

Minutes  
of the  
Annual Conferences  
of the  
Methodist Episcopal  
Church

FALL CONFERENCES  
1909



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# NORWEGIAN AND DANISH CONFERENCE

Held in Duluth, Minn., September 8-13, 1909

BISHOP MCINTYRE, *Presiding.*

J. A. JACOBSEN, *Secretary.*  
Post office, Minneapolis, Minn.

A. W. ROSNESS, *Statistician.*  
Post office, McVillie, N. D.

**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 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.

J. G. Bringedahl, Tobias Foss, Ivar T. Slaatte, A. Christensen, A. Hermansen, K. O. Brude-wold, B. Oakland, H. Folkestad, John J. Wang, C. A. Jorensen, Gustav Krisgaard—11.

(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.

None.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.

None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.

None.

**Quest. 7. Who have been Discontinued?**

Arnt M. Anderson.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.

Ole Rohr-Staff.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.

None.

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

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.

Ole Rohr-Staff.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.

None.

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

Carl W. Schevenius.

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

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.

None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.

None.

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

(a) As Local Preachers.

B. Oakland, John J. Wang, H. Folkestad—3.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.

None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.

P. W. Pedersen.

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

(a) As Local Deacons.

L. F. Guldbrandsen.

(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?**

C. J. Johnson, to Detroit; M. L. Olsen, to Western Norwegian Danish—2.

**Quest. 16. Who have Died?**

Ole Jacobsen, Engebret Arvesen—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?**

None.

**Quest. 23. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

O. M. Lokke, C. W. Hansen, Gustav Abrahamsen—3.

**Quest. 24. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**

Andrew Haagensen, Cornelius Jensen, O. T. Lowen, Christopher Christophsen, Peter Jensen, James Petersen, A. O. Ulland, Arne Johnson, Martinus Hillerud—9.

**Quest. 25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?**

J. A. Jacobsen, O. H. Wilson, John Lorentz, Ole Jacobsen, H. C. Munson—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?**

\$7,488.

**Quest. 28. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?**

\$4,900.

**Quest. 29. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?**

\$1,612.60,

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?**

\$46.75.

**Quest. 31. Where are the Preachers Stationed?**

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

#### CHICAGO DISTRICT

H. K. MADSEN,  
Superintendent.

(P. O., Evanston, Ill.)

Calumet (Mich.), Andrew Erickson.

Cambridge (Wis.), C. F. Eltzholtz.

Chicago (Ill.): Bethany, to be supplied.

Bethel, Ole Nelsen.

Emmaus, Gustav Mathisen.

First Church and Immanuel,  
F. I. Trelstad.

Kedzie Avenue, T. M. Hauge.  
Maplewood Avenue, O. H. Wilson.

Moreland, Paul Haugan.

West Side and Institutional  
Church, Frederick Ring.

Evanston (Ill.), H. P. Bergh.

Green Bay (Wis.), to be supplied.

Kenosha (Wis.), to be supplied.  
Leland and Lee (Ill.), J. G.

Bringedahl.

Ludington (Mich.), to be supplied.

Manistee (Mich.), C. A. Anderson.

Marinette (Wis.), C. J. Rynning.

Milwaukee (Wis.), J. P. Andersen.

Muskegon (Mich.), to be supplied.

Neenah, Wittenberg, and De  
Pere (Wis.), Elliott Hansen.

Norway and Dwight (Ill.), to be  
supplied.

Racine (Wis.): Bethany, Rich-  
ard Levin.

Trinity, H. C. Munson.

Sheboygan (Wis.), to be sup-  
plied.

Stoughton and Whitewater  
(Wis.), M. L. Kjelstad.

Waukegan (Ill.), to be supplied.

Waupaca (Wis.), to be supplied.

#### MINNEAPOLIS DISTRICT

P. M. PETERSEN,  
Superintendent.

(P. O., Minneapolis, Minn.)

Brighton, N. C. Hansen.

Canby, to be supplied.

Deer Park (Wis.), J. M. Beck-  
strom.

Denver (Colo.), H. Folkestad.

Des Moines (Ia.), E. T. Schol-  
lert.

Diamond Bluff Circuit, J. A.  
Jacobsen.

Eau Claire and Colfax, to be  
supplied.

Forest City (Ia.), to be supplied.

Fremont (Neb.), Henry Daniel-  
son.

Hartland Circuit (Wis.), to be  
supplied.

Hutchinson, John J. Wang.

La Crosse (Wis.), Ivar T.  
Slaatte.

Lake Lillian, to be supplied.

Lake Mills Circuit (Ia.), to be  
supplied.

Milan Circuit, to be supplied.

Minneapolis: Bethlehem, Asle  
Knudsen.

First Church, L. C. Knudsen.

Missouri Valley (Ia.), N. L.  
Thorness.

Newberg, to be supplied.

Omaha (Neb.), R. P. Petersen.

Rutland (Ia.), A. Christensen.

Saint Paul, J. C. Tollefsen.

Viborg (S. D.), to be supplied.

Westby and Richland (Wis.),  
to be supplied.

#### RED RIVER VALLEY DIST.

JAMES SANAKER,  
Superintendent.

(P. O., Minneapolis, Minn.)

Ashland (Wis.), C. A. Jorensen.

Crookston, John Lorentz.

Duluth: Bethany, Carl W.  
Schevenius.

First Church, Edward Erick-  
sen.

Elbow Lake, to be supplied.

Grand Forks (N. D.), Christian  
Olsen.

Grantsburg (Wis.), Knud Win-  
berg.

Halstad Circuit, O. J. Bogue.

Hayward (Wis.), Gustav Kris-  
gaard.

Hillsboro (N. D.), H. O. Jacob-  
sen.

Landa (N. D.), K. O. Brudevold.

McVile and Romness (N. D.),  
A. W. Rosness.

Minnie Lake (N. D.), to be sup-  
plied.

Rugby and Knox (N. D.), to be  
supplied.

Superior (Wis.), C. G. Gunder-  
sen.

Valley City and Daily (N. D.),  
Alex Andreassen.

Virginia, Ole Rohr-Staff.

Warren Circuit, to be supplied.

Washburn (Wis.), A. Herman-  
sen.

N. E. Simonsen, Principal; J. O.  
Hall, Dean; Tobias Foss, Pro-  
fessor, in the Theological  
School, Evanston, Ill.

R. F. Wilhelmsen, Editor of  
Den Christelige Talsmand and  
Hyrdestemmen—member of  
Emmaus, Chicago, Quarterly  
Conference.

O. L. Hansen, Publishing Agent  
of Norwegian and Danish  
Book Concern—member of  
Moreland, Chicago, Quarterly  
Conference.

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

In First Church and Immanuel,  
Chicago, Ill.