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The work of editor has involved reading and editing the papers given at Houghton College, Buffalo, last November.

The Wesley Press published volume 12 of the <u>Journal</u>. Twenty-five hundred copies were issued at a cost of nearly \$2,000. The issue was compressed by the publisher beyond requirements for space. This resulted in an unhappy type size for footnotes. This will be corrected in volume .13.

I have received about five papers for possible inclusion in the Journal.

Most of these papers were not germane to our publication interests. We can seek appropriate papers should the society wish to issue two numbers annually. We need flexibility here in the event too few adequate papers are received.

Some comments on which you may wish to speak:

- 1. Selected book notices in the Journal. Is this of interest?
- 2. News items of significance in the field of Wesleyan theology?
 - Editorial commentary may be given on these items?

Last, but not least, I wish to express special appreciation to Lee Haines for his particular contributions to the editorial work of the <u>Journal</u>.

Sincerely, Leon O. Hynson Editor

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David L. Cubie, Ph.D., Chairman Mount Vernon Nazarene College Martinsburg Road Mount Vernon, OH 43050 Wayne McCown, Th.D. H. Ray Dunning, Ph.D. I deeply regret being absent from the 14th annual meeting. Representatives of the State Board of Education are on campus. to evaluate our request to offer the Master of Arts in Religion degree. I would surely choose to be with you for more reasons than that, but it is not possible.

The papers presented at the 13th annual meeting were published in the largest volume the Society has issued. In his review of books in <u>Christianity Today</u>, (Sept. 8, 1978), p. 33, Donald Tinder refers to "the important collection of essays" in the last <u>Wesleyan Theological Journal</u>. We are pleased with this notice.

We published 2,500 copies of the Journal at an approximate cost of \$.80 per copy.

I want to express appreciation to Lee Haines and Charles Dillman, members of the Editorial Committee, for their service, and to the Society for the privilege of serving as Editor.

Sincerely, Walls Leon O. Hynson Editor

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