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| Syracuse | William Roseman |
| Tunkhannock | Chester Sickler |
| Utica | Dorothy McCulley |
| Wells | Irene Ryan |

PROCEEDINGS

Morning Session — July 10, 1944, 9:00 a. m.

The twenty-third Annual Conference of the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church convened at the Victory Grove Camp ground, Albany-Schenectady Road, at 9:00 a. m., July 10, 1944.

The Conference sang "They are Covered by the Blood" and A. H. Wilson led in prayer.

Rev. Walter L. Surbrook, General Superintendent, was introduced to the Conference and was asked to preside. After Bro. Surbrook read from Corinthians and Galatians, he addressed the Conference on the subject, "Pungent Points to Preachers." Bro. Surbrook stressed the importance to the ministry of keeping aloof of professionalism. We were cited, very forcefully, to the mistake that might be made in granting license and ordination to unworthy candidates. Rev. Surbrook mentioned the following characteristics as those of the ministry: not given to wine, no striker, not greedy of filthy lucre, patient, not a brawler, not double tongued, not slanderers.

The Secretary called the roll.

Motion made and seconded that Sis. Pierpoint be seated as lay delegate from East Athens Church. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that Sis. Blanche Avery be accepted as a member of the Conference. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the two center sections of seats and the platform constitute the conference bar. This motion was amended to include the first three seats on both wings of the tabernacle. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the time of business sessions be from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon; from 2:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. and from 7:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that Rev. W. A. Way be received into our Conference. Motion carried.

The secretary read the names of those who are to serve on the following committees: auditing, editing, and resolution.

Our District Superintendent, Rev. A. E. Blann, read his annual report and it was accepted by motion of the Conference.

Arthur Shafer presented the District Statistical Reports. It was moved and seconded and carried that we receive the statistical reports.

Bro. Surbrook extended an invitation to Rev. Harold Dieter, President of the Allentown Bible Institute, to sit on the platform.

After considerable discussion regarding the appointment of committees, it was decided that those whose names were presented in the beginning of the Conference should serve as appointed.

Rev. J. H. Philpot was introduced to the Conference and by vote was granted a seat within the bar.

By vote of Conference, we recessed until 2:00 p. m.

Second Session — July 10, 1944, 2:00 p. m.

The Conference sang "Close to Thee," and W. E. Reed led in prayer.

The secretary read the names of those who were recommended by the Council for credentials and ordination. The names of Elvin West, Edna West, Woodrow Harmon, Donald Cray and Gerald Franklin were presented for District Preacher's License; Earl Watts and Robert Smith,

Augusta and Lorin Brecheisen for ordination and Joy Smith for a Deaconess' License. By vote of the Conference these recommendations were accepted.

The resolution committee submitted two resolutions. The following were passed by vote of the Conference:

1. Whereas, there has been some confusion regarding the personell and term of office of various committee,

Be it resolved that following the election of officers the District Superintendent elect shall appoint the committees which are to function under the District Council for the ensuing year.

2. Whereas the action called for in resolution number 5, paragraph 5, has been carried out, be it resolved that the paragraph be expunged from the minutes as no longer necessary.

The secretary read reports from Carl Shafer Jr., and Beatrice Dodge. By motion of the Conference the reports were accepted.

Motion made and seconded that inasmuch as neither the delegate or alternate delegate from Lake Placid is present, that Bro. Mate Williams be seated as delegate from that place.

Motion made and seconded that Bro. Dieter address the Conference. Carried.

Motion made and seconded that the secretary call the roll to ascertain how many minutes are needed and how many advocates may be secured. Carried.

Rev. Harold Dieter President of the Allentown Bible Institute, was introduced to the Conference and spoke to us in the interest of our school. Bro. Dieter gave some very interesting and encouraging figures regarding the progress of the school. He also presented some of the problems facing the school such as the need of a new dormitory and housing facilities. A five year plan of financing was presented to the Conference. The plan suggested was that we obligate our District twenty-five cents per member per month for the above given period.

Motion made and seconded that the evening session be devoted to election of officers. Motion carried.

Third Session — July 10, 1944, 6:30 p. m.

Donald Babcock led the conference in singing, "Unsearchable Riches" and Rev. Fay led in prayer.

Bro. Surbrook spoke to the Conference in the interest of creating a fund for the purpose of caring for aged ministerial brethren.

The resolution committee presented the following resolution:

3. Whereas there has been a continual increase in living costs, and whereas many of our pastors and laymen have had salary increases, be it resolved that the District in addition to the remuneration already provided, also pay the District Superintendent's light and fuel bill. This motion was passed by vote of Conference.

Upon motion of the conference, Bro. C. E. Mayne was granted license to preach.

Motion made and seconded that the District Superintendent appoint tellers for the election of officers. The following were appointed by the District Superintendent: Earl Watts, Robert Smith, Andrew Whitney and Bernard Barton.

The conference proceeded with the election of officers. Bro. Blann appointed Rev. Jump to assist the secretary.

First ballot for District Superintendent: 93 votes cast. A. E. Blann—85; A. H. Wilson—5; M. E. Pierpoint—1; H. J. Olsen—1; R. N. Raycroft—1. A. E. Blann was declared elected as District Superintendent.

First ballot for Assistant District Superintendent: 93 votes cast. A. H. Wilson—82; Alvin Young—2; W. A. Way—2; R. N. Raycroft—2; M. Pierpoint—1; A. E. Blann—1; O. W. Lawrence—1; O. L. Fay—1; G. L. Helsby—1. Rev. A. H. Wilson declared elected as Assistant District Superintendent.

First ballot for District Secretary: 94 votes cast. O. L. Fay—79; Lewis Adams—1; Alvin Young—6; D. E. Wilson—1; A. H. Wilson—1; R. N. Raycroft—1; D. Hardy—1; R. Smith—1; J. Jump—3. O. L. Fay declared elected as District Secretary.

First ballot for District Treasurer: 94 votes cast. O. W. Lawrence—64; J. Jump—27; W. A. Shoemaker—1; Alvin Young—1; F. Olsen—1. O. W. Lawrence declared elected Treasurer.

Motion made and seconded that we place three names on one ballot to complete the District Council. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the tellers be dismissed from Conference to count the ballots cast for the advisory members of Council and that the Conference proceed with business. Motion carried.

First ballot for Advisory members of the District Council: 93 votes cast. G. Helsby—71; Alvin Young—70; J. N. Jump—30; M. E. Pierpoint—18; H. Twining—16; R. N. Raycroft—15; W. A. Way—10; D. Hardy—14; H. J. Olsen—3; J. Hamm—5; Lewis Adams—4; M. R. Blann—9; E. Watts—1; D. Wilson—2; L. Wilson—1; C. Shafer—2; F. Finch—2; Alan Gilmour—1; L. Admas—2; W. Shoemaker—1; D. Babcock—1; C. Berg—1; R. Smith—1. The ballot declares G. L. Helsby and Alvin Young elected as advisory members.

Motion made and seconded that we suspend the rules and vote by acclamation for three members of the Board of Education.

By vote of the conference, D. E. Wilson, R. N. Raycroft and A. Alan Gilmour were declared elected to the board of education, in the following order: D. E. Wilson, 3 years; R. N. Raycroft, 2 years; A. Alan Gilmour, 1 year.

Upon request of the Conference Bro. and Sis. Brecheisen sang a duet that was appreciated by all.

Motion made and seconded that we vote for a member of the Board of Trustees by acclamation. The motion was withdrawn and we proceeded to vote by ballot. 91 votes cast. O. W. Lawrence—86; G. Helsby—1; R. N. Raycroft—1; F. Olsen—1; J. N. Jump—1; W. A. Way—1. The ballot declares O. W. Lawrence elected as the member of the Board of Trustees.

By motion of the Conference Sis. Avery was reelected to the office of Foreign Missionary Treasurer.

Motion made and seconded that we proceed to elect the third member of the Advisory Board by voting for one of the three receiving the highest number of votes aside from those elected for this office on the first ballot. Carried. The ballot follows: 92 votes cast. J. N. Jump—54; M. E. Pierpoint—23; H. Twining—15. J. N. Jump declared elected as third member of Advisory Board.

The secretary read a report from Grace M. Robinson and it was accepted by vote of the Conference.

The resolution committee presented the following:

4. Whereas the statistician's report shows a loss of membership and whereas there is a great need to rally the young people of our District for

their own sake and the sake of the Church, be it resolved that the District Council set up a District Young People's Organization as provided for in Section 82 of our manual. By vote of the Conference, resolution number 4 was passed.

5. Whereas the ministers of the District have expressed their appreciation for the ministerial convention of 1940 and whereas the ministers of the District at that time voted to continue the convention and whereas the scheduled convention was called off without a popular vote of the ministers be it resolved that a ministerial convention be held within the next year at a time and place set by District Council. This resolution was ignored.

6. INASMUCH, as the prayers of God's people have been so definitely answered down through the years in the Allentown Bible Institute, and

INASMUCH, as generous gifts by God's people during the past winter have made the liquidation of our entire indebtedness possible at the rate of \$150.00 a month, without interest, and

INASMUCH, as these generous gifts have been inspired largely by the Zone-wide participation in the Penny-a-Day plan during the past two years, and

INASMUCH, as there is probably sufficient cash in hand to complete the auditorium and dining hall, and

INASMUCH, as the School Board now proposes to raise sufficient funds during the next five years to meet maintenance costs and taxes on the school property and to accumulate enough money during the same period to build a much needed dormitory and library building without going into debt, be it resolved that we as a District adopt the system of contributing to the Allentown Bible Institute the equivalent of 25c a month per member, said funds to be paid thru the District Treasurer.

And that we put forth a wholehearted effort to raise our quota in support of the school.

Motion made and seconded that we extend the time for twenty minutes for the discussion of the Bible School proposition. Carried.

Motion made and seconded that no speaker be allowed to speak longer than two minutes and that no speaker be allowed to speak more than once. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the resolution under discussion be amended to read two dollars per year per member. The amendment carried by a standing vote.

We adjourned by expiration of time.

Fourth Session — July 11, 1944, 9:00 a. m.

The Conference sang, "The Haven of Rest" and Rev. A. E. Blann led in prayer.

Bro. Surbrook read the fourth chapter of Galatians and addressed the Conference, giving some very helpful admonition concerning spiritual ruts. He mentioned the advantage of appealing through different means to the people.

Motion made and seconded that we dispense with roll call for remainder of Conference.

The minutes were read and accepted with corrections by vote of conference.

Motion made and seconded that we rescind the amendment concerning paying two dollars per member per year that was added to resolution number 6. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that resolution number 6 be amended to read, 'this plan to continue for five years.' Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that we adopt resolution number 6. Motion carried.

The names of Sis. Elizabeth Gilmore and Edmund Storey were recommended to the conference for Preacher's license and were accepted.

The resolution committee presented the following:

7. Whereas a resolution adopted in the third session of the 1943 District Conference provides for the publication of telephone numbers of the ministers in the directory of the minutes, and

Whereas, this resolution has not been carried out, be it resolved that the telephone numbers of the ministers be published annually in the minutes and be it further resolved that the address of the church also be published.

This resolution was adopted by the conference.

8. Resolved that the last two sentences of paragraph 1 in finance resolution number 5 on page 15 of the 1943 minutes be changed to read as follows:

The ministers and workers of the District shall pay all their tithe into the church where they hold their membership. Each church shall pay into the District Expense Fund an amount equal to 10% of their pastor's cash support. This amount shall be forwarded monthly to the District Treasurer specified for the District Expense Fund.

Motion made and seconded that resolution number 8 be amended to read 'all the pastor's tithe will continue to be paid in the same channel as before, but the evangelists and workers shall pay 50% of their tithe into the District Fund and 50% into the Local church's treasury.

A substitute motion was offered to the effect that we ask 75% of all District ministers. This substitute motion was lost.

The amendment dealing with all pastor's tithes and 50% of the tithe of evangelists and workers for the District fund was adopted by vote of the Conference.

Resolution number 5 was introduced again and adopted.

District Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Church Extension report read and accepted.

Binghamton Camp Treasurer's report read and accepted.

District Trustee's report read and accepted.

Motion made and seconded that we extend the time of morning sitting. Carried.

Victory Grove Camp Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Adjourned until 2:00 p. m.

Fifth Session — July 11, 1944, 2:00 p. m.

The afternoon session was opened by singing "Lily of the Valley" and "I Will Praise Him" led by L. Brecheisen.

Lindley Adams and W. Harmon led in prayer which was followed by the song "Victory Ahead."

Mrs. A. Whitney was appointed secretary pro-tem by the chairman.

Motion made and seconded for postponement of minutes until later.
Motion carried.

Vermontville Camp Treasurer's report read and accepted.

Bro. Surbrook announced that Sister Nuby was in a meeting at Troy N. Y. and would remain for ten days.

Foreign Missionary report read and accepted.

After an enjoyable vocal number from the Brecheisens, the District Superintendent proceeded to raise fifty dollars for Conference expenses.

The secretary informed the Conference of the action of the Council regarding the painting of cottages on Victory Grove Camp Ground.

The following committees were appointed by the District Superintendent to serve for the ensuing year:

Auditing: Francis Olsen, Rev. A. Alan Gilmour, Rev. W. A. Way.

Editing: Rev. O. L. Fay, Rev. Arthur Shafer, Francis Olsen.

Reception: Rev. C. F. Berg, M. R. Blann, R. Lewis Adams.

Resolutions: Jasper Hamm, George Culver, M. E. Pierpoint, Lindley Adams, Robert Smith, Rev. Donald Hardy, Rev. R. N. Raycroft, Rev. H. Twining, Rev. Earl Watts, Rev. W. A. Way, Rev. M. R. Blann.

By motion of the Conference the following resolution was adopted:

9. Whereas the Beulah Redemption Home has been closed permanently,

Whereas the property has not yet been sold, be it resolved that the New York District go on record as favoring the retention of the property for the adaptability of an orphanage and that the General Board be immediately so advised.

The motion made and seconded that the Council approve the minutes of the morning and afternoon session.

10. Whereas, God in His mercy did grant us the privilege of meeting in another conference, a resolution of appreciation, by a rising vote, was adopted for the following: Rev. W. L. Surbrook, our General Superintendent, for his timely exhortations and fine work in presiding over the Conference; Rev. A. E. Blann, our District Superintendent, for his faithful labors during the past conference year; the District Council for its untiring labor in the work of the District; Sis. Blanche Avery for her willing service as our Secretary-Treasurer of Foreign Missions; Rev. Arthur Shafer for his splendid work as District Statistician; Francis Olsen and his assistants for their commendable work in auditing; the dining room and kitchen staff and the Rev. Alan Gilmour and George Gilmore for their efficient handling of the entertainment problems.

The secretary read the appointments.

Bro. Surbrook, with the assistance of A. E. Blann, A. H. Wilson, O. W. Lawrence, Alvin Young and O. L. Fay, proceeded to ordain to the ministry L. Brecheisen, Augusta Brecheisen, R. Smith and Earl Watts.

Bro. Young led the Conference in singing "A Charge to Keep I Have" and Bro. O. W. Lawrence led in prayer. Bro. Fay read from Titus 3:1-11; A. H. Wilson read from II Timothy 4:1-8 and A. E. Blann read I Timothy 3:1-13.

Bro. Surbrook gave an address in which he stressed blamelessness as a characteristic of a true shepherd. Under the above given head he also presented the following: a good report from them without, keep yourself spiritual, keep your church spiritual.

After the charge to the candidates, they were ordained to the ministry by the laying on of hands. The ordination service closed with the conference singing "Rock of Ages."

Kenneth Masterman favored the Conference by singing "He Took Away My Heart of Stone."

There being no further business, the Conference adjourned in due form.

STANDING RESOLUTIONS

Finance

RESOLUTION NO. 1. Resolved, that each church sending a delegate or delegates to the District Conference, pay the traveling expenses of said delegates and pastor.

RESOLUTION NO. 2. Resolved, that when the District Council deems any licensed minister unable to meet the expense of taking the study course as directed in Education Resolution N. 2, they may pay all or part of the cost of such course. The Licensee in such case shall agree to finish a year of such course in the Conference year.

RESOLUTION NO. 3. Resolved, that when money is sent direct to any fund, the church treasurer shall obtain a receipt for same and forward this to each District representative.

RESOLUTION NO. 4. Resolved, that all departments of our church shall, upon receipt of monies, immediately forward receipt for same to sender.

RESOLUTION NO 5. Resolved, that the District Treasurer shall maintain two funds, to be known as the District Expense Fund and the Church Extension Fund.

The ministers and workers of the District shall pay all their tithe into the church where they hold membership.

Each month the local church shall forward to the District Treasurer, the pastor's tithe and 50% of other ministerial members' tithe. These amounts shall be specified for the District Expense Fund.

The Church Extension Fund shall be provided for by an assessment of \$1.50 per member. This money shall be forwarded by the local treasurer to the District Treasurer, specified for the Church Extension Fund.

The churches shall be assessed \$1.10 per member for General Budget as provided by the Manual.

The Foreign Missionary obligations shall be met by monthly offerings in our churches. This money shall be forwarded by the local treasurer to the District Treasurer of Foreign Missions.

RESOLUTION NO. 6. Resolved, that in order to receive due credit in the current year, any church must have all money in the mail on or before June 5. The District Treasurer shall keep his books open until June 10 so that proper credit may be given for monies mailed on or before June 5. All monies mailed after June 5, shall be entered in the following year.

RESOLUTION NO. 7. Resolved, that we, as a District, adopt the system of contributing to the Allentown Bible Institute the equivalent of 25c a month per member; said funds to be paid through the District Treasurer and that we put forth a wholehearted effort to raise our quota in support of the school. This plan to continue for five years.

RESOLUTION NO. 8. Resolved, that the District, in addition to the remuneration already provided, also pay the District Superintendent's light and fuel bill.

Education

RESOLUTION NO. 1. Resolved that the New York District go on record as favoring a permanent representative of Allentown Bible Institute for visiting the churches of our school zone, and that we will stand back of such a program and will open our churches for the raising of funds for liquidating the debt on the school property and for securing the proper facilities for the advancement of the school.

RESOLUTION NO. 2. Inasmuch as Allentown Bible Institute provides correspondence courses for ministerial students, be it resolved that all our workers desiring license to preach or ordination be required to take such course, and that the Board of Education be governed in its recommendations for license to preach or ordination by a report from the Bible Institute upon the work done by the applicant; provided, however, that due credit may be given by the Board, at its discretion, to said applicants, for any equivalent work done in any other school acceptable to it.

Miscellaneous

RESOLUTION NO. 1. Resolved that no properties such as churches, parsonages, or other buildings or land shall be sold of any of our incorporate churches without first conferring with the trustees of the district corporation.

RESOLUTION NO. 2. Resolved that section 16 of article 2 of the religious corporation law be enforced in our district in regard to churches who have discontinued holding services and where there are less than 7 resident attending members.

That such temporalities and property be managed by the District Council of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, Inc., our ecclesiastical governing body, or may, in pursuance of the provision of law relating to the disposition of real property by religious corporations, sell or dispose of the same, and apply the proceeds thereof to any of the purposes to which the property of such governing religious body is devoted, and shall not divert such property to any other object.

In no case shall property be sold or disposed of to support the preacher who may claim this as an out appointment.

Due notice shall be given by the District Secretary, regarding the action of the District Assembly in declaring a church extinct, within thirty days, to the remaining members, if any.

RESOLUTION NO. 3. Resolved, that inasmuch as there seems to be a lack of interest in our district concerning our Sunday School work, we recommend that all our pastors put forth a perseverate effort to greater activity and make it a point to be present at every session if at all possible.

RESOLUTION NO. 4. Resolved, that inasmuch as the resolutions contain matters of vital importance to our lay members and inasmuch as not everyone reads the resolutions, we recommend that our pastors read the resolutions before the church as soon as possible after the distribution of the minutes.

RESOLUTION NO. 5. Resolved, that we, the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, place ourselves on record as being unalter-

ably opposed to, and deplore the present sale and use of intoxicating beverages throughout the nation, and furthermore we advise and strongly urge our people not to encourage the sale or use of said liquors by patronizing such places where these intoxicating liquors are sold.

RESOLUTION NO. 6. Inasmuch as (our Maunal) declares itself against the wearing of jewelry; Be it resolved that none of our preachers shall use the ring ceremony in marriages, or in any way encourage the use of it. Any minister who uses such ceremony shall be dealt with by the District Council.

RESOLUTION NO. 7. Resolved, that all our local churches in the district open their doors to Allentown Bible Institute and the Redemption Rescue Home at Springfield, Illinois, at least once a year and that said institutions be allowed to take an offering for their maintenance.

RESOLUTION NO. 8. Resolved that all reports regularly sent to the District Statistician, be in his hands by June 10. Any church failing to comply shall pay a penalty of \$1.00 to the District Statistician.

RESOLUTION NO. 9. Resolved, that each pastor attend the Binghamton, New York District Camp, and be required to remain over one Sunday. Due exception shall be made to this rule. All the pastors residing in the extreme northern part of the District, namely, Massena, Brushton, Ogdenburg, Russell, Madrid, Bloomingdale and Lake Placid, are urged to attend and push the Camp at Vermontville which is now the property of the District.

RESOLUTION NO. 10. In view of tendencies detrimental to the spiritual effort of our camp meetings, we recommend that the following rule be adopted for all our camps. All persons resident on the grounds shall respect a curfew hour of ten o'clock and lights shall be out by ten-thirty p. m. with due exception to be made for any person engaged in legitimate camp meeting activities.

RESOLUTION NO. 11. Resolved that an Editing Committee be appointed to consist of the District Secretary, the District Statistician, and the Secretary of the Auditing Committee.

RESOLUTION NO. 12. Resolved, that the telephone numbers of the ministers be published annually in the Minutes and that the address of the church also be published.

RESOLUTION NO. 13. Resolved, that the District Council set up a District Young People's Organization as provided for in Section 82 of the Manual.

RESOLUTION NO. 14. Resolved, that following the election of officers, the District Superintendent shall appoint the committees which are to function under the District Council for the ensuing year.

RESOLUTION NO. 15. Resolved that a Ministerial Convention be held within the next year at a time and place set by the District Council.

RESOLUTION NO. 16. Whereas the Beulah Redemption Home has been closed permanently, and whereas the property has not yet been sold, be it resolved, that the New York District go on record as favoring the retention of the property for the adaptability of an orphanage and that the General Board be immediately so advised.

RESOLUTION NO. 17. Resolved, that the New York District of The Pilgrim Holiness Church is opposed to divorce and remarriage, and that all persons who are divorced and remarried, except to be remarried to the one from whom they have been divorced, be denied membership in said church.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

To the New York District Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church:

The fourteen months during which I have served as District Superintendent have been the busiest period of all my ministry. The courtesy, kindness, and consideration given me by our people over the entire District have been deeply appreciated.

We are living in peculiar times. Our churches have not seen the ingathering of souls which is so necessary to progress and encouragement. Numerically we have nothing to boast of. An increase in membership is not everything, but we should always remember that Jesus called His disciples to be "fishers of men". If we lose our passion for souls, we become a backslidden people. We must be careful not to seek numbers at the expense of our time-honored, scriptural standards. In these days of carelessness our pastors should not yield to the temptation to let down the bars in order to report an increase in membership.

Some of our present conditions tend to hinder the work of many of our churches. Lack of gasoline makes it practically impossible to have a full attendance at all our services. Some Ration Boards have informed our pastors that motor fuel cannot be used to open up new work. This is a major problem; for unless we can open new places, our young people coming out of our Bible Schools will have no where to labor. We must find ways and means to enlarge our borders.

Allentown Bible Institute is our zone school. A large percentage of the enrolled student body comes from our District. Our pastors should keep before the people the necessity of our continued support of this school.

In the matter of finances our District has done well. I think the Statistician's report will show a substantial increase along this line. Many of our pastors are receiving better support than in former years. Our home and foreign missionary offerings show a good increase over last year. A number of our churches have liquidated their entire indebtedness, while others have greatly reduced their outstanding obligations. This is good, but material blessings should not be made to take the place of spiritual progress. Our great desire should be to win souls for Christ.

Our camp meetings fill a very important place in our District work. It is there our people meet together for times of gracious fellowship and worship. For our camps to accomplish the most in their soul-saving ministry, we need not only the services of good evangelists but the whole-hearted, sacrificing cooperation of all our pastors. This has been given and must continue if we are to get the most from our annual gatherings. Only eternity will reveal the good done in our Camps. In a letter received from a lad overseas is a message to encourage us in our camp meeting labors.

"The last Camp I was in was the last Sunday night at Victory Grove last year. It was then I made up my mind to live the right way. That determination still holds. To help keep the Camp going until we all can get back I'm sending \$25 to help pay expenses. Have a good Camp."

By God's grace we will labor on and not fail those looking to us.

I have visited all of the churches, some several times during the past fourteen months. I have been present at 25 Church Board meetings and conducted 22 Annual meetings. It has been my lot to officiate at the funeral of seven of my old friends and former parishioners. I have performed one marriage ceremony. In all I have preached 191 times during these fourteen months and travelled in the interests of the District somewhat over 13,000 miles.

I desire to thank all my ministerial brethren for their prayers, kind words, and cooperation. I sincerely pray that God shall direct in the future work of the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. BLANN.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have audited the records of the various departments of the District by methods and to the extent we deemed appropriate. It appears that there is a cash difference. Inasmuch as it impossible to ascertain which department is affected by this difference, we have charged this amount to the District Expense Fund and it is shown in the report as Un-identified Cash. We also noted that some of the books were not closed at the proper date. This was mainly due to the fact that several of the churches were late in sending in their money. We present the following reports which we believe, with the above exceptions, fairly present the results of the financial operations of the District for the fourteen months period ended May 31, 1944:

District Trustees' Report
 District Treasurer's Report
 Church Extension Treasurer's Report
 Binghamton Camp Treasurer's Report
 Victory Grove Camp Treasurer's Report
 Vermontville Camp Treasurer's Report
 Foreign Missionary Treasurer's Report

Signed:

J. FRANCIS OLSEN

J. N. JUMP

A. ALAN GILMOUR

DISTRICT TRUSTEES REPORT

As at June 1, 1944

Assets

| | |
|---|-------------|
| District Superintendent's Home | \$ 6,500.00 |
| Caretaker's Home at Victory Grove | 2,500.00 |
| Binghamton Camp | 15,000.00 |
| Vermontville Camp | 3,300.00 |
| Victory Grove Camp | 10,000.00 |
| Building Lot—Hillcrest | 750.00 |
| Lot—Chenango Valley Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Fox Hills Church | 1,000.00 |
| Madrid Church | 2,000.00 |
| Oxford Church | 750.00 |
| Toddsville Church | 1,000.00 |
| Note — North Troy | 1,600.00 |
| Trust Funds | 2,096.22 |

Total Assets \$ 46,996.22

Liabilities

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Note — District Superintendent's Home | \$ 300.00 |
| Note — Vermontville Camp | 190.00 |
| Note — North Troy | 1,600.00 |

Total Liabilities 2,090.00

Net Worth \$ 44,906.22

DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fourteen Months Ended May 31, 1944

Balance—April 1, 1944 \$ 976.13

Receipts

| | |
|--|-------------|
| General Budget | \$ 1,487.36 |
| Easter Offering for Home Missions | 1,085.58 |
| District Expense Fund—Ministers' Tithe, etc. | 5,634.10 |
| Sunday School Rally Day | 106.15 |
| Rescue Home | 48.63 |
| Allentown Bible Institute | 3,152.26 |
| District Conference Fund | 177.87 |
| District Conference Offerings—General | 203.92 |
| District Conference Offerings—Foreign Missions | 514.91 |
| District Conference Offerings—Mrs. Distler | 208.54 |
| Service Men's Fellowship | 196.00 |
| Minutes | 19.70 |
| Calendars and Books | 13.81 |

Total Receipts 12,848.83

Total Cash Available \$ 13,824.96

Disbursements

| | |
|--|-------------|
| General Budget | \$ 1,460.33 |
| District Superintendent Salary and Victory Tax | 2,856.20 |
| Allentown Bible Institute | 2,903.49 |
| Sunday School Rally Day | 106.15 |
| Easter Offering for Home Missions | 1,128.78 |
| District Superintendent's Home Expense | 487.76 |
| Foreign Missions—Conference Offering | 514.91 |
| District Conference Expense | 312.62 |
| Assistant District Superintendent's Expense | 15.00 |
| District Secretary's Salary | 25.00 |
| District Statistician's Salary | 25.00 |
| District Council Expense | 43.80 |
| District Superintendent Travel and Telephone | 259.98 |
| Printing Minutes | 133.25 |
| Moving District Superintendent | 89.77 |
| Service Men's Fellowship | 171.00 |
| Love Offering—Mrs. Distler | 208.54 |
| Payment on Dining Room at Victory Grove | 300.00 |
| Bank Service Charges | 11.54 |
| Postage, Stationery and Supplies | 64.00 |
| Caretakers Home at Victory Grove | 1,457.31 |
| Payment on Note—Superintendent's Home | 200.00 |
| Payment on Interest—Superintendent's Home | 15.00 |
| Electricity for Bro. Larson | 25.00 |
| Unidentified Cash | 279.83 |

Total Disbursements 13,094.26

Balance—May 31, 1944 \$ 730.70

Balance—By Departments

| | |
|--|----------|
| Easter Offering for Home Missions..... | \$ 63.64 |
| Sunday School Rally Day | 13.80 |
| Service Men's Fellowship | 30.00 |
| Allentown Bible Institute | 244.40 |
| Foreign Missions | 13.81 |
| General Fund | 365.05 |

Total as above \$ 730.70

CHURCH EXTENSION TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fourteen Months Ended May 31, 1944

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Balance (Deficit)—April 1, 1944 | \$ | 14.05 |
| Receipts | | |
| Assessment @ \$1.50 per member | \$ | 1,494.28 |
| Special Offerings Raised by Rev. C. F. Berg | | 225.00 |
| Total Cash Receipts | | 1,719.28 |
| Total Cash Available | \$ | 1,705.23 |
| Disbursements | | |
| Bloomington—Rent and Salary | \$ | 530.00 |
| Madrid — Rent | | 156.00 |
| Madrid — Note | | 300.00 |
| Madrid — Interest | | 18.00 |
| Oxford — Salary | | 110.00 |
| Oxford — Repairs, Moving Expense, etc. | | 79.75 |
| DeGrasse — Rent | | 23.15 |
| Mattapoisette Meeting | | 50.00 |
| Total Disbursements | | 1,266.90 |
| Balance — May 31, 1944 | \$ | 438.33 |

VICTORY GROVE CAMP TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fourteen Months Ended May 31, 1944

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| Balance—April 1, 1943 | \$ | 105.69 |
| Receipts | | |
| Pledges and Offerings | \$ | 1,126.86 |
| Children's Meeting Offerings | | 11.09 |
| Foreign Missionary Offering | | 84.22 |
| Bible School Offering | | 23.40 |
| Sale of Provisions and Meals | | 349.00 |
| Book Stand | | 56.01 |
| Dormitories | | 13.75 |
| Electricity, Labor and Insurance Assessments ... | | 98.00 |
| Sale of Cottage | | 40.00 |
| Transferred from District Treasurer | | 1,000.00 |
| Total Receipts | | 2,802.33 |
| Total Cash Available | \$ | 2,908.02 |
| Disbursements | | |
| Evangelists and Workers | \$ | 609.00 |
| Foreign Missions | | 95.31 |
| Bible School | | 23.40 |
| Food | | 421.38 |
| Insurance | | 85.50 |
| Gas and Electricity | | 15.38 |
| Books, etc. for Book Stand | | 44.81 |
| Supplies and Miscellaneous | | 75.16 |
| New Buildings | | 1,422.11 |
| Total Disbursements | | 2,792.05 |
| Balance—May 31, 1944 | \$ | 115.97 |

NOTE: The cost of the above New Buildings does not include any charge for labor inasmuch as all the labor was donated by the ministers of the District.

BINGHAMTON CAMP TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fourteen Months Ended May 31, 1944

Balance (Deficit) April , 1943 \$ 288.33

Receipts

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Pledges and Offerings | \$ 1,263.70 |
| Children's Meeting Offering | 13.53 |
| Foreign Missionary Offering | 675.15 |
| Bible School Offering | 40.15 |
| Sale of Provisions and Meals | 616.33 |
| Dormitories | 128.60 |
| Electricity and Insurance Assessments | 34.00 |

Total Receipts 2,771.46

Total Cash Available \$ 2,483.13

Disbursements

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Evangelists and Workers | \$ 608.50 |
| Foreign Missions | 688.68 |
| Bible School | 40.15 |
| Food | 416.53 |
| Insurance | 108.44 |
| Gas and Electricity | 76.11 |
| Supplies and Miscellaneous | 61.90 |
| Repairs and Improvements | 332.32 |

Total Disbursements 2,332.63

Balance—May 31, 1944 \$ 150.50

VERMONTVILLE CAMP TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fourteen Months Ended May 31, 1944

Balance—April 1, 1943 \$ 9.47

Receipts

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Pledges and Offerings | \$ 518.20 |
| Children's Meeting Offerings | 2.66 |
| Foreign Missionary Offering | 20.00 |
| Bible School Offering | 7.25 |
| Sale of Provisions and Meals | 30.48 |

Total Receipts 578.59

Total Cash Available \$ 588.06

Disbursements

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Evangelists and Workers | \$ 200.00 |
| Foreign Missions | 22.66 |
| Bible School | 7.25 |
| Food | 164.32 |
| Insurance | 35.40 |
| Electricity | 5.35 |
| Payment on Note | 90.00 |
| Interest | 16.80 |
| Repairs and Miscellaneous | 27.01 |

Total Disbursements 568.79

Balance—May 31, 1944 \$ 19.27

NOTE: There is a Building Fund in connection with this camp but in as much as the building program is incomplete, no report is being made at this time, but a complete report will be given at our next conference.

REPORT OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONS TREASURER

For Fourteen Months Ending May 31, 1944

| | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Balance on Hand April 1, 1943 | \$ 326.86 |
| Receipts | |
| Albany | \$ 2,280.44 |
| Amsterdam | 196.31 |
| Bennettsville | 355.38 |
| Binghamton | 1,635.41 |
| Binghamton Camp | 397.68 |
| Bloomington | 61.85 |
| Brookdale | 298.57 |
| Brushton | 433.49 |
| Cambridge, Mass. | 78.95 |
| Campville Road | 52.50 |
| East Athens | 1,534.48 |
| East Windsor | 372.46 |
| Finch Hollow | 308.29 |
| Fox Hill | 179.64 |
| Fultonville | 319.61 |
| Gloversville | 455.83 |
| Haverhill, Mass. | 430.64 |
| Lake Placid | 166.31 |
| Madrid | 213.82 |
| Massena | 209.03 |
| Middleburg | 721.60 |
| Monticello | 376.17 |
| New York City | 35.00 |
| N. Y. District Conference | 514.91 |
| Nicholson | 116.72 |
| North Troy | 368.07 |
| Northville | 466.39 |
| Oakdale | 2,506.46 |
| Ogdensburg | 324.04 |
| Oneonta | 2,795.00 |
| Oxford | 88.24 |
| Port Jervis | 131.59 |
| Ravena | 343.94 |
| Rockwood | 229.85 |
| Russell | 85.06 |
| Schenectady | 693.69 |
| Syracuse | 495.71 |
| Toddsville | 25.42 |
| Tunkhannock | 64.00 |
| Utica | 751.48 |
| Various Churches for S. M. C. F. | 166.00 |
| Vermontville Camp | 22.66 |
| Victory Grove Camp | 95.31 |
| Wells | 279.79 |
| Total Receipts | 21,677.79 |
| Total Cash Available | \$ 22,004.65 |

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| Total Cash Available forwarded | \$ 22,004.65 |
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Expenditures:

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| Native Workers (includes 17 regularly supported natives) | \$ 2,539.70 |
| Jamaica B. School and Students | 523.40 |
| Barbados Home | 5.00 |
| Trinidad Home | 1,032.43 |
| Beatrice Dodge | 390.00 |
| Basil Falconer | 5.00 |
| Thomas Weir | 26.00 |
| Mexico | 155.00 |
| New Churches in Mexico at Huichihuayan, Ahuacatlan and Norton Market Town Church | 4,218.80 |
| Churches at Mt. Frere and in N. Rhodesia | 211.54 |
| African Evangelism | 580.91 |
| India | 82.35 |
| S. S. Supplies for N. Boyce | 7.40 |
| William E. Reed | 700.00 |
| Transportation Fund | 25.00 |
| Subscriptions to Advocate for Missionaries | 6.00 |
| Oriental Missionary Society | 159.20 |
| War Emergency Fund | 18.00 |
| Self-Denial Offerings | 702.75 |
| Service Men's C. Fellowship | 499.99 |
| Unspecified | 9,992.63 |
| Calendars and Books | 11.50 |
| Gov't. Cards printed for receipts | 8.00 |
| Bank Service Charge | .19 |

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| Total Expenditures | 21,900.79 |
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| Balance on Hand May 31, 1944 | <u>\$ 103.86</u> |
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FINANCIAL REPORT

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| Church | Cash Forwarded | Regular Offerings | Special Offerings | Total Receipts | Pastors' Support | Rent | Interest | Improvements | Indebtedness | Evangelists | Dist. Supt. Support | Dist. Claims |
|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|----------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Albany | 112.68 | 5790.82 | 2208.44 | 8111.94 | 3 32 00 | | | 76.39 | | 636.88 | | 557.59 |
| Amsterdam | 24.35 | 2534.55 | 1678.38 | 4137.28 | 907.40 | | 49.38 | 729.97 | 875.00 | 306.83 | 818.79 | |
| Athens | 135.00 | 3435.55 | 2435.87 | 2435.87 | 2357.00 | 256.00 | | 34.24 | | 537.81 | | 416.84 |
| *Bennettsville | | 990.14 | 51.97 | 1042.11 | 599.76 | | | | | | | |
| Binghamton | 597.78 | 8772.84 | 7043.42 | 16414.14 | 1978.20 | | 389.00 | 760.05 | 8716.82 | 330.00 | | 661.40 |
| Bloomindale | 1.25 | 1674.24 | 1234.59 | 2910.08 | 1480.03 | 140.00 | 20.85 | 107.66 | 525.00 | | 160.00 | 49.40 |
| Brookdale | 48.51 | 1191.32 | 1246.04 | 2485.87 | 826.00 | | | 94.68 | 330.00 | 105.00 | | 89.40 |
| Brushton | 161.57 | 2563.40 | 1248.41 | 3811.81 | 1830.00 | | | 133.00 | | 280.00 | | 292.40 |
| *Cambridge | | 702.92 | 371.75 | 1074.67 | 289.00 | 860.00 | | | | 203.00 | | |
| Campville Road | 110.95 | 419.14 | 262.18 | 792.27 | 202.71 | | | | | 10.20 | 6.00 | 20.58 |
| *Cherry Valley | | 388.85 | 5.00 | 393.85 | 279.00 | 96.00 | | | | | | 43.50 |
| East Windsor | 125.26 | 1943.77 | 478.72 | 2547.75 | 1525.00 | | | 177.45 | | | | 39.60 |
| Finch Hollow | 9.64 | 862.70 | 368.88 | 1231.03 | 505.74 | | | | | | | |
| *Fox Hill | 7.15 | 609.61 | 222.09 | 738.35 | 576.55 | | | | | | | 57.66 |
| Fultonville | 6.53 | 3838.12 | | 3844.65 | 997.90 | | | | 1700.00 | 371.75 | 100.99 | 45.16 |
| Gloversville | 678.02 | 5281.71 | 470.22 | 5029.95 | 1704.00 | | 60.00 | 227.43 | 1500.00 | 150.00 | | 57.72 |
| Haverhill | 155.64 | 5306.10 | | 5461.74 | 1525.00 | | 148.60 | 371.69 | 201.40 | 755.13 | 176.59 | |
| Lake Placid | 16.99 | 1244.42 | 1381.82 | 2633.23 | 1244.42 | | 130.03 | | 888.03 | 165.80 | | 204.84 |
| Madrid | | 622.13 | 78.88 | 701.01 | 338.80 | | | | | | 28.88 | |
| Massena | 17.28 | 2619.79 | 497.70 | 3134.77 | 1614.42 | | | 29.24 | 365.00 | 141.00 | | 222.06 |
| Middleburg | 76.76 | 2627.33 | 970.38 | 3674.47 | 1471.26 | | 25.34 | | 364.00 | 280.00 | 160.25 | |
| Monticello | 57.00 | 2929.86 | | 2986.96 | 1308.78 | | | 353.00 | | 75.25 | 130.88 | 18.40 |
| New York | 66.50 | 770.92 | | 837.42 | | 451.00 | | | | | 2.00 | |
| Nicholson | 3.34 | 807.91 | 1771.19 | 2582.44 | 722.06 | 154.00 | | 1258.48 | | | | 14.30 |
| North Troy | 498.01 | 3735.15 | 818.85 | 5052.01 | 1708.00 | | 218.75 | 16.83 | 1000.00 | 245.00 | 162.40 | 209.31 |
| Oakdale | 38.41 | 4503.91 | 4426.86 | 8969.18 | 2525.00 | | 135.46 | 71.93 | 1413.69 | 250.00 | 237.00 | |
| Odensburg | 11.01 | 1669.01 | 473.76 | 2153.78 | 901.80 | | | 108.25 | | 122.55 | 100.65 | |
| Oneonta | 97.91 | 3167.28 | 6069.05 | 9334.24 | 1515.50 | | | 2601.22 | | 504.00 | | 38.50 |
| *Oxford | 9.49 | 617.42 | 182.85 | 809.76 | 352.32 | | 12.50 | 22.45 | 84.00 | 50.14 | | |
| Port Jervis | 9.50 | 2961.18 | | 2970.68 | 1558.62 | | 87.14 | 124.06 | 700.31 | 95.00 | | |
| Ravena | 59 | 793.69 | | 1361.55 | 427.00 | | | | | 125.00 | | |
| *Rockwood | 19.18 | 1148.87 | 355.68 | 1523.73 | 785.62 | 97.00 | | | | 171.57 | | |
| Russell | 2.38 | 2097.45 | | 2099.85 | 888.65 | | 8.06 | 43.86 | 475.00 | 70.48 | 80.74 | |
| Schenectady | 279.48 | 4442.65 | 953.34 | 5675.47 | 1550.00 | | 48.00 | 75.00 | 1100.00 | 250.00 | | 155.00 |
| Syracuse | 394.48 | 4783.27 | 447.61 | 5625.36 | 2109.20 | | | 227.10 | 924.40 | 325.14 | 5.60 | 58.30 |
| *Sprakers | | 54.24 | | 54.24 | 46.86 | | | | | 7.38 | | |
| *Toddsville | 14.18 | 452.20 | 118.09 | 584.47 | 270.30 | 150.00 | | 90.00 | | | | |
| Tunkhannock | | 886.67 | 505.57 | 1392.24 | 706.06 | | 11.00 | 18.90 | 50.00 | 112.30 | | 34.00 |
| Utica | | 2454.17 | 2191.27 | 4645.44 | 1554.92 | 52.36 | 56.88 | 359.61 | 442.00 | 252.00 | | 169.80 |
| Wells | 5.11 | 1889.98 | 792.33 | 2687.42 | 1525.00 | | | 324.20 | | | | |
| TOTALS | 3791.23 | 9255.48 | 4036.64 | 13323.05 | 4627.88 | 1765.36 | 1399.99 | 8436.69 | 21154.65 | 6909.21 | 1665.77 | 8455.76 |

| Church | Dist. Home Missions | Foreign Missions | Home Missions | General and Administrative | Bible School | Special Interests | Incidentals | Total Expenditures | Cash on Hand | Property and Indebtedness | | | |
|----------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | Church Valuation | Parsonage Valuation | Church Indebtedness | Parsonage Indebtedness |
| Albany | | 2208.44 | | | 240.90 | | 461.97 | 7813.17 | 298.77 | 15000.00 | 3000.00 | | |
| Amsterdam | | 208.61 | 14.70 | 48.58 | 58.40 | | 585.47 | 4098.13 | 39.15 | 5000.00 | | | |
| Athens | | 1534.48 | | | 49.42 | | 511.08 | 5742.45 | 565.17 | 5000.00 | | | |
| *Bennettsville | | 347.38 | 43.00 | | 49.42 | | | 1039.56 | 2.55 | | | | |
| Binghamton | 217.15 | 1585.41 | 101.90 | 53.67 | 336.72 | 62.19 | 1007.98 | 16209.49 | 204.65 | 10000.00 | 6000.00 | 2200.00 | |
| Bloomingdale | | 27.64 | | | 25.84 | | 230.71 | 2767.13 | 142.95 | 3000.00 | | | |
| Brookdale | 55.57 | 283.57 | 56.00 | 44.80 | 180.62 | 63.03 | 149.04 | 2277.69 | 208.18 | 2000.00 | 1000.00 | | 110.00 |
| Brushton | | 422.20 | 106.35 | | 105.00 | | | 4041.35 | 20.25 | 1500.00 | 500.00 | | |
| *Cambridge | | 59.00 | | | | | 110.95 | 1021.95 | 52.72 | | | | |
| Campville Road | 51.50 | 46.50 | | | 24.29 | 141.71 | 38.40 | 541.89 | 250.88 | | | | |
| *Cherry Valley | | | | | 5.00 | | 5.55 | 385.55 | 8.30 | | | | |
| East Windsor | 93.23 | 422.46 | | | 21.75 | | 148.68 | 2432.12 | 115.63 | | | | |
| Finch Hollow | | 303.29 | | | 70.54 | 111.02 | 198.54 | 1228.73 | 2.30 | 1500.00 | | | |
| *Fox Hill | | 176.64 | | | | | | 805.19 | 33.66 | | | | |
| Fultonville | 78.72 | 311.11 | 135.24 | | 58.74 | 1.60 | 1435.96 | 3839.00 | 5.65 | 10000.00 | | 1450.00 | |
| Gloversville | | 488.33 | 44.75 | | 101.01 | 37.50 | 773.07 | 5223.43 | 806.52 | 10000.00 | 5000.00 | | |
| Haverhill | | 430.64 | 309.25 | 44.92 | 128.10 | 17.30 | 902.20 | 5010.88 | 450.86 | 9000.00 | | 2013.35 | |
| Lake Placid | | 104.98 | | | 50.01 | | 347.07 | 2633.18 | .05 | 10000.00 | 2500.00 | 1200.00 | 1503.94 |
| Madrid | | 203.88 | 9.25 | 21.25 | 44.97 | 13.89 | 40.15 | 701.01 | | | | | |
| Massena | | 815.43 | | | 80.60 | 93.02 | 231.79 | 3092.56 | 42.21 | 5000.00 | | 592.94 | |
| Middleburg | 40.00 | 695.60 | 43.70 | | 136.29 | 100.82 | 306.31 | 3563.07 | 71.40 | 2100.00 | 2100.00 | | |
| Monticello | 20.60 | 376.17 | 45.25 | | 74.96 | 25.00 | 437.64 | 2865.93 | 121.03 | 9000.00 | | | |
| New York | | | 20.00 | | | | 95.51 | 568.51 | 268.91 | | | | |
| Nicholson | 19.50 | 18.51 | | | 27.71 | 262.90 | 29.67 | 2507.63 | 74.81 | 2500.00 | | 272.54 | |
| North Troy | 29.00 | 368.07 | | | 48.76 | | 567.52 | 4573.64 | 478.37 | 4000.00 | 2800.00 | 1600.00 | 2000.00 |
| Oakdale | 106.00 | 2506.46 | 132.35 | 77.00 | 288.57 | 552.65 | 373.72 | 8669.83 | 299.35 | 10000.00 | 2600.00 | | 698.98 |
| Ogdensburg | 27.00 | 324.04 | | 19.80 | 36.00 | 34.17 | 281.28 | 2145.53 | 8.25 | 3500.00 | 2000.00 | | 812.63 |
| Oneonta | 82.50 | 2743.00 | | | 123.44 | | 1637.60 | 9297.76 | 36.48 | 7000.00 | | 450.00 | |
| *Oxford | 12.00 | 62.30 | | | 3.50 | 149.78 | 51.05 | 800.04 | 9.72 | 1800.00 | 150.00 | | |
| Port Jervis | 18.00 | 65.00 | 7.20 | 6.00 | | | 60.41 | 2909.31 | 61.37 | 3500.00 | 3200.00 | | 975.81 |
| Ravena | | 282.25 | | | 80.16 | | 289.37 | 1251.28 | 110.27 | 6000.00 | | | |
| *Rockwood | | 207.02 | 35.31 | | 17.93 | | 133.06 | 1447.52 | 76.21 | 1200.00 | | | |
| Russell | 27.31 | 85.06 | 28.00 | 37.40 | 87.42 | | 224.61 | 2057.09 | 42.76 | 700.00 | 1200.00 | 15.00 | 515.00 |
| Schenectady | 61.50 | 693.69 | 35.55 | 45.10 | 149.65 | 96.19 | 1112.77 | 5372.45 | 303.02 | 10000.00 | | | |
| Syracuse | 79.50 | 442.42 | 122.47 | | 193.45 | | 607.66 | 5095.24 | 530.12 | 3000.00 | 5000.00 | | 2420.00 |
| *Sprakers | | | | | | | | 54.24 | | | | | |
| *Todsville | | 25.42 | | | 2.67 | | 42.48 | 580.87 | 3.60 | | | | |
| Tunkhannock | 26.00 | 64.00 | 41.00 | 17.00 | 45.72 | 12.00 | 115.98 | 1253.96 | 138.28 | | | | |
| Utica | 45.48 | 652.68 | 65.57 | 28.62 | 98.01 | | 867.91 | 4633.84 | 11.60 | 4000.00 | | 900.00 | |
| Wells | 48.50 | 268.12 | 12.80 | 31.90 | 74.20 | 50.00 | 143.68 | 2625.90 | 61.52 | 2000.00 | 2500.00 | | |
| TOTALS | 1134.08 | 19359.80 | 1409.64 | 476.04 | 3165.25 | 2011.84 | 14553.83 | 133178.10 | 5957.02 | 57300.00 | 39550.00 | 10693.83 | 9036.36 |

*Unorganized

STATISTICAL REPORT

| Church | Members Last Report | Names Dropped | Transferred | Deaths | Total Removals | Additions of Faith | Additions by Letter | Total Additions | Total Membership | Members of Voting Age | Preaching Services | Church Prayer Services | Cottage Meetings | Other Services | Total Services | Number of Subscribers to Advocate |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| Albany | 66 | | 5 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 66 | 66 | 145 | 55 | | | 200 | |
| Amsterdam | 19 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 19 | 19 | 132 | 50 | | 77 | 259 | |
| Athens | 72 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 76 | 76 | 150 | 58 | | | 208 | |
| Bennetsville | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Binghamton | 91 | 5 | 1 | | 6 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 91 | 91 | 102 | | | | | |
| Bloomington | 19 | 3 | | | 3 | | | | 16 | 16 | 98 | 22 | 19 | | 139 | 8 |
| Brookdale | 32 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | | 29 | 29 | | | | | | 7 |
| Brushton | 36 | | | | | 3 | | 3 | 39 | 39 | 122 | 61 | | | 183 | |
| Cambridge | 24 | 24 | | | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Campville Road | 7 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 6 | 6 | 58 | | 9 | | 67 | 31 |
| *Cherry Valley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| East Windsor | 35 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 4 | | 4 | 37 | 37 | 108 | 12 | 53 | | 173 | 9 |
| Finch Hollow | 18 | | 3 | | 3 | | | | 15 | 15 | 104 | 53 | | | 557 | |
| *Fox Hill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fultonville | 34 | 2 | 2 | | 4 | 6 | | 6 | 36 | 34 | 163 | 62 | 15 | 64 | 304 | 22 |
| Gloversville | 47 | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 48 | 48 | 125 | 40 | 10 | | 175 | 12 |
| Haverhill | 35 | 2 | | 1 | 3 | | | | 32 | 32 | 170 | 228 | | | 398 | 8 |
| Lake Placid | 37 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 9 | | 3 | 3 | 31 | 31 | 127 | 26 | 24 | | 177 | 7 |
| Madrid | 8 | | 1 | | 1 | | | | 7 | 7 | 54 | 12 | | | 66 | 5 |
| Massina | 21 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 24 | 24 | 130 | 45 | 25 | 14 | 214 | 9 |
| Middleburg | 28 | | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | | 26 | 26 | 146 | 33 | 4 | 14 | 217 | 12 |
| Monticello | 15 | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 15 | 15 | 138 | 49 | | 6 | 197 | 25 |
| New York | 22 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 22 | 20 | 110 | 58 | | | 232 | 5 |
| Nicholson | 15 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 15 | 15 | 116 | | 20 | | 136 | 6 |
| North Troy | 56 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 | | 3 | 3 | 53 | 53 | 130 | 55 | | | 289 | 20 |
| Oakdale | 59 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 13 | 63 | 63 | 144 | 44 | | | 188 | |
| Ogdensburg | 24 | 3 | | | 3 | 2 | | 2 | 23 | 23 | 61 | 31 | 30 | | 122 | |
| Oneonta | 30 | | 2 | | 2 | | 2 | 2 | 30 | 30 | | | 5 | | | 18 |
| Oxford | | | | | | | | | | | 119 | 54 | | | 173 | 2 |
| Fort Jervis | 12 | | | | | 2 | | 2 | 14 | 14 | 140 | 54 | | | 194 | 10 |
| Ravena | 23 | 1 | | | 1 | 3 | | 3 | 25 | 25 | 58 | 52 | | | 110 | |
| *Rockwood | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Russell | 28 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 1 | | 1 | 23 | 23 | 66 | 17 | 38 | | 121 | 7 |
| Schenectady | 41 | 2 | 3 | | 5 | 4 | | 4 | 40 | 40 | 132 | 49 | | | 181 | 7 |
| Syracuse | 58 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 54 | 54 | 131 | 52 | | | 291 | 20 |
| *Toddsville | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tunkhannock | 14 | | | | | 3 | | 3 | 17 | 17 | 121 | 55 | | 15 | 191 | 8 |
| Utica | 23 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 23 | 23 | 148 | 57 | 2 | 77 | 284 | 15 |
| Wells | 29 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 28 | 28 | 137 | 31 | 30 | | 198 | |
| TOTALS | 1078 | 47 | 37 | 20 | 128 | 65 | 27 | 92 | 1043 | 1039 | 3685 | 1370 | 294 | 267 | 5844 | 273 |
| *Unorganized | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

PASTORS REPORT

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| Pastor | Church | Length of Time on Charge yr. mo. | Sermons | Prayer Services | Pastoral Calls | Revivals | Seekers | Prayed with for Healing | Baptisms | Communion Services | Children Dedicated | Marriages | Funerals | Parsonage Supplied | Cash Support from Church | Donations | Gifts | Total Support |
|----------------------------|----------------|--|---------|-----------------|----------------|----------|---------|----------------------------|----------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|
| G. Lindley Adams | Port Jervis | 4 10 | 145 | 51 | 425 | 2 | 19 | 15 | 2 | 2 | | | 5 | Yes | 1558 62 | 39 98 | 35 00 | 1633 55 |
| R. Lewis Adams | Schenectady | 3 10 | 110 | 6 | | | | 30 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 2 | Yes | 1550 00 | 326 00 | | 1876 00 |
| Donald Babcock | Monticello | 1 | 159 | 56 | 231 | 3 | 47 | | 2 | 2 | | 1 | 2 | Yes | 1213 90 | 327 50 | 222 25 | 1762 65 |
| Bernard Barton | Finch Hollow | 1 7 | 104 | 53 | 60 | | 20 | 3 | | 3 | | | | No | 505 74 | 30 00 | 50 00 | 585 74 |
| Clifton F. Berg | Ogdensburg | 6 | 225 | | 500 | 5 | | | 8 | | | 1 | 2 | Yes | 442 00 | 20 00 | 1171 66 | 1633 66 |
| M. R. Blann | North Troy | 1 2 | 105 | 24 | 281 | | | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | Yes | 1512 00 | 42 50 | | 1701 50 |
| Garry Boel | Amsterdam | 1 | 96 | 50 | 135 | | | 10 | | 2 | | 2 | 2 | Yes | 992 40 | 30 00 | 120 00 | 1142 40 |
| G. E. Culver | Bloomingdale | 2 | 151 | 20 | 263 | 2 | 9 | 4 | | 2 | 3 | | | Yes | 1480 03 | | | 1480 03 |
| O. L. Fay | Fox Hill | 2 8 | 90 | | | | | | | | | | | No | 576 55 | | | 576 55 |
| | Wells | 5 2 | 110 | 75 | 100 | 1 | | 7 | | 2 | | 1 | 3 | Yes | 1525 00 | 105 00 | 80 00 | 1710 00 |
| George Gilmore | Rockwood | 5 | 121 | 45 | 322 | 2 | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 11 | Yes | 785 62 | 150 00 | 50 00 | 985 62 |
| A. Alan Gilmour | Middleburg | 2 2 | 135 | 48 | 367 | 2 | 47 | 4 | 6 | 4 | | 2 | 2 | Yes | 1471 26 | 246 45 | 239 90 | 1967 61 |
| Dennis Guile | Mattapoissette | 1 7 | 80 | 40 | 71 | | | | | 4 | 6 | | | No | 54 00 | 3 00 | | 57 00 |
| Jasper Hamm | East Windsor | 2 2 | 112 | 58 | 210 | | | 11 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 3 | Yes | 1525 00 | 69 41 | 84 42 | 1078 83 |
| | Bennetsville | 2 2 | 58 | 57 | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 | Yes | 599 76 | 17 73 | 24 00 | 635 49 |
| Emeline I. Hamel | Cambridge | 9 | 53 | 100 | | | | | | | | | 1 | No | 289 00 | 116 39 | 306 93 | 712 32 |
| Donald Hardy | Oakdale | 2 1 | 144 | 40 | 342 | 2 | 130 | 30 | | 1 | 8 | | 9 | Yes | 2025 00 | 275 00 | 180 00 | 2480 00 |
| William Hartz | Campville Road | 7 | 56 | 9 | | | | 20 | | | | | 1 | No | 157 30 | 38 00 | 10 41 | 205 71 |
| G. L. Helsby | Flowersville | 10 | 92 | 10 | 276 | 1 | 26 | 20 | | 4 | 6 | 2 | 6 | Yes | 1704 00 | 50 00 | 25 00 | 1779 00 |
| Newland John | New York | 4 2 | 110 | 58 | 138 | | 18 | 35 | | 22 | 4 | | 1 | No | | | | |
| J. N. Jump | Utica | 8 8 | 97 | 46 | 315 | 2 | | | 3 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 2 | Yes | 1554 92 | 136 00 | | 1690 92 |
| O. W. Lawrence | Syracuse | 1 | 108 | 46 | 310 | 2 | | 18 | | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Yes | 1960 00 | 50 00 | 48 55 | 2058 55 |
| Floyd E. Lepper | Fultonville | 7 11 | 135 | 75 | 255 | | | 43 | 4 | 5 | | 3 | 3 | No | 997 90 | 172 09 | 661 85 | 1831 84 |
| E. MacFadgen and V. Miller | Haverhill | 7 6 | 161 | 228 | 222 | 2 | | 15 | | 3 | | | 4 | Yes | 1525 00 | 200 00 | 833 40 | 2558 40 |
| Francis Nason | Nicholson | 1 2 | 105 | 23 | 132 | 1 | | 6 | | 4 | | | | Yes | 717 88 | 294 98 | 35 35 | 1048 21 |
| M. E. Pierpoint | Athens | 1 | 118 | 5 | 483 | 2 | | 15 | | 2 | | | 3 | Yes | 2020 00 | 92 00 | | 2112 00 |
| R. N. Raycroft | Brushton | 2 1 | 187 | 43 | 315 | 3 | | 20 | | 4 | 2 | 1 | 6 | No | 1830 00 | 10 00 | 650 00 | 2490 00 |
| Francis Richmond | Oxford | 11 | 84 | 39 | 125 | | | 3 | | 1 | | | | Yes | 352 32 | | 59 86 | 411 68 |
| Charles Rowe | Tunkhannock | 10 6 | 121 | 55 | 121 | 1 | 30 | 10 | 8 | 5 | 2 | | | | 618 70 | 87 86 | | 706 06 |
| Carl and Sadie Shafer | Madrid | 2 6 | 51 | 12 | 115 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 288 80 | 50 00 | | 338 80 |
| | Russell | 1 1 | 55 | 45 | 165 | | 10 | 2 | | 1 | | | 1 | No | 807 40 | 21 50 | 10 00 | 838 90 |
| Robert L. Smith | Massena | 4 10 | 135 | 70 | 300 | 1 | 50 | 6 | 15 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | Yes | 1614 42 | 100 00 | 78 80 | 1793 22 |
| Harry L. Twining | Lake Placid | 1 | 96 | 48 | 137 | | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | | Yes | 1244 42 | 55 00 | | 1299 42 |
| W. A. Way | Binghamton | 8 | 70 | 25 | 165 | | | | | 2 | | 2 | 2 | Yes | 1440 00 | | 105 00 | 1545 00 |
| Earl Watts | Brookdale | 3 | 109 | 46 | 152 | 1 | 13 | | | 2 | | | 3 | Yes | 825 00 | 63 85 | 119 67 | 1009 52 |
| Andrew Whitney | Cherry Valley | 11 1/2 | 54 | 46 | 53 | | | | | | | | | No | 279 00 | 7 00 | | 286 00 |
| | Toddsville | 11 1/2 | 51 | 50 | 137 | 1 | | | | 1 | | | 1 | Yes | 270 30 | 32 34 | 25 00 | 327 64 |
| A. H. Wilson | Albany | 30 2 | 105 | 15 | | | | | | 3 | 5 | | 3 | Yes | 2232 00 | | | 2232 00 |
| | Ravena | | 45 | 25 | | | | | 4 | | | | | No | 427 00 | | | 427 00 |
| L. F. Wilson | Oneonta | 1 2 | 125 | 45 | 175 | | | | | 1 | | | 2 | Yes | 1368 50 | 50 00 | 463 30 | 1881 80 |
| TOTALS | | | 4268 | 1787 | 7058 | 37 | 419 | 328 | 56 | 105 | 54 | 23 | 90 | | 44849 74 | 3309 03 | 5639 85 | 53798 62 |

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

| Church | Sessions | Enrollment | Average Attendance | Average Attendance Last Report | Cash Forwarded | Regular Offerings | Birthday Offerings | Special Offerings | Total Receipts | Literature | Incidentals | Total Expenditures | Cash on Hand |
|----------------|----------|------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Albany | 54 | 76 | 51 | 52 | 17.45 | 137.21 | 15.87 | 104.35 | 274.88 | 104.73 | 165.05 | 269.78 | 5.10 |
| Amsterdam | 60 | 48 | 22 | 27 | 19.06 | 90.20 | 5.07 | | 114.33 | 42.49 | 26.41 | 68.90 | 45.43 |
| Athens | 58 | 74 | 44 | 44 | 32.17 | 113.58 | | 22.00 | 167.70 | 67.70 | 47.43 | 115.13 | 52.57 |
| *Bennettsville | 57 | 21 | 15 | 25 | 9.84 | 39.84 | 12.99 | | 62.67 | 32.53 | 9.58 | 42.11 | 20.56 |
| Binghamton | 58 | 157 | 84 | 83 | 52.58 | 273.42 | 18.46 | 208.47 | 552.47 | 103.00 | 335.28 | 488.28 | 64.65 |
| Bloomington | 59 | 32 | 21 | 27 | 7.34 | 61.79 | 5.59 | 20.41 | 95.13 | 28.75 | 44.44 | 83.19 | 11.94 |
| Brookdale | 58 | 56 | 45 | 45 | 31.59 | 99.10 | 15.05 | 162.74 | 308.48 | 37.95 | 188.61 | 226.56 | 81.92 |
| Brushton | 50 | 44 | 30 | 26 | 8.43 | 85.68 | | | 94.11 | 85.03 | | 85.03 | .65 |
| Campvill Road | 61 | 29 | 22 | 20 | 12.49 | 91.19 | 11.37 | 8.00 | 123.05 | 48.49 | 54.38 | 102.87 | 20.18 |
| *Cherry Valley | 54 | 8 | 12 | | | | | | 75.16 | 41.87 | 16.51 | 58.08 | 17.08 |
| East Windsor | 58 | 40 | 21 | 23 | 6.44 | 68.72 | | | | | | | |
| Finch Hollow | 57 | 50 | 33 | 28 | 23.65 | 234.44 | 13.50 | | 271.89 | 45.00 | 187.95 | 232.95 | 39.94 |
| *Fox Hill | 59 | 40 | 23 | 26 | 24.09 | 78.54 | | | 102.63 | 87.70 | | 87.70 | 14.93 |
| Fultonville | 61 | 61 | 30 | 29 | 5.91 | 180.68 | 12.00 | 11.24 | 209.83 | 38.93 | 162.91 | 201.84 | 7.99 |
| Gloversville | 52 | 90 | 53 | 47 | 12.03 | 117.85 | 17.97 | 36.72 | 184.57 | 97.98 | 41.72 | 139.70 | 44.87 |
| Haverhill | 61 | 70 | 51 | 51 | 11.59 | 166.48 | 17.57 | | 195.64 | 86.04 | 81.14 | 167.18 | 28.46 |
| Lake Placid | 52 | 45 | 36 | 41 | 9.63 | 181.23 | 8.14 | 63.67 | 212.67 | 140.76 | 71.81 | 212.57 | .10 |
| Madrid | 56 | 75 | 9 | 15 | 1.29 | 9.77 | 10.07 | 1.25 | 22.38 | 8.78 | 11.85 | 20.63 | 1.75 |
| Massena | 61 | 75 | 48 | 48 | 15.22 | 306.79 | 5.70 | | 327.71 | 98.18 | 177.74 | 275.64 | 52.07 |
| Middleburg | 61 | 30 | 21 | 24 | 7.71 | 71.32 | 9.15 | | 88.18 | | | 77.31 | 10.87 |
| Monticello | 59 | 51 | 44 | 34 | 30.54 | 116.49 | 8.86 | 9.37 | 165.26 | 73.38 | 54.01 | 127.39 | 37.87 |
| New York | 52 | 35 | 32 | 41 | 103.38 | 73.69 | | | 177.07 | 16.99 | 33.45 | 50.44 | 126.63 |
| Nicholson | 56 | 44 | 29 | 13 | 1.04 | 67.15 | 7.19 | 37.96 | 113.34 | 47.53 | 60.62 | 108.15 | 5.19 |
| North Troy | 57 | 60 | 37 | 45 | 25.29 | 131.83 | 19.31 | 97.50 | 273.93 | 65.29 | 164.04 | 239.33 | 34.60 |
| Oakdale | 59 | 110 | 73 | 82 | 35.60 | 241.90 | 24.38 | | 301.94 | 83.97 | 84.34 | 168.31 | 133.63 |
| Ogdensburg | 62 | 72 | 34 | 37 | | 77.68 | 1.41 | 23.16 | 102.25 | 65.07 | 28.19 | 93.26 | 8.99 |
| Oneonta | 50 | 80 | 55 | 50 | 8.40 | 128.50 | | 18.02 | 154.94 | | | 112.13 | 42.81 |
| *Oxford | 61 | 27 | 22 | 18 | 6.10 | 55.52 | 4.74 | 21.65 | 87.69 | 42.78 | 15.50 | 84.47 | 3.22 |
| Port Jervis | 60 | 45 | 29 | 27 | 7.14 | 39.80 | 9.06 | 121.82 | 177.82 | 46.63 | 131.19 | 177.82 | |
| Ravena | 59 | 27 | 22 | 20 | 7.22 | 73.53 | 12.40 | 40.62 | 88.63 | 26.69 | 52.39 | 79.08 | 16.77 |
| *Rockwood | 52 | 35 | 34 | | 19.98 | 140.01 | 14.61 | | 174.60 | 32.70 | 71.93 | 124.63 | 49.97 |
| Russell | 61 | 34 | 28 | 20 | 9.13 | 58.43 | | | 67.56 | 40.55 | 42.71 | 53.26 | 14.30 |
| Schenectady | 50 | 60 | 51 | 52 | 48.72 | 186.73 | 15.49 | | 250.94 | 132.03 | 39.26 | 171.29 | 79.65 |
| Syracuse | 60 | 80 | 55 | 59 | 3.89 | 187.24 | | | 191.13 | 64.76 | 67.07 | 131.83 | 59.30 |
| *Sprakers | 50 | 20 | 15 | | | 55.30 | | | 55.30 | 28.63 | 18.75 | 47.38 | 7.92 |
| *Toddsville | 50 | 20 | 17 | | | 25.54 | | | 25.54 | 17.26 | | 17.26 | 8.28 |
| Tunkhannock | 60 | 32 | 18 | 25 | 37.06 | 18.57 | | | 55.63 | 24.85 | 4.11 | 28.96 | 8.10 |
| Utica | 60 | 114 | 64 | 51 | | 165.94 | 26.65 | 15.65 | 208.24 | | | 167.23 | 41.01 |
| Wells | 63 | 40 | 34 | 34 | 5.98 | 113.47 | | | 119.45 | 107.84 | | 107.84 | 11.61 |
| TOTALS | 2228 | 2015 | 1365 | 1323 | 647.98 | 4325.15 | 322.60 | 1024.60 | 6285.20 | 2112.48 | 2510.87 | 5045.51 | 1210.81 |

*Unexpended

EVANGELISTS and UNSTATIONED MINISTERS' REPORTS

| | Sermons Preached | Prayer Services Conducted | Other Services Conducted | Revivals in P. H. Church | Revivals in Other Churches | Calls | Seekers | Prayed with for Healing | Marriages | Children Dedicated | Funerals | Miles Traveled | Traveling Expenses | Total Support | Subscriptions to Advocate |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|---------|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| Donald K. Ault | 140 | 15 | 66 | 15 | 1 | 40 | 56 | 1 | | | | 16000 | | 1123.39 | 2 |
| Philip R. Doyle | 240 | 4 | 34 | 8 | 2 | 14 | 156 | 6 | | 1 | | 200.00 | 1687.33 | | |
| Frank T. Finch | 197 | 8 | 1 | | | 46 | 46 | | | 1 | 1 | 2800 | 84.00 | 988.00 | |
| Emeline I. Hamel | 2 | 2 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 160.24 | | |
| William A. Shoemaker | 71 | 50 | | | | 134 | 47 | 2 | | | | | 228.51 | 1853.08 | |
| Kenneth Masterman | 21 | 61 | | 3 | | 250 | | | | | 4 | | 1827.00 | 1827.00 | |
| Alvin Young | 140 | | | 4 | | 150 | 900 | 5 | | | | 425.00 | 2500.00 | | |
| Rev. & Mrs. Brecheisen | 52 | | | 10 | | 116 | 1499 | 19 | | | 2 | 556.18 | 4143.86 | | 45 |
| David E. Wilson | 457 | | 1 | | | 224 | 86 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Ethel E. Wilson | 44 | 1 | | | | 50 | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTALS | 1364 | 136 | 105 | 40 | 39 | 1023 | 2790 | 35 | 1 | 10 | 31800 | 3065.13 | 9730.84 | 47 | |

YOUNG PEOPLE'S REPORT

| Church | Number of Meetings Held | Members Last Report | Active | Associate | Honorary | Net Gain or Loss | Average Attendance | Cash Brought Forward | Offerings | Total Receipts | Expenditures | Cash on Hand |
|-------------|----------------------------|------------------------|--------|-----------|----------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| Amsterdam | 24 | 23 | 5 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 9 | 2.00 | 24.71 | 24.71 | 24.71 | 2.15 |
| Brookdale | 56 | 13 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 26 | 35.15 | 42.91 | 37.15 | 35.00 | 36.69 | 6.22 |
| Monticello | 15 | | | | | | | .20 | 42.71 | 42.91 | 48.17 | 5.37 |
| North Troy | 47 | 15 | 6 | | | 25 | 58.54 | 14.23 | 58.54 | 58.54 | 11.14 | 5.64 |
| Oxford | 42 | 9 | | | | 8 | 14.23 | 91.21 | 91.21 | 91.21 | 90.43 | .78 |
| Sciencetady | 50 | | | | | 12 | | | | | | |
| Utica | 24 | | 10 | | | 9 | 8.75 | 28.75 | 30.50 | 28.91 | 6.59 | |
| Massena | 43 | | | | | | 8.50 | 238.30 | 236.80 | 270.05 | 26.75 | |
| TOTALS | 301 | 35 | 52 | 18 | 12 | 13 | 107 | 8.50 | 238.30 | 236.80 | 270.05 | 26.75 |

VICTORY GROVE CAMP

Schenectady-Albany Road

June 28 - July 8, 1945

Workers—Rev. Lloyd Montgomery of Indianapolis, Ind.;
Rev. T. M. Anderson; Music in charge of Rev. Alvin Young;
Rev. A. E. Blann, District Superintendent in charge. For in-
formation, write Rev. Alvin Young, Northville, N. Y.

VERMONTVILLE CAMP

July 19-29, 1945

Rev. A. E. Blann, District Superintendent in charge. For
information write Rev. Francis W. Nason, Bloomingdale, N. Y.

BINGHAMTON CAMP

Port Dickinson, N. Y.

August 16-26, 1945

Rev. P. O. Carpenter of Ashland, Ky., Evangelist. Rev.
Alvin Young of Northville, N. Y., in charge of music. Rev. A.
E. Blann, District Superintendent in charge. For information
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