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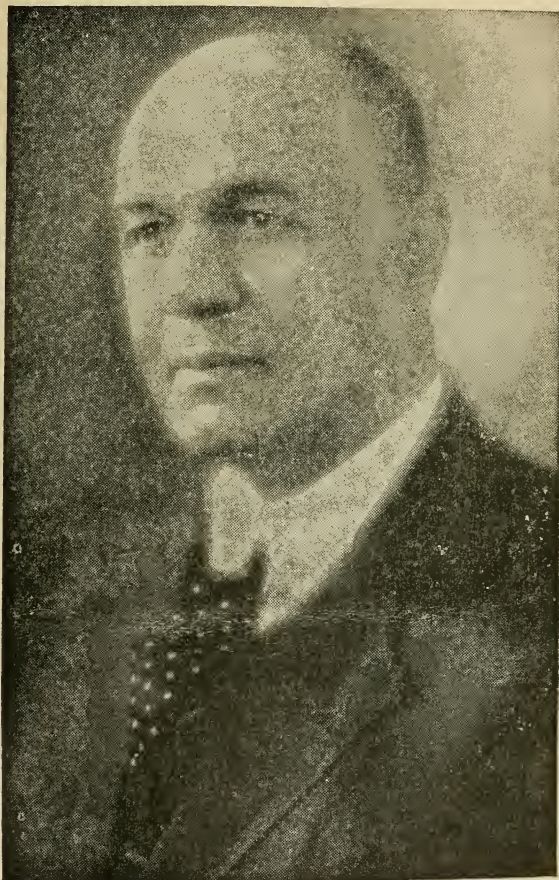
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Trinity ..... 50.00  
Walnut Cove ..... 12.50      147.50

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Total ..... \$846.25

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CREDITS

Balance brought forward .....	\$544.37
Hamlet property:	
Rent balance brought forward, received and held by R. B. McRae .....	50.00
Rent, 1942-1943, received and held by R. B. McRae .....	84.00
Rent, 1943-1944, received and held by R. B. McRae .....	70.00
Received and held by R. B. McRae for sale of Rockingham property .....	197.50
Received and held by R. B. McRae for sale of Vass property.....	50.00
Received and held by R. B. McRae for sale of Jonesboro property .....	75.00
Payment in full of W. Asheville note .....	213.69
Discount to J. E. Brower on Hill note .....	100.00
Payment on Hill note, collected and held by J. E. Brower.....	100.00
Payment on Waynesville property by G. M. Phelps.....	50.00
Cancellation of Publication Committee note .....	175.00
Cancellation of note of Trinity Church, Wilmington .....	472.00
Cancellation of note of North Carolina Conference .....	55.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2,236.56</b>

DEBITS

Rent from Hamlet property collected and held by R. B. McRae.....	\$25.00
Repairs on Hamlet property, 1943 .....	85.00
Pump for Hamlet property, 1943 .....	20.00
Repairs on Hamlet property, 1944 .....	74.00
Proceeds from Rockingham property, applied on Philadelphia Church .....	197.50
Proceeds from Vass property, applied on Southern Pines Church .....	50.00
Proceeds from Jonesboro property, held by R. B. McRae for church building at Lemon Springs .....	75.00
Discount on Hill note .....	100.00
Payment on Hill note, held by J. E. Brower .....	100.00
Cancellation of Publication Committee note .....	175.00
Cancellation of note of Trinity Church, Wilmington .....	472.00
Cancellation of note of North Carolina Conference.....	55.00
Board of Pensions for Permanent Fund .....	213.00
Fidelity Bonding Co. ....	5.00
Balance .....	590.06
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2,236.56</b>

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## WEDNESDAY EVENING

The Eighty-Sixth Session of the North Carolina Annual Conference, Central Jurisdiction, convened in Smith Memorial Methodist Church, Lenoir, N. C., on Wednesday evening, October 25th, 1944, at 7:30, with the District Superintendent G. E. Hogue, presiding. After the devotions were conducted, Rev. Hogue presented the pastor, Rev. W. L. C. Scarborough, to preside. Rev. Scarborough presented Mayor Earl Tate who brought greetings on behalf of the City of Lenoir. Rev. J. C. Cornett on behalf of the Lenoir Ministerial Association; on behalf of the Inter-denominational Ministerial Alliance, Rev. C. H. Walker; on behalf of the local church, Prof. J. H. Jones. The response was given by Rev. J. E. Brower. Rev. H. C. Woodland was presented for the evening sermon. Rev. Mr. Woodland delivered an inspiring and thought-provoking message, after which an offering was received for the local church. The benediction was then pronounced.

## THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 26

Bishop Shaw led the Conference in a brief but impressive devotional service and spoke from the words, "If we walk in the light as he is in the light we have fellowship one with another."

An offering for the church was received. A beautiful and impressive communion service was conducted by the bishop, district superintendents and Rev. W. L. C. Scarborough. Hymn No. 140 and "Lord I Want to Be a Christian," was sung.

J. E. Brower, the secretary of the last conference, was requested to call the Conference Roll.

At the calling of the names of Rev. R. D. Bethea, Marcus Munday, deceased retired elders, Coy N. Williams, an effective elder deceased, and Mrs. R. D. Bethea, Mrs. P. I. Wells, and Mrs. Anna Barnes, deceased ministers' wives, after which Dr. H. L. Ashe led the Conference in prayer.

Organization—On motion of W. O. Thomas, J. E. Brower was elected Secretary, and he named his assistants, T. H. Wooten, E. C. Tatum, and G. M. Phelps, Jr. On motion Rev. P. I. Wells was elected statistician, and named as his assistants B. W. Stewart, G. W. Patterson, H. C. Gannaway and A. M. Erwin.

The treasurer, N. J. Pass, named as his assistants, J. W. Hall and H. C. Woodland. On motion of H. C. Gannaway, the bar of the Conference was made to include all seats in the full auditorium to posts. On motion of L. M. Mayfield, Rev. E. C. Tatum was elected reporter to the papers. On motion of H. C. Gannaway the district superintendents were requested to appoint a man from each district to collect 50 cents from each minister and delegate for secretarial and statistic expenses. The following were appointed: Rev. J. W. Shuford, Greensboro District; Rev. Beverly Brown, Laurinburg District; Rev. S. B. McBrayer, Western District; Rev. J. W.

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Jones, Winston District. A resolution read by Rev. R. W. Winchester, requesting the secretary to send greetings from the Conference to one of her illustrious sons now holding a Conference in Shreveport, La., Bishop R. N. Brooks, was passed. See resolution.

Introductions—Rev. C. H. Walker, pastor of the A.M.E. Church of Lenoir, and Rev. Marshall McCallum, of Columbia, S. C., were introduced.

The hour having arrived for the Memorial Service for Rev. R. D. Bethea, Rev. Marcus Munday, Rev. Coy N. Williams, Mrs. R. D. Bethea, Mrs. P. I. Wells, and Mrs. Anna Barnes, deceased. The organist played softly Hymn 73.

Rev. R. B. Rhyne announced Hymn No. 520 of which three verses were sung.

The Old Testament lesson was read by Rev. T. C. Frazier. The New Testament lesson was read by Rev. R. C. Sharpe.

Hymn No. 248 was announced by Rev. R. C. Sharpe of which two verses were sung now and two verses after Dr. H. L. Ashe led the Conference in prayer. Rev. R. C. Sharpe delivered a very appropriate eulogy.

Rev. Sharpe closed his message with prayer and Rev. R. B. Rhyne led the Conference in singing a favorite song of Rev. Williams, deceased, "He'll Understand and say well done." Rev. R. C. Sharpe pronounced the benediction.

### THURSDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 26, 1944.

Devotions were conducted by M. S. Laughlin, using Hymns 142 and 379; prayer by J. W. Hall. Following the devotion question 16 was called, "Are there formulated complaints against any ministerial member of the Conference?" The answer was, none.

Bishop Shaw gave some timely remarks after which the reports of the District Superintendents were called and R. W. Winchester of the Greensboro District, made his report.

Reports of District Superintendents were continued with R. B. McRae, of the Laurinburg District making his report.

The pastors' reports were called from the Greensboro District and Laurinburg District respectively. They made their reports.

Dr. D. D. Jones, president of Bennett College, was presented by Bishop Shaw. His gratitude to the Conference for the untiring support during the Endowment Campaign was heartily expressed.

On motion of H. L. Ashe December 5th was chosen as the date for the food and financial effort for the college.

Motion of G. M. Phelps prevailed that we recommend Bishop R. N. Brooks to the Board of Education as a member of the Trustee Board of Bennett College.....

Prof. P. A. Taylor was presented to the Conference. A check in the amount of \$1035.12 was given to the Conference. The check came from the publishing house.

The following introductions were made: Rev. R. D. Crockett, of the faculty of Bennett College and Dr. M. Earl Cunningham from the Board of Education, Nashville, Tenn. Dr. Cunningham pronounced the benediction and the afternoon session was adjourned.

### EVENING SESSION

President D. D. Jones, presiding, the Bennett Choir led the singing. Rev. P. A. Taylor, of Gammon Theo. Seminary led in prayer. President Jones introduced Miss I. R. Jones, a teacher in Allen High School, of Asheville, N. C. Dr. Murial Pettioni, physician of Bennett College, and Mr. Clayton Southern, II, musical director of Bennett College.

The Choir sang "Go Down Moses," after which Bishop A. P. Shaw was presented and spoke. President Jones presented Dr. Earl N. Cunning-

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ham, a representative of the Educational Board of Nashville, Tenn., who also spoke. The Choir rendered two other selections, after which an offering was received by Rev. G. M. Phelps, and others of \$91.46. President Jones divided the offering by leaving one-half with the local church. Rev. R. D. Crockett, religious instructor at Bennett College, was presented and spoke. The Choir sang for the closing number "Bennett Alma Mata Fairest."

### FRIDAY MORNING

Devotions were led by Rev. B. F. Gleaves. Bishop Shaw commented upon the importance of the great hymns of the church.

The Committee on the Journal, reported that they had examined the Journal and found it correct.

The District Superintendent, Rev. G. E. Hogue, of the Western District, was called and he made his report. See Report.

The District Superintendent, Rev. R. B. McCallum, of the Winston District, was called and he made his report. The reports of the pastors on the Western District were called and they made reports. The pastors of the Winston District likewise reported.

A motion by Rev. T. H. Wootten prevailed that the printed program of the Conference become the order of service with the necessary changes.

Motion by Dr. H. L. Ashe prevailed that a committee be appointed to study the question of Referendum and that they bring a report to the Conference.

Dr. H. L. Ashe, Mrs. A. D. Brower and E. Frost, were appointed. See Report.

The District Superintendents were called to the platform to deliver a five-minutes address on the Crusade for Christ.

Dr. R. W. Winchester was asked to lead in these addresses.

All four of the District Superintendents spoke well and brought a great deal of information and inspiration to the Conference.

Bishop Shaw gave to the Conference the general plan of organization in a very inspirational way.

Prof. C. A. Barrett, Conference Lay Leader, spoke, assuring the Conference that the Layman will support the Crusade in a big way.

A motion prevailed that the Conference go on record supporting the Crusade one hundred per cent.

Dr. Curtis, representing the Board of Pensions, was presented.

Rev. G. E. Hogue pronounced the benediction.

### FRIDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 27, 1944

The North Carolina Conference began its afternoon session with devotions led by Rev. J. W. Shuford, after which the business of the Conference was resumed.

Motion of R. W. Winchester prevailed that Trustee Board of the Annual Conference be empowered to sell the property belonging to the Conference at Moxville for an amount not less than \$800.00.

R. W. Winchester reported to the Conference the sale of the Church property at Waynesville for the sum of \$100.00, with \$50.00 paid on said sale, and the balance in monthly installments.

G. M. Phelps offered a motion placing in nomination W. J. Cameron as Conference Youth Counselor. B. J. Stewart and H. C. Woodland were also nominated with the nomination closing on the three persons mentioned. A vote was taken and the results were as follows: H. C. Woodland, 31 votes; B. J. Stewart, 6 votes, and W. J. Cameron 21 votes. H. C. Woodland was declared elected.

A check from the Board of Education was presented by G. M. Phelps, which check is to be used by the Conference Methodist Youth Fellowship.



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The check of \$1.80, was given to the Conference Treasurer, N. J. Pass.

R. W. Winchester read a resolution to the effect that this Conference invite Bishop and Mrs. R. N. Brooks as their guest to the next session of the Annual Conference. See resolutions.

A motion for adoption prevailed.

A brief recess of the Conference was called by the presiding Bishop to make a picture of the Conference delegation.

On motion of G. M. Phelps, the Conference voted to have a certified Public Accountant to audit the books of the treasurer of the Trustee Board of the Conference and the Annual Conference Treasurer's books within 30 days. The motion prevailed.

Question 6 was called: "What are the reports of the District Superintendents as to the status of their work?" Ans.: See reports.

Question 7. "What is the schedule for minimum support of pastors?" with "none" as the answer. R. W. Winchester offered a motion that a committee be appointed to study and recommend suitable plans. Motion of W. T. Lomax prevailed that we have the District Superintendents, one minister from each District and the District Lay Leaders constitute this committee: The following ministers were appointed: R. C. Sharpe, for the Greensboro District; H. C. Gannaway for the Laurinburg District; W. C. Scarborough for the Western District, and W. S. McLeod for the Winston District.

Question 8 was called: "What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the District Superintendents for the ensuing year?" Ans.: "15% of the pastors cash salary."

Motion of J. E. Brower prevailed that the pastors of the Conference pay an amount equal to 1% of the pastor's cash salary on the Permanent Fund which amount is to be paid at the next session of the Conference in 1945. Some announcements were made, followed by the benediction by W. O. Thomas.

## FRIDAY EVENING

Rev. G. M. Phelps presiding.

Appropriate devotions were conducted, after which Rev. Phelps presented Rev. M. McCallum, of Columbia, S. C., who gave a very inspirational and informational address on "Faith."

Rev. Phelps next presented Prof. P. A. Taylor, of Gammon Theo. Seminary, who spoke in the interest of the school.

An offering of forty-five dollars was received.

The Choir sang a selection after which Rev. D. C. Skeen pronounced the benediction.

## SATURDAY MORNING

Devotions were conducted by Rev. F. D. Caldwell.

The boards, committees and commissions were recommended.

A motion to refer nomination of committees for further revision back to the committee was made by Rev. H. C. Gannaway. This motion carried with the exception of the Board of Ministerial Training and the Trustee Board which were adopted on first reading.

On motion the Board of World Service and Finance was elected. See Commissions.

Question 15: "Who constitutes the Conference Committee of Investigation?" Committee was approved. See Report.

Question 17: "Who are the accepted Supply Pastors?" See Report.

Question 19: "Who Are Received On Trial?" Oscar Graham.

Question 20: "Who remain on trial?"

a. Continued in studies of the first year? Henry W. Phillips.

b. Advanced to studies of the second year? Eugene Black, J. W.

Jones, G. M. Phelps, Jr., Clarence E. Strickland, Beverly Brown, James Alford, E. Frost, W. R. Crawford.

Question 21: "Who on trial are discontinued?" None.

Question 22: "Who are admitted into full connection?" None.

Question 23: "What full members are in studies of the fourth year?"

Samuel L. Townsend.

Question 24: "What full members have failed to complete the studies of the fourth year?" None.

Question 25: "What full members have completed the studies of the fourth year?" None.

Question 26: "Who have been elected deacons?"

"a. As local preachers? Alonzo W. Stowe.

"c. Under the Seminary rule?" Grandison M. Phelps, Jr., and William R. Crawford.

Question 27: "Who have been ordained deacons?" Alonzo W. Stone, Grandison M. Phelps, and William R. Crawford.

Question 28: "Who have been elected elders?"

Question 29: "Who have been ordained elders?"

Question 30: "Relative to accommodation transfers for ordination and reception?" None.

Question 31: "Who are readmitted?" None.

Question 32: "What preachers, coming from other churches, have had their orders recognized?" James H. Meeke from the A.M.E.Z. church and Charlie O. Hill from the Baptist church.

Question 33: "Who have been received from other churches as traveling preachers?" None.

Question 34: "Who have been received by transfer?" None.

Question 35: "Who have been transferred out?" L. A. Watson to the Delaware Conference and G. Haven Caldwell to the West Texas Conference.

Question 36: "Who have had their conference membership terminated?" None.

Question 37: "What ministerial members have died during the year?" Marcus Munday, Coy N. Williams and R. D. Bethea.

Bishop Shaw read a telegram from the Bethea family. On motion of Prof. C. A. Barrett the telegram was to be acknowledged and mention of its reception made in the Journal.

Motion prevailed that one hundred dollars for Gammon Theological Seminary be collected and reported by the District Superintendents.

Question 38: "Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?" None.

Question 39: "Who are granted Sabbatical leave?" None.

Question 40: "What ministers have been retired?" H. L. Ashe, J. J. Blanton, G. W. Byers, S. B. Cornelius, Dorsey McRae, A. E. Robinson, R. J. Shipp, B. F. Thomas, S. A. Peeler, D. C. Skeen, D. L. Thomas.

Question 41: "Who are left without appointment to attend school?" William R. Crawford.

The report of committee on World Service and Finance was read by Rev. L. A. Brown. See Report.

A motion carried to allow \$1,500 for Conference cultivation and \$500 for the Board of Education. And the report was adopted.

Dr. M. Earl Cunningham was presented and brought an interesting message on benevolent giving.

Rev. P. A. Taylor, representing the Christian Advocate, Central Edition, reported 721 subscriptions to the Advocate.

The ministers' wives made reports of additional money on the Retired Ministers Fund, the Greensboro District reporting first. Mrs. R. W. Winchester presented Mrs. Anna D. Brower. She reported \$225.00 for the Greensboro District.

The Laurinburg District report was made by Mrs. A. B. McRae. Amount \$316.00.

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The Western District report was made by Mrs. D. A. Wootten. Amount \$202.00.

The Winston District report was made by Mrs. L. M. Mayfield. Amount reported, \$252.00.

A total amount of \$996.00 was reported by the four districts.

Prof. C. A. Barrett presented his wife, Mrs. C. A. Barrett.

The Conference Treasurer's report was called and he made his report. See Report.

Motion prevailed that each District Superintendent appoint a committee from his district to check pastors' reports of his district.

A motion prevailed to terminate the fiscal year of the Conference October 15.

The Committee on Temperance made its report, Mrs. R. C. Sharpe reporting. Motion for adoption prevailed. See Report.

Dr. A. R. Howard of the Board of Temperance was presented and spoke briefly.

Announcements and benediction.

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON

At 2:00 p.m. the Woman's Society of Christian Service met, Miss I. R. Jones presiding. Mrs. A. L. Belo conducted the devotions. Mrs. R. B. McRae spoke on the work of the youth at Gulf Side. Mrs. C. A. Peeler spoke on the meeting at Gulf Side, the people and their customs.

Miss Fannie McCallum spoke about the special part played in the program. Mrs. D. D. Jones, national officer of the W.S.C.S., spoke on Gulf Side also.

Prayer was offered by Rev. R. C. Sharpe. Benediction.

The following amounts were reported by districts for secretary and stacionian's expenses:

Greensboro District .....	\$11.50
Western District .....	15.00
Laurinburg District .....	9.50
Winston District .....	11.50
Total .....	\$47.50

Bishop Shaw conducted a short devotional service, and then held a regular Conference business session.

The Board of Conference Claimants report was read by Rev. W. J. Cameron, and on motion of Rev. R. C. Sharpe was adopted. See Report.

Dr. M. Earl Curtis was introduced and presented the conference a check of \$80.00 from the Chartered Fund.

The report of the Board of Lay Activities was called and the list of nominations was presented. Motion for adoption by Rev. R. W. Winchester prevailed.

Question 26 was again called, and William R. Crawford was elected to Deacons Orders.

Question 47: "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?"

An invitation was extended from Lumberton and St. Mark's, High Point by their respective pastors, Rev. R. D. Sharpe and Rev. W. S. McLeod.

After some discussion Rev. W. S. McLeod moved that we unanimously vote to go to Lumberton for the next session of the Annual Conference.

A motion prevailed that we extend to High Point our thanks for their invitation.

The members of the Board of World Service and Finance were reported. See Report.

On motion Rev. N. J. Pass was elected Treasurer. Motion prevailed that Rev. Oscar Graham be admitted on trial by three-fourths vote of

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the Conference. The vote was taken. There were fifty-one for and none against. Rev. Crawford was elected and placed in the studies of the first year.

Dr. Hutchins, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Lenoir, was presented and spoke briefly.

Question 41: "Who are left without appointment to attend school?" William R. Crawford.

Question 9: "What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the Conference to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?" 7% of pastor's cash salary.

Question 11: "What amount is apportioned to this Conference for the Jurisdictional Administration Fund?" \$800.00 or \$200.00. Per year.

Question 45: "What is the report of the Conference Statistician?" The Report was made by Rev. P. I. Wells. See Report.

Motion prevailed that the North Carolina Conference go on record supporting a vote on referendum.

Motion by J. E. Brower prevailed that the Conference Journal become the official record of the Conference, and that 1300 copies be published.

Motion of J. E. Brower prevailed that the secretary, Dr. S. A. Peeler and Rev. T. H. Wootten constitute the publishing committee.

Motion of Rev. H. C. Gannaway carried that the Conference Program Committee be composed of the Bishop, four District Superintendents, entertaining pastor, Conference Lay Leader, President of the Conference, W.S.C.S. and the Chairman of the M. Youth Fellowship.

Rev. P. A. Taylor announced that the \$100.00 Scholarship for Gammon

### SUNDAY MORNING

At 10 a.m. the Love Feast, led by the retired preachers present, was also a feast of spiritual inspiration. Many present had the opportunity to sing their favorite songs and testify to the love of Christ.

At 11 the services were conducted by the Bishop and District Superintendents. The special readings for the ordination services were used, and the Smith Memorial Choir led the singing. A collection of \$210.00 was given after a very timely appeal by Rev. R. W. Winchester.

The Secretary, J. E. Brower, presented the following candidates for ordination as deacons: Alonzo W. Stowe, Grandison M. Phelps, Jr., and William R. Crawford. Bishop Shaw brought a practical but spirit-filled message to a very enthusiastic and appreciative audience.

Complimentary resolutions were read by Rev. C. L. Gidney. They were approved and passed to the Secretary. See resolutions.

A motion by Rev. R. C. Sharpe prevailed that the list of Boards of Committees referred to the Cabinet for revision be adopted and published without reading.

The Choir sang two selections to the delight of the Congregation.

Bishop Shaw read the List of Appointments, led the Conference in prayer, and pronounced the Benediction.

## THE METHODIST CHURCH

### THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the North Carolina Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, held in Lenoir, N. C., from October 25, 1944, to October 29, 1944, Bishop Alexander P. Shaw, presiding.

#### Part I. Organization and General Business

1. Who are elected  
 Secretary? Rev. J. E. Brower, 609 Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.  
 Treasurer? Rev. N. J. Pass, Box 76, Shelby, N. C.  
 Statistician? Rev. P. I. Wells, Rt. 6, Box 56, Greensboro, N. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (§625). Board of Trustees.
3. a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded and in what amounts? (§639.) Rev. N. J. Pass, Conference Treasurer, \$5,000; Rev. S. A. Peeler, Treasurer Trustees, \$1,000.  
 b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (§639.) Yes.
4. Have the boards, commissions, or committees been appointed or elected (§630) [answer Yes or No]:  
 a) Board of Ministerial Training? Yes.  
 b) Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.  
 c) Committee on Accepted Supply Pastors? Yes.  
 d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.  
 e) District Boards of Location and Building? Yes.  
 f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.  
 g) Annual Conference Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.  
 h) Town and Country Commission? No.  
 i) Annual Conference Deaconess Board? No.  
 j) Annual Conference of Missions and Church Extension? Yes.  
 k) Annual Conference Board of Education? Yes.  
 l) Annual Conference Board of Temperance? Yes.  
 m) Annual Conference Board of Lay Activities? Yes.  
 n) Annual Conference Board of Hospital and Homes?  
 o) Annual Conference Board of Evangelism? Yes.  
 p) Distributing Committee?  
 q) Annual Conference Board of Conference Claimants? Yes.  
 r) Committee on Proportional Payment of Ministerial Support? No.  
 s) Other committees, commissions, or boards? Yes.
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? (§640.) Yes.
6. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? See Reports.
7. What is the schedule for minimum support for pastors? (§806.)
8. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (§§788-89.) 15% pastor's cash salary.
9. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? 7% Pastor's cash salary.
10. What are the apportionments transmitted by the General Commission on World Service and Finance to this conference  
 a) For World Service? \$6,464.  
 b) For Episcopal Fund? 1¼% pastor's salary for current year.  
 c) For General Administration Fund? 213.

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11. What amount is apportioned to this conference for the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$200 per year for conference.
12. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the boards of conference:
  - a) What is the report of the Board of Conference Claimants and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? (§1623.) See reports.
  - b) What is the report of the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension of disbursements of missionary aird within the conference? (§1283-86.) See reports.
  - d) What are the other reports?
13. What date is determined for Golden Cross enrollment? (§1529.)
14. a) Who is elected conference lay leader? (§1492.) Prof. C. A. Barrett.
  - b) What is his report? See report.
  - c) Who are elected district lay leaders? (§1497-98.) Greensboro district: Lay Leader: Mr. L. H. McLaurin, Reidsville, N. C.; Associate Lay Leaders: Mr. John H. Leach, and Attorney E. Kermit Hightower, Greensboro, N. C. Winston District—Lay Leader: Mr. L. H. Jones, Mt. Airy; Associate Lay Leader: Mr. Ed Lewis, Winston-Salem, N. C. Laurinburg district—Prof. W. J. Cochran, Roland N. C.; Associated Lay Leaders: Prof. Raeford and Mr. John McCallum. Western district—Lay Leader: Prof. P. Person, Newton, N. C.; Associated Lay Leaders, Mr. C. A. Brown and Prof. James Jones. Board Treasurer—Mr. Will Thompson; Board Secretary—Mr. A. W. Harper.

## Part II. Pertaining to Ministerial Relations

15. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (§931.) G. M. Phelps, N. J. Pass, W. M. Wells, W. C. L. Scarborough, O. W. Burwick; Reserves—B. F. Gleaves, R. B. Rhyne.
16. Are there formulated complaints against any ministerial member of the conference? None.
17. Who are the accepted supply pastors? (§315.) Barnes, B. B., Barnes, Lonnie, Belo, Adda L. Bailey, C. W. Brooks, Glen, Campbell, E. G. Cook, W. C. Crutchfield, Oscar, Dula, B. J. Ferguson, S. F. Graham, P. H. Hughley, Carey, Houston, H. H. Joyce, J. M. Littlejohn, B. C. Love, C. B. McNair, H. M. Morehead, F. D. Perry, Hulie, Parker, H. L. Williams, Andrews, McRae, J. W. Carter, P. G. Meeks, J. H. Bowman, John, Sapp, W. E. Hill, H. O. Walker, H. L. McKorkle, T. D.
18. What accepted supply pastors now under full-time appointment are taking the conference course of study
  - a) In the first year? John Bowman, Dula, J. W. McRae, J. O. Hill, W. E. Sapp.
  - b) In the second year? Oscar Crutchfield, P. H. Graham, Carey Hughley, T. D. McCorkle.
  - c) In the third year? Lonnie Barnes, C. W. Bailey, Andrew Williams.
  - d) In the fourth year? S. F. Ferguson, Glen Brooks, J. M. Joyce, B. C. Littlejohn, C. B. Love, H. M. McNair, F. D. Morehead.
19. Who are received on trial? Oscar Graham.
  - b) In studies of the third year under the seminary rule?
  - c) Exempt from course of study under the seminary rule?
20. Who remain on trial
  - a) Continued in studies of the first year? Henry Phillips.
  - b) Advanced to studies of the second year? Eugene Black, J. W. Jones, G. M. Phelps, Jr., C. E. Strickland, B. Brown, James Alford, E. Frost, W. Cranford.
  - c) Continued in studies of the second year?
21. Who on trial are discontinued? None.
22. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

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23. What full members are in studies
  - a) Of the third year?
  - b) Of the fourth year? S. L. Townsend, passed to 4th year.
24. What full members have failed to complete the studies (§346)
  - a) Of the third year? None.
  - b) Of the fourth year?
25. What full members have completed the studies of the fourth year?  
None.
26. Who have been elected deacons
  - a) As local preachers? Alonzo W. Stowe.
  - b) As members on trial in the course of study?
  - c) Under the seminary rule? Grandison M. Phelps, Jr., William R. Crawford.
  - d) Under the missionary rule?
27. Who have been ordained deacons? Alonzo W. Stowe, Grandison M. Phelps, Jr., William R. Crawford.
28. Who have been elected elders
  - a) As local preachers? None.
  - b) As local deacons who have been received on trial? None.
  - c) As conference members in the course of study? None.
  - d) Under the seminary rule?
  - e) Under the missionary rule?
29. Who have been ordained elders? None.
30. Relative to accommodation transfers for ordination and reception,
  - a) Who are transferred in, and from what conferences, for purposes of ordination only, such ordination to be voted by this conference?
    - (1) For ordination as deacons? None.
    - (2) For ordination as elders?
  - b) Who have been transferred out, and to what conferences, after ordination:  
Deacons?  
(2) Elders?
  - c) Who have been received on trial at the request of another conference? None.
  - d) Who have been transferred, having been received on trial, and to what conference? None.
  - e) Who have been ordained here, such ordination having been voted by another conference: None.
    - (1) Deacons?
    - (2) Elders?
31. Who are readmitted:
  - a) Deacons?
  - b) Elders?
32. What preachers, coming from other churches, have had their orders recognized (§411)
  - a) As local deacons? James H. Meeks from A.M.E.Z. Church, Charlie O. Hill from Baptist church.
  - b) As local elders?
33. Who have been received from other churches as traveling preachers:
  - a) As ordained deacons? None.
  - b) As ordained elders? None.
  - c) As members on trial?
  - d) As members in full connection?
34. Who have been received by transfer? None.
35. Who have been transferred out? L. A. Watson, Delaware, April, 1944. G. H. Caldwell, W. Texas, August, 1944.
36. Who have had their conference membership terminated
  - a) By voluntary location? None.
  - b) By involuntary location? None.

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- c) By withdrawal? None.  
d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None.
37. What ministerial members have died during the year? Marcus Munday, Coy N. Williams, and R. D. Bethea.
38. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (§365.) None.
39. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (§364.) None.
40. What ministers have been retired [list alphabetically]  
a) This year? None.  
b) Previously? Ashe, H. L., Blanton, J. J., Byers, G. W., Cornelius, S. B., McRae, Dorsey, Shipp, R. J., Robinson, A. E., Peeler, S. A. Skeen, D. C., Thomas, D. L., Thomas, B. F.
41. Wh are left without appointment to attend school? William R. Crawford, Gammon Sem., St. Paul, Winston-Salem, N. C.
42. What is the number of  
a) Pastoral charges? 81. Accepted supply pastors? 30. Transfers in? None. Transfers out? 2. Received from other churches? None. Deceased? 3.  
b) Ministers  
(1) On trial  
(a) As pastors? ..... 10  
(b) Under special appointment? .....  
(c) Left without appointment to attend school? ..... 1  
(2) In full connection  
(a) As pastors and district superintendents? ..... 57  
(b) Under special appointment? ..... 6  
(c) Left without appointment to attend school? .....  
(d) On sabbatical leave? .....  
(3) Retired? ..... 11  
(4) Supernumerary? .....  
c) Total of all ministers?..... 85
43. What other personal notation should be made?

## Part III. Concluding Business

44. What is the report of the conference treasurer? See report.  
45. What is the report of the conference statistician? See report.  
46. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?  
47. Where shall the next session of the conference be held? Lumberton.  
48. Is there any other business?  
49. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference session? Wilmington.  
50. Where are the preachers statione for the ensuing year? [SEE LIST OF APPOINTMENTS.]

NOTE: Where reports and lists are too long to be entered, they should be attached to this form.  
Mission and Provisional Conferences answer questions pertaining to their work only.



North Carolina Conference Appointments

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Charge	Pastor	Address	Years
District Superintendent,	R. W. Winchester,	425 Bennett Street, Greensboro, N. C.	4
Basses and Raleigh's,	W. T. Lomax,	P. O. Box 156, Reidsville, N. C.	4
Brown Summit,	Eugene Black,	1324 Oakland Ave., Greensboro, N. C.	3
Bullock,	R. J. Shipp,	Box 45, Creedmore, N. C.	12
Empire,	D. A. Hill,	Asheboro, N. C.	1
Greensboro: Brownings and St. James,	Oscar Crutchfield,	Greensboro, N. C.	1
High St. and Laughlins,	P. I. Wells,	Route 6, Box 56, Greensboro, N. C.	6
North West,	R. C. Sharpe,	717 South Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.	1
South,	J. W. Shuford,	509 Bennet St., Greensboro, N. C.	10
St. Matthews,	J. E. Brower,	609 Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.	5
Kernersville Ct.,	F. D. Morehead,	Sup. Rt. 2, Greensboro, N. C.	1
Leaksville,	E. M. McLeod,	Leaksville, N. C.	1
Newport News and Pleasant Ridge,	J. W. Gamble,	923 9th St., Newport News, Va.	2
Oxford,	J. W. Hall,	P. O. Box 332, Oxford, N. C.	18
Raleigh,	W. J. Cameron,	1021 Oberlin Road, Raleigh, N. C.	4
Ramseur,	P. W. Webb,	Ramseur, N. C.	1
Randleman,	D. C. Skeen,	Thomasville, N. C.	1
Reidsville,	J. C. Rush,	P. O. Box 912, Reidsville, N. C.	6
Summerfield and Collins Grove,	E. C. Tatum,	220 E. 6th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.	2
Wesleys and Chapel Hill,	J. H. Ledwell,	622 Warren St., Greensboro, N. C.	4
Missionary Superintendent—	J. E. Brower.		

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Charge	Pastor	Address	Years
District Superintendent,	R. B. McRae,	P. O. Box 906, Hamlet, N. C.	6
Bolton,	Oscar Graham		1
Bomore and Mt. Zion,	J. H. McCallum,	Maretta, N. C.	1
Charlotte, Boulware Chapel,	Glen A. Brooks		2
Charlotte, Simpson Memorial,	G. M. Phelps,	309 S. Graham St. Charlotte, N. C.	2
Fairmont,	B. B. Barnes,	P. O. Box 661, Rowland, N. C.	5
Fayetteville,	H. L. Ashe,	520 Cumberland St., Fayetteville, N. C.	2
Goldsboro,	A. M. Robinson,	839 N. John St., Goldsboro, N. C.	1
Hamlet,	J. J. Patterson,	P. O. Box 951, Hamlet, N. C.	2
Hoffman and Pembroke,	B. F. Gleaves,	Maxton, N. C.	2
John's and Beverdam,	G. W. Patterson,	P. O. Box 25, John's	1
Laurinburg and Cool Springs,	W. M. Wells,	P. O. Box 457, Laurinburg, N. C.	9
Lumberton and New Zion,	R. D. Sharpe,	P. O. Box 543, Lumberton, N. C.	2
Maxton and Piney Grove,	H. C. Gannaway,	P. O. Box 336, Maxton, N. C.	6
Millers and Hickory Bend,	H. M. McNair,	P. O. Box, Red Springs, N. C.	3
Philadelphia and St. Peters,	C. E. Strickland		1
Red Springs and Beauty Spot,	R. B. Rhyne,	P. O. Box 424, Red Springs, N. C.	4
Rowland and Salem,	J. L. Alford,	P. O. Box 339, Rowland, N. C.	3

Sanford Circuit, J. F. Sawyer, P. O. Box 1031, Hamlet, N. C. ....	2
Southern Pines, Carey Hughley, P. O. Box 1070, Fayetteville, N. C. ....	3
Wilmington, S. L. Townsend, 718 Orange St., Wilmington, N. C. ....	1
District Missionary Secretary—H. C. Gannaway.	

**WINSTON DISTRICT**

Charge	Pastor	Address	Years
District Superintendent, R. F. McCallum, 355 Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			3
Advance, C. G. Bynum, Box 904, Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			4
Asheboro, W. E. Hairston, 19 Greensboro St., Asheboro, N. C. ....			4
Elkin and Jonesville, B. E. Staten, Elkin, N. C. ....			1
High Point:			
Brooks Memorial, L. M. Mayfield, Fairview St., High Point, N. C. ....			4
St. Marks, W. S. McLeod, 737 E. Washington St., High Point, N. C. ....			4
Lexington, C. L. Gidney, Lexington, N. C. ....			1
Madison and Stoneville, A. M. Ervin, Box 202, Madison, N. C. ....			6
Mt. Airy, H. C. Woodland, Safe Buss Co., Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			3
Oak Grove and Red Bank, W. G. Hamilton, Box 433, High Point, N. C. ....			2
Penhook and Boon's Mill, Va., L. A. Campt, Madison, N. C. ....			3
Rural Hall and Pilot Mt., John Jones, 1009 Benbow Rd., Greensboro, N. C. ....			4
St. John and Midway, F. D. Caldwell, 6 Church St., Thomasville, N. C. ....			7
Thomasville East, S. A. Peeler, 803 Julian St., Greensboro, N. C. ....			3
Trinity and Glenola, E. Frost, Route 1, Box 17, Mocksville, N. C. ....			4
Walnut Cove and Walkertown, T. C. Tarpley, S. Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C. ....			2
Winston-Salem:			
Mt. Pleasant and Chestnut Grove, B. W. Stewart, 808 Graham St., Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			1
St. Andrews, W. O. Thomas, 72 Waughtown St., Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			2
St. Home, H. W. Phillips, 309 Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			3
St. Paul, W. C. L. Scarborough, 911 E. 12½ St., Winston-Salem, N. C. ....			1
District Missionary Superintendent, F. D. Caldwell.			

**WESTERN DISTRICT**

Charge	Pastor	Address	Years
District Superintendent, G. E. Hogue, 810 Frederick St., Shelby, N. C. ....			2
Berry Temple, L. A. Brown, 220 Woodfin St., Asheville, N. C. ....			5
Shelby-Brooks, N. J. Pass, Box 76, Shelby, N. C. ....			16
Bracket Town—D. A. Williams, Monroe, N. C. ....			1
Catawba Ct., G. D. Kirklin, Rt. 3, Box 53, Lincolnton, N. C. ....			4
Cornelius Ct., A. W. Stowe, 106 Church St., Boone, N. C. ....			2
Forest City: Wellspring-Mooresboro, J. Q. Dula, Forest City, N. C. ....			1
Franklin: New Hope, G. M. Phelps, Jr., Gammon Seminary, Atlanta, Ga. ....			2
Kings Mt.: St. Paul-Bessemer-Galilee, H. A. Davis, Kings Mountain, N. C. ....			1
Gastonia: Ephworth-Cherryville, O. W. Burwick, 520 N. York St., Gastonia, N. C. ....			1
Wilkesboro: St. Home-Beaver Creek-Reids' Chapel, C. W. Bailey, Wilkesboro, N. C. ....			5
Hickory: Hartzell Memorial, T. H. Wooten, P. O. Box 2453, Hickory, N. C. ....			4
Lenoir: Smith Chapel, Marshall McCallum, 217 Rankin St., Lenoir N. C. ....			1
Lincolnton Ct.: Rockhill-Tuckers, J. W. Mickle, Lincolnton, N. C. ....			1
Glades, E. L. Felder, 77 Argyle Lane, W. Asheville, N. C. ....			1
Marion: Addie Chapel, Old Fort, M. S. Laughlin, Marion, N. C. ....			5

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St. James, W. C. Cook, 928 E. Hill St., Charlotte, N. C. ....	2
Lincolnton: El Bethel-Henton, J. H. Meeks, Union Mills, N. C. ....	1
Mooresville: Ct. I. R. Friend, Mooresville, N. C. ....	5
Mt. Holly: Rock Grove, C. T. Frazier, Mt. Holly, N. C. ....	2
Newton Ct.—B. L. Burge, Newton, N. C. ....	1
Shelby, Philadelphia-Durham Chapel, S. B. McBrayer, 315 Hudson St., Shelby, N. C. ....	1
Statesville: Scatt's Chapel, Philadelphia, Beverly Brown, Statesville, N. C. ....	1
Union Mills, S. F. Ferguson, 88 Congress St., Asheville, N. C. ....	1
W. Asheville, (To be supplied), 101 Burton St., W. Asheville, N. C. ....	1
Lenoir, H. H. Houston, Mooresville, N. C. ....	5
District Missionary Secretary, M. S. Laughlin.	

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

P. A. Taylor, Professor in Gammon Theological Seminary; P. W. Jenkins, S. P. Holland and E. N. Mattison, Chaplains, United States Army; William R. Crawford, left without appointment to attend school; H. C. Woodland, director of youth and religious education; W. O. Thomas, Secretary of Evangelism; T. H. Wooten, Conference Missionary Secretary.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Bishop Shaw, District Superintendents and friends of the North Carolina Conference:

The committee on resolutions, Morals, Temperance and Religion submit the following report:

In these trying days when the whole world is being shaken by a global war that affects the religious, mental and physical life of all people of the world and weakening our manpower.

Our young of today is passing through the most crucial crisis in this war-torn world that has ever been realized. This very day in every heart, brain and muscle of our American youth lies the future of our country. We are sure that those of you who have been so greatly blessed in being able to remain here on the home front, should feel a great responsibility.

Since the world war No. I, our country has witnessed an alarming increase of crime and juvenile delinquency. This is particularly evident in our young folk in the teen age. Leading the nation in the number of crimes committed, we are told today by the U. S. bureau of investigation.

In his report to Columbia university of January 23, 1943, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler said:

A chief reason why there is the present widespread and disturbing outbreak of crime and disorder on the part of our American youth is the fundamental principle of discipline toward self discipline is instilled in the schools, there can be only one result; namely: An undisciplined, disorderly youth without any effective training in morals and manners.

The harvest is great and the laborers are few. We are looking for the time when our husbands, brothers, sisters and friends will be mustered out and returned to their homes, many of them broken in spirit and morale. We see the great need of taking steps to improve present conditions as a whole and preparation for the future. This may be done by eliminating the many evils that are now existing on the home front—thus affecting the lives of the people.

One of the most horrible evils that we know about in these times is the liquor traffic. Millions of our men are being exposed to this deadly evil. Our homes and society are greatly affected with the uses of alcoholic liquors, which destroys mentally and physically and spiritually. Thus bringing about a low standard of the world that will be hard to rebuild standards for better living.

We therefore recommend that the N. C. Conference go on record as

indorsing the total program of temperance as outlined by the Methodist Church through the Board of Temperance.

We further call upon our people to practice total abstinence and by precept and example lead others to do the same.

We recommend that each church in the conference appoint a strong committee on Temperance which will collaborate with the jurisdiction representative. We further recommend that the second Sunday in December, 1944, be set apart for or as World Temperance Sunday on which day each pastor be requested to preach a sermon on temperance and take an offering for the cause in harmony with paragraphs 235 and 236 of the discipline.

Respectively submitted,

H. L. ASHE, Chairman

E. FROST

MRS. J. E. BROWER

MRS. R. C. SHARPE.

### RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, It has been and is now the custom of most Annual Conferences of Methodism to manifest in some formal way of appreciation to members of the Conference that were elevated to the episcopacy, and, whereas, the North Carolina Conference, Central Jurisdiction, is fortunate to be catalogued among those conferences which have produced members of this high and worthy rank, be it therefore, resolved that this Conference now in session, extend a cordial invitation to Bishop R. N. Brooks and wife to be our guest of honor at the next annual session of this conference. Resolved, further, that we request our beloved resident Bishop, A. P. Shaw, to convey the message. Signed,

R. W. WINCHESTER

R. B. McRAE

R. F. McCALLUM

G. E. HOGUE

District Supt. N. C. Conference, Central Jurisdiction.

WHEREAS, there is an Annual Conference of the Central Jurisdiction now in session in Shreveport, La., under the wise and prudent presidency of Bishop R. N. Brooks, who is one among the most beloved, gifted and distinguished sons of this conference. Therefore, be it Resolved, that the Secretary of this Conference be instructed to send greetings to Bishop R. N. Brooks and his Conference, and that the phraseology of said greetings be in accordance with the desire and wish of our presiding and resident Bishop, A. P. Shaw.

(Signed) R. W. WINCHESTER.

Be It Resolved:

The North Carolina Conference now in session is deeply shocked at the passing of Mr. J. H. Allen, outstanding layman, Leaksville, N. C., and hereby send a message of condolence to the bereaved family.

(Signed) C. A. BARRETT, L. L.

## Annual Report of Greensboro District, North Carolina Conference

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Mr. Chairman, Members and Friends of the North Carolina Conference,  
Central Jurisdiction:

Greetings:

I come before you and this great conference to express my gratitude and appreciation to you for permitting me the privilege of making another report of the above named district. We have worked together as becometh good soldiers of Jesus Christ in unison in order to promote the greatest possible results to the greatest number. We have done our best to promote workable organizations on the district pertaining both to temporal and spiritual activities. Our Bennett College rally in December, 1943, resulted in the total sum of \$945.00. Since then other small amounts have been reported to me on this fund. Our world service was in advance of previous years of which the reports from the pastors will indicate. We met in full our apportionments for General Conference, Jurisdictional Conferences and Area Council, in fact all causes required of us we have raised them in full. The ministerial support has never been better in my knowledge of the district. Most all the pastors have received their salary in full with a bonus. Of course this means, Episcopal Fund, Conference claimant Fund, have shared in proportion to the ministerial support. We strictly impressed this law and rule of prorating on the Greensboro district in everything the church requires prorating. The church School Institute held at Wesley Chapel, one of our best rural churches in the district and supervised by the pastor, J. H. Ledwell, brought much inspiration and information to our young people. The Youth Fellowship meeting was held at Bennett College. Here great numbers gathered. Dr. Jones, the president of the college, spared no pains in making things pleasant and inviting for them. The Dean, Dr. G. H. Caldwell, and the instructors were at their best in imparting the subjects that prompted the young people to return home gladly singing the praises of the Youth Fellowship Movement in the church.

The membership has increased some, but not like we had hoped to have seen it. The pastors and members put on a membership campaign the first of January. And for three months every church and pastor endeavored to evangelize his church and increase his membership. The results were worth while yet we had hoped even greater achievements. There have been several deaths in our membership this conference year. In the ministry there has been one minister passed in the person of Brothr R. D. Bethea. He died September 25, in a tragic accident. Struck by a sudway street car in New York city, death was instant. His wife, Bessie, preceded him last May. Mrs. Mamie Wells, the beloved wife of Rev. P. I. Wells passed from this world to the great beyond, leaving her husband, one son and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Her death, too, was speedy, only ten days. There are two retired ministers residing on the Greensboro district, namely J. W. Byers and D. L. Thomas. Brother Byers lives in Greensboro and brother Thomas lives in Raleigh. They are well. Brother Thomas is very active in the local church in Raleigh. The pastor very often speaks of his work in complimentary terms.

Church property: This has been a Jubilee year in church repairing and debt paying on the Greensboro district. The pastors will report in

brief their respective work. But allow me to mention a few of the outstanding charges. Reidsville has paid off that long standing debt there. Churches repaired and beautified are Wesley Chapel, Chapel, Hill, Warren Street, Mt. Tabor, Goshen, Red Mill. This is the finest country church on the district. Kernersville, Basses Chapel, Raleigh, St. James, Newport News, Pleasant Ridge, but this church was blown down September 15th in a hurricane. All the above named churches have made great repairs and improvements. There are other churches like Oxford, Collin Grove, High Street, Randleman, Stouts Chapel and St. Matthews, are flushed with bank accounts for improvements when opportunity permits. St. Matthews has inherited a gift of \$14,143.00 from the late and lamented member of that church, Mrs. Hooks.

The war conditions: This has greatly hampered our gatherings. The shortage of tires and gasoline have compelled us to curb our coming together many times when it was very necessary. The allotment of tires and gasoline do not measure to the full requirements of the needs and demands of this parish. I have used correspondence in most instances when I wanted to consult the pastors concerning district matters when heretofore we have met in a body somewhere on the district. The pastors on my district do not get enough gas to do the work the church requires them to do. Yet realizing the great sacrifice that is being made in this country to win the war we patiently wait and pray for better days to come.

The District Conference was held in Kernersville July 5-7. Great preparation was made for the entertainment of this conference. More than a thousand dollars was spent on the remodeling and repairs on the church. The members and friends spared no pains to make things nice and comfortable for us. We had a fine and successful district conference in this beautiful little town.

Church Periodicals: We have ever kept before the people the importance of reading good literature. Our church papers most especially I have earnestly urged them to read.

The Crusade: This movement is being given much study and prayer in the hope of great achievement in money, soul-saving, information, inspiration, numerical ingathering of members in church and schools for which the movement was launched. When we realize what it has cost us and is costing us in life blood of our sons, relatives and friends that we ourselves are permitted to be here this morning unbombed impels us to give as long as God gives us to spread His Kingdom upon the earth. We hope to do our part until the prophecy of Isaiah may become a realization that: He shall judge among the nations and shall rebuke many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks, nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more. And we hereby pledge ourselves to do our part in making it possible that He shall not fail nor be discouraged till he have set judgment in the earth and the isles shall wait for his law. Respectfully submitted by

R. W. WINCHESTER.

## Report of the Laurinburg District, October 26, 1944

Dear Bishop Shaw, Brethren of the North Carolina Conference and friends:

Providence has smiled upon us, and with health and strength we gather at the seat of another annual conference to give an account of our stewardship. Twelve months ago upon leaving Charlotte we hoisted our

sails and embarked upon the sea for another year of sailing. We have not had a smooth sail all the way, many furious winds have we encountered and rough has been the sea over which we have traveled, but today we have reached the harbor and we drop anchors, exchange greetings and make our reports, and leave to you to say how well we have done. Truly as we gather we can sing with the song writer:

Through many dangers, toils and snares  
We have already come  
'Tis grace that brought us safe thus far  
And grace will lead us home.

As we traveled through the year the grim monster death came in and claimed some of our crew. All of our active pastors have been spared, but early in the conference year, Rev. Marcus Monday, one of our honored retired ministers, heard the master call, and obedient as he had always been he answered, and a tired heart stopped beating and a weary soul went home to rest. The first of August Sistr Anna Barnes, the wife of Rev. B. B. Barnes, took leave for the celestial city. She was a lover of the Master's work and a strong factor in the success of her husband. She finished her day's work and without warning walked away with the Master. These two lovable souls surrendered themselves to God freely because they were for many years buds and blossoms for eternity.

## General Conditions.

This has been in many ways the best year for the Laurinburg District. In this report time will not permit us to mention all of the pastors one by one and their success, but at the close of the conference thirteen ministers of the District went back to their same charges and were received with great joy and five new ministers were welcomed to the District, and two others we changed. This gives us a total of twenty pastors on the Laurinburg District. All of the older men went back to their jobs and took up where they left off and their success has been great. Many improvements have been made in their charges and all reports are round.

## New Ministers.

Among the several ministers who were received into the conference last year from other denominations two were appointed to the Laurinburg District. Rev. R. D. Sharpe, from the A.M.E. Church, Rev. J. F. Sawyer, from the A.M.E. Zion church. These two ministers have proved themselves worthy pastors this year and their achievements have been gratifying. Rev. Sharpe was sent to Lumberton and New Zion. He has installed new windows in the Lumberton church at the cost of \$1,300 and made general repairs including windows of \$1,700. He has also led the people in building a new church at New Zion. This in many respects is the best rural church on the District. It is built out of Cinder blocks.

Rev. J. F. Sawyer was appointed to the Sanford Ct., an appointment that had been for many years used for the most part as a supply appointment. They have more than doubled their giving this year for all causes and this charge has taken its place with the other appointments on the district. They have on the ground at one point cement block to build a new church and have raised for the new church more than \$700. This charge is round in reports. They are loud in their praise of his work.

Dr. H. L. Ashe went to Fayetteville and took where they were and moved forward and has beautified the church. This charge paid all of its assessments at the Easter roll call and has spent the remainder of the year in its own local program. Their report is 100% plus. They have \$800 in the treasure now to build a parsonage. Thus Fayetteville takes its place among the leading appointments in the conference. Not a fourth grade

appointment but one of the First rank who ask no mercy but shoulders their responsibilities.

Rev. G. M. Phelps was appointed to Simpson Church in Charlotte. If there are those who had any apprenensions as to the future of Charlotte you can ease your mind and be assured that Charlotte is safe. Brother Phelps has done a great work there this year and brought to the conference a round report for everything and has the church in a fine financial condition. He has all the indebtedness of the church financed through the Building and Loan and has paid much in advance and a small weekly payment will take care of the building loan. Possible three-fourths of the building loan debt is accumulated street assessment that had to be met immediately and it has been paid. Twenty-two members have been received in the church and things are moving along nicely.

Rev. Glen A. Brooks went to Bouleware Chapel in Charlotte and according to the reports for the members this church has had its best year. This church must be improved.

Rev. J. J. Patterson was appointed to Hamlet last conference and upon arrival was faced with an indebtedness of more than \$1,000 dollars. This has all been cleared and the church is clear of all indebtedness. He has had a fine year. Rev. O. W. Burwick was appointed to Johns and Beaver Dam. He has had a quite successful year there. He entertained our Youth Fellowship Institute at Johns in a very beautiful church that had been beautified for the institute and has raised quite a large sum of money to repair the Beaver Dam Church. His report was ready for conference almost two months ago. Brother Burwick has carried this charge to unthinkable heights this year.

### **Benevolence Giving.**

At the last annual conference we pased a resolution giving to our conference a certain percentage of our World service to our own conference. This resolution put heart in the people and Laurinburg made almost a fifty per cent increase in their benevolence. All other claims of the general and local church have been met also. We played our part in the Bennett College Endowment and have made our contribution to Allen Home and Gammon Seminary.

### **Ministerial Support**

The change of economic conditons and the very fine work of the pastors, the people have been inspired to increase the salaries of the pastors in almost every charge on the district. The total increase in salary on the district for the coming year is \$2300. This was given as a tribute to the fine leadership the pastors have furnished. There are several of the charges who are planning to build new parsonages and we have urged the people to make the old ones more comfortable. This I am sure will make the Laurinburg district one of the most desirable to serve.

### **District Activities.**

Our Youth Fellowship held at Johns was a decided success and the interest was good and the institute was very helpful. We also had a large group from the district to take part or attend the conference institute held at Bennett College. This was a very successful undertaking and we hope will be continued. Our district conference was held at Piney Grove church on the Maxton charge. At this same time the W. S. C. S. was held and these two meetings were largely attended. Facing as we do the new opportunities that are offered the laymen I feel sure that with the beginning of this quarter we will see new life in the laymen throughout the district.

### **Ministers' Wives.**

The ministers' wives of the district are still doing a fine work for the conference, but whatever it is it represents the voluntary efforts on their



part to supplement the funds of the Retired ministers. They not only raise money but their thoughtfulness when something happens or when a word of encouragement means much is one of the main reasons that this group should continue their organization.

### Future Outlook

We have never had a greater opportunity anywhere and at any time than we have today in Wilmington, N. C. I have spent much time there in surveying the field and making plans for the organizing of a church there. Wilmington has grown wonderfully since the war. Before the war there were 35,000 people in Wilmington. Today there are 105,000 people there, and I have contacted more than fifty persons who are waiting the opening day for the new Methodist church in Wilmington. We have made the first payment on a nice neat church there and only need some fine energetic pastor to go in there and take care of it. The North Carolina conference could not devote its time anywhere that would be more profitable than in this undertaking. We must concentrate our entire effort to this one point at this time. The people are awaiting the close of this conference to welcome some minister to be their spiritual leader. I trust we will not disappoint them.

We still are looking forward to completing the church in Southern Pines. If we are to carry on in North Carolina we must look forward to developing new fields of labor. We can duplicate in other cities what we have done in Fayetteville.

### Appreciation.

Bishop Shaw, we greatly appreciate the heights to which you lead us the past quadrium, and we welcome your return for another. We feel safe in following your leadership. For in you we follow one with ability plus experience. You have traveled from the humble pastorate to now the position of chief pastor. You know the struggle through which a pastor travels. For all of this we welcome you.

### Conclusion.

We rejoice in the fact that we are living and are permitted to serve in a day such as this, when the church has launched such a vast program, the Crusade for Christ. I speak for twenty pastors, thirty-five churches and several hundred members when I say that the Laurinburg district stands ready to shoulder its part and march forward in this great undertaking for Christ. I am happy for the fellowship that I have had this year throughout the entire district and pledge my continued interest in His cause wherever I may be permitted to serve another year.

ROBT. B. McRAE, Dist. Supt.

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## Report of District Superintendent, Western District

To the Eighty-Sixth Session of the North Carolina Conference:  
Bishop Alexander P. Shaw, Ministers and Delegates of the North Carolina Conference:

It became a very profound and happy task of mine at the last annual conference by the appointment of our beloved bishop to take up the work of the superintendency of the western district of this conference, which was so nobly carried on by Rev. G. M. Phelps.

On entering the work we found forty-four (44) preaching-places, which were being sheperded by some of the best pastors of the conference, and a very large and worthy group of laymen and laywomen united in the

common cause of bringing unsaved into the fellowship of Christ. With these competent workers we set to the task of programming the church to achieve the greatest good possible for the largest number. This task called for the supervision by our best trained and earnest church leaders to direct or give leadership in Christianity for the smallest babe up to the oldest person in and out of the church.

## Evangelism.

I feel that Evangelism is or ought to be the concern of every individual in the church. Across the district, we appointed chairmen on evangelism in every church to work with every group in the church, stimulating interest for this work. On February 2nd we invited Dr. J. W. Golden, the field secretary in our church on Evangelism, to visit our district, in the interest of this work, who came to us in Hickory and gave us a day lecturing and helping us to plan a district-wide campaign. Much has been accomplished in this effort on the district this year. However, I hope this is just the beginning of a far-reaching movement in soul-saving.

## Church Records.

I urged for every church a membership register so there could be a up-to-date record for every Methodist born babe as well as members coming into our church. I found that so many of our churches are woefully in need not only a membership record but for finance as well. I feel that our membership is too important, our church is too great to not have an adequate record for the business of our church. I urged a revision of our church membership roll so that we may keep up with our migrating membership.

## Church School.

Here we are confronted with the most important task of church work. Here where we are called upon to combine our interest and give our best in training, guiding, and influencing men, women, boys and girls to become strong dependable Christians. Here where we may build a strong membership for all time. I have urged every pastor to join in somewhere here with his membership training class. Because too many enter our church not knowing what it is all about and unless he is trained in a day like this which is full of much evil, he will care less. Many of our church schools had their Bible daily vacation school this year and we hope for another all church schools will have a daily Bible vacation school. Unless we train our children religiously ourselves, it will be done by a group outside the church.

Bishop Shaw, we were forced to have our district conference and our institute at the same place and time, because of the shortage of gas and crowded conditions of travel. This kind of a combined interest proved to be a very impressive and grand success. This school was under the auspices of the board of education in Nashville, Tenn. They certified two of our Negro teachers and not only gave us two of their certified teachers but paid all of their expenses. Then the district conference set aside one night for Youth Promotional effort and raised enough to take care of the expense of the other two teachers, leaving a nice sum for the local church. This being the first year of this institute under their supervision they planned these courses: "The Educational Work of the Small Church," "Teaching Children in the Small Church," "Worship in the Small Church," "Planning for Children. "Go Ye Therefore" Evangelism No. 1. All four classes were well attended with an average of 32. There were 238 class-card certificates given to those who made five class periods. Because of the high appreciation permeating its enthusiasm through the entire school, there was an asking of an additional day for this work another year.

## Improvement of the Local Church on the District.

This has been a high and most gratifying year of my life, as I watched the old church seemingly at her best. Under the leadership of our most efficient and eminent pastors and laymen things to my mind, have happened. In Asheville Rev. L. A. Brown and his loyal followers have programmed a big effort to renew the strength of Methodism by making over their place of worship. In Newton, Rev. S. B. McBrayer and his congregation have up to now more than \$2,500 on the erection of a new \$7,000 St. Paul; In Hickory Rev. T. H. Wooten is holding a most beautiful blue-print plan to renovate both up and down stairs of his church with already money on hand around \$2200. or more. Rev. D. C. Skeen has already placed the cornerstone in one of his churches and now worshipping in it. And many others who are just as worthy of mentioning, have either repaired or paying on remodeling of their building. This church in which we now worship, under the competent pastor, Rev. W. C. Scarborough, and his most worthy members have sold well Methodism in Lenoir, by making this church the most beautiful church in the city, yes, even in the North Carolina conference. I have nothing but praise for these gallant men. Rev. T. C. Frazier has a fine work started five miles from Stanley, N. C., known as Luckey Chapel and Rev. Bailey has organized a church about 17 miles from here known as Beaven Creek and has started erecting a new church.

## The Coming Crusade To Our District.

Bishop Shaw, we are setting the stage for our all out drive for the second crusade of the church. I think the church is asking only a trifle as what she demanded of the people in the first crusade. Voicing the sentiment of the men on the district, we shall do our uttermost in this drive to make Christ real to men and bring the required sacrificial gift to His altar.

Bishop Shaw, we are happy to receive your leadership for another four years. Your presence, your warm fellowship calls out the best there is in us. We feel that this fellowship is akin to that angelic felicity which is enjoyed in heaven. We feel that under your most profound leadership which is the best in Methodism we shall reach the highest heights in Kingdom building. I close with the poem which describes the type of men the church demands to carry on his Program in the days that lie ahead. "God give us men a time like this demand, Strong minds, brave hearts, true faith, and ready hands. Men whom the lust of office cannot kill; Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy; Men who have opinions and a will; men who have honor and who will not lie; Men who will face the treacherous demagogue, And damn his flatteries without winking; Tall men, sun-crowned, who will live above the fog in public duty and in private thinking. For while the rabbles with their thumb worn creeds, Their large pretensions and their little deeds, Mingled in selfish strife, lo Freedom weeps, Wrong rules the world and waiting justice sleeps."

D. E. HOGUE, D. S. of the Western District.

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## Report of District Superintendent, Winston District

Dear Bishop, Brethren and Friends of the North Carolina Conference:

I have come on this day to bring my second annual report to you of the Winston District, North Carolina Conference, Central jurisdiction. I count it a privilege to relate to you the labors of the pastors of the district for the present year. Certainly we make the confession that desired heights have not been reached. Yet the very excellent work of the men in general claims notable recognition. We have presented all claims of

the church and the pastors, in general, have made outstanding efforts to conform to the total program of the church.

Our first getting together after the conference was to complete the effort for Bennett College. Bishop you were present on December 21, to witness what was done. The amount required of us at this time is in hand. On the same day of the meeting we attempted to organize evangelism as we were taught at the Area Council of '43. This, however, brought varied experiences with only limited success. We still believe that this form of evangelism will bring telling success when properly outlined and zealously fostered.

The early part of the year brought to our attention claims such as General Conference, Jurisdictional Conference, World Service, Area Council, and the numerous other claims as occur in each conference year. By the After Easter Roll Call three-fourths, or more, of all claims had been brought in.

## **Youth Conferences and Institutes**

For the first time we were able to carry through a conference-wide Youth Conference, the seat of which Bennett College brought together credited delegations from each district.

### **The Winston District Institute Was Held at St. Home Methodist Church, Winston-Salem.**

At this meeting plans were formulated and taken to each church on the District to secure representation. The response was inspiring. We as youth and other look forward to this pleasant treat another year was the cry on leaving Bennett at its close.

## **District Conference.**

The Winston District Conference was held at Rural Hall. The conference was of inspiration, especially to those generous people who entertained.

The absence of the former editor of the Christian Advocate at that time, Dr. R. N. Brooks, now Bishop R. N. Brooks, was noticeable, and even though Rev. Dr. G. Haven Caldwell represented the paper in a very enthusiastic way still we recognized the sag in subscriptions at that time. We made attempts to pull out of that sag at this conference. Dr. N. G. Crolley was present with us on Wednesday night and in his usual manner lifted the congregation in spiritual thought and action of the church.

## **Improvements and Clearing of Debts.**

Our church at Rural Hall and two of the churches at Winston, namely, Mt. Pleasant and Saint Paul have made outstanding improvements in paint and other labor. Our churches at Asheboro and Thomasville have made good in the raising of funds for improvements, the work to be done at a later date.

Two years ago now Rev. H. W. Phillips was sent to our St. Home Church in Winston. He at once realized the need of building both the congregation and church. Within the two years 30 new members have been added to the church, and a sum of \$6,000.00 has been raised with the closing of a rally October 8. (3,400.00). To this young pastor and loyal membership we await the final culmination of your endeavor, with the hope that you may soon worship together in the desired edifice.

Our St. Stephens Church at Lexington and St. Mark at High Point have cleared debts of long standing and have had their mortgage burning. In the same manner something of note can be said of each charge on the district, time will not permit.

**Woman's Society of Christian Service**

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, of the Winston District, held its meeting at Hoovers Chapel, Thomasville. This was a day of inspiration and information to those of us present. Their contribution to the total program of the district accounts in a large measure for whatever our accomplishments may be at present.

In many of the charges through the summer months revivals have been carried on. The success of these revivals will be heard of in the report of pastors. The result as an increase in membership being felt in many of the charges of the district.

**The Changing of Pastors.**

The Winston District has lost three of its standard pastors this year. Death removed from us the Rev. Coy N. Williams in the month of February. The Rev. L. E. Watson was transferred to the Delaware Conference the latter part of April. The Rev. Dr. G. Haven Caldwell was transferred to the west Texas Conference the latter part of August, effective the early part of September. The loss of each of these brothers added to the labors and struggles to all who were concerned, but out of all the Lord has brought us thus far on the way. To Him be glory now and always.

My thanks to you as pastors, members and friends of the Winston District are here recorded in this short word with long member and kind thought will we sing the praises of your labor.

Bishop Shaw, through your sterling leadership, brotherly kindness, and spiritual messages we have been taught to love both our jobs and churches dearer, and to think nobly of the flocks with which we are associated. May God give us grace to do our jobs and do them well.

**REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE.**

The Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference, Methodist Church, Central Jurisdiction, has given careful study and prayerful consideration to the financial obligation of our conference.

There has been no day in the history of our church when the needs of a suffering humanity were more clearly recognized and presented a greater challenge for service and sacrificial giving than today.

In recognition of the tremendous responsibility that rests upon us as a conference in helping to promote the program of our great church, for over seas relief and rehabilitation and continued kingdom building both at home and abroad: Therefore your commission recommends for your action and determination here and now the following apportionments for the conference year 1944-45:

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| (1) World Service .....  | \$6,464.00 |
| (2) General Administration Fund .....  | 213.00     |
| (a) That we, the North Carolina Conference urge each individual charge to raise its apportionment in full.                 |            |
| (3) Treasurer's Expense: Shall be two per cent (2%) not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300.00) of all funds collected. |            |

**Special Annual Conference Benevolence.**

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| (4) For our Educational Institution—estimate .....    | \$2,000.00 |
| (a) Bennett College (Thanksgiving gift estimate.....) | \$1,400.00 |
| (c) Gammon Theological Seminary .....                 | 100.00     |
| (b) Allen Home, High School .....                     | 500.00     |
| (5) For Promotional and Field Cultivation .....       | \$2,000.00 |
| (Within the North Carolina Conference)                |            |

# NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

- (a) Board of Education .....\$1,000.00  
 (Office expense, youth, adult and children work;  
 traveling expense, young people assembly and layman  
 work)
- (b) Board of Home Mission and Church Extension.....\$1,000.00
- (c) That this amount to be raised by assessing each  
 charge two per cent (2%) of the pastor's cash salary.
- (6) Crusade for Christ ..... \$35.300

## Ministerial Support

- (7) That the Episcopal Fund shall be the amount equal to one and three-fourth per cent (1¾%) of pastor's cash salary.
- (8) That the Conference Claimants shall be the amount equal to seven per cent (7%) of the pastor's cash salary.
- (9) That the District Superintendent's salary shall be an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the pastor's cash salary.
- (10) That at the seat of the next annual conference, each minister shall pay into the permanent fund (Pension and Relief) an amount equal to one per cent (1%) of cash salary received.
- (11) That each charge of the conference observe the special days as required by our discipline: Race Relations, World Service Sundays and other special days as may be designated by the general church.

Signed: L. A. BROWN, Chairman.

## LAY DELEGATES TO EIGHTY-SIXTH SESSION, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Name	Address	City
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John H. Litaker		
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J. D. McLeod .....		(Hoffman, N. C.?)
Mrs. Evangeline Jones—40S So. 12th St. ....		Hickory, N. C.
C. A. Brown—Route 2, Box 115 .....		Catawba, N. C.
Mrs. Minnie Murchson—Route 1, Box 51 .....		Jonesboro, N. C.
Miss Blanche Taylor—Route 3, Box 168 .....		Boones Mill, Va.
W. G. Graham,—Route 1 .....		Mooresville, N. C.
John Bowman .....		West Asheville, N. C.
Gaither Brown—Route 1, Box 60 .....		Trinity, N. C.
J. W. Townsend—Route 1 .....		Maxton, N. C.
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Miss I. R. Jones—331 College St. ....		Asheville, N. C.
L. H. McLaurin .....		Reidsville, N. C.
Roland Davis—Route 2, Box 69 .....		Greensboro, N. C.
E. S. Jones—120 Harring St. ....		Lenoir, N. C.
D. C. McLean—Rt. 1, Box 28 .....		Maxton, N. C.
Mrs. Abigail H. Pass,—Rt. 1, Box 271 .....		Leaksville, N. C.
Mrs. Eugene Covington—Rt. 1 .....		Rockingham, N. C.
Mrs. James Davis .....		Pembroke, N. C.

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## CONFERENCE ROLL AND P. O. ADDRESSES RETIRED ELDERS

Ashe, H. L. ....	Fayetteville, N. C.
Blanton, J. J. ....	Marion, N. C.
Byers, G. W. ....	Greensboro, N. C.
Cornelius, S. B. ....	Old Fort, N. C.
McRae, Dorsey .....	Thomasville, N. C.
Shipp, R. J. ....	Creedmor, N. C.
Robinson, A. E. ....	Newton, N. C.
Peeler, S. A. ....	803 Julian St., Greensboro, N. C.
Skeen, D. C. ....	Thomasville, N. C.
Thomas, B. F. ....	Pugh St., Lexington, N. C.
Thomas, D. L. ....	508 Chamberlain St., West Raleigh, N. C.

## EFFECTIVE ELDERS

Brooks, R. N. ....	631 Baronne St., New Orleans, La.
Brower, J. E. ....	609 Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.
Burwick, O. W. ....	520 N. York St., Gastonia, N. C.
Brown, L. A. ....	220 Woodfin St., Asheville, N. C.
Burge, B. L. ....	Newton, N. C.
Bynum, C. G. ....	Box 322, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Caldwell, F. D. ....	6 Church St., Thomasville, N. C.
Cameron, W. J. ....	1021 Oberlin Rd., Raleigh, N. C.
Davis, H. A. ....	Kings Mountain, N. C.
Dula, J. Q. ....	Forest City, N. C.
Erwin, A. M. ....	Madison, N. C.
Frazier, T. C. ....	P. O. Box, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Friend, Ira .....	Mooreville, N. C.
Gannaway, H. C. ....	Box 566, Maxton, N. C.
Gidney, C. L. ....	Lexington, N. C.
Gleaves, B. F. ....	Maxton, N. C.
Gamble, J. W. ....	1240 29th St., Newport News, Va.
Hall, J. W. ....	P. O. Box 332, Oxford, N. C.
Hairston, W. E. ....	33 Lyle St., Reidsville, N. C.
Hill, D. A. ....	Asheboro, N. C.
Hogue, G. E. ....	810 Frederick St., Shelby, N. C.
Holland, S. P. ....	
Hamilton, W. G. ....	High Point, N. C.
Jones, R. E. ....	1375 East Long St., Columbus, Ohio
Jenkins, P. W. ....	
Kirkland, C. D. ....	Rt. 3, Box 53, Lincolnton, N. C.
Laughlin, M. S. ....	Marion, N. C.
Ledwell, J. H. ....	622 Warren St., Greensboro, N. C.
Lomax, W. T. ....	P. O. Box 156, Reidsville, N. C.
McLeod, E. M. ....	Leaksville, N. C.
McLeod, W. S. ....	737 E. Washington St., High Point, N. C.
Mickle, J. W. ....	Lincolnton, N. C.
McRae, Robert B. ....	Box 906, Hamlet, N. C.
McBrayer, S. B., .....	315 Hudson St., Shelby, N. C.
Mayfield, L. M. ....	Fairview St., High Point, N. C.
Mattison, E. M. ....	
Pass, N. J. ....	Box 76, Shelby, N. C.
Patterson, G. W. ....	Johns, N. C.
Patterson, J. J. ....	Hamlet, N. C.
Phelps, G. M. ....	309 S. Graham St., Charlotte, N. C.
Rhyne, R. B. ....	Red Springs, N. C.
Rush, J. C. ....	P. O. Box 912, Reidsville, N. C.
Roberson, A. M. ....	839 N. John St., Goldsboro, N. C.

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Scarborough, W. C. L.....	911 E. 12½ St., Winston-Salem, N. C.	
Sharpe, R. C. ....	717 S. Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.	
Sharpe, R. D. ....	Lumberton, N. C.	
Sawyer, J. F., .....	P. O. Box 1031, Hamlet, N. C.	
Shuford, J. W. ....	509 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.	
Staten, B. E. ....	Elkin, N. C.	
Stewart, B. W. ....	808 N. Graham St., Winston-Salem, N. C.	
Taylor, P. A. ....	Gammon Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.	
Tarpley, T. C. ....	624 So. Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.	
Thomas, W. O. ....	72 Waughtown St., Winston-Salem, N. C.	
Tatum, E. C. ....	220 E. 6th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.	
Townsend, S. L. ....	718 Orange St., Wilmington, N. C.	
Wells, P. I. ....	R. F. D. 6, Box 56, Greensboro, N. C.	
Wells, W. M. ....	P. O. Box 457, Laurinburg, N. C.	
Webb, P. W. ....	Ramseur, N. C.	
Williams, Arthur D. ....	Monroe, N. C.	
Winchester, R. W. ....	425 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.	
Wooten, T. H. ....	P. O. Box 2453, Hickory, N. C.	
Woodland, H. C. ....	Safe Buss C., Winston-Salem, N. C.	

## PROBATIONERS

	Year Received On Trial	Year In Conference	Course of Study
Alford( James, P. O. 339, Rowland, N. C.....	1943		II
Black, Eugene, 1324 Oakland Ave., Greensboro, N. C. ....	1943		II
Brown, Beverly, 20 Hastie Loop, Washingt n Square, Fayetteville, N. C. ....	1943		II
Crawford, William R. ....	1943		II
Frost, Elijah, R. F. D. 1, Box 17, Mocksville, N. C. ....	1943		II
Jones, J. W., 1009 Benbow Road, Greensboro, N. C.....	1943		II
McCallum, James H., R. F. D., Rowland, N. C.....	1942		II
Phelps, Grandison M., Jr., 309 S. Graham St., Charlotte, N. C. 1943	1943		II
Phillips, Henry W., 309 Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem, N. C. 1943	1943		I
Strickland, Clarence E., 839 N. John St., Goldsboro, N. C.....	1943		II
Stowe, Arthur W., Boone, N. C. ....	1942		III
Graham, Oscar .....	1944		I



ACCEPTED SUPPLY PASTORS—1944-1945

Names	Year
Barnes, B. B. ....	Local Deacon
Barnes, Lonnie .....	III Year
Bailey, C. W. ....	III Year
Belo, Ada L. ....	Local Deacon
Brooks, Glen .....	IV Year
Bowman, John .....	I Year
Campbell, E. C. ....	Local Deacon
Cook, W. C. ....	Local Deacon
Crutchfield, Oscar .....	II Year
Carter, P. G. ....	I Year
Campt, L. M. ....	Local Deacon
Dula, B. J. ....	I Year
Ferguson, S. F. ....	IV Year
Graham, P. H. ....	II Year
Hughley, Carey .....	II Year
Houston, H. H. ....	Local Elder
Joyce, J. M. ....	IV Year
LittleJohn, B. C. ....	IV Year
Love, C. B. ....	IV Year
McNair, H. M. ....	IV Year
Moorehead, F. D. ....	IV Year
McCorkle, T. D. ....	II Year
Perry, Hulie .....	Local Deacon
Parker, H. L. ....	Local Elder
McRae, J. W. ....	I Year
Meeks, J. H. ....	Local Elder
Hill, H. O. ....	I Year
Williams, Andrew .....	III Year
Walker, A. L. ....	Local Deacon
Sapp, W. E. ....	I Year

(Signed) H. C. GANNAWAY.

Roll of Deceased Members of the Conference

OUR PROMOTED FELLOW WORKERS

"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."

Born	NAME	Admitted to Conference	Effective	WHEN AND WHERE DEPARTED
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 Maxton
1821	Matthews Alston	1870	14	April 1, 1884 Greensboro
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	January 9, 1887 Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 Raleigh
	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	August 12, 1890 Marion
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		1891 Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	September 16, 1882 Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 Dodson
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1889	2	April 20, 1900 Maxton
1840	C. Harshaw	1828	16	July 3, 1900 Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 6, 1802 Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 7, 1903 McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 Salem
1841	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 Rowland
	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 High Point
1831	David Connell	1871	41	December 15, 1912 Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1813 Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 Lamar, S. C.
	Ellis Ellison		23	March 28, 1917 Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 Greensboro
	John C. Robbins		23	July 8, 1917 Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		22	August 25, 1918 High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1893	12	Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		February 26, 1920 Old Fort
	Henry Fink		6	
1835	L. B. Gibson	1870	34	March 26, 1822 Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	August 28, 1922 Maxton

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1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 Greensboro
	J. H. Isham			September 21, 1927 Rockingham
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	January 30, 1930 Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	February, 1930 Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	38	1930 High Point
1854	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	September, 1930 Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty	1894	36	1930 Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur	1887	44	November, 1931 Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris	1890	41	May, 1931 Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambourger	1910	21	September, 1931 Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black	1907	24	December 20, 1931 Winston
	J. A. Cherry		16	May 10, 1932 Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock	1885	37	June 13, 1932 Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard	1917	15	July 10, 1932 Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope	1883	37	July 22, 1932 Winston
1896	G. T. Foley	1925	8	January 14, 1933 High Point
1843	J. C. Addie	1894	32	May 2, 1933 Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks	1875	34	May 12, 1933 High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin	1811	22	July 17, 1933 Greensboro
1852	J. D. Halrston	1885	28	October 23, 1933 Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells	1899	32	January 18, 1934 Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett	1882	21	February 9, 1935 Reidsville
1868	W. R. Ziegler	1893	40	September 30, 1935 Greensboro
1852	A. H. Newsome	1883	52	November 6, 1935 Greensboro
1862	S. L. May	1880	52	August 8, 1936 Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden	1903	33	October 11, 1936 Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Presley	1929	8	January 5, 1937 Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernethy	1930	7	1937 Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis	1891	45	May 20, 1937 Kernersville
1860	S. F. B. Peace	1891	46	December 14, 1937 Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales	1902	36	May 15, 1938 Madison
	M. M. Patrick			May 23, 1938 Greensboro
	P. J. Cook			July 28, 1938 Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse	1921	19	September, 1938 Winston-Salem
	P. F. Johson	1898	39	December 27, 1938 Hickory
	H. O. Fredrick			1939
	A. B. McQueen	1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead	1868	55	1940 Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherly	1903	38	July 21, 1940 Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann	1914	27	1941 Asheville
1882	Henry Jones	1829	13	1941 Elkin
	J. R. McNair			1942 Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson	1900	43	July 10, 1943 Greensboro
1852	Marcus Munday	1888	39	1944 Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams	1933	11	February, 1944 Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea	1893	43	September 25, 1944 New York

# PASTOR'S SUMMER SCHOOL

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MORRISTOWN NORMAL and INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE

Morristown, Tenn.

JULY 18-JULY 28, 1944

OFFICERS: Chairman, F. J. Handy, (Delaware); Chairman, D. S. Dykes, (East Tennesee), Chairman, R. W. Winchester, (North Carolina); Chairman, J. S. Carroll, (Washington); Registrar, W. J. Cameron, (North Carolina).

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS: Delaware Conference—W. C. Thompson, D. H. Hargis, L. H. McArthur, O. H. Spence, C. D. Gerald; East Tennessee—F. D. Thomas, C. H. Holloway, E. D. Riddle; North Carolina—R. W. Winchester, R. F. McCallum, G. E. Hogue, R. B. McRae; Washington—C. E. Johnson, Eli L. Lofton, C. E. Queen, M. F. Hayling, Chas. Briggs.

LECTURERS: First Week—Dr. Chas. W. Brashares, Ann Arbor, Michigan; Second week—Rev. W. A. T. Miles, Rev. Richard H. Johnson, Rev. W. J. Cameron.

## DAILY SCHEDULE

Breakfast 7:30 A. M.—Dinner, 12:30 P. M.—Supper, 6:00 P. M.

Worship, 8:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Henry.

Recreation, 3:00 P. M.—4:00 P. M. Moore.

Lectures, 8:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.

## COURSE OF STUDY

### First Year

- 9:30 A. M.-10:30 A. M.—Abingdon Commentary (General and O. T. Articles) Jenkins.
- 10:30 A. M.-11:30 A. M.—The Prophets Tell Their Own Story (Leslie) Haynes.
- 11:30 A. M.-12:30 P. M.—The work of Preaching (Hoyt) Carroll.
- 2:00 P. M.-3:00 P. M.—Discipline of the Methodist Church. H. T. Johnson.
- 3:00 P. M.-4:00 P. M.—The Church in History (Nagler) Richard Johnson.

### Second Year

- 9:30 A. M.-10:30 A. M.—The teachings of Jesus (Branscomb) Moore.
- 10:30 A. M.-11:30 A. M.—The Religious Consciousness (Pratt) Brown.
- 11:30 A. M.-12:30 P. M.—A Man in Christ (Stewart) Henry.
- 2:00 P. M.-3:00 P. M.—The Local Church (Beaven) Haynes.
- 3:00 P. M.-4:00 P. M.—Abingdon Commentary (New Testament Articles) Jenkins.

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## Third Year

- 9:30 A. M.-10:30 A. M.—Christianity (Rall) Harper.  
10:30 A. M.-11:30 A. M.—Introduction to Philosophy (Brightman) Handy.  
11:30 A. M.-12:30 P. M.—Religious Education (Harner-McKibben) Thompson.  
2:00 P. M.-3:00 P. M.—Guide to Understanding the Bible (First half—Fosdick) Cameron.  
3:00 P. M.-4:00 P. M.—Concerning the Ministry (Oman) Corral.

## Fourth Year

- 9:30 A. M.-10:30 A. M.—God and Ourselves (Lewis) Brower.  
10:30 A. M.-11:30 A. M.—Doctrine of Redemption (Knudson) Miles.  
11:30 A. M.-12:30 P. M.—The Religions of Mankind (Soper) Whitefield.  
2:00 P. M.-3:00 P. M.—Social Salvation (Bennett) Dykes.  
3:00 P. M.-4:00 P. M.—Guide to Understanding of the Bible (Second Half—Fosdick) Cameron.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

All undergraduates and Accepted Supplies, giving full time to Pastoral work under the District Superintendent are required to attend the Summer School, except otherwise excused by the Faculty. This is mandatory. (Discipline 1940, Paragraphs 1110, 1112.)

Students must bring text books and Students' Hand book, Classes begin, Tuesday, July 18, 9:30 A.M.

The payment of the traveling expenses of students is guaranteed; clergy certificates should be used in every case; but transportation should be by automobile if possible, so that several men could travel together so as to reduce the expense.

No traveling expenses will be paid to students unless they remain during the entire session, or are excused by the Faculty.

The rate for Board and Lodging is \$10.00 plus \$1.00 care of room, total \$11.00.

Students must furnish their own bed covering, towels, etc. The dormitories are furnished with beds and springs, mattresses, writing tables, chairs, bureaus.

Other Ministers also are cordially invited to attend.

## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

This is to certify that on Sunday, October 29th, 1944, in Smith Memorial Methodist Church, Lenoir, N. C., at the seat of the North Carolina Annual Conference, I, Alexander P. Shaw, ordained the following persons as Deacons: Alonzo W. Stowe, Grandison M. Phelps, Jr., William R. Crawford.

(Signed) ALEXANDER P. SHAW,  
Bishop of the Methodist Church.

## Certificate of President and Secretary

This is to certify that the foregoing is a complete and correct report of the proceedings of the Eighty-Sixth Session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church, Central Jurisdiction, held in Smith Memorial Methodist Church, Lenoir, N. C., October 25-29, 1944, and also such, together with the accompanying reports, has been adopted as its official Journal.

(Signed) ALEXANDER P. SHAW,  
President  
J. E. BROWER,  
Secretary.

## RESOLUTION

It is with a sense of deepest gratitude that we give thanks to Almighty God for having spared us yet another chance to give an account of our Stewardship. Methodism in the Old North State has been, we are sure, greatly lifted to a plane of perpetual sunshine in a state of contentment. This comes about because of the leadership of our Bishop Alexander P. Shaw, the resident bishop of the Baltimore area. We desire to express our deepest appreciation to all the speakers who appeared on our program.

We are sincerely grateful to our Heavenly Father for the privilege of assembling in the beautiful mountainous city, Lenoir, N. C., and in this very adorable church made possible by the many friends and members of Smith Memorial Methodist Church.

We heartily commend the Reverend W. C. L. Scarborough, pastor host, Rev. G. E. Hogue, District Superintendent of the Western District, the various churches, the school and Boy Scouts, and all for the hospitable manner in which we have been entertained.

Commendation is also due the officers of the conference, the superintendents, representatives of the various boards of the church, and the civic and religious leader of Lenoir. Especially would we mention His Honorable Mayor Earl Tate, Rev. J. C. Cornett, Rev. C. H. Walker, Prof. J. H. Jones, Mr. Andrew Patterson, Mrs. Ela Link and Mr. Edward Donley and the Home Economics Department for the way in which they entertained the conference. And we could not help but rejoice as we listened to our own Bennett College Choir.

The fellowship of the Holy Communion was so reverent, so impressive that one could not help but feel the presence of the Holy Spirit.

The spirit and trend of this conference has placed upon Christian followers the urgent task of refashioning the social life of mankind after the eternal pattern of Jesus Christ and the shaping of a new world, for the light to shine on, when the lights go on again all over the world.

For this gain in vision we are grateful to all who have made this a profitable session. Lastly, may we reaffirm our belief in Almighty God and in the power of His Son Jesus Christ to yet make the kingdom of this world the dwelling place of the Eternal God.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. GIDNEY,

W. E. HAIRSTON,

E. C. TATTUM.

# NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

## FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT

### Board of Conference Claimants

#### NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Date of Session: October 26-29, 1944

Balance .....	\$756.30
Less—due Mrs. C. N. Williams and child, 1943-44 .....	44.98
	<u>\$711.32</u>

#### RECEIPTS

During 1943-44 to be distributed during 1944-45

##### FOR ANNUITIES:

From Pastoral Charges .....	\$3,267.00
From Conference Investments .....	61.98
From Methodist Pub. House .....	1,039.23
Interest on Dist. Account .....	84.13
Ministers' Wives .....	1,016.00
	<u>          </u>
	<u>          </u>
Total For Annuities .....	\$5,468.34

##### FOR REGULAR RELIEF:

From Bd. of Pensions .....	\$655.00
Bd. of Pens. Bonus .....	140.00
	<u>          </u>
Total for Regular Relief .....	\$795.00

##### FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF:

From Chartered Fund .....	\$80.00
Balance Previous Year* .....	711.32
Due from Clearing House .....	29.00
	<u>          </u>
Total .....	\$7,083.66

#### PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1944-45 of funds collected during 1943-44

##### ON BASIS OF SERVICE:

To Preachers .....	\$2,672.00
To Widows .....	2,945.53
To Children .....	207.38
	<u>          </u>
Total Regular Annuity .....	\$5,824.91

##### ON BASIS OF EMERGENCY RELIEF:

Addtl. at \$1.00 per yr. to clmts. other Confs. (est.) .....	\$25.00
To Stabilization Fund .....	1,000.00
To Clearing House .....	5.00
Balance .....	228.75
	<u>          </u>
Total .....	\$7,083.66

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Funds collected during the Conference Year 1943-44 available for distribution to Conference Claimants during the Conference year 1944-45:

Balance after 1943-44 Distribution .....	\$756.30
Interest at 3M on Distribution Account to Nov. 1, 1944.....	84.13
Interest at 3% on Conference Permanent Fund to Nov. 1, 1944 .....	61.98
From Board of Pensions, Illinois Corporation:	
Regular Appropriation .....	655.00
Bonus .....	140.00
Chartered Fund Dividend .....	80.00
Appropriation from Methodist Publishing House .....	1,039.23
Collected by Ministers' Wives Association .....	1,016.00
Collected from Charges on Apportionment:	
On hand in Chicago .....	747.50
Check from Conference Treasurer .....	2,519.50
Due from Clearing house .....	29.00
Total .....	\$7,128.64
Prospective Distribution to Conference Claimants during the Conference Year 1944-45 from Funds collected during the Conference Year 1943-44:	
Retired Ministers:	
380 years at \$7.00 per year of service .....	\$2,660.00
3 years in other conferences .....	12.00
Widows:	
623½ years at \$4.90 per year of service .....	3,055.15
30 years in other conferences .....	86.38
Children:	
87 years at \$1.75 per year of service .....	152.25
32 years in other conferences .....	56.00
Prospective balance after 1944-45 distributed .....	1,081.86
Theological Seminary had been raised.	

Resolution read by Prof. C. A. Barrett that the Conference convey sympathy to the family of J. W. Allen of Leaksville, who has just passed. See Resolution.

Motion of Rev. R. W. Winchester prevailed that after the morning service ordination service, and the reading of the appointments that the Conference stand adjourned sine dié.

Announcements were made and Bishop Shaw pronounced the benediction.



**NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE RALLY FOR  
BENNETT COLLEGE ENDOWMENT**

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**GREENSBORO DISTRICT**

Basses Chapel .....	\$100.00
Brown Summit .....	37.50
Bullock .....	6.00
Empire .....	23.60
Greensboro:	
Browning Chapel .....	54.00
St. Matthews .....	200.00
High Street .....	37.50
South Greensboro .....	37.50
Northwest Greensboro .....	50.00
Kernersville .....	18.75
Leaksville .....	38.00
Newport News .....	40.00
Oxford .....	20.00
Raleigh .....	35.00
Randleman .....	33.00
Reidsville .....	52.00
Summerfield .....	50.00
Ramseur .....	19.00
Wesley .....	56.25
Miscellaneous .....	100.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$1,008.10</b>

**WESTERN DISTRICT**

Asheville .....	\$93.75
Catawba .....	9.00
Gastonia .....	20.00
Hickory .....	53.25
Hunters .....	15.00
Kings Mountain .....	18.75
Lenoir .....	18.75
Lenoir Circuit .....	16.87
Lawndale-Brooks .....	18.75
Lincolnton Circuit .....	10.00
Marion .....	50.00
Mooresboro Circuit .....	2.00
Mooresville Circuit .....	15.00
Shelby .....	37.50
Statesville-Phila. ....	10.00
West Asheville .....	18.75
Wilkesboro Circuit .....	5.00
Miscellaneous .....	100.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$512.37</b>

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## WINSTON DISTRICT

Advance .....	\$4.00
Asheboro .....	71.25
Elkin .....	5.00
Lexington .....	37.50
Madison .....	40.00
Rural Hall .....	37.50
Trinity .....	10.00
St. Andrews .....	56.25
St. Paul .....	150.00
E. Thomasville .....	50.00
Thomasville (St. Johns) .....	56.25
Brooks Memorial .....	30.00
St. Marks .....	125.00
Oak Grove .....	18.75
Miscellaneous .....	100.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$791.50</b>

## LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Bowmore .....	\$26.00
Charlotte .....	30.00
Charlotte Mission .....	5.00
Fairmont .....	8.75
Fayetteville .....	50.00
Goldsboro .....	15.00
Hamlet .....	45.00
Hickory Bend-St. ....	10.00
Hoffman Circuit .....	7.50
Johns-Beaver Dam .....	14.00
Laurinburg .....	50.00
Lumberton .....	38.00
Maxton-Piney Grove .....	49.00
Red Springs-Beauty Spot .....	56.00
Rowland-Selma .....	36.75
Sanford Circuit .....	30.00
Miscellaneous .....	100.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$571.00</b>

## SUMMARY

Greensboro District .....	\$1,008.10
Laurinburg District .....	571.00
Western District .....	512.37
Winston District .....	791.50
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$2,882.97</b>

# NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

## Statement of Prospective Distribution, Retired Ministers

Year 1944-45

Annuity Rate \$7.00

Number	Name	Total Approved Years	Years	Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
*1	Ashe, Hugh L. ....	48	48	\$336.00	.....	.....	\$336.00
2	Blanton, J. J. ....	23	23	161.00	.....	.....	161.00
3	Byers, George W. ....	46	46	322.00	.....	.....	322.00
4	Corneilius, Sandy B. ....	16	16	112.00	.....	.....	112.00
5	McRae, Dorsey ....	35	35	245.00	.....	.....	245.00
6	Peeler, S. A. ....	47	44	308.00	3	12.00	320.00
7	Robinson, Avery, E. ....	27	27	189.00	.....	.....	189.00
8	Shipp, Robert J. ....	34	34	238.00	.....	.....	238.00
9	Skeen, David C. ....	36	36	252.00	.....	.....	252.00
10	Thomas, Benjamin F. ....	42	42	294.00	.....	.....	294.00
11	Thomas, D. L. ....	29	29	203.00	.....	.....	203.00
		383	380	2,660.00	3	12.00	2,672.00

\*No payment under paragraphs 1630-31 (Dis. 1944)

## Statement of Prospective Distribution, Children

Year 1944-45

Annuity Rate \$1.50

Number	Name of Mother or Guardian	Name of Child	Age	Father's Ap- proved Years	Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity	
1	Foley, Mrs. G. T.—George T.	16	7	7	12.25	.....	.....	12.25	
2	Kearse, Mrs. David H.—John	13	23	12	21.00	16	28.00	49.00	
3	Kearse, Abby R. ....	11	28	12	21.00	16	28.00	49.00	
4	Murphy, Curreno—Elizabeth	17	36	36	63.00	.....	.....	63.00	
5	Watson, Nellie—Sandy McD.	16	8	8	14.00	.....	.....	14.00	
6	Williams, Mrs. Coy N.—Mary	7	11½	11½	20.13	.....	.....	20.13	
				118½	86½	151.38	32	56.00	207.38

Statement of Prospective Distribution, Widows

Year 1944-45

Annuity Rate \$4.90

Number		Total Approved Years	Years	Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
1	Addie, John .....	32	32	\$156.80	.....	.....	\$156.80
2	Fink, Henry .....	6	6	29.40	.....	.....	29.40
3	Foley, G. T. ....	7	7	34.30	.....	.....	34.30
4	Garrett, James Henry .....	21	21	102.90	.....	.....	102.90
5	Gibson, Sanda A. ....	22	22	107.80	.....	.....	107.80
6	Hairston, J. D. ....	27½	27½	134.75	.....	.....	134.75
7	Harshaw, Charles .....	14	14	68.60	.....	.....	68.60
8	Hayden, Sylvester J. ....	1½	1½	7.35	.....	.....	7.35
9	Howard, Chas. Elisha ....	7	7	34.30	.....	.....	34.30
10	Isham, John H. ....	7½	7½	36.75	.....	.....	36.75
11	Jenkins, Albert G. ....	23	17	83.30	6	17.50	100.80
12	Johnson, Peter F. ....	39	39	191.10	.....	.....	191.10
13	Jones, Henry .....	13½	13½	66.15	.....	.....	66.15
14	Jones, John W. ....	9	9	44.10	.....	.....	44.10
15	Jones, M. M. ....	33	33	161.70	.....	.....	161.70
16	Laughlin, James A. ....	25	25	122.50	.....	.....	122.50
17	Laughlin, Marcus C. ....	23½	23½	115.15	.....	.....	115.15
18	McDonald, Samuel .....	10½	10½	51.45	.....	.....	51.45
19	McNair, John R. ....	17	17	83.30	.....	.....	83.30
20	Morris, John P. ....	42½	42½	208.25	.....	.....	208.25
21	Peace, Samuel F. B. ....	41½	41½	203.35	.....	.....	203.35
22	Pressley, S. H. ....	6	6	29.40	.....	.....	29.40
23	Prince,, Jacob C. ....	6½	5½	26.95	1	3.50	30.45
24	Scales, William B. ....	34½	34½	169.05	.....	.....	169.05
25	Shamborguer, N S. T.....	23½	23½	115.15	.....	.....	115.15
26	Simpson, John W. ....	8	8	39.20	.....	.....	39.20
27	Swan, E. I. ....	28	28	137.20	.....	.....	137.20
28	Weatherby, R. T. ....	38½	27½	134.75	11	30.80	165.55
29	Wells, John W. ....	34	22	107.80	12	34.58	142.38
30	Williams, Coy N. ....	11½	11½	56.35	.....	.....	56.35
		613½	583½	2,859.15	30	86.38	2,945.53

**HISTORICAL VIEW**

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conferences. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Conference of December 4, 1844, there were 10,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May 1845, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A. M. E. Church, some of the Colored M. E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M. E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

**CONFERENCE SESSIONS**

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preacher	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Andrews	G. H. Leigh		20030	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20225	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		22851	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Soule	S. S. Bryant		28413	
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Morris	S. S. Bryant		21247	
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Matton	17	4100	

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Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preacher	In Class	Edifices
10—January 14, 1868.	Union Chapel	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	James	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	811	79
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
14—January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	10171	106
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	1012	97
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Foster	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
25—February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
26—February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
27—February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
28—October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
29—October 27, 1887	High Point	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	115
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Maxton	C. N. Grandison	60	8200	116
32—October 23, 1890	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133

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Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preacher	In Class	Edifices
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallieue	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133
41—October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42—October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	166
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
55—Nov. 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171
56—Nov. 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
57—Dec. 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58—Nov. 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59—Nov. 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60—Nov. 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61—Nov. 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195
62—Nov. 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195
63—Nov. 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195
65—Nov. 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	97	14537	218
66—Oct. 20—Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
67—Oct. 28—Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13138	149
68—Oct. 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161
69—Oct. 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	98	13762	179
70—Oct. 31—Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell			

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Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preacher	In Class	Edifices
71—Oct. 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161
72—Nov. 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13757	161
73—Nov. 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	92	13614	167
74—Oct. 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	91	13614	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	90	13310	158
76—Oct. 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	89	13220	163
77—Oct. 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	83	13474	164
78—Oct. 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	80	13470	164
79—Oct. 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	78	13473	164
80—Oct. 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	77	12400	164
81—Oct. 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	77	13662	164
82—Nov. 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	73	13076	104
83—Oct. 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	75	11876	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	75	12706	164
85—Oct. 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	72	12990	164
86—Oct. 25-29, 1944	Lenoir	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	85	13088	178



# CONFERENCE CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL

## N. C. Annual Conference, Central Jurisdiction Methodist Church

Names are arranged according to seniority of consecutive membership in full connection with this Conference. The names of retired members are printed in capitals; of supernumerary members in bold face type; of effective members in ordinary type and undergraduates underscored. Names of probationers and undergraduates are followed by Roman numerals, indicating their year in the Conference Course of Study. Figures after supernumerary members indicate years in that relation.

### CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL

NAME:	Year Entered This Conference On Trial	Year Received In Full Connection	Total Years of Service	Deductible Years
BYERS, G. W. _____	1883	1885	47	_____
McRAE, DORSEY _____	1888	1890	35	_____
Davis, H. A. _____	1923	1925	20	_____
BLANTON, J. J. _____	1890	1895	23	_____
ASHE, H. L. _____	1895	1898	47	_____
CORNELIUS, S. B. _____	1896	1897	16	_____
THOMAS, B. F. _____	1890	1893	50	_____
PEELER, S. A. _____	1895	1897	49	_____
SHIPP, R. J. _____	1892	1896	34	_____
Winchester, R. W. _____	1900	1902	43	_____
Wells, W. M. _____	1902	1904	41	_____
Lomax, W. T. _____	1903	1907	40	_____
ROBINSON, A. E. _____	1904	1907	27	_____
Pass, N. J. _____	1908	1910	35	_____
Frazier, T. C. _____	1907	1909	36	_____
SKEEN, D. C. _____	1907	1909	36	_____
Phelps, G. M. _____	1918	1920	25	_____
Rhyne, R. B. _____	1907	1911	36	_____
A. M. Robertson _____	1912	1914	28	3
THOMAS, D. L. _____	1905	1917	38	_____
Burge, B. L. _____	1912	1914	33	_____
Brooks, R. N. _____	1910	1912	33	_____
Shuford, J. W. _____	1915	1917	28	_____
Hairston, W. E. _____	1917	1919	26	_____
Erwin, A. M. _____	1918	1920	25	_____
Rush, J. C. _____	1918	1920	25	_____
Wells, P. I. _____	1910	1912	33	_____
Caldwell, F. D. _____	1920	1922	23	_____
Gannaway, H. C. _____	1920	1924	23	_____
Scarborough, W. C. _____	1921	1925	22	_____

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NAME:	Year Entered This Conference On Trial	Year Received In Full Connection	Total Years of Service	Deductible Years
Brower, J. E. ....	1922	1924	21	.....
Mickel, J. W. ....	1922	1924	21	.....
Gleaves, B. F. ....	1924	1926	19	.....
Hall, J. W. ....	1913	1915	32	.....
McLeod, E. M. ....	1925	1918	18	.....
Patterson, G. W. ....	1925	1927	18	.....
Gidney, C. L. ....	1925	1928	18	.....
McCollum, R. F. ....	1927	1929	16	.....
Staten, B. E. ....	1927	1929	16	.....
Hogue, G. C. ....	1929	1931	16	.....
Brown, L. A. ....	1929	1932	14	.....
Taylor, P. A. ....	1929	1932	14	.....
Hill, D. A. ....	1924	1928	19	.....
Wooten, T. H. ....	1931	1933	12	.....
Bynum, C. G. ....	1926	1934	17	.....
Cameron, W. J. ....	1932	1934	11	.....
Ledwell, J. H. ....	1932	1934	11	.....
McRae, Robert .....	1922	1924	21	.....
Laughlin, M. S. ....	.....	1933	10	.....
McLeod, W. S. ....	1933	1935	10	.....
Sharpe, R. C. ....	1933	1935	10	.....
Friend, Ira .....	1935	1937	8	.....
Mayfield, LeMon .....	.....	1938	5	.....
Dula, J. Q. ....	.....	1938	5	.....
Woodland, H. C. ....	1934	1938	9	.....
Mattison, E. N. ....	1937	1939	6	.....
Stewart, B. W. ....	1937	1939	6	.....
McBrayer, S. B. ....	1936	1939	6	.....
Jenkins, P. W. ....	1938	1940	5	.....
Patterson, J. J. ....	.....	1940	3	.....
Hamilton, W. G. ....	.....	1941	2	.....
Burwick, O. W. ....	.....	1941	2	.....
Kirkland, G. D. ....	.....	1942	2	.....
Gamble, J. W. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Tatem, E. C. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Sawyer, J. F. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Tarpley, T. C. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Sharpe, T. C. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Townsend, S. L. ....	.....	1943	1	.....
Holland, S. P. ....	.....	1943	1	.....

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RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

* Indicates Probationers	1933 High Point .....	1½
‡ Indicates Joined on Trial	1934 Lexington .....	4
† Indicates Joined in Full	1938 Lenoir .....	2
	1940 Asheville .....	5
<b>ASHE, HUGH L.</b>		
‡1886 Hickory .....	1	
1887 High Point .....	1	
†1888 Asheville .....	2	
1900 Gammon Seminary .....	3	
1904 Asheville .....	1	
1905 Raleigh District Supt. ....	3	
1908 Western District Supt. ....	6	
1913 Winston (St. Paul) .....	8	
1921 Greensboro District Supt. ....	6	
1927 High Point .....	7	
1934 Reidsville .....	3	
1937 Winston District Supt. ....	6	
1943 Retired .....		
1943 Winston-Salem (St. Andrews) .....	1	
1944 Fayetteville .....	2	
<b>ALFORD, JAMES</b>		
<b>BLANTON, J. J.</b>		
Byers, G. W.		
<b>BROOKS, R. N.</b>		
<b>BROWER, JOHN E.</b>		
‡1922 So. High Point .....	3	
†1924		
1925 Reidsville .....	4	
1929 Laurinburg .....	1	
1930 Winston District Supt. ....	6	
1936 Asheville .....	5	
1941 St. Matthews .....	5	
<b>BURWICK, OSCAR W.</b>		
‡1939 Lenoir Circuit .....	1	
1940 Forest City .....	2	
†1941		
1942 City Mission, Charlotte ....	1	
1943 Johns and Beaver Dam ....	1	
1944 Gastonia .....	1	
<b>*BROWN, BEVERLY</b>		
1937 Browning Chapel Greensboro, N. C. ....	1	
1938 St. James, Newport, News. .	2	
1940 St. John, Goldsboro .....	1	
1941 Bomore and Mt. Zion .....	3	
1944 Statesville and Philadelphia		
<b>BROWN, LEANDER A.</b>		
‡1929 North Carolina Conference		
1931 Pen Hook, Va. ....	1	
†1933 Pen Hook, Va. ....	½	
1933 High Point .....	1½	
1934 Lexington .....	4	
1938 Lenoir .....	2	
1940 Asheville .....	5	
<b>BLACK, EUGENE</b>		
1942 Brown Summit Ct. ....	3	
<b>BURGE, B. L.</b>		
<b>BYNUM, C. G.</b>		
<b>CAMERON, WALTER J.</b>		
‡1932 Ramseur .....	1½	
1934 High Street .....	2½	
1936 Lumberton .....	5	
1941 Raleigh .....	4	
<b>CALDWELL, FREDERICK D.</b>		
1919 Boons Mill, Va. ....	3	
‡1922 Advance .....	1	
1923 Kernersville .....	2	
†1924		
1925 Gaammon Theo. Seminary. .	2	
1927 Gammon Sem. and Walkertown .....	1	
1928 Ramseur .....	1	
1929 Rowland .....	1	
1930 Asheboro .....	5	
1935 So. High Point .....	1	
1936 Maxton .....	2	
1938 Thomasville .....	7	
<b>CORNELIUS, S. B.</b>		
<b>*CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.</b>		
<b>DAVIS, HENRY A.</b>		
‡1923		
1924 Asheboro Circuit .....	1	
†1925 Trinity .....	3	
1928 Johns Station .....	1	
1929 Kernersville .....	1	
-930 Ramseur .....	2	
1932 Brown Summit .....	5	
1937 Trinity .....	2	
1929 Pen Hook, Va. ....	3	
1942 West Asheville .....	2	
1944 Wilkesboro .....	1	
1945 Galilee Charge .....	1	
<b>DULA, J. Q.</b>		
‡1936 Penhook, Va. ....	2	
†1938 Randleman .....	2	
1940 Empire Charge .....	4	
1944 Forest City .....	1	
<b>ERWIN, A. M.</b>		
†1918		
†1920		

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<b>FRAZIER, THOMAS C.</b>		<b>HALL, JAMES W.</b>	
1907 South Carolina Conference		†1941	4
†1908		S. Pittsburg, Tenn	1
1914 Transferred to N. C. Conf.		Louisville Ct.	1
1943 N. Wilkesboro	1	Petro-Soddy	1
1944 Mt. Holly	2	W. Kentucky Conf.	1
<b>FROST, E.</b>		Edgewood, Knoxville	2
1943 Trinity	4	Henderson, Kentucky	1
†1944		Athens, Tenn. Conf.	3
		Waynesville	3
<b>FRIEND, IRA A.</b>		†1923 N. C. Conference	
Red Bank	2	Morganton	1
Zion Hill and Rock Hill	2	Oxford	18
Walkertown and Walnut Cove	1		
Walnut Cove and Rock Hill	5	<b>HOUSTON, HOLTON H.</b>	
John's and Salem	2	1935 Hunters	3
Lowesville and Tuckers	2	1938 Bessemer City	2
Mooreville	5	1940 Lenoir Ct.	5
†1937		†1943	
		<b>JONES, R. E.</b>	
<b>GAMBLE, J. W.</b>		<b>JENKINS, P. W.</b>	
†1930 South Carolina Conf.		<b>*JONES, J. W.</b>	
1930 Pendleton Charge	2	<b>KIRKLAND, G. D.</b>	
1932 Stan	10	†1939	
1942 Joined North Carolina Conf.		†1943	
<b>GIDNEY, C. L.</b>		<b>LAUGHLIN, M. S.</b>	
<b>GANNAWAY, H. C.</b>		†1933 Penhook, Va.	3
<b>GLEAVES, B. F.</b>		1936 Ramseur	3
<b>HOGUE, G. E.</b>		1939 Red Springs	3
1929 Lenoir Circuit	1	1941 Marion	2
1930 Penhook, Va.	1	<b>LEDWELL, J. H.</b>	
1931 Franklin (Gammon Sem.)	3	†1935 Kernersville	3
1934 Johns and Salem	2	-938 Chapel Hill, Summerfield, Collins	1
1936 Red Springs	3	1939 Bass, Collins, New Bethel Summerfield	1
1939 Charlotte	4	1940 Kernersville	1
1943 Western District Supt.	2	1941 Wesley Chapel, Chapel Hill	4
<b>HOLLAND, S. P.</b>		<b>LOMAX, WALTER T.</b>	
<b>HAIRSTON, WM. E.</b>		1903 High Street	2
†1917 Newport News, Va.	2	1905 Central Randolph	5
†1919 Rowland, N. C.	2	1910 Reidsville Ct.	2
1921 Leaksville	5	1912 So. Greensboro	5
1926 South High Point	3	1917 N. West Greensboro	8
1929 Lumberton	7	1925 Hickory	5
1936 Hickory	3	1930 Reidsville	4
1939 Sabbatical Leave	1	1924 St. Mark, High Point	2
1940 Brown Summit	1	1936 Greensboro Dist. Supt.	6
1941 Asheboro	4	1941 Bass-Raleighs	4
<b>HAMILTON, WILLIAM G.</b>		<b>McLEOD, W. S.</b>	
1940 Laurinburg	1	†1933 Beauty Spot, and New Zion	3
		†1935	
		1936 Raleigh	5
		1941 High Point (St. Mark)	3

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<p><b>McLEOD, E. M.</b></p> <p>‡1925 Catawba Ct. .... 3</p> <p>‡1927 .....</p> <p>1928 Lowesville ..... 4</p> <p>-932 Shelby and Brooks ..... 3</p> <p>1935 Shelby and Forest City ..... 2</p> <p>1937 Bowmore and Mt. Zion ..... 4</p> <p>1941 Ramseur ..... 3</p> <p>1944 Leaksville ..... 1</p> <p><b>MICKLE, J. W.</b></p> <p><b>McRAE, DORSEY</b></p> <p><b>McRAE, ROBERT B.</b></p> <p>1922 Goldsboro, Brown Summit 1</p> <p>1923 Ramseur ..... 3</p> <p>-926 Franklin ..... 3</p> <p>1929 Mt. Pleasant, Winston Salem ..... 1</p> <p>1930 Hamlet ..... 8</p> <p>1938 Charlotte ..... 1</p> <p>1939 Dist. Supt. Laurinburg District ..... 6</p> <p><b>McBRAYER, S. B.</b></p> <p>1934 Lenoir ..... 1</p> <p>1935 Bessmermer ..... 2</p> <p>‡1936 .....</p> <p>1938 Denver, Ezenezer ..... 2</p> <p>‡1939 .....</p> <p>1940 Catawba, Newton ..... 4</p> <p><b>McCALLUM, R. F.</b></p> <p>1927 Elkin ..... 3</p> <p>Greensboro ..... 2</p> <p>Leaksville ..... 2</p> <p>Winston-Salem ..... 7</p> <p>Winston Dist. Supt ..... 2</p> <p><b>McCALLUM, JAMES H.</b></p> <p>‡1942 Hoffman Ct. .... 2</p> <p>1944 Bomore, Mt. Zion ..... 1</p> <p><b>MAYFIELD, LEMON</b></p> <p>*1936 Randleman ..... 1½</p> <p>1938 Guilford ..... ½</p> <p>‡1938 Guilford and Kernersville ..... 1</p> <p>1939 Ramseur ..... 1</p> <p>1940 Marion ..... 1</p> <p>1941 Brook's Memorial ..... 4</p> <p><b>MATTISON, E. M.</b></p> <p><b>PASS, N. J.</b></p> <p><b>PATTERSON, J. J.</b></p> <p>‡1940 North Carolina Conf.</p> <p>1940 Fayetteville ..... 3</p> <p>1943 Hamlet ..... 2</p>	<p><b>PATTERSON, S. W.</b></p> <p><b>PHELPS, G. M.</b></p> <p>‡1918 Reidsville ..... 6½</p> <p>‡1920 .....</p> <p>1925 Laurinburg Dist. Supt. .... 5½</p> <p>1930 Winston-Salem ..... 7</p> <p>1937 Western Dist. Supt. .... 6</p> <p>1943 Charlotte ..... 2</p> <p><b>PEELER, SILAS A.</b></p> <p>‡1895 Savannah Conference .....</p> <p>1895 Macon, Georgia ..... 4</p> <p>‡1897 Macon, Ga. ....</p> <p>1898 Transferred to N. C. Conf.</p> <p>1898 Greensboro ..... 4</p> <p>1905 Greensboro (Pres. Bennett) 8</p> <p>1913 Reidsville ..... 1</p> <p>1914 Wilmington Dist. Supt. .... 6</p> <p>1920 High Point, Morris Chapel 6</p> <p>1926 West Raleigh ..... 4</p> <p>1930 Asheville ..... 6</p> <p>1936 Greensboro ..... 3</p> <p>1939 Guilford and Kernersville.. 1</p> <p>1940 Guilford ..... 1</p> <p>1941 Greensboro Ct. .... 1</p> <p>1942 Retired .....</p> <p><b>*PHELPS, GRANDISON M., JR.</b></p> <p><b>*PHILLIPS, HENRY W.</b></p> <p><b>RHYNE, R. B.</b></p> <p><b>RUSH, J. C.</b></p> <p>‡1918 .....</p> <p>1918 Oxford ..... 3</p> <p>‡1920 .....</p> <p>1921 Newport News, Va. .... 1</p> <p>1922 Thomasville ..... 2</p> <p>1924 High Point ..... 2</p> <p>1926 Maxton, Piney Grove ..... 5</p> <p>1931 Laurinburg, Cool Springs... 5</p> <p>1936 Laurinburg Dist. Supt. .... 2</p> <p>1938 Gastonia ..... 1</p> <p>1939 Reidsville, Wesley Chapel.. 6</p> <p><b>ROBERSON, AVERY E.</b></p> <p>‡1904 Franklin ..... 2</p> <p>1906 Madison ..... 2</p> <p>1908 Townsville ..... 1</p> <p>1909 Lenoir Ct. .... 1</p> <p>1910 Madison ..... 2</p> <p>1912 Walnut Cove ..... 3</p> <p>1915 Advance ..... 4</p> <p>1919 Penhook ..... 2</p> <p>1921 Wilmington ..... 2</p> <p>1923 Empire ..... 2</p> <p>1925 Motts Grove ..... 2</p> <p>1927 Old Fort ..... 2</p> <p>1929 Bessemer City ..... 1</p> <p>1930 Ht. Holley ..... 2</p> <p>1932 Retired .....</p>
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<p><b>ROBERTSON, A. M.</b></p> <p>1912 Marion, Brockette ..... 2            1914 Trinity and Liberty ..... 1            1915 Franklin ..... 2            1917 Gastonia and Holley..... 1            1918 Old Fort ..... 2            1920 Statesville ..... 3            1923 Newport News, Va. .... 1            1924 Lincolnton and Mt. Holley... 1            1927 Cherryville and Elbettvol. 3            1929 Old Fort ..... 2            1935 Located at own request .....            1938 Made active .....            1938 Catawba ..... 3            1940 Shelby ..... 2            1941 Lincolnton ..... 3            1944 Goldsboro ..... 4</p> <p><b>SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.</b></p> <p>1920 Newport News, Va. .... 1            ‡1921 Mt. Pleasant ..... 2            †1923 Greensboro, High St. .... 4            1928 Thomasville ..... 2            1930 So. High Point ..... 2            1931 Raleigh ..... 5            1937 Gastonia ..... 2            1939 Hamlet ..... 2            1941 Lenoir ..... 4            1944 Winston-Salem ..... 1</p> <p><b>SHARPE, ROBERT C.</b></p> <p>‡1933 E. Thomasville and                Midway ..... 4½            †1935 .....            1937 So. High Point ..... 4            1941 Browning Chapel ..... 3            1944 North W. Greensboro ..... 1</p> <p><b>SHARPE, RALPH D.</b></p> <p>1938 Baltimore, A. M. E. Conf. ....            1940 Towson, Md. .... 2            1942 Petersville, Md. .... 1            †1943 North Carolina Conf. ....            1943 Lumberton ..... 2</p> <p><b>SAWYER, J.</b></p> <p><b>SHUFORD, JOHN W.</b></p> <p>‡1915 Goldsboro ..... 1            1916 Lenoir ..... 1            †1917 W. Asheville ..... 2            1919 Lawndale ..... 1            1920 Newton and Conover ..... 4            1924 Gastonia ..... 1            1925 Marion ..... 3            1928 E. Greensboro ..... 7            1935 So. Greensboro ..... 10</p>	<p><b>STATEN, B. E.</b></p> <p><b>STEWART, B. W.</b></p> <p><b>SHIPP, R. J.</b></p> <p><b>SKEEN, D. C.</b></p> <p><b>*STRICKLAND, CLARENCE E.</b></p> <p><b>STOWE, ARTHUR W.</b></p> <p>‡1942 .....            †1944 .....  <b>TAYLOR, P. A.</b></p> <p><b>TARPLEY, T. C.</b></p> <p>†1943 Walnut Cove and                Walkertown ..... 2</p> <p><b>THOMAS, W. O.</b></p> <p>‡1910 North Carolina Conference            †1912 North Carolina Conference            1917 Atlanta Conference .....            1924 Little Rock Conference .....            1929 L. Rock, Oklahoma Conf.....            1937 Central Ala. Conference.....            1940 N. C. Conference .....  <b>TATUM, ELMO C.</b></p> <p>1935 West Texas Conf. ....            ‡1936 Gammon Theo. Sem. .... 3            1939 Yoakum ..... 1            1940 Transferred to Ga. Conf.....            1940 Anniston, Ala ..... 1            1941 Atlanta, Ga. .... 1            †1942 Taught ..... 1            1943 Joined N. C. Conference.....            1943 Summerfield ..... 2</p> <p><b>THOMAS, B. F.</b></p> <p><b>TOWNSEND, S. L.</b></p> <p><b>THOMAS, D. L.</b></p> <p><b>WELLS, PINKNEY I.</b></p> <p>*1909 South High Point ..... 2            1911 Mt. Airy, Pilot Mt. .... 4            †1913 .....            1915 Mt. Zion, Mowmore..... 2            1917 Thomasville, Lexington 7            1924 East Greensboro ..... 3            1927 Leaksville, Shady Grove 2            1929 Hickory ..... 2            1931 Maxton ..... 5            1936 Reidsville, Wesley Chap. 3            1939 Greensboro - High Point 6</p>
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## WEBB, P. W.

!1900 Little Rock, Ark. ....	
1900 Fort Smith, Ark. ....	2
1902 Little Rock Ct. ....	1
1903 Little Rock, Duncan Ch. ....	2
7905 Marche .....	2
1907 Little Rock .....	3
1910 Wabbseeker .....	1
1911 Marael .....	1
1912 Fayetteville .....	1
1913 Gammon Sem. ....	3
1915 Lonoke .....	1
1918 Hot Springs .....	1
1919 Hunter .....	3
1922 Brinley .....	1
1923 Forest City .....	1
1923 Lexington Conf. ....	3
1926 Coffeerville, Kans. ....	1
1927 Porter, Okla. ....	1
1928 Eufaula .....	2
1930 Davis .....	1
1931 Lonoke .....	1
1932 Dist. Supt. ....	2
1934 Oklahoma .....	2
1936 Eufaula .....	1
1937 Seminole .....	2
1939 Clow .....	1
1940 Paraloma .....	1
1941 North Carolina Conf. ....	
1941 Johns - Beaver Dam .....	2
1944 Ramseur .....	1

## WILLIAMS, ARTHUR D.

*1909 Franklin - Cowe .....	1
1910 Lenoir .....	1
!1911 Salisbury, Morning Star .....	1
1912 Wilmington .....	1
1913 Goldsboro and Kinston .....	2
1915 Greensboro Dist. ....	1
1916 Lincolnton, Cherryville .....	4
1919 Galilee .....	1
1920 Monroe (withdrawn) ....	12
1938 Transferred, Zion Chur. ....	3
!1939 Boone, N. C. Conf. ....	1
1940 Musrboro, Bracket Town .....	1
1941 Hunters Cornelius .....	1
1942 Wingate .....	2
1944 Bracket Town .....	1

## WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.

1901 West Asheville .....	2
1918 St. Matthews .....	6
1908 Leaksville .....	2
1910 Greensboro .....	2
1912 Dist. Supt. Winston Dist. ....	6
1918 Greensboro .....	6
1924 Lexington, Thomasville .....	1
1925 Laurinburg, Cool Sprgs. ....	4
1929 Dist. Supt. Western Dst. ....	2
1931 Dist. Supt. Greensboro .....	4
1935 High. Pt. (St. Mark) .....	6
1941 Dist. Supt. Greensboro	14

## WOOTEN, T. H.

## WOODLAND, HORACE C.

*1934 .....	
1935 Russellville, Tenn. ....	2
1937 St. Home .....	1
1938 Ass't Pastor, St. Paul ....	3
!1939 .....	
1941 Mt. Airy .....	4

## WELLS, WILLIAM M.

*1902 Durham, Creedmore ....	2
!Oxford, Creedmore .....	2
1905 Red Springs, Bowmore .....	2
1907 Johns, Piney Grove.....	7
1916 Hamlet, Philadelphia .....	4
1920 Charlotte .....	6
1926 Winston, St. Paul .....	4
1930 Dist. Supt. Laurinburg .....	6
1936 Laurinburg, Cool Sprgs. ....	9

# Conference Treasurer

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## TREASURER'S TABLES, 1945

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Note: Write the Treasurer about matters contained in these tables.



GREENSBORO DISTRICT

EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCHES—MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

CHARGE - CHURCH	PASTOR	Paid On Principal Indebt.	Paid on Bldgs. Imprivement	Paid Other Current Expenses	Paid School Adm., Supplies, et	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Pastor's Salary Paid	Total Cash Paid Part 1	Superintendent's Fund Apportioned	Superintendent's Fund Paid	Episcopal Fund Apportioned	Episcopal Fund Paid	Conf. Claimants Fund Apportioned	Conf. Claimants Fund Paid
Basses-Raleigh Crossroads.....	W. T. Lomax.....		1424	248	56	1200	1286	2994	180	180	27	27	60	70
Brown Summit.....	Eugene Black.....			33	20	700	700	753	105	105	13	13	30	40
Bullock Circuit.....	R. J. Shipp.....		75	25	12	600	384	496		60	15	3	15	15
Empire Circuit.....	J. Q. Dula.....		170		55	628	853	84	84	84	13	13	35	29
Greensboro: Browning Chapel.....	R. C. Sharpe.....	657		334	32	1250	1150	2173	225	140	34	22	75	75
High Street-Laughlin.....	P. I. Wells.....		141	86	64	1500	1500	1791	225	225	34	34	50	50
Northwest.....	S. L. Townsend.....	2000	1200	100	60	1050	1050	4410	150	160	26	15	40	40
South.....	J. W. Shuford.....		200	1100	255	2000	2000	3044		158	24	24	53	53
St. Matthews.....	J. E. Brower.....		1400		25	700	700	3555	300	300	45	45	100	100
Kernersville Circuit.....	D. A. Hill.....	1100		50	25	750	750	2125		104			25	21
Newport News-Pleasant Ridge, Oxford.....	J. W. Gamble.....			35	27	500	425	1925	75	64	12	10	80	60
Raleigh.....	J. W. Hall.....		1000	280	70	1200	1200	2270	180	180	27	27	20	45
Ramseur.....	W. J. Cameron.....		165		35	912	912	1392		136		9	45	45
Randleman.....	E. M. McLeod.....			298	77	1100	1100	3210	165	75	25	25	55	55
Reidsville.....	B. E. Staten.....	1600	135		45	1000	450	1000	150	165	22	22	50	50
Leaksville.....	J. C. Rush.....					1000	1000	1000	67	150	22	22	50	50
Summerfield-Collins Grove.....	B. W. Stewart.....			30	25	1100	1100	495		150		10	22	22
Wesley-Chapel Hill.....	E. C. Tatum.....		600			1100	1100			67				
	J. H. Ledwell.....													
		5357	8149	2870	987	14250	17365	34728	1846	2451	270	348	595	780

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCHES—MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

CHURCHES	PASTORS	Paid on Indebtedness	Paid on Bldgs and Improv.	Paid Other Current Expenses	Paid School Adm. and Suplies	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Pastor's Salary Paid	Total Coch Paid Part 1	Supt. Fund Apporioned	Supt. Fund Paid	Episcopal Fund Apporioned	Episcopal Fund Paid	Claimant's Fund Apporioned	Claimant's Fund Paid
Bowmore and Mt. Zion	Beverly Brown	1832	20	424		1000	1000	1000	150	150	22	50	50	80
Charlotte: Simpson Memorial	G. M. Phelps					1600	1600	3876	240	240	36	36	80	
Fairmont	B. B. Barnes					1500	1790	2632	205	90	31	31	75	
Fayetteville	H. L. Ashe		515	264	63	1500	1400	3390	210	210	31	31	70	70
Goldsboro	E. C. Strickland	1228	255	414	93	1400	1400	3390	210	37	31	31	70	
Hamlet	J. J. Patterson													
Hickory Bend-Millers	H. M. McNair		700		100	550	550	1625	82	12	12	27	27	
Hofman and St. Peters	James H. McCollum	275	207	107	100	1050	1050	1414	152	152	23	23	52	52
Johns and Beaver Dam	O. W. Burwick		325	190	132	1600	1600	2247	240	240	32	32	80	80
Laurinburg and Cool Springs	W. M. Wells	1700			30	1400	1400	3130	150	150	30	30	50	50
Lumberton and New Zion	R. D. Sharp	1270	260		78	1500	1500	3108	225	225	33	33	71	71
Maxton and Pine Grove	H. C. Gannaway	600		100	48	600	600	1348	90	90	16	16	30	30
Philadelphia and Pembroke	B. F. Gleaves		375		145	1300	1340	1860	160	170	30	30	60	60
Red Springs and Beauty Spot	R. B. Rhyne		375		210	1200	1200	2160	180	180	27	27	60	60
Rowland and Salem	J. L. Alford			100	95	1000	1495	1990	150	150	22	22	50	50
Sanford Circuit	J. F. Sawyer	75	750		2	200	200	292	30	30	2	2	10	5
Southern Pines	Carey Hugley		300	15										
Wingate and Monroe	D. A. Williams	25			12	300	400	437	60	60	6	6	15	15
Bolton	E. C. Campbell		145	50	7	307	307	509	30	30	4	4	10	10
Boulware Chapel	G. A. Brooks	7005	3852	1664	1065	16507	17432	31018	2354	2491	357	357	635	785

	Paid On Indebtedness	Paid On Bids and Improvements	Church Expense	Paid for School Adm., Supplies	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Pastor's Salary Paid	Total Cash Paid Part I	Superintendent's Fund Apportioned	Superintendent's Fund Paid	Episcopal Fund Apportioned	Episcopal Fund Paid	Claimant's Fund Apportioned	Claimant's Fund Paid
Asheville		338	180	48	1300	1300	1866	195	195	19	29	65	65
Catawba Circuit		468	100	33	710	1361	1361	103	103	15	15	35	35
Brooks	50	148	65	30	650	883	883	75	75	11	11	25	25
Cornelius Circuit	390		255	34	800	800	1478	109	109	17	17	40	40
Franklin Circuit		12			300	278	290	45	45	6	6	15	15
Forest City-Brackettown		605	110	16	750	750	1481	112	112	16	16	37	37
Gastonia		50	175	34	1200	1150	1359	180	156	27	25	50	40
Granite Falls	133		14	40			237	30	30		5		10
Hickory Circuit		871		210	1250	950	2331	188	188	27	28	62	64
Gings Mountain-Galilee					950	950	950	150	150			47	47
Lenoir		3000	1260	40	1200	1200	4500	180	180	27	27	60	60
Lenoir Circuit	94	121	68	24	910	1000	1307	150	150	20	22	50	50
Lincolnton Circuit	1000					800	1800	135	132		14	25	25
Mooreville Circuit		400	110	77	2000	2000	2158	28	28	5	5	10	10
Mooreboro	25	10	25	7	200	200	267	28	28			10	10
Mt. Holly Circuit	450		100	10	540	540	1100	75	75		13	25	35
Newton Circuit	171	1654	43	44	1028	1028	2940	153	153	24	24	51	51
Shelby				30	1100	1100	1130	165	165	24	24	55	55
Statesville	177	45	146	24	825	825	1217	125	125	18	18	41	41
Union Mills		20	9			150	179	15	16	2	2	6	6
West Asheville	213	36	133	30	759	759	1141	90	90	13	8	30	17
Wilkesboro Circuit			125		500	500	655	75	75	29	11	25	25
Marion	312	468	220	40	1325	1325	2365	195	195	29	29	62	62
M. S. Lofton					150	150	150	7	7	1	1	2	2
J. Bowman													
Brackettown	3485	246	2138	761	12373	15708	133146	2394	2554	310	372	726	877

EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCHES—MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

WINSTON DISTRICT

CHURCH-CHARGE	PASTOR	Paid On Indebtedness	Paid On Bldg. and Improv'm'ts	Paid Other Current Expenses	Paid for School Adm., Supplies	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Pastor's Salary Paid	Total Cash Paid Part 1	Superintendent's Fund Appor't'd	Superintendent's Fund Paid	Episcopal Fund Apportioned	Episcopal Fund Paid	Claimant's Fund Apportioned	Claimant's Fund Paid
Advance.....	C. G. Bynum.....		300	166	30	1000	1000	1800	150	150	22	22	50	50
Asheboro.....	W. E. Hairston.....					1000	1000	1196		118	23	23	50	50
Elkin and Jonesville.....	G. W. Patterson.....													
High Point.....	L. M. Mayfield.....	400	1000	1000	32	1200	1225	3657	180	180	27	27	60	60
Brooks Memorial.....	W. S. McLeod.....	6575	554	800	75	2000	2000	10000	300	300	45	45	100	100
St. Marks.....	L. A. Watson.....	1269	25	142	19	1000	707	2162	106	106	16	16	35	35
Lexington.....	A. M. Erwin.....		100	200	100	1000	800	1200	150	150	20	20	50	50
Madison and Stoneville.....	H. C. Woodland.....		150	187	36	800	1000	1373	120	120	22	22	45	45
Mount Airy.....	W. C. Hamilton.....		80	76	24		441	621		47	13	13	25	25
Oka Grove.....	L. A. Camp.....	100	10				250	360	41	41	6	6		
Pen Hook and Boone's Mill.....	Alex Walker.....													
Red Bank.....	n. j. ne.....		760	300	89	700	700	1847	105	105	15	15	35	35
Rural Hall-Pilot Mountain.....	F. D. Caldwell.....	60	1830	180	52	1400	1410	3532	210	210	45	45	70	70
Thomasville.....	S. A. Peeler.....		40	212	25	750	762	1039	75	75	16	16	35	35
St. John-Midway.....	F. Frost.....	285	111	120	138	800	800	1454	100	100	18	18	40	40
East Thomasville.....	T. C. Tarpley.....						275	275						
Trinity and Glenola.....	C. N. Williams.....						2000	1575		136		22		10
Walnut Cove-Walkertown.....	W. A. Thomas.....	650	575	380	142	1500	1500	3112	210	210	32	32	75	75
Winston-Salem.....	H. W. Phillips.....		440		44	900	900	44	135	135	20	20	45	45
Mt. Pleasant-Chestnut Grove.....	G. Haven Caldwell.....		1000	1248	113	2000	2000	4361	300	300	45	45	100	100
St. Andrews.....														
St. Home.....														
St. Paul.....														
		9337	7173	5311	919	13050	16870	39610	1926	2483	319	418	685	825

TREASURERS REPORT TO THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

PASTOR	CHURCH	Paid on Principal	Paid on Buildings	Other Expense	Admn. and Supplies	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Pastor's Salary Paid	Total Cash Paid	Dist. Supt. Fund Apportioned	Dist. Supt. Fund Paid	Episcopal Fund Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned Conference Cla.	Paid	World Service Apportioned	Accepted World Service	World Service Paid
Greensboro	R. W. Winchester	5357	8149	2870	987	14250	17385	34728	1846	2451	270	348	595	780	1342	1302	1850
Laurinburg	R. B. McRae	7005	3842	1664	1065	16507	17432	31018	2354	2491	357	357	635	785	1397	927	1624
Western	G. E. Hague	3485	246	2138	361	12373	15708	33146	2394	2554	310	372	726	877	1251	1134	1723
Winston	R. F. McCallum	9337	7173	5311	919	13050	16870	33610	1926	2483	319	418	685	825	1456	1391	1638
		25184	19410	11983	1732	56180	67375	138502	8520	9979	1256	1495	2641	3267	5446	4754	6855

Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Annual Conf.	Methodist Student Day	Church School Rally Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations	W.S.C.V.S. Cash To Treasurer	Gifts Through Service Guild	Hospitals	Orphanages	Homes	Schools-Colleges	Journals	Area Counsel	Other Benevolences	Jurisdictional	General Fund	Annual Conference	Total Paid Part Two	Grand Total
21	413	21	36	30	36	319	15	10		71	876			183	178	191	155	8050	42778
137	134			12	30	235				3	308			8	237	169	38	6566	37584
21	117	7	2	25	103	269	12	30	31	10	287			13	141	161	78	6833	39999
97	147	71	8	12	34	260					690	4	46	175	142	153	84	7287	46897
275	811	99	46	79	203	1083	27	40	31	84	2157	4	46	379	696	674	355	28756	167258

# Conference Statistician

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## STATISTICIAN'S TABLES, 1945

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Note: Write the Statistician about matter contained in these tables.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—MEMBERSHIP

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	Infants Baptised	Children, Youth Adults Baptised	Baptised Children On Prep. Roll	Total Membership Active—Inactive	Received On Faith Profession or Faith	Rec. by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Trans.	Total Full Members—Active	Total Full Memb. Inactive	Total Members	Total Preachers
Bass, Raleigh, Cross Roads	W. J. Lomax	11	3	11	432	8	1	3	0	338	78	476	4
Bullock	R. F. Shipp	2	6	14	84	4	0	2		94		94	2
Brown Summit, Wesley				7	115	5	3	1		90	25	122	
Empire Circuit	G. I. Dula	3	4	4	96	10	3	1	1	104	2	106	
Greensboro, High Street	P. L. Well	19		4	221	8	4	2		175	46	221	
St. Matthews	J. E. Brower	6	2	4	453	8	5	12		352	102	454	
South	J. W. Shuford	5		4	304	2	5	2	1	303		303	2
Northwest	S. L. Townsend	12	18	9			6	1		250		250	2
East	R. C. Sharpe	8	8	23	80	14	1	1		60	20	80	1
	J. H. Ledwell	1	13	1	268	14	1	2		214	68	281	1
Leaksville	B. W. Stewart	5	10	8	212	6	2	4		180	20	225	2
Newport News	J. W. Gamble	5	4	140	14	1	2	4	140	15	155	4	
Oxford	J. W. Hall	2	4	2	70	2	1	4		52	18	70	
Pleasant Ridge													
Raleigh	W. J. Cameron	6	2		183			7		100	83	183	
Ramseur	E. M. McLeod	2	3	5	121				7	121	5	121	
Randleman	B. E. Staten			2	70	2				30		40	
Reidsville	J. C. Rush	1	4	12	205	12	1	2		141	75	216	
Kernersville	D. A. Hill	3	5	3	100	3		1		40	25	100	1
Summerfield	E. C. Tatum							5		40	25	65	1
		91	86	127	3154	104	28	42	9	2944	623	3561	20

## MEMBERSHIP

## LAURINBURG DISTRICT

	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Children Now On Prep. Roll	Total Full Membership	Received Prep, and Profession	Received By Trans, Reinstated	Removed By Death	Removed By Transfer or Other	Total Full Members Active	Total Full Members Inactive	Total Members Active, Inactive	Total Local Preachers
Bolton.....	2	10	2	40	1		1		10	30	40	
Bomere and Mt. Zion.....				260	41		3		298	40	338	5
Charlotte.....												
Boulware Chapel.....												
Simpson Chapel.....				215	3		25	180	50	238		
Fairmont.....				19		20						
Fayetteville.....				138		25			163		163	
Goldsboro.....												
Hamlet.....	2		2		299	9	1	2	290	14	304	1
Hickory Ben, Millers.....				15	6	5	5	12	4	5		
Hoffman and St Peters.....	1	23	14	100	2		2		88	12	100	
Johns and Beaver Dam.....				150	29				139	11	179	1
Laurinburg, Cool Springs.....	21	13	21	594	39		11		412	221	633	1
Lumberton, New Zion.....	2	10	10	113	7		1		100	36	136	
Maxton, Piney Grove.....	25	8	25	520	24	6	10	38	420	20	505	
Philadelphia, Pembroke.....	8	4	15	250	4	6	5	4	140	70	210	
Red Springs, Beauty Spot.....	9	4	7	376	4		7		376	41	400	4
Rowland, Salem.....	6	5	32	173	12		14	3	115	58	185	2
Santford Circuit.....	5	10		30			1		15	15	30	
Southern Pines.....												
Wingate and Monroe.....												
	82	75	128	2693	467	71	66	84	2846	423	3366	16



## MEMBERSHIP

## WESTERN DISTRICT

CHARGE - CHURCH	PASTOR	Infants Baptized	All Others Baptized	Baptized On Prep. Roll	Total Membership Last Year	Received On Profession or Faith	By Transfer and Reinstated	Removed By Death	Removed by Transferred	Total Full Members Active	Total Full Members Inactive	Total Members Active-Inactive	Total Local Preachers
Asheville	L. A. Brown	6		39	217	7	4	4	3	151	70	221	1
Catawba	J. D. Kirkland	7		15	150			2		80	115	195	2
Forest City	J. W. Mickle		41	9	168					26	21	47	
Franklin	G. Phelps, Jr.			23	35					176	32	208	1
Hickory	F. H. Wootten	12		5	172	2	6	7		104	120	220	
Hunters	C. W. Stowe	5								126	32	158	2
Kings Mountain	D. C. Skeen			10	128		2	2	10	200	100	300	
Lawndale, Shelby	P. W. Webb	10		5	150	10	18	4	30	110	50	200	
Brooks	N. J. Pass	5			200	15	3			60	7	89	2
Lenoir	W. C. L. Scarborough				67						270		
Lenoir Circuit	H. H. Houston	15		15	270	14	2				223	280	1
Lincolnton, Lowesville	A. M. Robertson				278	4	4	2		257	74	331	
Marion, Old Fort	M. S. Laughlin	10		8	278	4		1		15	11	33	
Mooreville	I. A. Friend	5		3	92	11				80	54	120	
Mt. Holly	I. C. Frazier	13			195	6	1	4		66	15	81	
Mooreboro	W. C. Cook	3		35	110	3				18	15	42	
Newton	S. B. McBrayer	12		10	32	5		1	3	40	20	60	3
Statesville, Phila.	B. L. Burge	5		9	60	1	1	2		112	18	132	1
Union Mills	I. J. Blanton	5			71					27		27	
West Asheville	W. S. Frazier	5		14	125	3		2					
Wilkesboro	W. S. Frazier	5			15	2							
Gastonia	C. W. Bailey	5											
Granite Falls	C. W. Bailey	5											
Mt. Moriah	W. S. Frazier												
	Davis												
	W. V. H.												
		102	127	212	2556	84	39	35	49	1892	1046	2691	19

WINSTON DISTRICT—MEMBERSHIP

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	Infants Baptised	Children, Youth Adults Baptised	Baptised Children On Prep. Roll	Total Membership Active—Inactive	Received On Faith	Rec, by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Trans.	Total Full Members—Active	Total Full Memb.,Inactive	Total Members	Total Preachers
Asheboro	7		15	156	8	8	7	15	130	20	150	
Advance				28			2		28		28	
Elkins, Jonesville	6	6	19	155	11		1		160	3	163	1
High Point, Brook Memorial				123		7	1		128		128	1
High Point, St. Mark			10	392	8	11	8	16	380	15	395	1
Lexington				92		3	5		80	10	90	
Madison			100	195	20	2	5	10	150	45	195	1
Mt. Airy			4	55	1	3	1	6	49	3	52	
Pinhook and Boon Mill	2	9	8	146		3	1		87	59	146	2
Red Bank		3	8	12	5				43	11	49	1
Rural Hall, Pilot Mt., New Oak Gr	57	8	8	111			1		90	21	111	
Thomasville, St. John, Midway	3	16	3	210	15		5	10	215	55	266	1
Thomasville, East	1		16	69	4	11	2		73	15	88	
Trinity	1		15				2		118	50	168	
Walnut Cove	7	5			8		2					
Winston-Salem												
Mt. Pleasant, Chestnut Grove											133	
St. Andrews	12	24	20	195	45	12	2		212	45	257	2
St. Homes		10	5		8	3			80	36	116	1
	10	34	34	812	16		12	2	692	243	935	2
	121	73	256	2751	149	60	54	59	2715	631	3470	13

GRENSBORO DISTRICT

CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS—CHURCH PROPERTY

Location	Schools	Teachers	Nursery Dept.	Birth to 3 years	4-11 Years	12-23 Years	Adult Exc. of Home Dept.	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Sunday School	Children	Ad. Meetings	Youth Fellowship	Adults	Church Schools	Weekday Schools	Profession Faith	World Service Conf. Benedicences	Total Raised for All purposes	Number Units	W. S. C. S.	Paid for Local Work	Service Guild	Preaching Places	Value Bldgs. Equip., and Other	Value Parsonages Furn., Land	Value of Other Property	
Bass & Raleigh C. Rd.	2	20		24	61	51		106	86	16	48	42					3		42	13	66	258	2	30000				
Bullock	30	10						94	30	33									42	2	20	10	3	3000				
B. Summit & Wesley	2	9		12	20	51		41	25	25	34								28	3	30	3	3	1000				
Empire Circuit	3	24	16	46	64	21		195	85	74									24	22	27	164	3	9000	2000			
Greensboro—High St.	2	18		75	66	62		118	74	50	127								75	11	250	130	2	15000	1000			
St. Matthews	1	22		40	53	21		225	143	42	53	29	24						45	3	56	35	3	27000	5000			
South	3	30	12	65	60	30	6	135	60	20	10	8	60	30					20	3	12	4	3	10000	3000	5000		
North-West	1	4		46	45	35		138	38	20	10	8	60	30					40	3	60	150	2	13000	5000			
East	2	10		28	24	30		105	50	18	16	20							30	1	20	50	2	10000	5000			
Leaksville	2	22	3						70	16	20																	
J. H. Ledwell	2	12							50	50	12																	
B. W. Stewart	2	12							34	34	12																	
J. W. Gambie	1	7																										
Newport News	1	7																										
Oxford	1	7																										
Pleasant Ridge	1	14																										
Raleigh	3	10		12	30	15			60	18	30	12	60						5	5	100	200	13	1	35000	5000		
E. M. McLeod	3	6		28	30	30			30	11	20								30	4	30	4	3	3000	2000	800		
Ramseur	2	10							45	45																		
Randleman	1	12		22	16	15			40	40																		
Reidsville	1	12		10	20	25			35	35																		
J. C. Rush	3	33																										
D. A. Hill	2																											
Kernersville	2																											
Summerfield	39	282	53	380	523	411		61385	1017	169	307	181	247	126	27				353	1572	90	633	1001	21	42	335000	29500	5800

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS—CHURCH PROPERTY

CHURCH	PASTOR	Teachers	Birth to 3	4-11 Years	12-23 Years	Adult	Home	Total Enrollment	Average At. Sunday School	Children	Youth	Adults	Vacation Schools	Weekday	Pupils Joining	Leadership Schools	World Service	Amt. Raised	W. S. C. S.	Membership	Paid for Local Work	Preaching Places	Est. Value Bldgs.	Equip., Land	Val. Parsonages	Furn. and Land	Value of Other Property	Indebt. and Current Expenses
Bolton	F. C. Campbell	1	8	6	8	18	15	19	15	1	28	35	46	10	1	64	64	56	1	10	64	1	2000					
Bomora and Mt. Zion	Beverley Brown	2	15		40	52		182	100	41				50		64			4	62		2	10000					
Charlotte	Ben Brooks													25		35			4	50	250	15	1	50000	8000			
Bulware Chapel	G. M. Phelps	1	12	5	20	15	4	93	50	14	10	26							2	40	428	1	1500					
Simpson Chapel	H. B. Barnes							13		12	20	40		53					2	40		1	12000					
Fairmont	H. L. Ashe	1	10		35	31	14	90	52	12	20	40							7	95	307	19	1	50000	6000			
Fayetteville	F. F. Strickland									30	26	17	67	72	9	16	40		209									
Goldsboro	J. J. Patterson	1	16	16	37	39	11	141	105	30	26	17	67	72	9	16	40		209									
Hamlet	H. M. McNair							20			18	12		30					56	2	18	55	8	2500			100	
Hickory Ben, Millers	J. H. McCallum	2	9	4	20	26	32	91	56	20	18	12		30				75	5	24	148	2	3500					
Hoffman and St. Peters	O. W. Burwick	2	12		65	46	27	150	85	11	20	20	63	200	11	49	280	8	98	205	2	75000	2000					
Johns and Beaver Dam	W. M. Wells	2	30		102	112	35	239	185	40	25	20		40		21	184	25	205	1	12000	3000				700		
Laurinburg, Cool Spring	R. D. Sharpe	2	10		40	40	20	228	137	15	15	136		136	15	130	490	6	120	339	2	20000	3000	826				
Lumberton, New Zion	E. C. Gannawa	2	26	18	78	61	40	228	137	85	42	14		136	12	10	65	3	3	60	2	3500	1500					
Maxton, Piney Grove	R. F. Gleaves	2	18	13	32	42	24	164	10	12	40	20	61			75	268	16	5	345	2	4000	2000					
Philadelphia, Pembroke	R. E. Rhyme	2	36	18	48	63	21	164	10	12	40	20	61			75	268	16	5	345	2	4000	2000					
Red Springs, Beauty Sp	J. L. Alford	2	9		42	30	40	121	85	8	15							147	3	35		3	5000					
Rowland, Salem	J. F. Sawyer	3	24		30	37	24	91	88									500				1	1000					
Sanford Circuit	Carey Hughley	1	2					10		10																		
Southern Pines	D. A. Williams																											
Wingate and Monroe	D. A. Williams																											

25 229 80 642 591 313 41 11742 997 201 226 204 239 626 109 18 452 2326 49 622 2584 42 26 292000 25500 826 2500

CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS—CHURCH PROPERTY

WINSTON DISTRICT

Church Schools	Officers and Teachers	Nursery— Birth to 3 Years	Children's Div. 4-11 Years	Youth Div. 12-23 Years	Adult—Excl. Home Dept.	Home Department	Total Enrollment 1-19 Inclusive	Average Attend. Sunday School	Ad. Meetings— Children	Ad. Meetings— Youth	Ad. Meetings— Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Prof. of Faith	Leadership Schools	Offerings—W.S. and Benevolence	All Purposes Total Raised	W. S. of C. S.	Membership W. S. C. S.	Paid for Local Work	Membership Wesleyan Guild	Number of Preaching Places	Value Bldgs. Equip., Land	Parsonages Furniture, Land	Value Other Property	Indebt. Bldgs. Equip. Cur. Exp.
Asheboro	10		20	15	10	45	35	10	10	5	5	5	5		20	80	1	41	101		3	15000	1500	1000	
Advance	4	2	9	16	16	31	35	23	10								4	40	310		1	7000	2000		
Elkins—J'ville	5	7	10	25	35	47							5								4	4500	800		
High Point B. M.	10	11	32	30	50	178	80	40	25	120	75	75	8	2	175	34	2	132	1800	35	1	10000	1600	1000	225
High Point St. M.	21		60	46	80	28	20	12	8	10	10					34	3	35	88	10	1	50000	3580		
Lexington	6	8	7	8	20	28	20	12	8	10	30	50	18		20	200	40	40	100		4	4000	3000		
Madison	40		100		75	64	27	23	75	23	30	50	18		20	200	40	40	100		4	4000	2000		
Mt. Airy	4		32	24	4	64	27	23	75	23	30	50	18		20	200	40	40	100		4	4000	2000		
Pinhook & Boon Mill																									
Red Banks	11		40	25	19	28	20	15	20	15	15	15	6		15	15	12	12			2	3000		15	
Rural H.-P. Mt.-Oak G.	17		40	23	29	95	17	50	25	25	15	15	15		26	120	46	46	140		2	5500	2500		
T'ville-St. J.-M'way	15		40	23	105	109	105	25	25	25	15	15	15		14	174	2	22	30		1	15000		200	
T'ville—East	6	1	17	14	8	66	25	5	5						14	69	2	22	30		1	4000			
Trinity	13				70	95	70								40	98	3	22			3	10000			
Walnut Cove																									
Winston-Salem	10		21	25	16	76																			
Mt. Pleasant—Ches. G.	19	10	18	20	10	81	81	15	15	12	12	12	12		35	100	2	48	210		1	14000	2000		
St. Andrews	10					75	75	22	22	12	12	12	12		39	260	40	40	150		1	30000	3000		
St. Homes	10		112	49	180	40	315	18	22	12	12	12	12	5	270	270	8	300			1	5500	3000		
St. Paul	24					775	775	208	181	192	125	76	76	7	369	1662	36	791	2993	45	27	287500	79700	5415	900

CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS—CHURCH PROPERTY

WESTERN DISTRICT

CHURCH	PASTOR	Chur Schools	Teachers	Birth to 3	4-11 Years	12-23 Years	Adult Divisoin	Home	Total Enrolment	Average At. Sunday School	Children	Youth	Adults	Vacation Schools	Weekday	Pupls Joining on	Leadership Schools	World Service an	Amt. Raised	W. S. C. S.	Membership	Paid for Local Work	Preching Places	Est. Value Bldgs	Equp., Land	Val. Parsonages	Furn. and Land	Value of Other Property	Indebt. and Current Expenses
Asheville	L. A. Brown	1	11	9	38	21	37	13	129	78	11	70	6			7		4	4	63	3	72	478	1	9000	5000			
Catawba	J. D. Kirkland	1	3	9	18	32	12		68	18	6	12				9			16	2	52	423	1	3500	600				
Forest City	J. W. Mickle	1	1	8	6	12			17	7	7	12				2			26	1	40		2	10000	500				
Franklin	F. Phelps, Jr	1	8	18	28	29	12		95	37						2			34	8	18		2	10800	1800				
Hickory	F. H. Wootten	1	18	31	23	25	23	5								8			10	20	8		3	500	500				
Hunters	A. W. Stvoe	3	18	40	30	60	40		180	100	30	30	15			12			60	80	2	55	2	4500	500				
Kings Mt.	D. C. Skeen	2	12	10	40	30	60	40								20			20	20	40	24	2	2900	900				
Lawndale-Shelby	P. W. Webb	2	12	10	40	30	60	40								20			20	20	40	24	2	2900	900				
Brooks	N. J. Pass	1	5	25	40	135	5	55	83	5						75			20	20	40	24	2	10000	500				
Lenoir	W. C. L. Scarborough	1	1	20	30	15	10		30	89	30	14				41			20	118	12	25	71	4	4100	800	4900	200	
Lenoir Ct.	H. H. Houston	4	15	40	26	24	60	15								14			20	118	12	25	71	4	4100	800	4900	200	
Lincolton-L'ville	A. M. Robertson	4	15	40	26	24	60	15								14			20	118	12	25	71	4	4100	800	4900	200	
Marion-Old Fort	M. S. Laughlin	2	12	4	10	10	10		55	40	10	5	30			7			16	75	2	40	1131	4	10000	1500			
Moorestville	L. A. Friend	4	18	25	24	60	60		105	105	10	5	30			17			10	40	3	25	400	3	5000	500			
Mt. Holly	I. C. Frazier	2	10	16	16	28	28		60	45	20	25	10	10		9			10	40	3	25	400	3	5000	500			
Moorestboro	W. C. Cook	1	1	3	10	6	7		26	12	7	4	3			12			5	25	1	5	15	1	2500	1200			
Newton	S. B. McBrayer	2	9	35	47	95	95		81	40	22	14	9			9			10	73	3	29	12	2	7000	1500			
Statesville-Phila.	B. L. Burge	2	12	36	23	19	18		81	40	22	14	9			9			10	73	3	29	12	2	7000	1500			
Union Mills	J. J. Blanton	1	6	4	7	7	8		17	14	7	9	8			7			10	20	1	9	14	1	1000	1000			
West Asheville	S. F. Ferguson	1	4	8	8	8	30		60	30	18	16	14			6			12	60	1	9	22	1	4000	2000			
Wilkesboro	H. A. Davis	1	4	21	32	39	39		94	54	18	16	14			6			12	60	1	9	22	1	4000	2000			
Gastonia	C. L. Gidney	2	14	8	12	14	8		94	54	18	16	14			6			12	60	1	9	22	1	4000	2000			
Granite Falls	C. W. Bailey	1	5	12	14	14	8		40	32	15	16	14			6			40	59	1	7	79	2	5000	2000			
Mt. Moriah	J. L. Bowman	1	5	12	14	14	8		20	15	20	16	14			6			5	59	1	7	79	2	5000	2000			

43|218|177|425|473|508| 73|119|876|168|235|119|152|209|101| 20|358|820|65|517|3092|42|107900|21100|5675|2913

BENEVOLENCES—ADMINISTRATION

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

	World Service Apportioned	World Service Accepted	World Service Paid	World Service	Special Gifts to Conf. Benevolences	Student Day	Rally Day	Youth Fund	Race Relations	W. S. C. S. Cash	Wesleyan Guild	Hospitals	Orphanages	Colleges	Benevolences	Administration	Jurisdictional	Annual Conference	Total Paid	Grand Total Parts 1 and 2
Basses-Raleigh Crossroads.....	120	100	130							30			100	75	17	17	17	17	663	3657
Brown Summit.....	36	36	36							2			7	3	6	11	5	5	194	947
Bullock Circuit.....									7	6			23	6	6	6	11	11	125	621
Empire Circuit.....					100				8	5			111	90	11	11	11	11	222	1075
Greensboro: Browning Chapel.....					37				3	25			70	12	17	17	17	17	535	2708
High Street-Laughlin.....	110	110	140		26								37	12	17	17	17	17	704	2495
Northwest.....													70	12	17	17	17	17	448	4858
South.....													37	12	17	17	17	17	495	3539
St. Matthews.....	575	575	575		250			12	18				69	250	27	27	27	27	1831	5386
Kernersville Circuit.....			25					8	122	15									30	2155
Newport News, Pleasant Ridge.....																			104	2028
Oxford.....	50	50	50		5					29			20	20	6	8	8	8	221	708
Raleigh.....	130	130	130							19			40	40	17	17	17	17	513	2783
Ramseur.....			52		6														267	1659
Randleman.....																			7	104
Reidsville.....	125	105	105										5	53	3	12	12	10	461	3671
Leaksville.....	100	100	100		5			2	2	12			50	50	17	17	17	17	490	1490
Summerfield-Collins Grove.....			55					10	10	47			55	55	5	5	7	7	228	773
Wesley-Chapel Hill.....	96	96	96	15						3			56	56					415	2170
	1342	1302	1850	21	413	21	36	30	36	319	15	10	71	872	183	178	191	155	8050	42778

BENEVOLENCES—ADMINISTRATION

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

CHURCHES	PASTORS	World Service Apportioned	World Service Accepted	World Service Paid	Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Youth Fund	Race Relations	W.S.C.S. Cash To Conf. Treas.	Orphanages	Schools Colleges	Benevolences	General	Jurisdictional	Conference	Total Pair Part II	Grand Total Part I and II
Bownore and Mt. Zion	Beverly Brown	75	75	75			12			8		10	10		325	1325
Charlotte: Simpson Memorial	G. M. Phelps	100	100	100				10				21	14		513	4389
Fairmont	B. B. Barnes															
Fayetteville	H. L. Ashe			75				29		58		18	12		503	3135
Goldsboro	E. C. Strickland			30				3		4		5	5		137	137
Hamlet	J. J. Patterson			41						47		17	18		697	4087
Hickory Bend—Millers	H. M. McNair			25								5	5		72	72
Hoffman and St. Peters	James H. McCollum			40								5	5		184	1809
Johns and Beaver Dam	O. W. Burwick			75			8	14		22	8	10	10	17	466	1885
Laurinburg and Cool Springs	W. M. Wells	243	243	243		50	5	30		50		10	15	15	735	2982
Lumberton and New Zion	R. D. Sharp	70				38				12		25	14		424	3554
Maxton and Piney Grove	H. C. Gannaway	200				16	12	42		9		40	16		679	3787
Philadelphia and Pembroke	B. F. Gleaves	50	50	50		30	5		3	22		8	1		263	1611
Red Springs and Beauty Spot	R. B. Rhyme	125	125	155				60				7	7		489	2349
Rowland and Salem	J. I. Alford	150		150						30		35	10	5	482	2642
Sanford Circuit	J. F. Sawyer	75		75				6		30		10	10		358	2348
Southern Pines	Carey Hugley			7											44	336
Wingate and Monroe	D. A. Williams			20								3	10		117	554
Bolton	E. C. Campbell			18						3		6	10		78	587
Boulware Chapel	G. A. Brooks															

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BENEVOLENCES—ADMINISTRATION

WESTERN DISTRICT

	World Service Apportioned	World Service Accepted	World Service Paid	Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Conf. Benevolences	Methodist Student Day	Church School Rally Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	W.S.C.S. Cash To Treasurers	Gifts Through Wesleyan Guild	Conference Hospitals	Conference Homes	Conference Orphanages	Schools and Colleges	Other Benevolences	Administration General	Administrational	Annual Conference	Total Pled Part 2	Grand Total 1 and 2
Asheville	200	200	200						23	55		30			93		12	12	6	692	2558
Catawba Circuit	50	50	50		44				8	15			20		18		7	5	8	337	1698
Brooks	70	70	70	19				8	17	8							6	8	242	1125	
Cornelius Circuit	68	68	68						8	8							7	8	265	1744	
Franklin Circuit	22	22	22						1	1					2		2	3	2	102	392
Forest City-Brackett	50	50	55			2			7	11					18		8	8	8	284	1765
Gastonia	105	80	80								22			5	27		7	10	10	394	1753
Granite Falls	25	25	25							22	12			5			7	10	10	84	321
Hickory Circuit	105	130	130						10	34				5	22		11	12	499	2830	
Gings Mountain-Gal	47	47	145						7	5							10	9	275	1225	
Lenoir	145	145	145						20	5					37		12	12	481	4981	
Lenoir Circuit	80	80	80		10			12	2	10					10		10	10	349	1656	
Lincolnton Circuit	77	77	77							5					10		10	10	299	2099	
Mooresville Circuit	106	106	106							10					10		10	9	10	236	2394
Mooresboro										1							1	2	10	46	313
Mt. Holly Circuit			34							13					10		4	4	176	1276	
Newton Circuit	100	100	100						8	5							10	10	469	1599	
Shelby	120	120	120		37				10	25			11		8		8	8	281	1498	
Statesville	60	60	60						5	1							1	1	38	217	
Union Mills	10	10	10							12					24		6	6	219	1360	
West Asheville	40	40	40			5		5		12					18		5	6	196	851	
Wilkesboro Circuit										22							1	13	462	2837	
Marion	120	108	108	13	7												1	1	18	168	
Brackettwn			6																		
	1254	1134	1673	21	117	7	2	25	103	269	12	30	31	10	287	13	141	161	78	6302	38949

BENEVOLENCES—ADMINISTRATION

WINSTON DISTRICT

	World Service Apportioned	Accepted	World Service	Special Gift to	Special Gifts	Student Day	Rally Day	Youth Fund	Race Relations	W.S.C.S. Cash	Colleges	Journals	Area	Benevolences	General	Jurisdictional	Conference	Total Paid	Grand Total II
Advance.....	100	100	100		72						8			20	12	12	12	450	2250
Asheboro.....	65		65									4	10		8	11		309	1505
Elkin and Jonesville.....										21				10	3	12	15	393	4050
High Point.....										65	30			50	15	15	8	887	10887
Brook's Memorial.....	150	150	50	29	2					132				50	15	15	9	232	2394
St. Marks.....														32	5	8		339	1539
Lexington.....								8		25			12	20	5	10	9	317	1690
Madison & Stoneville.....	55	55	40	5	10													200	821
Mount Airy.....	30	30	115															53	413
Oak Grove.....																		367	2216
Pen Hook & Boone's Mill.....									10	55	75		24					504	4036
Rural Hall—Pilot Mountain.....	75	75						2	4	9								284	1323
Thomasville.....	100	100	100		5													254	1708
St. John—Midway.....	55	55	55	11														25	300
East Thomasville.....	49	49	49	32														341	1916
Trinity and Glenola.....	77	77	77															754	3866
Walnut Cove—Walkertown.....	150	150	150	20	40	10	8	2	20	30	26			14	12	12		261	305
Winston-Salem.....										11	83			50	12	12		18	1317
Mt. Pleasant—Chestnut Grove.....	550	550	550	25										8	18	18		84	7287
St. Andrews.....																			4697
St. Home.....																			
St. Paul.....											235								
G. Haven Caldwell.....	1456	1391	1638	97	147	71	8	12	34	260	690	4	46	175	143	153	84	7287	4697



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