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OFFICIAL RECORD

OF THE

**TWELFTH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY
VIRGINIA DISTRICT**

OF THE

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

In Essentials, Unity; In Non-
Essentials, Liberty; In All
Things, Charity.

SEPTEMBER 4-6, 1933

HELD AT

THE PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Petersburg, Virginia

PRESENTED BY HAROLD BOYCE

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Secretary-Treasurer—Rev. W. R. Fitch, 3611 Decatur St., Richmond, Va.

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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY NIGHT, SEPT. 4th

The Twelfth Annual Assembly of the Virginia District convened at the Petersburg Pilgrim Holiness Church at 8 P. M. with District Superintendent, Rev. R. G. Flexon, in charge. An inspiring devotional service was well attended by delegates and ministers.

General Superintendent, Rev. W. L. Surbrook, was present preaching from the text Matt. 5:16. His message was an inspiration and help to all.

FIRST SESSION

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 5th

Business session opened with Rev. R. G. Flexon, Dist. Supt., in the Chair. There was a very blessed spirit of unity manifested among those present. The "Pilgrim Praises" song book was used throughout the entire Assembly.

Rev. J. E. Guill was called upon to lead in prayer.

The District Superintendent, Rev. R. G. Flexon, turned the Chair over to the General Superintendent, Rev. W. L. Surbrook, who read for a Scripture Lesson, Phil. 2:1-16, and gave some splendid comments from the same.

The Assembly then proceeded with business.

Motion carried that the Conference Bar comprise the first six seats on either side of the Church.

Motion carried that hours for Assembly business be fixed to convene at 8:30 A. M. and adjourn 11:30 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. and 4:30 P. M.; and the evening sessions be devoted to evangelistic services.

Motion carried that the reading of the reports be dispensed, except District Treasurer's Report.

Motion carried that the District Superintendent be empowered to appoint the several Committees.

The following Committees were appointed:

RESOLUTIONS—C. H. Dooley, H. H. Michael, H. S. Bennett, R.

R. Kirtz and W. S. Massey.

RECEPTION—J. V. Roberts.

STATISTICAL—R. C. Close and C. E. Bequette.

AUDITING—Nellie Cummins and Mrs. R. Hankins.

CHURCHES AND DELEGATES

BEULAH—W. S. Massey.

BEAVERDAM—J. A. Luck.

BILLER'S CREST—No delegate.

BOSSEVAIN—V. Scott.

GWYNN—Mrs. J. V. Roberts.

HOPEWELL—J. T. Carr.

HEMLOCK—No delegate.

EAST RADFORD—John Steward.

MINERAL—J. S. Harlow.

PETERSBURG—J. H. Loper.

RICHMOND—Mrs. Elizabeth Lowry.

ROANOKE—G. W. Roberts, Mrs. G. W. Roberts.

REMLIK—Mrs. J. C. Bray.

STAUNTON—R. R. Kirtz, Mrs. D. B. Driver.

WARM SPRINGS—No delegate.

The reception Committee presented to the Assembly the following persons:

Rev. H. Robinson, Rev. Davis, Rev. Beckett, Rev. Spinova.

Motion carried that ministers' wives be admitted to Conference Bar.

Motion carried that election of officers be held at 2 P. M.

Fifteen minutes recess was granted by motion.

Scripture quotations were given from the floor and Rev. J. V. Roberts lead in prayer.

Resolutions Committee submitted the following resolutions for consideration:

No. 1 was returned for redrafting; No. 2 was accepted by motion; No. 3 was referred back for redrafting.

Upon expiration of time, session was adjourned by prayer.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Convened with General Superintendent in Chair. After singing "This Is My Story," Rev. Surbrook spoke from I Timothy, 3 Chapter, which were very helpful as well as needful.

By motion District Superintendent was given power to appoint tellers for election:—R. R. Kirtz, C. H. Dooley, H. H. Michael and J. V. Roberts, being appointed.

The election proceeded by secret ballot, the following officers were elected:

District Superintendent, Rev. R. G. Flexon, first ballot.

Ass't. Dist. Supt., Rev. J. V. Roberts, second ballot.

Secretary and Treasurer, Rev. W. R. Fitch, first ballot.

Council Members—Rev. C. H. Flexon, J. E. Guill, C. H. Dooley and Mr. D. B. Driver, first ballot.

By acclamation, Rev. J. V. Roberts was elected to Board of Education and Examination.

Motion carried that District Superintendent act as Chairman of the Evangelistic League and be empowered to choose two additional members.

By acclamation the Board of Trustees were re-elected.

Motion carried that Delegates to the General Assembly be elected at a later time.

The Auditing Committee reported they found the Treasurer's Books correct. Their report was accepted by motion.

The Treasurer rendered an itemized report which was accepted by motion.

Motion carried that the District Council be empowered to set the date for the next Annual Assembly as soon after the General Assembly as possible.

The following resolutions were submitted by the Committee:

No. 1 referred back for redrafting, by motion.

No. 6 was ruled out of order by the Chair.

No. 3 referred back for redrafting, by motion.

No. 5 accepted.

Adjourned by expiration of time.

MORNING SESSION

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6th

Session opened with General Superintendent, W. L. Surbrook in Chair. Scripture quotations were given from the floor, which was followed by a wonderful message from the General Superintendent.

Roll Call was postponed until the Examining Board gave their report.

Minutes of the previous session were read and approved by motion.

Miss Van Vranken's report of the work she is doing in India, was read by the Secretary. It was received by a rousing vote of appreciation. Her report is as follows:

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR AUGUST 1ST, 1932, TO AUGUST 1ST, 1933.

Homes visited	584
Out door meetings	345
Indoor meetings	500
Prayer meetings	57
Sermons	407
Listeners	6208
Personal dealings	25
Sanctifications	2
Books sold	24
Tracts	65
Villages visited	206
Sunday schools	18
Attendance	734
Miles travelled	18,120
Girls taught	258
Sick treated	1,892
Support received	\$560.00

Respectfully submitted,

B. Van Vranken.

The District Superintendent appointed as Editing Committee, Rev. W. R. Fitch and J. V. Roberts.

The Roll Call of all preachers and deaconesses and delegates was made.

The following resolutions were submitted:

No. 1. Accepted by motion; No. 4 Accepted by motion; No. 7, with Amendment that "District Superintendent appoint" instead of "assembly elect," Statistical and Resolutions Committee for the ensuing year was accepted by motion; No. 8 accepted by motion.

Motion carried we postpone further action on resolutions to consider important business.

Motion carried that a pledge offering be taken for the printing of the minutes, same to be paid within thirty days. A total pledge offering of \$50.00 was taken.

Motion carried that Bro. and Sr. Roberts' request to be excused owing to illness, be accepted.

District Superintendent appointed the following Committees to act during the ensuing year.

Resolutions—G. H. Butner, J. E. Guill and C. H. Flexon.

Statistical—J. V. Roberts and W. R. Fitch.

The General Superintendent declared the Virginia District was entitled to four Ministerial Delegates and three Lay Delegates in conjunction with the District Officers, by virtue of their offices.

The Ministerial Delegates elected on first ballot were as follows:

Rev. G. H. Butner, J. E. Guill, C. H. Dooley and C. H. Flexon.

Motion carried that the two receiving the next highest votes be considered the alternate delegates, which were as follows: Rev. H. H. Michael and R. C. Close.

The Lay Delegates elected on first ballot were as follows:

CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT

CHURCHES	RECEIPTS							DISBURSEMENTS								
	Local				District Budget	Missions General Budget	TOTAL	Local				District Budget	General Missions Budget	Balance	TOTAL	
Balance Forwarded	Offerings	Evangelists	Property	Miscellaneous				Pastor's Support	Evangelists	Property	Miscellaneous					
Beulah.....	\$ 11.61	\$ 905.74	\$135.00		\$	\$198.84	\$ 75.12	\$ 1,326.31	\$ 536.86	\$ 135.00		\$ 355.29	\$190.29	\$ 75.12	\$ 33.75	\$1,326.31
Beaverdam.....	4.37	187.43	58.60	47.00	20.75	9.00	17.00	344.15	114.89	58.60	47.00	90.00	9.00	15.00	.53	335.02
Billie's Crest.....		9.10						9.10								9.10
Boissevain.....	134.50	361.69	75.64	65.57	58.94	6.50	16.97	719.81	361.69	75.61		127.64	6.50	13.87	134.50	719.81
Brandywine.....		37.08						37.08			1.64	17.26	2.18	15.00	1.00	37.08
Covington.....		452.92	70.11	633.19	26.14	53.05	43.88	1,279.29	424.73	70.11	631.21	51.37	53.05	43.88	4.94	1,279.29
East Radford.....		343.15	28.75	10.00			16.24	398.14	283.91	28.75	10.00	54.16	53.05	16.24	5.08	398.14
Gwynn.....	1.80	54.24	72.63		12.95	18.97	17.66	178.25	54.24	72.63		14.75	18.75	17.66		178.03
Mineral.....	9.33	852.76	33.35		135.88	28.00	55.67	1,114.99	797.32	33.35		192.57	30.00	53.67	8.08	1,114.99
Petersburg.....	1.77	101.24	140.25					243.26	75.00	140.25	3.08	17.55			7.38	243.26
Remlick.....		161.05	91.72	52.11	28.50	10.48	81.22	425.08	161.05	91.72	52.11	28.50	10.48	81.22		425.08
Richmond.....	47.13	1,218.11	117.58	120.05	17.00	58.16	241.06	1,821.82	852.95	119.63	283.10	211.85	58.16	241.06		1,766.75
Roanoke.....	4.49	2,358.10				16.83	76.37	2,465.79	1,391.65	266.00	100.00	631.63	16.83	46.00	35.07	2,487.18
Staunton.....	33.08	834.92	49.14	185.00	188.92	40.68	171.16	1,331.04	516.90	50.00	201.75	237.04	40.68	171.16	13.68	1,311.21
Stewartsville.....		6.92					2.00	8.92						2.00		8.28
Warm Springs.....	9.09		15.05			2.07		26.21	9.09	15.05			2.07		.64	26.85
TOTAL.....	\$257.17	\$7,884.45	\$887.82	\$1,105.92	\$489.08	\$446.58	\$814.35	\$11,720.14	\$5,686.56	\$1,153.70	\$1,326.89	\$2,098.71	\$437.99	\$791.88	\$244.65	11,666.38

UNSTATIONED MINISTERS' REPORT

	Church Services	Prayer Meetings	Other Services	Sermons	Pastoral Calls	P. H. Revivals	Other Revivals	Total Seekers	Baptisms	Healed	Marriages	Funerals	Advocate Subs.	Tithe	Total Cash Support	Other Support	Total Support
R. B. Close.....		39		121	192	1	2	7				1	2	Yes	58.00	252.00	310.00
R. G. Flexon.....				381	106	13	5	2383	13	57				Yes	2,101.96	29.00	2,130.96
Lottie Gibson.....				68	97			2		2				Yes	51.55		
E. E. Powers.....				93		1	2	60		12			1	Yes	85.00	52.00	137.00
TOTAL.....		39		663	395	15	9	2472	13	71		1	3	Yes	2,296.51	333.00	2,577.96

PASTOR'S REPORTS

	Church Services	Prayer Meetings	Other Services	Sermons	Pastoral Calls	P. H. Revivals	Other Revivals	Total Seekers	Baptisms	Healed	Marriages	Funerals	"Advocate" Subs.	Tithe	Total Cash Support	Other Support	Total Support
C. E. Beckett.....	20	4	9	28	16			14		2			1	1 Yes	2.07	30.00	32.07
H. S. Bennett.....	99	32		109	203	2		56	15	18		1	1	1 Yes	361.69	80.10	441.79
G. H. Butner.....	104	60	50	119	296	4		119	6	15	5	1		Yes	1,391.65	360.00	1,741.65
Mrs. G. H. Butner.....				18	75			10						Yes	25.00		25.00
J. W. Covington.....	104	65	26	206	225	2	2	62		16		2	9	Yes	777.70	45.00	822.70
Nellie Cummins.....	22	9	28	50	75	4	4	3		6				Yes	30.00	10.26	40.26
C. H. Dooley.....	88	53	97	185	481	2	3	118	51	10		2	32	Yes	562.69	41.96	604.65
W. R. Fitch.....	104	105	54	112	380	1	3	58	10	10	1	3		Yes	674.39	352.18	1,026.57
G. H. Flexon.....	300	50	20	260	214	3		102	16	16	2	1	20	Yes	180.00	1,330.00	1,710.00
J. E. Guill.....	165	64	38	175	650	3		34	41	41	1	4	11	Yes	872.95	263.35	1,136.30
Mrs. R. Hankins.....				87	91		1	31		2		2	15	Yes	161.05	157.96	319.01
R. J. Kennon.....	84	62	44	98	510			13	2	10		2	1	Yes	114.89	94.50	209.39
H. H. Michael.....	103	68	27	102	378		1	24		15		3		Yes	808.02	117.76	925.78
J. V. Roberts.....	175	76	8	130	683	3		69		15		5	10	Yes	594.34	155.90	750.24
TOTAL.....	1455	684	439	1679	4277	24	10	710	23	202	9	26	100		\$6,556.44	\$3,238.97	\$9,795.41

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Mr. D. B. Driver, J. S. Harlow and R. R. Kirtz.
 Motion carried that the one receiving next highest vote be considered "alternate" delegate, who was Mr. G. W. Roberts.
 Session adjourned by expiration of time.

AFTERNOON SESSION
 WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6

Session opened with General Superintendent in chair. Scriptural quotations were given from the floor, followed by prayer by Rev. J. W. Covington.

Minutes of previous session read and approved.
 Roll call of ministers and delegates.

The following resolutions were submitted by the Committee: Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, all being accepted by motion. No. 13 was accepted with an amendment that all Sunday Schools pay their assessment unless exempted by District Council.

Memorials to the General Assembly, as follows, were accepted by motion: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.

Motion carried we extend time to complete business.

Motion carried that ordination service be conducted at 7 P. M.
 Motion carried that Rev. C. H. Dooley be appointed as District Evangelist.

Motion carried that an offering be taken for the expense of the Assembly.

The following churches extended an invitation to entertain the District Assembly next year: Boisevain, Staunton and Petersburg.

After some discussion the vote was taken, which gave Boisevain the privilege.

Motion carried that Resolution No. 12 be rescinded.

Motion carried that District Council appoint two members to the Allentown Bible School Board.

Motion carried that the two new churches, Covington and Stewartsville be accepted into the District.

Rev. R. G. Flexon gave report of Evangelistic League which was accepted by motion.

Motion carried we give a standing and rousing vote of thanks to the Petersburg Church for the royal entertainment given the Assembly.

Motion carried that a free will offering be taken for the Secretary for his services during the Assembly.

Motion carried that Assembly adjourn by singing "Jesus

Minutes of the Assembly read and approved.
 Keep Me Near the Cross," followed by prayer by District Superintendent, Rev. R. G. Flexon.

The night service was devoted to the ordination of six candidates. It truly was a blessed occasion, and marked by the presence of the Holy Spirit. Those ordained were: Rev. J. E. Guill, Rev. H. H. Michael, Rev. Otis Bogan, Rev. C. H. Dooley, Rev. Robert Kennon and Rev. Miss Nellie Cummins.

After the ordination service, General Superintendent W. L. Surbrook preached.

The Assembly disbanded with a blessed spirit of fellowship and there seemed to be a determination on the part of the preachers and delegates to hold to the old fashioned standards of the Bible upon which our church was founded.

May each church do their utmost to uphold the teachings and strict officers in the promotion of Bible holiness in the needed secpactices of our Covenant and cooperate with the General and Dis-

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SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

CHURCH	No. Sessions			Enrollment	Total Attendance	Gain or Loss in Attendance	INCOME					EXPENDITURES					
	No. Classes	Officers and Teachers					Cash Forwarded	Regular Offerings	Birthday Offerings	Special Offerings	TOTAL	Sunday School Literature	Missions	Orphanage	Special	TOTAL	Balance in Treasury
Buelah.....	51	5	6	70	2,520	- 194	\$	\$ 68.49	\$	\$	\$ 68.55				\$ 68.49	\$ 68.49	
Beaverdam.....	48	3	5	35	601			4.82		3.03	8.22						
Billers Crest.....	39	3	5	28	783	- 480	2.59	4.30		3.42	10.31	5.67	3.33			9.00	1.31
Boissevain.....	52	8	10	62	3,217	+ 595	.53	39.94	5.67	2.55	48.26	37.58	5.67		2.55	45.80	2.46
Brandywine.....	52	4	6	44	1,762			4.82		3.03	8.22	2.47	5.38				8.22
Covington.....	45	4	6	53	1,845	+1845		88.96	5.45		94.41	16.17	30.32		42.36	88.85	5.56
Hopewell.....	52	6	10	57	2,954	+ 618	3.27	69.64	10.25		97.63	22.13	17.47	7.00	35.94	82.79	14.84
East Radford.....	52	3	4	50	1,300	- 184		17.80	2.50		20.30	14.22	2.50		3.58	20.00	
Gwynn.....	50	4	5	54	1,750	- 97		55.76			55.76	9.23	13.88	1.15	25.34	49.60	6.16
Mineral.....	52	6	8	125	3,842	- 390		26.33			26.33	26.33				26.33	
Petersburg.....	30	2	4	14	540	- 60											
Richmond.....	52	7	8	54	3,010	- 117	32.60	125.75	12.38	44.84	215.57	52.01	44.84	12.38	71.68	180.91	34.66
Roanoke.....	49	14	17	289	6,555	- 526	33.97	236.44			270.41	54.87			211.85	266.72	3.69
Staunton.....	52	8	15	130	5,384	+ 257	64.08	180.70	17.08	150.98	412.84	87.12	99.00	4.65	143.97	334.74	78.10
Stewartsville.....	20	3	5	40	792	+ 792	1.90	4.49			6.39	4.01			.16	4.17	2.22
Warm Springs.....	50	3	4	16	600	- 165	1.19	8.44			9.63	5.48	4.17			9.63	
TOTAL.....	746	83	118	1121	37,479	+1884	\$110.13	\$931.86	\$53.33	\$219.29	\$1,364.55	\$337.29	\$228.56	\$25.18	\$605.92	\$1,187.33	\$157.22

CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT

CHURCH	Members Last Report	Removals				Additions			Present Mem'ship			Services				Tithers	Subs to Advocate	
		Dropped	Transferred	Deaths	TOTAL	By Profession	Letter	TOTAL	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Local Ministers	TOTAL	Preaching	Prayer	Other			TOTAL
Buelah.....	35							2			35	123	50	20	193	9	15	
Beaverdam.....	21			1	1	1		1		1	21	84	25	44	180	10	2	
Billers' Crest.....	9		1		1						9	10		1	11	6	2	
Boissevain.....	56	28			28		1	1		1	38	173	95		268	11	7	
Brandywine.....	10					10		10			10	50	15		80			
Covington.....	43	28			28				1		26	134	53	31	218	21	28	
East Radford.....	16					9	2	11	1		20	104	48	43	195	7	5	
Gwynn.....	13			1	1	3		3			12	55	120		175	4		
Hopewell.....	18	4		1	1	5		5		5	19	156	50	19	225	12	8	
Mineral.....	37			1	1	7	1	8		1	44	102	94	20	216	11		
Petersburg.....	18										18	20	10		60		2	
Remlik.....	32			1	1		2	2	2		33	117	74	45	236	3	15	
Richmond.....	28	1		1	1	6	1	7	1	3	34	165	44	58	267	23	18	
Roanoke.....	145					24		24	3	2	169	104	87		191	38	45	
Staunton.....	92	5	1		6	5		5	5	1	91	104	104	54	262			
Stewartsville.....						10		10		1	11	2	1		3		4	
Warm Springs.....	18								1	1	18	50	10		60	3	1	
TOTAL.....	591	66	2	4	72	80	7	87	17	10	7	608	1583	894	350	2840	158	156

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tions of our home land and benighted heathen lands.

We greatly appreciated the presence of our General Superintendent. Rev. W. L. Surbrook. His counsel, leadership and messages were an inspiration to the Assembly. May the Lord continue to use him mightily in promotion of Holiness throughout the world.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

No. 1.

Be it resolved that no person entering the Va. Dist. from another denomination be given a District office in the District for at least one year.

No. 2 tabled.

No. 3 tabled.

No. 4.

Be it resolved that we have a ministerial convention in the District of Virginia this year, place time and nature of services to be arranged by the District Superintendent.

No. 5 tabled.

No. 6 ruled out of order.

No. 7.

Be it resolved that the district assembly elect a statistical and a resolution committee during this assembly, to hold office until the close of the 1934 assembly. Amended.

No. 8. Be it resolved that all our preachers of Va. Dist. give one half of their tithe of the remuneration received from their ministry through the local treasurer to be forwarded to the Dist. Treasurer as a fund to be used only for Dist. Supt. support.

We purpose further that each church give weekly a certain amount to be sent through the local church treasurer to the Dist. Treasurer monthly, also to be applied to the above mentioned Supt. support.

No. 9 Be it resolved that the Virginia District shall set a total budget for the assembly year of 1933-34 amounting to \$1,200.00 same to be divided as follows: 50% for General church budget and foreign missions, 20% for church extension work in the District, 20% for debt fund, and 10% for incidental expense.

Be it further resolved that the foregoing amount be apportioned to our local churches as follows:

Buleah	\$ 150.00	Gwinns	\$ 36.00
Beaverdam	27.00	Hopewell	25.00
Boissevain	60.00	Hemlock	15.00
Billers' Crest	10.00	Mineral	90.00
Brandy Wine	10.00	Richmond	150.00
Covington	60.00	Roanoke	240.00
Cristo	5.00	Staunton	195.00
East Radford	30.00	Remlick	60.00
Petersburg	25.00	Warm Springs	12.00

We also agree that the item for foreign missions shall be supplemented by free will offerings taken at the time of special missionary meetings and raised through the use of mite boxes, etc.

No. 10.

Be it resolved that no member from one Pilgrim Holiness Church be received into another Pilgrim Holiness Church in this District unless they receive a letter of good standing from the church of which they have been a member.

No. 11.

Be it resolved that the Va. District have 1,000 copies of membership form and covenant of Pilgrim Holiness church printed to be used for prospective members.

MEMORIALS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1. Be it resolved that Section 64. Paragraph 1 of the Manual be revised to read: Each local church shall consult with the District in choosing a pastor, and if in the judgment of the District Council a local situation has become such as to demand intervention the District Superintendent in conjunction with the District Council shall be empowered if necessary to remove the pastor or take any action they deem necessary to preserve the life of the church.

Be it Resolved, Part 3, Page 42 to read as follows—If a local church remains without a pastor for two months, it shall be the duty of the dist. supt. to supply said church with a pastor.

2. Be it resolved that the General Board be composed of the General Superintendent, Assistant General Superintendent, General Secretary, General Treasurer, Editor of the Advocate and all of our District Superintendents.

3. Be it resolved that the General Assembly shall provide for the organization of Dist. Young Peoples' Societies.

4. Be it resolved that any person being dismissed from the membership of a local church, feeling they have not been fairly dealt with, shall have an appeal to the District Council.

5. Be it resolved that sec. 149, page 80 of our manual be amended to read as follows:

The Dist. Council may be called together by the Chairman, the number required to constitute a quorum depending upon the size of the council (see sec. 142, par. 1-3, page 78 and 79). Or if any three members of the dist. council shall petition the supt. to call a meeting of the council and he refuse, these three members shall be empowered to call a meeting to be set by the members making the call. It is understood however, that the council at such a special session shall deal with no problems except that which pertains to the improper conduct or teachings of a council member.

6. Be it resolved that sec. 49, par. 1, page 34, be made to read as follows:

An ordained or licensed minister may be called to the pastorate of a local church, or circuit, by a majority vote of all the members of the church present and voting, provided that said minister has been nominated to the church by a majority vote of the local church board calling him. His term of office shall continue until the following District Assembly. Pastor shall be recalled from year to year.

Also that par. 2 page 35 read, A pastor may be dismissed by a majority vote of the local church board. No pastor shall be dismissed by a church between the District assemblies unless his life and character are not in harmony with the word of God and the church manual.

7. Whereas our church provides a probationary system for its membership and whereas some ministers that have come to us from other churches have had to be soon dropped; therefore

Be it resolved that every minister coming into our church from other denominations shall be held on probation for two years by the District with which he unites.

Also let such minister's name be published in the District minutes as a probationer showing the date of final acceptance.

The probationary minister may vote in his District assembly and may serve the church as a pastor or evangelist but shall not be eligible for any other office with the District or General Church during the period of his probationaryship.

TREASURER'S REPORT

CASH ACCOUNT (Through Bank)

Receipts	\$ 808.54
Disbursements	803.65
Balance	\$ 4.89

RECAPITULATION OF LEDGER ACCOUNTS

Accts.	Dr.	Cr.
Missionary	\$ 660.78	\$ 660.78
General Budget	243.72	248.52
Dist. Supt.	144.33	144.33
Home Miss.	162.73	165.19
Dist. Interest	93.35	79.86
School Note	29.00	35.94
Orphanage	38.33	42.51
Totals	\$1,372.24	\$1,377.13
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Cr. Balance		\$ 4.89

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINATIONS

We, the Examining Board, recommend the following:

FOR ORDINATION: J. E. Guill, H. H. Michael, C. H. Dooley, R. J. Kennon, Otis Bogan, Miss Nellie Cummins.

FOR RENEWAL OF LICENSE: Miss Ada Heironimus, Miss Lottie Gibson, H. S. Bennett.

FOR LICENSE: Clarence E. Beckette, Charlie Muse.

FOR ORDINATION CERTIFICATE: Mrs. H. Robinson and Mr. H. Robinson. Also Mrs. W. R. Fitch, pending letter of transfer.

FOR DEACONESS LICENSE: Mrs. Nannie Mason, Mrs. J. F. Short and Miss Mattie Mullenex.

PROPERTY VALUATION

Valuation is listed same as last year—present valuations may be made according to the fluctuations in each community.

	Church	Parsonage
BRANDYWINE	\$ 1,000.00	.....
BEAVERDAM	3,000.00	1,000.00
*BEULAH	10,000.00	.....
BILLER'S CREST	500.00	.....
HEMLOCK	200.00	.....
EAST RADFORD	5,000.00	4,000.00
GWYNN	500.00	.....
*HOPEWELL	2,075.00	.....
MINERAL	4,000.00	.....
PETERSBURG	2,000.00	.....
RICHMOND	8,000.00	2,000.00
*REMILK	1,000.00	.....
ROANOKE	35,000.00	7,500.00
STAUNTON	4,000.00	.....
WARM SPRINGS	1,000.00	.....
TOTAL	\$ 77,275.00	\$16,500.00

*Churches and parsonages combined.