

MINUTES

OF THE

ANNUAL CONFERENCES

OF THE

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

FALL CONFERENCES OF 1894.

NEW YORK: HUNT & EATON
CINCINNATI: CRANSTON & CURTS

W. H. Pearson, Chaplain in United States Army—member of Union Avenue, Alliance, Quarterly Conference.

CLEVELAND DISTRICT.

D. H. MULLER, P. E.
(P. O., Cleveland, O.)

Bissell's, to be supplied.
Burton, W. K. Yingling.
Chagrin Falls, M. J. Slutz.
Chardon, J. H. Hollingshead.
Cleveland: Asbury, J. S. Eaton.
Broadway and Woodland Hill Avenue, C. E. Manchester, James Louzcky.
Epworth Memorial, C. F. Creighton, J. E. Burt.
Euclid Avenue and Fairmount, A. R. Chapman.
First Church, Levi Gilbert, S. M. Hickman.
Grace, F. L. Chalker.
Kinsman Street, W. H. Seeley.
Miles Park, J. W. Toland.
Rosedale, J. A. Vinton.
Scoville Avenue, J. S. Reager.
Wade Park Avenue, J. W. King.
Willson Avenue, T. F. Phillips.
Woodland Avenue, W. B. Winters.
Concord, G. W. Orcutt.
Geneva: First Church, J. F. Fisher.
Second Church, George Elliott.
Glenville, A. J. Hiatt.
Hampden, J. F. Ellis.
Huntsburg, E. E. Sparks.
Madison, A. H. Domer.
Mayfield, A. M. Misel.
Mechanicsville, J. J. McAlpine.
Mentor, J. M. Keck.
Nottingham, W. A. Rutledge.
Painesville, J. R. Mills.
Perry, H. W. Dewey.
Saybrook, S. Y. Kennedy.
Thompson, C. M. Hollett.
Warrensville, D. C. Knowles.
Welshfield, E. S. Baker.
Willoughby, H. S. Jackson.
E. S. Gillette, District Superintendent of American Bible Society—member of Broadway, Cleveland, Quarterly Conference.

A. H. Norcross, President of Pittsburgh Female College—member of Epworth Memorial, Cleveland, Quarterly Conference.

William Sampson, Superintendent of Children's Aid Society—member of First Church, Cleveland, Quarterly Conference.

J. B. Corry, Corresponding Secretary of Cleveland City Church Extension Society—member of Epworth Memorial, Cleveland, Quarterly Conference.

NEW PHILADELPHIA DIST.

R. M. FRESHWATER, P. E.
(P. O., Scio, O.)

Adamsville, Thomas Wood.
Bethel, T. R. Yates.
Bowerstown, E. A. Williams.
Cadiz, J. R. Keyes.
Centenary, to be supplied.
Coshocton, A. N. Craft.
Deersville, Stephen Cummings.
Dennison, James Walls.
Flushing, J. W. Satterthwaite.
Freeport, H. B. Edwards.
Gnadenhutzen, I. C. Paugh.
Jewett, John Beetham.
Kimbolton, W. D. Ewing.
Leesville, Harlan Appleton.
Milnersville, D. A. Pierce.
Mineral Point, J. R. Hoover.
New Athens, S. C. Collier.
New Philadelphia, I. S. Winters.
Philadelphia Plains, G. T. Humble.
Piedmont, J. A. Martin.
Plainfield, P. U. Hawkins.
Scio, J. S. Serest.
Sonora, C. M. Kirk.
Uhrichsville, T. W. Lane.
West Lafayette, S. F. Ross.

STEUBENVILLE DISTRICT.

L. H. STEWART, P. E.
(P. O., —.)

Bloomington, D. W. Knight.
Bridgeport, C. B. Henthorne.
Bridgeport Circuit, W. D. Stevens.
Brilliant, to be supplied.
East Liverpool: First Church, J. M. Huston.
Second Church, R. F. Sears.
East Springfield, T. H. Taylor.
Empire, S. B. Salmon.

Hammondsville, A. C. Sirdlefield.
Harlem Springs, J. J. Wallace.
Irondale, R. O. Payne.
Martin's Ferry, J. W. Robbins.
Mingo, J. E. Garrett.
Richmond, S. P. Lloyd.
Salineville, J. F. Huddleston.
Smithfield, T. W. Anderson.
Steubenville: Finley and Thompson, F. C. Anderson.
First Church, Louis Paine.
Hamline, R. B. Pope.
Toronto, W. D. Starkey.
Warrenton, J. S. Hollingshead.
Wellsville, Sylvester Burt.
Wintersville, J. C. Smith.

YOUNGSTOWN DISTRICT.

J. S. YOUMANS, P. E.
(P. O., Cleveland, O.)

Andover, C. W. Smith.
Ashtabula, Byron Palmer.
Ashtabula Harbor, J. H. Starrett.
Colebrook, H. H. Westwood.
Conneaut, T. J. Kurtz.
Cortland, E. A. Jester.
Dorset, O. M. Pennell.
East Plymouth, R. B. Van Fossen.
Girard, W. L. Dixon.
Greensburg, F. A. Domer.
Gustavus, David Davies.
Hubbard, J. H. Merchant.
Jefferson, W. H. Dickerson.
Kelloggsville, H. J. Hunscher.
Kingsville, T. H. Armstrong.
Kinsman, E. R. Jones.
Lowellville, T. J. Post.
Mesopotamia, W. L. Askue.
Niles, A. C. Welch.
North Bloomfield, A. M. Billingslev.
Orangeville, J. A. Ulman.
Orwell, Austin Wilson.
Poland, H. A. Cobbletick.
Richmond Center, J. K. Shaffer.
Rock Creek, R. F. Keeler.
Vienna, A. B. Williams.
Windsor, W. E. Fetch.
Youngstown: Belmont Avenue, A. W. Newlin.
Epworth, M. C. Scott.
Hazleton, G. T. Norris.
Trinity, H. W. Kellogg, W. C. Evans.

QUEST. 30. *Where shall the next Conference be held?*
In First Church, Canton, O.

CENTRAL GERMAN CONFERENCE,

Held in Cleveland, O., Sept. 12-17, 1894.

BISHOP WALDEN, *Presiding.*

HENRY LIEBHART, *Secretary.*

Post office of Secretary, 186 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O.

QUEST. 1. *Who have been received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*

None.

QUEST. 2. *Who have been Readmitted?*

None.

QUEST. 3. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*

None.

QUEST. 4. *Who have been Received on Trial?*

(a) In Studies of First Year.
None.

(b) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

QUEST. 5. *Who have been Continued on Trial?*

(a) In Studies of First Year.
None.

(b) In Studies of Second Year.
Frederick W. Mueller, Edward Strecker—2.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
Henry B. Roller.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

QUEST. 6. *Who have been Discontinued?*
John G. Brodt.

QUEST. 7. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
Conrad Boecklin, William Rogatzky, William F. Hayn—3.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
John H. Holtkamp.

QUEST. 8. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?*

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
Conrad Boecklin, William Rogatzky, William F. Hayn, John H. Holtkamp—4.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
John C. Guenther.

QUEST. 9. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*

Frederick Johannes, John Mueller, August J. Weigle, Karl B. Koch, Henry Metzger, Frederick Baumann, Paul Wuerfel, David Dangel, Louis E. Katterhenry, Frederick J. Kapsch—10.

QUEST. 10. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
John Mayer, William J. G. Bockstahler, William Jauch, Edward W. Bockstahler, Max Dieterle—5.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

QUEST. 11. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(a) As Local Preachers.
Victor Wilker, Frederick W. Mueller—2.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

QUEST. 12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(a) As Local Deacons.
None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

QUEST. 13. *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*

This was strictly done, as the name of each Preacher was called in open Conference.

QUEST. 14. *Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*

Adam Quenzer, to West German, Bishop Bowman concurring;

J. G. Moehring, to North Pacific German Mission Conference—2.

QUEST. 15. *Who have Died?*

W. F. Henke, John Flitzing, Louis Nippert—3.
(See obituaries, p. 412.)

QUEST. 16. *Who have been Located at their own request?*
None.

QUEST. 17. *Who have been Located?*
None.

QUEST. 18. *Who have Withdrawn?*
None.

QUEST. 19. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*
None.

QUEST. 20. *Who have been Expelled?*
Daniel A. Stoll was deposed from the ministry, but not expelled from the Church.

QUEST. 21. *What other Personal Notation should be made?*
None.

QUEST. 22. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

George Berg, John Hass, J. C. Egley, J. C. Speckman—4.

QUEST. 23. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

J. G. Reiber, William Guier, William Ahrens, Christian Vogel, G. A. Breinning, P. B. Becker, Englehardt Riemenschneider, C. F. Heitmeyer, F. A. Hoff, Jacob Gabler, Carl Lurker, Frederick Ruff, J. V. Jahraus, C. G. Fritsche, Sr., Gustav Bertram, John Schneider, H. C. Budlenbaum, William Boehrding, Henry Krill, J. H. Lukemeyer, G. F. Fiedler, Conrad Welnes, Gottlieb Nachtreib, August Gerlach, J. H. Barth—25.

QUEST. 24. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?*

J. E. Hiller, Henry Pullman, J. W. Huber, Jacob Braun, Joseph Kern, J. C. Wuester, Gustav Weiler—7.

QUEST. 25. *What is the Statistical Report for this year?*
(See tabulated statement, p. 451.)

QUEST. 26. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections as reported by the Conference Treasurers?*
\$27,426.

QUEST. 27. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*
\$7,525.

QUEST. 28. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*
\$4,519,

which has been applied under order of the Conference.

QUEST. 29. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

[These appointments are all in the State of Ohio, except as otherwise indicated.]

CINCINNATI DISTRICT.

J. S. SCHNEIDER, P. E.
(P. O., Newport, Ky.)

Batesville and Brookville (Ind.), William Reiche Meyer, *Ernst Mueller.*

Chillicothe and Waverly, Edward Kress.

Cincinnati: Everett Street, C. E. Ploeh.

Mount Auburn, John Oetjen. Race Street, Frederick Cramer. Spring Grove Avenue, *Edward Strecker.*

Third Church, Charles Truschel. Walnut Hills, J. C. Wuester.

Covington (Ky.), G. E. Hiller. Dayton, Elias Roser.

Greenville and Piqua, A. F. Zarrowell.

Hamilton, John Claus. Higginsport and Fairview, to be supplied.

Indianapolis (Ind.): First Church and Third Church, J. C. Marting, *John Mueller.*

Nippert Memorial, *Henry Bornemann.*

Second Church, to be supplied. Ironton and Zion, Mathias George, one to be supplied.

Lafayette (Ind.), J. H. Schimmelpfennig.

Lawrenceburg (Ind.), *F. J. Kapsch.*

Mount Healthy, William Jauch. Newport (Ky.), J. J. Baechtold.

Pomeroy, P. J. Graessle. Portsmouth, W. A. Schruff.

Terre Haute (Ind.), F. A. Hamp.

William Nast, Honorary Editor of *Christian Apologist*—member of Race Street, Cincinnati, Quarterly Conference.

Henry Liebhart, Editor of *Haus und Hurd*—member of Covington Quarterly Conference.

A. J. Nast, Editor of *Christian Apologist*—member of Everett Street, Cincinnati, Quarterly Conference.

Christian Golder, Assistant Editor of *Christian Apologist*—member of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Quarterly Conference.

Herman Grenzenberg, Editor of *Wegweiser*—member of Mount Auburn, Cincinnati, Quarterly Conference.

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

JACOB ROTHWEILER, P. E.
(P. O., New Albany, Ind.)

Bedford (Ind.), A. J. Weigle.

Booneville (Ind.), Louis Miller.

Bradford (Ind.), Jacob Allinger.

Cannelton and Tell City (Ind.), W. J. G. Bockstahler, C. H. Miller.

Charleston (Ind.), *Frederick Johannes.*

Evansville (Ind.): First Church, George Schwinn.

Mission, George Kaletsch. Huntingburg (Ind.), J. F. Severinghaus.

Louisville (Ky.): Breckinridge Street, H. G. Lich.
 Eighteenth Street, *J. C. Guenther*.
 Jefferson Street, *J. E. Braun*.
 Market Street, *J. H. Horst*.
 Madison (Ind.), *C. W. Helwig*.
 Mars (Ind.), *H. E. Wulzen*.
 Mount Vernon (Ind.), *C. G. Fritsche, Jr.*
 Nashville (Tenn.), *C. G. Herzer*.
 New Albany (Ind.), *J. W. Huber*.
 Salem (Ind.), *H. B. Roller*.
 Santa Claus (Ind.), *Adam Schantzenbecher*.
 Seymour (Ind.), *Andrew Graessle*.
 White Creek (Ind.), *L. S. Katterhenry*.

MICHIGAN DISTRICT.

LOUIS ALLINGER, P. E.
 (P. O., Detroit, Mich.)

Allegan (Mich.), *George Mitter*.
 Ann Arbor (Mich.), *Conrad Boecklin*.
 Bay City (Mich.), *Jacob Braun*.
 Cassville (Mich.), *Christian Spaeth*.
 Defiance, *J. C. Gommel*.
 Delhi (Mich.), *George Wahl*.
 Detroit (Mich.): City Mission, *W. F. Hayn*.
 First Church, *Oscar Rogatzky*.
 Second Church, *Ernst Werner*.
 De Witt (Mich.), *Andrew Mayer*.
 East Saginaw and Kochville (Mich.), *Richard Plueddemann*, one to be supplied.
 East Toledo, *J. J. Link*.
 Edgerton (P. O., Eden), *D. E. Dangel*.

Francisco (Mich.), *Paul Wuersfel*.
 Freepport (Mich.), *Henry Metzger*.
 Goshen (Ind.), *Frederick Kuhnle*.
 Grand Rapids (Mich.), *Joseph Kern*.
 Kendalville and Auburn (Ind.), *David Dobbrick, K. E. Koch*.
 Lansing (Mich.), *Christian Baumann*.
 Marine City (Mich.), *William Rogatzky*.
 Montague and Muskegon (Mich.), *J. A. Marquardt, Emil Boch*.
 Petosky (Mich.), to be supplied.
 Roseville (Mich.), *Theodore Schumann*.
 Toledo: Segus Avenue, *David Graessle*.
 Walnut and Galena Streets, *J. J. Bockstahler, Herman Beyer*.
 West Unity, *B. E. E. Fishbach*.
 Woodville (P. O., Elnore), *Herman Rogatzky*.

NORTH OHIO DISTRICT.

J. G. SCHAAL, P. E.
 (P. O., Berea, O.)

Akron, *William Andree*.
 Allegheny City (Pa.), *Carl Bozenhart*.
 Baresville, *John Kuster*.
 Berea, *John Meyer*.
 Bucyrus, *F. A. Schumann*.
 Canal Dover and Chili, *F. J. Baumann*.
 Clarington, *A. C. Baur*.
 Cleveland: Bethany, *F. W. Mueller*.
 Emanuel, *E. W. Bockstahler*.

Cleveland: First Church, *Henry Pullman*.
 Saint Paul, *Karl Koch*.
 Columbus, *Herman Herzer*.
 Delaware, *F. W. Schneider*.
 Galion, *C. O. Kloeksiem*.
 Marietta and Bonn, *Henry Jend*.
 Marion, *B. F. Beal*.
 Marion Circuit, *John Huenke*.
 McKeesport (Pa.), *J. H. Holtkamp*.
 Monroefield, to be supplied.
 New Knoxville, *W. E. Nocka*.
 Pittsburg: East Liberty, *J. C. Gerlach*.
 First Church, *E. F. Wunderlich*.
 Second Church, *J. R. Bodmer*.
 Sandusky and La Carne, *Frederick Mersfelder*.
 Spencerville, *Max Dieterle*.
 Vermillion, *Jacob Bockstahler*.
 Wheeling (W. Va.), *Gustav Weiler*.

Carl Riemenschneider, President;
 J. O. Berr, Professor; P. F. Schneider, Financial Agent, of German Wallace College—members of Berea Quarterly Conference.

J. C. Weidmann, Superintendent of Berea Orphan Asylum—member of Berea Quarterly Conference.

C. F. Kupfer, Missionary in China.

QUEST. 30. *Where shall the next Conference be held?*

In Third Church, Cincinnati, O.

BLACK HILLS MISSION CONFERENCE,

Held in Sturgis, S. Dak., Sept. 6-9, 1894.

BISHOP ANDREWS, *Presiding*.

E. E. LYMER, *Secretary*.

Post office of Secretary, Hot Springs, S. Dak.

QUEST. 1. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*

Nathan A. Swickard, from Kansas; Millard S. Foutch (in studies of third year), from Northwest Nebraska—2.

QUEST. 2. *Who have been Readmitted?*
 None.

QUEST. 3. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*
 None.

QUEST. 4. *Who have been Received on Trial?*

(a) In Studies of First Year.
 None.

(b) In Studies of Third Year.
 None.

QUEST. 5. *Who have been Continued on Trial?*

(a) In Studies of First Year.
 None.

(b) In Studies of Second Year.
 Abraham L. Baker.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
 None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
 None.

QUEST. 6. *Who have been Discontinued?*
 None.

QUEST. 7. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
 None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
 Willshire R. Peters.

QUEST. 8. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?*

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
 Willshire R. Peters.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
 George C. Ulmer, Olin B. Chasells—2.

QUEST. 9. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*
 Melvin Nichols, Millard S. Foutch—2.

QUEST. 10. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
 James D. Skaggs.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
 None.

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