
MINUTES

OF THE

ANNUAL CONFERENCES

OF THE

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

FALL CONFERENCES, 1900

NEW YORK: EATON & MAINS.
CINCINNATI: JENNINGS & PYE.

Quest. 11. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(a) As Local Preachers.
None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
Clarence A. Housal, George P. Pemberton, Joseph L. Kendall—3.

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?

M. V. Heidlebaugh, to Puget Sound; F. L. Young, to Oregon—2.

Quest. 15. Who have Died?

None.

Quest. 16. Who have been Located at their own Request?

H. D. Wadsworth.

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 Who have Withdrawn?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?

None.

Quest. 21. What other Personal Notation should be made?

None.

Quest. 22. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?

G. A. Landen, J. R. Yost, G. W. Corner, *F. T. Howell*—4.

Quest. 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

None.

Quest. 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

R. P. Hammons, J. M. Wilder, O. A. White, W. C. Price, W. M. Crowther, J. D. Gillilan, C. E. Hillman—7.

Quest. 25. What is the Statistical Report for this year?

(See tabulated statement.)

Quest. 26. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$901.

Quest. 27. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

Not answered.

Quest. 28. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

\$204,

which has been applied under order of the Conference.

Quest. 29. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

(These appointments are all in the State of Idaho, except as otherwise indicated.)

BOISE DISTRICT.

W. W. VAN DUSEN, P. E.
(P. O. Boise, Ida.)

Albion, *G. G. Halcy.*

Baker City (Ore.), to be supplied

Blackfoot, W. C. Price.

Boise, R. P. Hammons.

Caldwell, J. M. Wilder.

Council and Salubria, *G. P. Pemberton.*

De Lamar, *J. D. Bird*, one to be

supplied.

Emmett, E. E. Damon.

Glenn's Ferry, J. W. Edgar.

Hagerman, W. J. Barger.

Hailey and Soldier, C. E. Helman,

one to be supplied.

Haines (Ore.), T. W. Atkinson.

Idaho City, *C. A. Housal.*

Idaho Falls, to be supplied.

Junction, to be supplied.

Lost River, *J. L. Kendall.*

McEwen (Ore.), to be supplied.

Meridian, to be supplied.

Middleton, W. M. Crowther.

New Plymouth, *W. L. Strange.*

Payette and Ontario, F. J. Bradley.

Pocatello, J. D. Gillilan.

St. Anthony, *G. O. Jewett.*

Salmon City, O. A. White.

Salmon Circuit (P. O., Salmon

City), W. T. Robinson.

Shoshone, G. H. Winterburn.

Sumpter (Ore.), D. M. Shannon.

Weiser, to be supplied.

A. W. Hartshorn and *H. W. Parker*,

Missionaries in Utah.

L. W. Wheatley, left without ap-

pointment to attend one of our

schools.

Quest. 30. Where shall the next Conference be held?

In Pocatello, Ida.

CENTRAL GERMAN CONFERENCE,

Held in Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 5-10, 1900.

BISHOP CRANSTON, *Presiding.*

C. G. FRITSCHKE, JR., *Secretary.*

Post office of Secretary, New Albany, Ind.

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

Ernst Heitzig (in studies of second year), from East German.

Quest. 2. Who have been Re-admitted?

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.
Frederick W. Magdanz, Joseph

Lamy, Theodore Rudin, William Brueckner—4.

(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.
Adam Becker, Walter P. Rueckheim, Otto Gieson, Henry W. Lenz, Ludwig Buchl, Ernst Holzapfel—5.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

Quest. 6. Who have been Discontinued?

Ludwig Oser.

Quest. 7. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year
Harvey A. Severinghaus.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.

Theophil Hey.

Quest. 8. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
Harvey A. Severinghaus, Theophil Hey—2.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
None.

Quest. 9. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?

Albert Cramer, Hermann Giesen—2.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
Timothy A. Speckmann, Gustav Maag, Henry Schaedel, Henry Bank—4.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

Quest. 11. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(a) As Local Preachers.
Otto Giesen, Theodore Rudin—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?

E. W. Strecker, to Northwest Indiana; John Mueller, to East German—2.

Quest. 15. Who have Died?

Engelhardt Riemenschneider, Christian Vogel, J. B. Jahraus, J. H. Krill, William Boreherding, G. E. Fiedlar, Edward Kress—7.
(See obituaries).

Quest. 16. Who have been Located at their own Request?

B. E. E. Fischbach.

Quest. 17. Who have been Located?

None.

Quest. 18. Who have With-drawn?

None.

Quest. 19. Who have been Permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?

F. J. Kapsch.

Quest. 20. Who have been Expelled?

E. E. Mueller.

Quest. 21. What other Personal Notation should be made?

None.

Quest. 22. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?

Henry Metzger, J. A. Marquardt—2.

Quest. 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

George Berg, William Ahrens, P. B. Becker, C. F. Heitmeyer, C. G. Reiber, F. A. Hoff, Jacob Gabler, Frederick Ruff, C. G. Fritsche, Sr., John Schneider, J. H. Luke-meyer, Conrad Welmes, C. A. Miltzer, John Haas, Andrew Meyer, J. C. Egley, Carl Bozenhard, J. C. Wurster, William Riechenmeyer, G. G. Herzer, H. G. Lich, Matthias George, J. C. Speckmann, C. O. Klocksien—24.

Quest. 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

H. G. Lich, Louis Allinger, J. S. Schneider, George Kaletsch, Gustav Weyler, John Outjen, Daniel Matthaei—7.

Quest. 25. What is the Statistical Report for this year?

(See tabulated statement.)

Quest. 26. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$30,390.

Quest. 27. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

\$9,655.

Quest. 28. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

\$3,890,

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. H. Horst, P. E.
(P. O., 1708 Madison Av., Covington, Ky.)
Batesville (Ind.), Herman Bever.
Chillicothe and Waverly, William Andree.
Cincinnati: Everett Street, George Kaletsch.
Mount Auburn, B. F. Beal.
Race Street, David Graessle.

Cincinnati: Spring Grove Avenue, W. F. Hayn.

Third Street, Oscar Rogatzky.
Walnut Hills, Christian Baumann.

Covington (Ky.), J. H. Schimmelpfennig.

Dayton, W. F. Griewe.
Greenville and Piqua, Ernst Werner.

Hamilton, H. E. Wulzen.
Indianapolis (Ind.): First Church, F. A. Hamp.

Nippert Memorial, John Claus.
Second Church and New Palestine, C. E. Ploch.

Third Church, William Brueckner.

Ironton and Zion, W. E. Noeka, one to be supplied.

Lafayette (Ind.), Andrew Graessle.
Lawrenceburg (Ind.), Max Dietterle.

Lawrenceville (Ind.), Gustav Maag.
Mount Healthy, Albert Cramer.

Newport (Ky.), Elias Roser.
Pomeroy, H. R. Bornemann.

Portsmouth, C. B. Koch.

Terre Haute (Ind.), W. A. Schrauff.
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 Grentzenberg, Editor of *Wegweiser zur Heiligung*—member of Mount Auburn, Cincinnati, Quarterly Conference.

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

J. W. Huber, P. E.

(P. O., 933 State St., New Albany, Ind.)
Bedford (Ind.), H. A. Severinghaus.

Boonville (Ind.), A. J. Weigle.
Bradford (Ind.), William Rogatzky.

Cannellton and Tell City (Ind.), C. W. Helwig.

Evansville (Ind.): First Church, Charles Treuschel.

Second Church, Frederick Johannes.

Huntingburg (Ind.), W. J. G. Bockstahler.

Jeffersonville (Ind.), J. C. Guenther.

Louisville (Ky.): Breckenridge Street, C. H. Miller.

Eighteenth Street and Otiseo, John Floerke.

Jefferson Street, Adam Schantzenbaecher.

Market Street, G. E. Hiller.

Mars (Ind.), Jacob Allinger.

Mount Vernon (Ind.), Louis Miller.

Nashville (Tenn.), C. E. Severinghaus.

New Albany (Ind.), C. G. Fritsche, Jr.

Salem (Ind.), Ernst Holzner.

Santa Claus (Ind.), J. E. Braum.
Seymour (Ind.), J. F. Severinghaus.

White Creek (Ind.), Adam Becker.

II. B. Roller, Conference Evangelist—member of Huntingburg Quarterly Conference.

MICHIGAN DISTRICT.

JOSEPH KERN, P. E.
(P. O., 301 Fifteenth St., Detroit, Mich.)
Allegan (Mich.), J. J. Link.
Ann Arbor (Mich.), William Jauch.
Auburn and Garrett (Ind.), F. W. *Muglantz*.
Bay City (Mich.), George Mitter, Defiance, David Dobbrick.
Detroit (Mich.): First Church, John Oetjen.
Second Church, John Mayer.
Third Church, Paul Wuerfel.
De Witt (Mich.), D. E. Dangel.
Edon, T. A. Speckmann.
Elmore, John Kuster.
Francisco (Mich.), L. S. Kaettershenry.
Freeport (Mich.), W. P. *Rueckheim*.
Goshen (Ind.), H. W. *Lenz*.
Grand Rapids (Mich.), J. J. Bockstahler.
Holt (Mich.), F. A. Schumann.
Kendallville (Ind.), E. G. Boeh.
Lansing (Mich.), C. F. Kuhnle.
Marine City (Mich.), J. A. Beck.
Montague and Muskegon (Mich.), J. R. Bodmer.
Pigeon (Mich.), Henry Bank.

Roseville (Mich.), Jacob Braun.
Saginaw and Kochville (Mich.), Christian Spaeth, *Theophil Heg.*
Toledo: East Side and Perrysburg, Karl Koch.
Galena Street, Conrad Boecklin.
Segur Avenue, J. S. Schneider.
Walnut Street, J. G. Schaal.

NORTH OHIO DISTRICT.

HENRY PULLMAN, P. E.
(P. O., Berea, O.)
Akron, Jacob Bockstahler.
Allegheny (Pa.), Daniel Matthaci.
Batesville (P. O., Hannibal), E. W. Bockstahler.
Berea, Gustav Weyler.
Bonn and Monroefield, *Joseph Lamy*.
Bucyrus, J. C. Gerlach.
Canal Dover and Chili, Daniel Harter.
Clarington (P. O., Switzer), George Wahl.
Cleveland: Bethany, J. H. Holtkamp.
Emanuel, *Hermann Giesen*.
First Church, J. J. Baechtold.
St. Paul's, Herman Rogatzky.
Zion, *Otto Giesen*.
Columbus: First Church, Richard Plueddemann.
Second Church, Henry Schaedel.
Delaware, *Ludwig Buchl*.

Galion, J. C. Gommel.
Marietta, Herman Herzer.
Marion, Henry Jend.
Marion Circuit, Frederick Mersfelder.
New Knoxville, C. E. Bueckle.
Pittsburg (Pa.): First Church and McKeesport, F. W. Muelier, one to be supplied.
Park Avenue, A. C. Baur.
Second Church, F. J. Baumann.
Sandusky and La Carne, *Theodore Rudin*.
Spencerville, P. J. Graessle.
Vermillion, A. F. Zurwell.
Wheeling (W. Va.), Louis Allinger.
Karl Riemenschneider, President; J. O. Berr and F. W. Schneider, Professors; J. C. Marting, Treasurer and Financial Agent, of German Wallace College—members of Berea Quarterly Conference.
J. C. Weidmann, Superintendent of Berea German Methodist Orphan Home—member of Berea Quarterly Conference.
C. F. Kupfer, Missionary in China.
Quest. 30. Where shall the next Conference be held?
In Detroit, Mich.

COLUMBIA RIVER CONFERENCE,

Held in North Yakima, Wash., Sept. 5-10, 1900.

BISHOP ANDREWS, *Presiding*.

C. D. NICKELSEN, *Secretary*.

Post office of Secretary, Heppner, Ore.

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

E. H. Rubicam, from Southwest Kansas; W. M. Spoor, from North Dakota; W. C. Evans, from St. Louis; John Hanks, from Iowa; C. G. Harmon, from Oregon; B. F. Peck, from Oklahoma; A. C. Brackenbury, from Wyoming; D. W. Raines, from Kansas; *Ambrose W. Roberts* (in studies of first year), from Montana—9.

Quest. 2. Who have been Re-admitted?
None.

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

Horatio M. Mobbs, from the Congregational Church; *William H. Fry*, from the Methodist Church of Canada—2.

Quest. 4. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.
James E. Daniels, Frederick J. James, George W. White, Ralph A. Gailey, George Gable—5.

(b) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

Quest. 5. Who have been Continued on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.
Charles D. Bell, John T. Hoyle, Ambrose W. Roberts—3.

(b) In Studies of Second Year.
Joel C. Walker, Samuel E. Hornebrook, Roy D. Osterhout, Howard P. Cromwell, Thomas D. Gregory—5.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

Quest. 6. Who have been Discontinued?

Charles F. McCarthy, Herbert T. Coleman—2.

Quest. 7. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
William E. Armfield, Herbert C. Clark, Charles Elroy, William H. Henderson, Harrison N. Gowman, William H. Fry—6.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.

Trevor Orton, John W. H. Millar—2.

Quest. 8. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.

William E. Armfield, Herbert C. Clark, Charles Elroy, William H. Henderson, Harrison N. Gowman, William H. Fry, Trevor Orton—7.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.

Jacob H. Feak.

Quest. 9. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?

George R. Archer, James H. Martin, John W. H. Millar, George R. Moorhead—4.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.

Benjamin L. Hicks, Roy O. Hadley, Wilbur C. Smith—3.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.

None.