCann J E  McCann W A  McCarty W A <i>sup'd</i>  McGehee O C  McGlann J R  McNeill H H  Menefee J W  Mitchell A H <i>sup'd</i>  Moody R A  Moore A H  Moore B L  Moore H D <i>tr f</i>  Moore J A  Morris W H <i>sup'd</i>  Motley W M  Nelson J B  Noble J O  Norton W K <i>sup'd</i>  Owens W D  Patton J M  Peavey J S <i>sup'd</i>  Peavy J R  Perry C S <i>loc</i>  Perry O S  Peterson F M  Peterson J A  Pillecy C B  Pillecy S A <i>sup</i>  Powell J K  Powell L W  Powers W I  Price E G  Price W J  Reeves D D  Rencher W T  Rice W A <i>dec</i>  Roberts J P  Roberts S W  Roper G M  Rush C A  Rush J W  Sanders S T <i>dis</i>  Sanders J P  Scott J M <i>sup'd</i>  Seale J A  Sellers A L  Sellers G M</p>	<p>Selman B L  Shoaff J W <i>tr t</i>  Shofner J M  Shores J W  Skipper J L  Smilie R <i>sup'd</i>  Sollie J M  Solomon J W <i>sup'd</i>  Spain J B K  Standley D C <i>sup'd</i>  Street W S  Stripling J A  Tate J B  Taylor W D  Trawick H  Turner E M  Urquhart H  Wade W S  Wardlaw F H <i>sup'd</i>  Welch O S  Wild W H  Williams G K  Williams J S  Williams R C  Williamson C R  <i>sup</i>  Wilson W B <i>tr t</i>  Winslett G N  Wright D J</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SUPPLIES:</b></p> <p>Dee G  Dupre H T  Jones J L  Register H B  Scott J A  Threadgill H C</p> <p><b>Arkansas.....118-121</b>  Anderson J A  Anderson S  Armstrong H A  Aston B W  Babeock S H  Bagwell J T  Biggs W K  Boyls G W  Brewer C F <i>tr t, tr f</i>  Bristow W S  Burke P P <i>tr f</i>  Burns W H W  Burrow B M  Burrow I L  Cantrell J M  Cortley W H <i>sup</i>  Cox J <i>sup'd</i>  Crews B T  Culham A J  Culpepper C H  Dameron 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Romans J M  
Runyan J C *sup*  
Sharpe B T  
Shuler J A H  
Shuler J W W  
Shuler T C  
Simpson G W *loc*  
Simpson J B  
Smith J *sup'd*  
Smith R E  
Smyth T F *sup'd*  
Snyder W R  
Sowell W L  
Spence W  
Spitzer J D  
Station W L  
Stewart A D  
Stewart G *dec*  
Strader T D  
Stradley C L  
Stradley J R *sup*  
Straley J O  
Sullins D  
Summers G W  
Surface F D  
Sutton P S *sup'd*  
Swain M P *sup'd*  
Swecker J E  
Thorn A  
Thorn A S *tr t*  
Threadgill F F  
Tiller E W  
Tow A H  
Unberger R S  
Vaught I B  
Wagoner W N  
Walker E W  
Walker J R  
Walker R W  
Walker W W  
Waterhouse R G  
Wangh H P *sup'd*  
Wenley S S  
Wiley E E *sup*  
Witcher W *dec*  
Wolf H I *sup*  
Wolf J M  
Wolfe J K  
Woodward A E  
Woodward E N  
Woodsey J  
York L V

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Manning A M  
Patton M L  
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Allen J N  
Black C C  
Blaylock W D  
Brewer R J  
Brown J D R  
Buekner H W  
Burford G M  
Bunnell J H  
Cagle C M *tr f*  
Calvert T M  
Charlton H J  
Clawson G T *tr f*  
Clendenning A C

Craig J N  
Crooks J D  
Cunningham W H  
Dempsey W K  
Denton J C  
Dunard M M  
Edwards J M *dis*  
Ewing A J  
Garrett J E  
Gilmore G W  
Gordon J M *loc*  
Gregory S H  
Gnuett E E  
Hammack T H  
Hardaway R M  
Hann I R  
Hensley J F  
Hinckle D T  
Hinckle J P *loc*  
Holt R P *sup'd*  
Howell R P  
Jacobs R A  
Jones G W  
Jones H K *dis*  
Lawrence L F  
Lewellen W B  
Lewis I H  
Long J M *sup*  
Loveall S J  
Mayhew C C  
McDaniel J W  
Nelson W H  
Nesbitt W M  
Ogden J W B  
Organ A G *dis*  
Purdue J F  
Reed H *sup'd*  
Rogers A F *sup'd*  
Rogers J F *dis*  
Rogers O T  
Rogers T *sup*  
Smith C S  
Spenny W  
Vaughn M W  
Walters H N  
Wells R J  
Wesner D  
Westcott J W  
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Whisnant W L  
Whisnant Q O  
Williams J  
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Oliver R  
  
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Atkins P C  
Austin W B  
Avery A N  
Barnhouse W T  
Belcher A M  
Berryhill D L  
Brewer C P  
Brewer T F  
Brewer W A  
Briggs A C *tr t*  
Brown H J  
Bryce J Y *dec*  
Butler M L  
Cameron E D *tr t*  
Clark A  
Clark M A  
Carter I M  
Cobb L W  
Collins J D  
Cook A S  
Coppedge C M  
Coward J W *sup'd*  
Davis A  
Derrick W S  
Divilbiss J R *tr t*  
Edwards J D  
Ely T C  
Florence J K  
Folsom W F  
Full W

Goode H H  
Godfrey J H  
Grayson G  
Grinstead R H  
Gross J M  
Hall J T  
Hickman I B *tr t*  
Hicks P B  
Holland J R *loc*  
Holland J W  
Hughes D W  
Hunkapiller A B L  
Irvine J I  
Jamison G W  
Jimboj W  
Keener J L  
Keith W M  
Lamar J S  
Law N F  
Leming E M  
Little T  
Lovett J A *tr t*  
Lloyd J W  
Long M B  
Long M D *tr t*  
Lovett J A *tr t*  
Lovett J J  
Lyles H T  
Mabry F C *tr t*  
Martin T A *tr t*  
Maberry F C  
McClanahan E F  
McCreary J W *tr t*  
McElhannon J  
McWhirter P T  
Methvin J J  
Miller A K  
Moore F M  
Moore J N  
Moore M *tr f*  
Murphy D C  
Myatt C W  
Naylor F  
Parrot H C *tr f*  
Patterson T M  
Pickens A C  
Pipkin W P  
Porter J M *tr t*  
Prim T H  
Rivers L W  
Roberts C F  
Roberts J H *tr t*  
Russell J M *tr t*  
Rutherford W A  
Scivally J C  
Shaffer D E  
Shanks F E  
Shanks J O *dec*  
Shanks T O  
Sherwood F M *tr f*  
Smith J R  
Smith M A  
Southward J L *loc*  
Stuckey L H  
Sturgeon M  
Terrell J H D *dis*  
Thompson J F  
Trickey J A  
Wagnon J F  
Wagon M H  
Walker J H *sup'd*  
Wasson J D *tr t*  
Williams J S *dec*  
Wilson W  
Wimberly W *tr t*  
Worley A J  
Yarborough G S

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Alexander S E  
Amos L  
Armby C  
Armstrong J T  
Asbury M H  
Avery W H  
Ball J W  
Battese G  
Battese E  
Bitting N  
Brinks W W  
Broadhead R M

Byrd L S  
Cawaka  
Colbert S  
Cowan R A  
Durant T  
Durr T A C  
Frazier R S  
Fulligan L H  
Garrett E M  
Hall J C  
Hancock R M  
Harris L M  
Hawkins W  
Jones W  
Kenimaebbi  
Matthews E J  
McKinney T R  
Miller J H  
Moore F  
Mullins D D  
Strange D C  
Taylor J  
Wade M  
Watson W  
Wilburn D P  
Yelton J S

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Abo E  
Bice Miss M  
Davis W A *tr t*  
Demaree T W B *tr t*  
Dukes O A *tr t*  
Gaines Miss N B  
Hawkins H G  
Kin Miss Y M  
Lambuth J W *dec*  
Lambuth Mrs J W  
Lambuth W R *tr t*  
Moseley C B *tr t*  
Nakayama E  
Newton J C C *tr t*  
Rollins J M *tr t*  
Shaw S *tr t*  
Tanaki Y  
Towson W E *tr t*  
Usaki K  
Utley N W *tr t*  
Wainwright S H  
Waters B W *tr t*  
Wilson W A  
Yoshioka Y

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Turner W P  
Wainwright S H  
  
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Arnold W E  
Baird R B  
Barker T W  
Bedinger D E  
Benton W T  
Boland J M  
Bolling W T  
Boswell C E  
Buffington G N *sup*  
Carrier S M  
Chamberlain W W  
Chandler M T  
Chandler O J  
Colgrove A E  
Cook T B  
Cooper D B *sup'd*  
Cosby B F  
Crates J W  
Crntchfield G W  
Curcut J N *loc*  
Daughettev B *sup'd*  
Deering J R  
Deering R *dec*  
Deering S S *sup'd*  
Dickey J J *sup*  
Ditzler W H H  
Dodd T J  
Doran W J  
Duvall O F  
Ecklar W T  
Fitch J W

Fizer J T J  
Froh G  
Gardner J W  
Godbey E H  
Godbey T J  
Green W W  
Greer C H  
Grimstead W S  
Harris J W  
Henderson H G  
Hiner M W  
Hiner R  
Hockenberry S L *dis*  
Hoffman P H  
Holmes E E  
Hughes J W  
Humphrey C M  
Hunter J W  
Ison J N  
Johnson J J  
Johnston J M  
Jones A P  
Kavanaugh H H *dec*  
Kavanaugh W B *dec*  
Kendall J R  
Lancaster B E  
Lee R M  
Linney H M *sup*  
Mann E G B  
Marimon D H  
McClure E A  
McIntyre T J  
Means G H  
Minor J C *sup*  
Mitchell J J  
Moore M F  
Morgan M P  
Nelson J R  
Noland F W *sup*  
Nugent C J  
Oakley W  
Oney C F  
Pearce E H *sup*  
Peoples J R  
Peoples S W  
Penn W A  
Poage G B *sup'd*  
Pollitt F S  
Pope C  
Poynter W T  
Ragan G G  
Ragan W B  
Ralston T N *dec*  
Rand J  
Redd A  
Redd J D  
Reeves J  
Robertson D W  
Ross P J  
Rowland W T  
Savage E C  
Savage F A  
Savage G S  
Savage J R  
Sawyer J A  
Sedwick B F *sup'd*  
Shoemith W  
Snively W J  
Southgate E L  
Sowell P A *tr f*  
Spates W W  
Spec S W  
Strother J P  
Struve F K  
Tague C A  
Taliaferro T F  
Taylor W F  
Terrill E J  
Turner H G  
Vaughn W F  
Vaught J O A  
Waldrop W  
Walker H P  
Walker J S  
Wallace L G  
Ware D P  
Welburn D *sup'd*  
Welburn W D  
West J L  
Wightman R H

Williams J H  
Williams J W *dis*  
Wilton J M  
Winter W H  
Word J R  
Wright H C  
Wright James E  
Wright J E  
Wyatt W F  
York T E *dis*  
Young G W

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Avery A *sup'd*  
Beard E L  
Berry J W  
Biggs W E  
Blakely J H *sup'd*  
Boggs W E *tr t*  
Bolding S E *dis*  
Bradford J H  
Brewer F N  
Brinkley C B  
Broach L L  
Browning W H *sup'd*  
Burke P P *tr t*  
Burns S N  
Caldwell J E *sup'd*  
Cameron G E  
Carr J F  
Cason J R  
Christie W W  
Christmas J Y  
Cline J M  
Clowet J S  
Colson J J  
Crowson W  
Davis W J *sup*  
Dean S C  
Doak F P  
Dodson K W  
Douglass J M G  
Drake C M  
Evans A O  
Evans E N  
Evans W F  
Few B A  
Follin J F  
Garrett E  
Golden C C  
Gold J H  
Harrison W R  
Harvey J R *loc*  
Hawley L B  
Hearon W J  
Henderson J A  
Hill G M  
Hill S A  
Hilliard W C  
Hunter A *sup'd*  
Jenkins A D  
Jewel H *tr t*  
Johnson B G *sup'd*  
Johnston J L  
Jones G J  
Keadle O H *sup'd*  
Keeton B  
Keith C M  
Kelley A C  
Locke W F  
Logan G W  
Manville M W  
Matthews G W  
McCarty G W *dis*  
McKay E W  
McKennon H D  
McLauchlan J  
McSwain C D  
Menefee J J  
Mills W W  
Montgomery C R *loc*  
Moore J R  
Moore R R  
Nelson W W



Nicholson J S  
Parsons G E  
Pinnell J M  
Pipkin E M  
Powell L M  
Poynter R H  
Raiford R J  
Rhodes J C  
Ricc G W  
Riggin J H  
Riley R T  
Robertson A M  
Robinson J M  
Rogers W J  
Rowland R G  
Rushing E  
Rushing J R  
Sage J A  
Sanders J R  
Saunders E H *sup'd*  
Scott A S  
Scott B F  
Scott J W F  
Scott T D  
Scott W J *sup'd*  
Sernggs H B  
Sexton G S *tr f*  
Shaw F J  
Sherwood J R  
Simmons A W *sup'd*  
Smart R D  
Steel E R  
Steel W A  
Sturgis J M D  
Tarlton J J  
Taylor J F  
Thomas J  
Thomas J B  
Thweatt H D *loc*  
Townsend H *sup*  
Turrentine A  
Turrentine G S  
Turrentine J *sup'd*  
Vantrease J W  
Wade T H  
Watson C W  
Watson E N  
Watson H H  
Whaling H M *tr f*  
White B A  
Whiteside J D  
Williams J B  
Wilson E F  
Wilson L C  
Winfield A B *sup'd*  
Withers H R *sup'd*  
Woozencraft L C  
Woozencraft R L

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Adams S M *sup'd*  
Allbright W L *sup'd*  
Allen J W *sup*  
Allen R I  
Bailey R W *tr f*  
Branham H F *tr t*  
Carpenter J E *tr f*  
Chase S M  
Clayton P O *sup'd*  
Collins J E  
Crothers O D  
Curtis T R  
Davis J F *tr t*  
Dimon S H  
DuBose H M  
Dunlap A T  
Edington C C *sup*  
Ellis L B  
Ethridge H T  
Finley J F G  
Fuller D F  
Hamilton W  
Harper E J  
Harris A W  
Healy J  
Jenkins J S *tr t*

Knickerbocker H D  
Knott E C *sup*  
Langston J M *tr f*  
McDowell W T *tr t*  
Oats Q A  
Parker R H  
Pierce W L *tr t*  
Roberts E G  
Stanton P L *tr t*  
Stradley W B  
Tilly A A *tr t*  
Tinley W A *loc*  
Vaughan W E  
Wade W M  
Weems J M *tr f*  
Wright C C

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Allen A J  
Amon R H  
Copeland C  
Roland R A  
Sherrard J H

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Ahrens J B A  
Armstrong H  
Banks H M  
Barr D C  
Beard J M  
Bennett J O *sup'd*  
Bloeker R M  
Bloom S S  
Boltz H J  
Brown J H  
Carter C B *tr f*  
Carter C W  
Cassity J B  
Clarke W A  
Clay A E  
Collier R S  
Cornell N S  
Davies S J  
Davis J W  
Davis R A  
Densen E T  
Densen J E  
Diffenweirth P H  
*sup'd*  
Drake W W  
Dunstan W *dec*  
Evans C F *tr f*  
Evans W G  
Faunt Le Roy T K  
Foster J F  
Fonst E B *sup'd*  
Fulton J *sup'd*  
Godfrey C R  
Galloway E B *tr f*  
Gaskins W D  
Gibbs J N  
Grace R C  
Greene G E  
Harp R J  
Harper J D  
Harry R  
Henderson W F  
Henry J M  
Hill W H  
Hocutt F G  
Hoffpanir J I  
Holliday S S  
Howell R P  
Isbell R S  
Jackson G *sup'd*  
Jackson L F  
Johns H S  
Johnson J F  
Johnston J M  
Keener C *sup*  
Keener S  
Kelley J J  
Kent J B  
Knickerbocker  
H W  
La Prade W H  
Lallance T L  
Lutz A S

Lyons C M  
Mandeville G A  
Mandley M C *sup'd*  
May H W  
McClendon T H  
McDonald C E  
MeVoy A D Jr *tr f*  
MeVoy A D Sr  
Medlock J W  
Miller J A  
Moore W  
Munholland C T  
Norwood N B  
Parker F N  
Parker F S  
Parker J A  
Parvin R  
Patterson J F  
Pierce J L  
Porter W J  
Randle R  
Randle T S  
Reames I T  
Reed L A  
Riddle J E  
Roy J R  
Sanders J S  
Sanders W F  
Sawyer J T  
Schuhle W  
Searlock J F  
Seward C R  
Sheppard B H  
Sheppard J L P  
Singeltary E L  
Stafford J H  
Staples C F  
Stone J H *sup'd*  
Trippett R S *sup'd*  
Upton T J  
Van Valkenburgh  
F D  
Wailles A M *sup*  
Walker J B  
Whatley S H  
White B F  
White H O  
White T B  
Williams J B  
Wright J L *sup'd*  
Wynn J F  
Wynn R H  
Yancey E W *sup'd*

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Franklin J  
Hamil W L  
Martin T J  
Murphy J J  
Wright R T

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Alexander R C  
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Allen S C  
Appling T M  
Archey W H  
Ashbrook S F  
Bennett R D  
Biggs B F  
Bigam J W  
Black W *loc*  
Boggess C Y *sup'd*  
Bottomley E W  
Bottomley T *sup'd*  
Bowles D S  
Brandon B A  
Brandon J C  
Brandon W C  
Breeding S K  
Browder L W  
Browder R W  
Brown J L  
Bunton J W *dec*  
Campbell D S  
Campbell G F  
Campbell L E  
Campbell R B

Carrt J D  
Cashman W F  
Chandler J S  
Cherry J T  
Clarkson D C  
Cole W J *loc*  
Collie D L  
Corbin W L  
Cottrell J B *sup*  
Coward S L C  
Crandell J R  
Crandell J S  
Crandell T L  
Crowe C R  
Crowe E M  
Crowe J W  
Crumbaugh G W  
*sup'd*  
Cundiff B A  
Cundiff G F  
Davenport W T  
Davis P H  
Davison L B  
De Witt A C *sup'd*  
De Witt J F  
Dempsey J R *sup'd*  
Dennis G W *sup'd*  
Dyvall P C  
Edrington J L  
Edwards P A *tr f*  
Elgin V  
Emerson I W  
Everett G M  
Ford H M *sup'd*  
Foote U G  
Foskett G E  
Frazer A G  
Frazer J D  
Freeman J G  
Frogge T C  
Gaines H T  
Galloway J B  
Gentle A C  
Gibbons E M  
Gilliam J D  
Givan S  
Godbey W R  
Goodson J P  
Guthrie J V  
Hall S X  
Hamblen W *sup'd*  
Hardison P T  
Harralson E  
Harrison T G  
Hartford C F  
Hayes G H  
Hayes R F  
Hayes W C  
Hesson C W *dis*  
Hogard J F  
Hogard W P  
Hunter M M  
Joiner E E  
Joiner T V  
Kelly G C  
King G S  
King J E  
Lambuth W W  
Lawson J M  
Lee S L  
Lewis F E  
Lewis J A  
Lewis J W  
Litchfield A D  
Love J W  
Love R C  
Lovelaec S H  
Luey W B  
Lyon A P  
Lyon G W  
Mann W W *sup'd*  
McConnell R T  
McCormick J T  
McCown A *sup*  
McCown R B *sup'd*  
McDaniel J S  
Mell A L  
Mitchell F A  
Mitchell J S  
Morrison E H

Morton D  
Murrell J L  
Newton S  
Orr B F  
Overton G B  
Pate E E  
Petres T C  
Petrie J C  
Piner W R  
Prine W W  
Randolph T J  
Redford J F  
Reid J L  
Reid W T *sup'd*  
Richardson J H  
Rivers R H *sup'd*  
Roe R H  
Roland T F  
Rose F M  
Ruddell J J *sup*  
Rushing J T  
Russell B C  
Russell L M  
Seobee J S  
Seay J B  
Settle H C  
Sheffer B F  
Shelley S G  
Shugart G W  
Sigler J D  
Smith C Y  
Smith E  
Spurrier S *sup*  
Stiles S F  
Stubblefield J P  
Summers E G  
Tabor U S  
Taylor J W *sup'd*  
Thomas R Y  
Thomas V P *sup*  
Thompson C  
Thrasher J M  
Walton D F  
Ward C D  
Watson J U  
Winfrey T J  
Young J W

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Barrett E  
Beck W A  
Bowles J  
Erwin H B  
Ford W F  
Goodman J A  
Miller W T  
Sharpe W P  
Smithson J O  
Tarter D T

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Adams S B *sup'd*  
Adams W W  
Banks G W  
Barrier W F  
Bell C C  
Bell J R  
Blackard J W  
Blackmon B F  
Blackwell R Y  
Boswell T L *sup'd*  
Bransford E K  
Brasfield T E  
Brooks G K  
Brooks H W *tr t*  
Burks J G  
Bynum F *sup'd*  
Carl J F *tr t*  
Carl J S  
Carlton W J  
Cason J H *loc*  
Cason T F  
Chambers S F  
Clark J G  
Clark T E  
Cole J H  
Coleman C A  
Collins D M K *sup'd*  
Collins J T C  
Cook W A

Dallas A L	Ramsey E B	Verduzco P G	Johnston P A	Woodward W T
Diggs W A	Ramsey N P		Jones B <i>sup'd</i>	Young N B
Duckworth W L	Ramsey T P	SUPPLY:	Jones B F	
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Evans D M	Risenhoover B B <i>sup</i>		Jones L S	Cox A P
Evans G W	Roach B C		Jones R J	Day H W
Evans J H	Roberts J H		Jones W P	Hart B F
Evans W H	Ross D A		Keen F M	Lee J W
Featherston T J	Russell J A <i>sup'd</i>		King T H	Lewis J E
Felts J H	Russell W A		Langford D C	Rawls D C
Fields P H	Sanders L		Leggett J T	Sibley W A
Fife J A <i>sup'd</i>	Sanders T F		Lewis B F	Missouri.....35-40
Flatt J M <i>sup'd</i>	Scott J M		Lewis B W	Allen J S <i>sup'd</i>
Fly J V <i>dec</i>	Sears A N <i>sup'd</i>		Lewis H P	Allishouse M L
Freeman W A	Sellers W C		Lewis W B	Anderson J
Frost W H <i>sup'd</i>	Sewell W E		Lewis W H	Atteberry S W <i>sup'd</i>
Gamble H C	Simmons T J		Linfield W L	Austin R A <i>sup'd</i>
Garrett J H	Smith A C		Little D A	Babeock C <i>sup'd</i>
Graham E B	Smith T E <i>tr f</i>		Luster T A	Baker W M
Hamilton E E	Spence J M		McDonald C	Bayley A V
Hardin G W	Stanley A L <i>tr f</i>		McLaurin J W	Beagle J A
Hardin J R	Stewart E H		Meador L P	Beagle W B <i>loc</i>
Harris B L	Stratton T S		Mellard H	Bell W F
Harris W T	Sullivan G T		Mellen T L	Betz J F
Harrison R S	Sullivan J D		Merchant D <i>sup'd</i>	Blakey J Y
Haskell C A	Taylor A S		Miller A D	Bolen H C
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 Pitts E N  
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 Horne T M  
 Houston A L *tr t*  
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 Berryman J C *sup'd*  
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 Boehm J C L  
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 Brendle J H  
 Brewer C P *tr f*  
 Burgett W H  
 Burton C  
 Cagle C M *tr t*  
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 Chapman M B  
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Chew R F  
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 Cox J H *sup'd*  
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 Crumpler A B  
 Davis J C *loc*  
 DeVinney C E *sup'd*  
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 Finley E C *tr f*  
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 Freer W M  
 Gibson W P *sup'd*  
 Glass T W  
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 Hill F R  
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 Berry U N M  
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 Blanton G W  
 Blanton J G  
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 Carl J F *tr f*  
 Charles M W  
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 Cherry B A  
 Cherry J W  
 Cherry S M  
 Cherry W D  
 Clement A E  
 Collier W J  
 Comer J J *sup'd*  
 Cook W T S  
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 Craig R J  
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 Cullom T S  
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 Duncan J  
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 Duncan T J  
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 Foster A J B *sup'd*  
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 Gaston B J *sup'd*  
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 Hill O P  
 Hinson J G  
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 Proctor D J  
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Cook G W  
Freeman W P  
Gardner P D  
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Eubank A M  
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Goodwin A E  
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Harmon J W  
Hart H T  
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Kelley J W  
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Kilgore J  
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McDonald W T  
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Moore J C  
Morgan S H  
Morris J R tr f  
Morris J W  
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Murray J R  
Myers E M  
Nelms W G sup'd  
Nickels J M tr t  
Phair G H  
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Sears J B  
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Simpson C E  
Skinner J P  
Smith E S sup'd  
Smith W sup'd  
Solomon E W  
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Tarrant E W loc  
Thomas C W sup'd  
Thompson C M  
Thompson J W  
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Whceler A J tr t  
Whipple J W sup'd  
White W D dis  
Williams H G  
Williford T S  
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Beckham B M  
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Betty L B  
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Carter G W  
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Comer C F  
Compton R A  
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Crocker W A sup'd  
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Gardner E F  
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Gayle R F  
Gibbs E A  
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Goodchild A R  
Grant W E  
Green C H  
Green G F  
Greun W T  
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Heckman J W  
Herrink B S  
Hilldrup J W  
Hitt L T  
Hobday C E  
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Payne J T  
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Peterson P A  
Phaup L J  
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Potts J E  
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Potts T N  
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Rooser L dec  
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Taylor T J  
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Williams M L  
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