

Minutes
of the
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of the
Methodist Episcopal
Church

FALL CONFERENCES
1913



THE METHODIST BOOK CONCERN

New York

Cincinnati

CENTRAL GERMAN CONFERENCE
Held in Grand Rapids, Mich., September 3-8, 1913
BISHOP CRANSTON, Presiding

W. A. SCHRUFF, Secretary.
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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?

None.

Quest. 3. Who have been Readmitted?

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.

Louis A. Schreiber, Gottlieb Tanner, Frederick J. Wolfe—3.

(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.

Matthew J. Betz, Samuel E. Kaetzel, Karl F. Lenz, Alfred H. Mueller—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.

Carl Ertel, Paul L. Philipp, Dietrich Worthmann—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.

Carl Ertel, Paul L. Philipp, Dietrich Worthmann—3.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.

None.

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

None.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.

John B. Ackmann, Theodore F. Lagemann, George C. Nothdurft—3.

(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.

None.

(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?

T. K. Rodemeyer, Switzerland.

Quest. 16. Who have Died?

Ernst Holzapfel, Adam Schanzenbaecher, Conrad Wehnes—3.

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

None.

Quest. 18. Who have been Located?

None.

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Quest. 19. Who have Withdrawn?

E. L. Guth.

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?

None.

Quest. 23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what Number of Years consecutively has each held this Relation?

F. W. Magdanz (1), W. E. Nocha (1)—2.

Quest. 24. Who are the Retired Ministers?

Louis Allinger, J. R. Badmer, J. J. Bochstahler, Jacob Braun, C. G. Fritsche, Sr., David Graessle, H. A. Grentzenberg, C. F. Heitmeyer, Frederick Mersfelder, C. A. Militzer, Louis Miller, Richard Plueddeman, H. A. Severinghaus, J. F. Severinghaus, J. C. Speckmann, J. C. Wurster—16.

Quest. 25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

B. F. Deal, G. E. Hiller, J. H. Horst, Joseph Kern, Ernest Werner—5.

Quest. 26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

See Report.

Quest. 27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

See Report.

Quest. 28. What is the Statistical Report?

See the Statistician's Report.

Quest. 29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?

See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

Quest. 30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$18,146.

Quest. 31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?
\$14,500.

Quest. 32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?
\$7,279.

See Report of Conference Stewards.

Quest. 33. What is Five Per Cent of the Amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connec-tional Relief?
\$150.

Quest. 34. What Amount has been Apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?
\$3,500.

Quest. 35. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

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

CINCINNATI DISTRICT

OSCAR ROGATZKY,
Superintendent.

(P. O., 1805 Fairfax Avenue,
Cincinnati, O.)

Batesville (Ind.), F. J. Wiegand.
Chillicothe, Jacob Bockstahler.
Cincinnati: First Church and City
Mission, B. E. E. Fischbach.
Mount Auburn, Herman Ro-
gatzky.
Second Church, M. C. Morlock.
Spring Grove Avenue, William
Andree.
Third Church, A. F. Zarwell.
Walnut Hills, J. J. Link.

Covington (Ky.), H. W. Lenz.
Dayton, H. C. Beyer.
Goshen (Ind.), A. C. Baun.
Greenville and Piqua, C. E. Ploch.
Hamilton, J. E. Braun.
Indianapolis (Ind.): First Church,
G. E. Hiller.

Nippert Memorial, C. G.
Fritsche, Jr.
Second Church, J. C. Gerlach.
Kendallville, Auburn, and Gar-
rett (Ind.), to be supplied.
Lafayette (Ind.), J. J. Baechtold.
Lawrenceburg (Ind.), M. J. Betz.
New Knoxville, J. G. Schaal.
Newport (Ky.), William Brueck-
ner.
Pomeroy, C. J. Schweitzer.
Portsmouth, A. L. Marting.
Spencerville, P. I. Philipp.

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT

CHARLES TREUSCHEL,
Superintendent.

(P. O., 1212 East Market Street,
New Albany, Ind.)

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

Bedford and White Creek, Jacob
Allinger, one to be supplied.

Boonville, Henry Maag.
Caborn, L. H. F. Ackermann.
Cannelton and Tell City, S. E.
Kaetzel.

Evansville: First Church, C. H.
Miller.

Second Church, John Claus.
Holland, Frederick Johannes.
Huntingburg, Ernst Werner.
Jeffersonville, A. G. Becker.
Louisville (Ky.): Breckenridge
Street, John Floerke.
Market Street, J. H. Horst.
Second Church, Joseph Lamy.
Mars (P. O., Howell), Gottlieb
Tanner.

Mount Vernon and Zoar, Edward
Edelmaier.

Nashville (Tenn.), P. C. Phillipp.
New Albany, Theodore Rudin.
New Salisbury, L. A. Schreiber.
Salem, W. J. G. Bockstahler.
Santa Claus, William Weiler.
Seymour, W. A. Schruft.
Terre Haute, Elmer Roessner.

MICHIGAN DISTRICT

ELIAS ROSER,
Superintendent.

(P. O., 761 West Grand Boulevard,
Detroit, Mich.)

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

Ann Arbor, Paul Wuerfel.
Bay City, D. E. Dangel.
Defiance (O.), C. W. Helwig.
Detroit: First Church, Joseph
Kern.

Second Church, H. R. Borne-
mann.

Third Church, John Kuster.
Dewitt, George Wahl.
Edgerton (O.), E. J. Pfeiffer.
Elmore (O.), William Jauch.
Francisco, G. C. Nothdurft.
Grand Rapids, Daniel Matthaei.
Holt, Theophil Hey.
Hopkins, J. E. Beal.
Kochville and Freeland (P. O.,
Saginaw), F. J. Wolfe.

Lansing, C. B. Koch.
Lowell, Henry Bank.
Marine City, W. F. Schaezlin.
Montague and Muskegon, Daniel
Harrer.

Pigeon, L. S. Kaetterhenry.
Roseville, L. C. F. Buchl.
Saginaw, Hartmann Bau.
Toledo (O.): Immanuel, C. E.
Severinghaus.

Galena Street, to be supplied.
Salem, J. H. Holtkamp.
Zion, John Mayer.

NORTH OHIO DISTRICT

F. W. MUELLER,
Superintendent.

(P. O., 2217 East Eightieth Street,
Cleveland, O.)

Akron, K. F. Lenz.
Berea, to be supplied.

Bucyrus, E. W. Bockstahler.
Canal Dover, to be supplied.
Chili, to be supplied.

Clarington, P. W. Plueddemann.
Cleveland: Bethanien, George
Mitter.

First Church, B. F. Beal.
Saint Paul's, Christian Bau-
mann.

Salem and Zion, A. H. Mueller,
one to be supplied.

Columbus: First Church, J. W.
Huber.

Second Church, F. J. Baumann.
Galion, R. A. Blume.

Hannibal, J. B. Ackmann.
Henrietta, A. W. Klaiber.

Marietta, John Oetjen.
Marion, J. C. Guenther.

Marion Circuit, T. F. Lagemann.
McKeesport (Pa.), Dietrich
Worthmann.

Monroefield, Carl Ertel.
Pittsburgh (Pa.): Allegheny, N. S.,
C. E. Buerkle.

First Church, E. G. Boch.
Park Avenue and Second
Church, Henry Knauff.

Sandusky, La Carne, and Ver-
million, Henry Pullmann.

Wheeling (W. Va.), T. A. Speck-
mann.

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

Christian Golder, President of
the Deaconess Motherhouse—
member of Walnut Hills, Cin-
cinnati, Quarterly Conference.

A. J. Bucher, Editor of Haus und
Herd and the German Sunday
School Literature—member of
Mount Auburn, Cincinnati,
Quarterly Conference.

Karl Riemenschneider and J. C.
Berr, Professors in Baldwin-
Wallace College—members of
Berea Quarterly Conference.

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

George Kaletsch, Superintendent
of German Methodist Orphan
Asylum—member of Berea
Quarterly Conference.

T. C. Nagler, left without appoint-
ment to attend some one of
our schools.

**Quest. 36. Where shall the next
Conference be held?**

In Wheeling, W. Va.

Pastoral Charges.....	95
Episcopal Appointees.....	90
Supplies.....	5
Special Appointments.....	8