

Minutes
of the
Annual Conferences
of the
Methodist Episcopal
Church

FALL CONFERENCES
1909



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CENTRAL GERMAN CONFERENCE

Held in Cleveland, O., September 8-13, 1909

BISHOP WILSON, *Presiding.*

W. A. SCHRUFF, *Secretary.*
Post office, Indianapolis, Ind.

H. R. BORNEMANN, *Statistician.*
Post office, New Albany, Ind.

Quest. 1. Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?

It is.

Quest. 2. Who have been Received by Transfer and from what Conferences?

B. E. Breihan (in studies of second year), from Southern German.

Quest. 3. Who have been Re-admitted?

None.

Quest. 4. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?

None.

Quest. 5. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.

John B. Ackmann, Theodore F. Lagemann—2.

(b) In Studies of Third Year.

None.

Quest. 6. Who have been Continued on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.

None.

(b) In Studies of Second Year.

Edward Edelmeyer, Edward J. Pfeiffer, Albert L. Marting, Henry Maag—4.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.

None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.

None.

Quest. 7. Who have been Discontinued?

None.

Quest. 8. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.

Robert A. Blume, Paul W. Plueddemann, Bernard E. Breihan—3.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.

None.

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

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.

Robert A. Blume, Paul W. Plueddemann—2.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.

None.

Quest. 10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?

Joseph E. Beal, August W. Klaiber, Charles J. Schweitzer—3.

Quest. 11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.

L. H. F. Ackerman, E. L. Guth—2.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.

None.

Quest. 12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(a) As Local Preachers.

None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.

Edward Edelmeyer, Edward J. Pfeiffer—2.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.

None.

Quest. 13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?

(a) As Local Deacons.

None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.

None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.

None.

Quest. 14. Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?

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

Quest. 15. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?

B. E. Breihan (in studies of third year), to Southern German.

Quest. 16. Who have Died?

H. G. Lich, Gustav Weiler—2.

Quest. 17. Who have been Located at their own Request?

None.

Quest. 18. Who have been Located?

None.

Quest. 19. Who have Withdrawn?

None.

Quest. 20. Who have been Permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?

None.

Quest. 21. Who have been Expelled?

None.

Quest. 22. What other Personal Notation should be made?

The credentials of H. B. Roller, an Elder, were restored.

Quest. 23. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?

H. A. Severinghaus, J. A. Beck—2.

Quest. 24. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

C. F. Heitmeyer, J. C. Reiber, Jacob Gabler, C. G. Fritsche, Sr., J. H. Lukemeyer, C. A. Militzer, Conrad Welnes, J. C. Wurster, David Graessle, J. C. Speckmann, J. C. Weidman, Konrad Boecklin, Herman Herzer, J. F. Severinghaus, Frederick Mersfelder, Louis Miller, Jacob Braun—17.

Quest. 25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

G. E. Hiller, Oscar Rogatzky, J. W. Huber, J. J. Bockstahler, Louis Allinger—5.

Quest. 26. What is the Statistical Report for this year?

(See tabulated statement.)

Quest. 27. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as Reported by the Conference Treasurer?
\$13,430.

Quest. 28. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?
\$10,500.

Quest. 29. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?
\$7,320,

which has been applied under order of the Conference.

Quest. 30. What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?
Not answered.

Quest. 31. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

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

CINCINNATI DISTRICT

J. H. SCHIMMELPFENNIG,
Superintendent.

(P. O., Covington, Ky.)

Batesville (Ind.), Ernst Holz-
apfel.

Chillicothe, William Andree.
Cincinnati: Mount Auburn, J. C.
Gerlach.

Mount Healthy, Charles J.
Schweitzer.

Race Street, J. E. Braun.
Second Church, J. G. Schaal.
Spring Grove, to be sup-
plied.

Third Church, F. A. Schu-
mann.

Walnut Hills, Richard Plued-
demann.

Covington (Ky.), J. H. Horst.
Dayton, A. F. Zarwell.

Greenville and Piqua, Max
Dieterle.

Hamilton, W. E. Nocha.

Indianapolis (Ind.): First
Church and Third Church,
G. E. Hiller.

Nippert Memorial, A. C.
Bauer.

Second Church, W. A. Schru-
ff.
Ironton, to be supplied.

La Fayette (Ind.), J. J. Baech-
told.

Lawrenceburg (Ind.), E. L.
Guth.

Lawrenceville (Ind.), to be sup-
plied.

Newport (Ky.), C. B. Koch.
Pomeroy, A. F. Cramer.

Portsmouth, Otto Giesen.
Terre Haute (Ind.), C. G.
Fritsche, Jr.

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT

CHARLES TREUSCHEL,
Superintendent.

(P. O., New Albany, Ind.)

[The appointments of this Dis-
trict are all in Indiana, except
as otherwise indicated.]

Bedford, Jacob Allinger.

Boonville, W. J. G. Bockstahler.

Caborn, Joseph Lamy.

Cannelton and Tell City, L. H.
F. Ackerman.

Central Barren, Edward Edel-
meyer.

Evansville: First Church, C. H.
Miller.

Second Church, C. W. Helwig.

Holland and Zoar, John Floerke.

Huntingburg, Ernst Werner.

Jeffersonville, William Brueck-
ner.

Louisville (Ky.): Breckenridge
Street, Frederick Johannes.

Eighteenth Street and Jeffer-
son St., Hermann Rogatzky.

Market Street, J. W. Huber.

Mars, Adam Schantzenbaecher.

Mount Vernon, Herman Giesen.

Nashville (Tenn.), H. W. Lenz.

New Albany, H. R. Bornemann.

Otisco, to be supplied.

Salem, to be supplied.

Santa Claus, John Claus.

Seymour, Henry Knauff.

White Creek, Henry Maag.

MICHIGAN DISTRICT

ELIAS ROSER,
Superintendent.

(P. O., Detroit, Mich.)

[The appointments of this Dis-
trict are all in Michigan, ex-
cept as otherwise indicated.]

Ann Arbor, Paul Wuerfel.

Bay City, D. E. Dangel.

Defiance, W. P. Rueckheim.

Detroit: First Church, B. F. Beal.

Second Church, J. J. Bock-
stahler.

Third Church, George Mitter.

Dewitt, William Weiler.

Edgerton, Auburn, and Garrett,
T. C. Nagler.

Elmore, William Jauch.

Francisco, Joseph E. Beal.

Goshen and Kendallville (Ind.),
A. G. Becker.

Grand Rapids, Daniel Matthaei.

Holt, John Kuster.

Hopkins, F. W. Magdanz.

Kochville, Frederick Schaezlin.

Lansing, J. J. Link.

Lowell, Henry Bank.

Marine City, E. F. Hildebrand.

Montague and Muskegon, L. C.
F. Buehl.

Pigeon, Theophil Hey.

Roseville, Louis Allinger.

Saginaw, Hartman Bau.

Toledo: Emmanuel, C. E. Sever-
inghaus.

Galena Street, August W.
Klaiber.

Salem and Perrysburg, J. H.
Holtkamp.

Zion, John Mayer.

NORTH OHIO DISTRICT

JOSEPH KERN,
Superintendent.

(P. O., Berea, O.)

Akron, J. R. Bodmer.

Allegheny and McKeesport
(Pa.), J. C. Guenther.

Berea and Sandusky, Henry
Pullmann, John B. Ackmann.

Bucyrus, F. J. Baumann.

Canal Dover, Edward J. Pfeiffer.

Clarington, Paul W. Pluedde-
mann.

Cleveland: Bethany, Herman
Beyer.

First Church, F. W. Mueller.

Saint Paul's, Christian Bau-
mann.

Zion and Salem, Elmer Roes-
ner.

Columbus: First Church, Oscar
Rogatzky.

Second Church, C. E. Ploch.

Galion, E. G. Boch.

Hannibal, Theodore Rudin.

Marietta, John Oetjen.

Marion, C. E. Buerkle.

Marion Circuit, George Wahl.

Monroe field, Theodore F. Lage-
mann.

New Knoxville, Jacob Bock-
stahler.

Pittsburg (Pa.): T. A. Speck-
mann.

Park Avenue, Daniel Harrer.

Second Church, Albert L.
Marting.

Spencerville, Robert A. Blume.

Vermilion, E. W. Bockstahler.

Wheeling (W. Va.), L. S.
Kaetterhenry.

A. J. Nast, Editor of Christliche
Apologete—member of Sec-
ond Church, Cincinnati, Quar-
terly Conference.

Christian Golder, Superintend-
ent of Deaconess Motherhouse
—member of Walnut Hills,
Cincinnati, Quarterly Conf.

H. A. Grentzenberg, Editor of
Wegweiser zur Heiligung—
member of Mount Auburn,
Cincinnati, Quarterly Confer-
ence.

E. S. Havighorst, President of
German Wallace College—
member of Berea Quarterly
Conference.

Carl Riemenschneider, J. O.
Berr, and T. K. Rodemeyer,
Professors in German Wallace
College—members of Berea
Quarterly Conference.

J. C. Marting, Treasurer and
Financial Agent of German
Wallace College—member of
Berea Quarterly Conference.

George Kaletsch, Superintend-
ent of German Methodist
Orphan Home—member of
Berea Quarterly Conference.

**Quest 32. Where shall the next
Conference be held?**

In Zion Church, Toledo, O.