
MINUTES

OF THE

ANNUAL CONFERENCES

OF THE

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

FALL CONFERENCES, 1900

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LONG PINE DISTRICT.
P. H. EIGHMY, P. E.
(P. O., Long Pine, Neb.)
Ainsworth, O. L. Ramsey.
Atkinson, A. R. Julian.
Bassett, G. A. Hanna.
Brownlee, to be supplied.
Butte, W. O. Glessner.
Crookston, to be supplied.
Fountain Valley, to be supplied.

Johnstown, F. C. Daniels.
Long Pine, to be supplied.
Newport, R. A. Ball.
Sparks and Norden, J. S. Campbell.
Springview, A. T. Carpenter.
Stuart, C. F. Smith.
Valentine, A. F. Cumbow.
J. W. Taylor, Missionary in Wyoming.

O. S. Baker, member of Valentine Quarterly Conference, and H. L. Harvey, member of Newport Quarterly Conference, left without appointments to attend some of our schools.

Quest. 30. Where shall the next Conference be held?
In Ainsworth, Neb.

NORWEGIAN AND DANISH CONFERENCE,

Held in Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 6-10, 1900.

BISHOP MALLALIEU, *Presiding.*

L. A. LARSEN, *Secretary.*

Post office of Secretary, 57 Washington Street, Chicago, Ill.

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

None.

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.
Birger B. Nordstedt, Ole S. Olsen, Fritz L. Trelstad, Peter M. Peterson, Gustav M. Gundersen—5.

(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.
Charles J. Johnson.

(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.
Bent E. Carlsen.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
Carl A. Andersen.

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

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
Bent E. Carlsen, Carl A. Andersen—2.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
None.

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

Jens J. Petersen, Nels C. Hansen, John O. Hall, Knud Vinberg—4.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
Matthew C. Stensen, Andrew W. Rosness, Oscar Kuudsen—3.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

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

(a) As Local Preachers.
Charles J. Johnson, Ole S. Roland, Fritz L. Trelstad, Andrew O. Hofstedt—4.

(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?

J. J. Christiansen, to Norway; Gustav M. Gundersen (in studies of first year), to Maine—2.

Quest. 15. Who have Died?
None.

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

Lars T. Torgensen.

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?

Cornelius Jensen, Christian Arendt, F. A. Searvie—3.

Quest. 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

Peter Jensen, Endre Endersen, A. O. Ulland, Engebrit Arvesen, B. E. Olin, Christopher Christophsen, James Petersen, O. P. Petersen, O. T. Lowen, Christian Treider—10.

Quest. 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

O. P. Petersen, C. F. Eltzholtz, Ole Jacobsen, T. M. Hange, A. Haugensen, M. L. Kjelstad, Elliot Hansen—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?

Disciplinary answer not received.

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?
Not answered.

Quest. 29. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

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

CHICAGO DISTRICT.

L. A. LARSEN, P. E.

(P. O., 822 N. Talman Ave., Chicago, Ill.)

Arkdale, Lewistown, and Wau-paca (Wis.), *C. A. Andersen*.
Calumet (Mich.), L. C. Knudsen.
Cambridge and Whitewater (Wis.), Henry Danielsen.
Chicago (Ill.): Bethany, to be supplied.

First Church, James Sanaker.
Immanuel, H. C. Munson.
Kedzie Avenue, H. P. Nelsen.
Maplewood Avenue, Frederick Ring.

Moreland, O. A. Wiersen.
North Avenue, M. L. Kjelstad.
Park Side, *C. J. Johnson*.

Dwight (Ill.), *P. M. Peterson*.
Evanston (Ill.), Gustav Mathisen.
Green Bay, De Pere, Merritt, and Wausau (Wis.), to be supplied.

Kenosha and Northcpe (Wis.), *J. J. Petersen*.

Leland, Lee, and Sandwich (Ill.), to be supplied.

Ludington and Muskegon (Mich.), *B. B. Norlstedt*.

Manistee (Mich.), J. P. Andersen.

Marinette (Wis.) and Ishpeming (Mich.), Oscar Knudsen.

Milwaukee (Wis.), Andrew Haagen-sen.

Neenah (Wis.), H. G. Smeland.
Norway and Stavanger (Ill.), to be supplied.

Oshkosh (Wis.), to be supplied.
Racine (Wis.): Bethany, N. H. Nyrop.
Trinity, Ole Jacobsen.
Sheboygan and Manitowoc (Wis.), Arne Johnson.

Stoughton and Madison (Wis.), Paul Hangen.

N. E. Simonsen, President of Norwegian and Danish Theological School—member of Evanston Quarterly Conference.

H. P. Bergh, Book Agent—member of First Church, Chicago, Quarterly Conference.

C. F. Eltzholtz, Editor of *Den Kristelige Talsmand*—member of Maplewood Avenue, Chicago, Quarterly Conference.

MINNEAPOLIS DISTRICT.

O. L. HANSEN, P. E.

(P. O., 619 Twentieth Street, South, Minneapolis, Minn.)

Appleton, to be supplied.
Belvidere, Millville, and Eids-wold, to be supplied.

Brighton, Norseland, and Storden, E. T. Schollert.

Canby, Lake Henrick, and Toronto (S. Dak.), C. G. Gundersen.

Deer Park (Wis.), M. C. Stensen.
Denver (Colo.), to be supplied.

Des Moines and Clinton (Ia.), *O. S. Olsen*.

Eau Claire and Colfax (Wis.), to be supplied.

Forest City (Ia.), C. J. Josephsen.

Fremont and Kennard (Neb.), Andrew Ericksen.

Hutchinson, Lake Lillian, and Lake Elizabeth, to be supplied.

La Crosse and North La Crosse (Wis.), Elliott Hansen.

Lake Mills (Ia.), Glenville, and Palmer, N. L. Thorness.

Martell, Viking, and Hartland (Wis.), John Lorentz.
Milan and Watson, *B. C. Carlsen*.
Minneapolis, Asle Knudsen.
Missouri Valley and Sioux City (Ia.), Rasmus Wilhelmsen.
Newburg, Choice, and Locust (Ia.), Gustav Abrahamsen.
Nordness and Waukan (Ia.), to be supplied.

Omaha (Neb.), M. O. Block.

Red Wing, Diamond Bluff, and Prescott (Wis.), *J. O. Hall*.
Rutland and Bode (Ia.), Ole Nelsen.

St. Paul: First Church, J. C. Tollefsen.

Viborg and Bethel (S. Dak.), A. W. Rosness.
Westby, Richland, and Asbury (Wis.), to be supplied.

RED RIVER VALLEY DIST.

J. A. JACOBSEN, P. E.

(P. O., 2115 Fourth Street, South, Minneapolis, Minn.)

Ashland and Haywood (Wis.), T. M. Hange.
Clifford, to be supplied.

Crary and Devil's Lake (N. Dak.), to be supplied.

Crookston, Elias Gjerding.
Duluth, O. H. Wilson.

Elbow Lake, to be supplied.
Fergus Falls and Tordenskjold, Alexander Andreassen.

Grand Forks and Grafton (N. Dak.), Martinus Hilerud.

Grand Marais and Maple Hill, to be supplied.

Grantsburg (Wis.), to be supplied.

Halstad, J. J. Korsmo.
Hamlin (N. Dak.), *F. L. Trelstad*.

Hillsboro (N. Dak.), Christian Olsen.

Rugby Junction and Willow City (N. Dak.), to be supplied.

St. Hillaire and Beltrami, to be supplied.
Sauk Center and Lake Park, to be supplied.

Stephen and Warren, *Knud Vinberg*.
Valley City (N. Dak.), *N. C. Hansen*.
West Superior (Wis.), A. M. Trelstad.

Quest. 30. Where shall the next Conference be held?
In St. Paul, Minn.

INDIANA CONFERENCE,

Held in Connersville, Ind., Sept. 12-17, 1900.

BISHOP CRANSTON, Presiding.

R. A. KEMP, Secretary.

Post office of Secretary, Rising Sun, Ind.

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

G. F. Bundy, from South Kansas; W. B. Slutz, from Southwest Kansas; C. H. Muse, from Black Hills—3.

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

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

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Quest. 4. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.
William F. Russell, Thomas F. Williams, Claude L. Griffith, Lyman C. Murr, Howard L. Liddle, Frank B. Ward—6.

(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.

Frank H. Collier, Robert Brumblay, Joseph K. Ake, Loren M. Edwards, John T. Scull, Jr., Oscar C. Hass, Lewis S. McKown, Frank O. Beck—8.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
Arthur L. Duncan.

Quest. 6. Who have been Discontinued?

Elmer E. McDuffee, George E. Flanigan—2.