



**REV. J. F. WILSON,**  
**District Superintendent**

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

### District Council

#### DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Rev. J. F. Wilson, 428 Church St., Alva, Okla.

#### DISTRICT SECRETARY

Rev. E. V. League, Blackwell, Okla.

#### DISTRICT TREASURER

Rev. E. C. Gafford, Bethany, Okla.

#### ADVISORY MEMBERS

W. P. Haltom, Hopeton, Okla.                      H. A. Downing, Pond Creek, Okla.  
H. A. Budy, Dacoma, Okla.

#### BIBLE COLLEGE BOARD

Rev. J. F. Wilson    W. P. Haltom

#### DISTRICT TRUSTEES

Rev. J. F. Wilson                      W. P. Haltom                      H. A. Budy

#### EXAMINING BOARD MEMBERS

D. R. Close                      L. C. Gray                      H. A. Downing  
1952                                      1954                                      1953

#### EDUCATIONAL BOARD MEMBERS

E. C. Gafford                      J. F. Wilson                      J. R. Kelly  
1954                                      1952                                      1953

#### DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

E. V. League    H. A. Downing

#### DISTRICT YOUNG PEOPLES PRESIDENT

Miss Arminta Billbe

#### DISTRICT CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Reception: Grace Nelson

Editing: E. V. League

Ways and Means: District Council

Resolutions: E. C. Gafford, H. A. Downing

Auditing: Mrs. E. V. League, Mrs. H. A. Downing

Statistical: Eilen Atkinson, E. V. League

#### CAMP MEETING COMMITTEES

Registration: E. C. Gafford

Purchasing Agent:

Dining Room: H. A. Downing

Church and Tent:

Book Stand:

Publicity: District Council

Entertainment: Warren D. Ruble, D. R. Close

## CONFERENCE ROLL

### ORDAINED MINISTERS

#### Year of Ordination

- 1942 Atkinson, Ellen, 1108 W. Division, Henryetta, Okla.  
Ashcraft, Elizabeth, Bethany, Okla.
- 1926 Burge, Eliza, Hopeton, Okla.
- 1928 Close, D. R., Hopeton, Okla. Ph. 43.
- 1938 Close, Mrs. D. R., Hopeton, Okla. Ph. 43.
- 1938 Davis, Roy, 900 N. Hobart Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif.
- 1938 Downing, H. A., 228 E. Ash, Pond Creek, Okla. Ph. 164.
- 1942 Downing, Mrs. H. A., 228 E. Ash, Pond Creek, Okla. Ph. 64.
- 1950 Gafford, E. C., 503 N. College, Bethany, Okla. Ph. 2842.
- 1918 Hiles, L. C., Morrison, Okla.
- 1919 Hiles, Mrs. L. C., Morrison, Okla.  
Hickman, J. V.
- 1912 Kelly, J. R., Bluejacket, Okla.
- 1943 League, E. V., 112 S. 7th, Ph. 1482, Blackwell, Okla.  
Nering, Paul C., Route 2, Reagan, Texas c/o Mrs. Chas. Wellman.
- 1914 Nelson, Grace, Dacoma, Okla.
- 1945 Slaven, Lily, 603 N. Cooper, Ph. 9990-R, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- 1941 Wilson, J. F., 428 Church St., Ph. 1433, Alva, Okla.  
Ruble, Warren D., Dacoma, Okla.

### ORDAINED DEACONESES

- Budy, Edith, Dacoma, Okla.
- Billbe, Arminta, 1003 South 9th, Ph. 1725-M, Blackwell, Okla.

### FOURTH YEAR LICENSED MINISTERS

- Brummett, Ruth J., 1422 E. Sixth, Tulsa, Okla.
- Gray, L. C., 405 N. Maple, Newkirk, Okla.

### THIRD YEAR LICENSED MINISTERS

- Murrow, Harvey, Dacoma, Okla.

### SECOND YEAR LICENSED MINISTERS

- Atkinson, Fred, 1108 West Division, Henryetta, Okla.
- Clark, Lula, Tulsa, Okla.
- Turbyfill, Gus, Henryetta, Okla.

### FIRST YEAR LICENSED MINISTERS

- Bushman, Jerald, Ponca City, Okla.
- Flick, James, Blackwell, Okla.
- McLane, Eugene, 540 West Monument, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- Sholly, Mary, Bethany, Okla.

## JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

### First Sitting

The Twenty-Fifth Annual Conference of the Oklahoma and Texas District convened at 9:30, July 30, 1951, at Hopeton, Oklahoma.

The Conference opened with singing "Covered By The Blood." Prayer was offered by Rev. J. F. Wilson and Rev. D. R. Close.

Rev. D. R. Close, District Superintendent, introduced General Superintendent, Rev. L. W. Sturk, as Chairman of the Conference.

Rev. Sturk gave an uplifting message on "Revive Us Again."

The Secretary gave the roll call. Two new churches, Alva and Timber Hill, were presented and received into the Conference.

It was moved and seconded that the first four rows of seats on the north and south and the first five seats in the center constitute the Conference bar. Carried.

It was moved and seconded that our time continue until 12:00. Recess for dinner, convene at 1:00 til 5:00, recess for supper, convene at 7:00. Carried.

The Examining Board submitted their report which was moved, seconded, and accepted. It was moved, seconded, and passed to have an ordination service after the first recess following dinner during the devotional period.

The Reception Committee presented to the Conference Rev. and Mrs. Warren Ruble, pastors of the Pleasant View church, Rev. W. F. Drown, Superintendent of the Rocky Mountain District, Rev. R. E. Heckart, President of the Colorado Springs Bible College, and Rev. B. F. Durham, evangelist of the Kansas District.

It was moved, seconded, and passed that Rev. Heckart, Drown, Durham have honorary seats in the Conference and Rev. Ruble be received into the Conference.

The District Superintendent submitted a good report of his work on the district the past year which was accepted by the Conference.

The Assistant Superintendent gave a report of his work which was accepted by the Conference.

The Auditing Committee's report was given and accepted.

The District Treasurer submitted his report to the Conference. It was moved and seconded to be accepted. Carried.

The Statistical Committee's report was given and accepted by the Conference with corrections.

Mrs. D. R. Close, Executive Secretary for Young People, gave a report to the Conference which was accepted.

It was moved and seconded to recess for dinner. Rev. Heckart dismissed in prayer.

### Second Sitting

The second sitting opened by singing, "Walking in the King's Highway." Rev. Paul C. Nering led in prayer. Minutes of the morning sitting were read and approved.

The Ways and Means Committee reported. The report was accepted as printed.

The Resolutions Committee's report was given and accepted as printed.

A motion was made to adopt the Pilgrim Pension Plan where churches are able to do so. This plan was adopted by the Conference.

Motion was made to recess for ten minutes with an ordination service upon reconvening. Carried.

### Third Sitting

Mrs. D. R. Close led the singing beginning the third sitting with the congregation singing "Take My Life and Let It Be." The scripture was read by Rev. D. R. Close and Rev. J. F. Wilson.

Rev. L. W. Sturk delivered the ordination message from Ruth 2:17. Miss Arminta Billbe received the rites for an ordained deaconess.

Rev. D. R. Close concluded the ordination service with prayer.

After a ten minute recess the election of officers was the order of the day.

E. V. League,  
Dist. Sec'y.

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## RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

### STANDING RESOLUTIONS

1. We recommend that the fiscal year close June 30th.
2. Inasmuch as the District Treasurer has so much work to do at the close of the year, be it resolved that all district and general monies be sent to the District Treasurer not later than July 10th.
3. Be it resolved that all delegates exceed the age of eighteen years.
4. Be it resolved that the Council make arrangements for a quarterly bulletin of district interest to be sent to each church.
5. In order that we may conserve the Lord's money and give our churches the advantages of evangelistic meetings, be it resolved that we as pastors and churches consult our Superintendent in slating Evangelists and, if it is possible and practical, that they be slated for two or more consecutive meetings which would keep down traveling expense.
6. Inasmuch as there is a great blessing derived from a ministerial and Christian workers convention, be it resolved that during the year we have a three-day convention in the district to be divided between the Ministerial and Sunday School interests. The council shall be the committee to set the time and prepare the program.
7. We recommend that the District Superintendent appoint all committee for the next year during the present conference sitting.
8. Be it resolved that our camp begin the third Friday in July.
9. Be it resolved that each minister come a day earlier and stay throughout the camp and a day after camp unless excused by the District Council. If it is impossible to come, unless excused, be it resolved that he send the sum of \$5.00 to help on camp meeting expense or to hire labor in erecting and dismantling the camp equipment whichever the council deems needful.
10. Be it resolved that each pastor have the privilege of conducting two revivals off charge during the year, or his choice of a two weeks vacation with pay and one meeting leaving the pastor responsible for supply; providing that the charge be supplied satisfactorily with the local church board.
11. Resolved that the camp have children and young people services, the District Council to secure a leader for each and said meetings to be announced on the camp meeting bills.
12. Resolved that the District Council set the date for the District Conference.
13. Resolved that each active minister be released for two Sundays during the camp and conference and that they receive regular salary or offering, providing they attend Camp and Conference.
14. Resolved that the first prayer meeting night in each month shall be donation night for the pastors of the district. The announcement shall be made the Sunday previous by someone appointed by the local church board.

15. Be it resolved that the pastors be required to see that all reports are mailed to the District Superintendent by the 15th of the month following the close of the quarter, and that the annual reports be mailed to the chairman of the Statistical Committee by July 15th.

16. Be it resolved that the District remain divided into zones as follows: Zone 1, Hopeton, Alva, Pleasant View and Fairview; Zone 2, Pond Creek, Blackwell, Newkirk and Enid; Zone 3, Timber Hill, Henryetta, Oklahoma City and Bethany.

17. Be it further resolved, that the pastors of each zone constitute the committee to prepare the program for the rallies in their respective zones.

18. We further recommend that when practical and possible one rally be conducted in each zone during the year, and that all rallies shall be under the supervision of the District Superintendent.

19. Resolved that we have a workers meeting in the 1952 camp meeting beginning at 9:15 a. m. to 10:15.

20. Whereas the Pilgrim Holiness Church has assumed a responsibility in supporting and caring for the missionaries going out under our church and whereas our missionary work is very extensive, and whereas the National Holiness Association is sending their representatives to the Association meetings for the purpose of advancing their interest in the missions; be it resolved that our ministers go no farther in the Association than that of fellowship and that they comply with the manual page 44 par. 14 relative to all representatives. (Our pastors should not grant the use of their churches to those claiming to be missionaries or raising money for religious work, unless such persons have proper endorsement of the District Council.)

21. We recommend the following goals for this next year: 20% increase in Sunday School attendance; 15% increase in membership; 100% up on budgets each quarter. We recommend that a report be gotten out at the end of each quarter and sent to each church, the same being placed on the bulletin board showing each church's standing for the quarter and that special emphasis be placed on soul winning and the spiritual growth of the church.

22. Whereas there is a danger of valuable papers becoming lost in our local churches, we recommend that the District rent a safety deposit box and all churches send their abstracts, deeds, etc., to the District Superintendent for safe keeping in said box. This box shall be rented near the District Superintendent's residence.

23. Resolved that each pastor give a three minute report in District Conference concerning his church's progress during the year covering spiritual, financial and numerical gains.

24. Be it resolved that the District Superintendent be granted two weeks vacation with pay.

25. Be it resolved that all pastors desiring or considering changing pastorates, shall send in their request to the District Superintendent prior to the annual meeting. Be it further resolved that the District Superintendent present to each church a complete list of available pastors to be voted upon.

#### NEW RESOLUTIONS

1. Be it resolved that the Church Secretary help count all offerings with the Church Treasurer.

#### SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

1. Be it resolved that we, the District Conference, express our appreciation to our District Superintendent, Rev. D. R. Close, for his labors of love among us the past fifteen years by a rising vote of thanks.

2. Be it resolved that we, the District Conference, express our appreciation to Rev. L. W. Sturk, by a rising vote of thanks.

## MINUTES OF THE DISTRICT YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

The Fourth Annual Young People's Conference of the Oklahoma District was held at Hopeton, Oklahoma, July 28, 1951, Mrs. D. R. Close presiding.

The Conference was opened with an inspiring song service led by Betty Groenewold. Jerald Bushman led in prayer.

Mrs. E. C. Gafford was elected secretary and Mrs. Merlin Budy as treasurer.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved that as young people we cooperate with the General Church in the weekly fast day.

Resolved that a Youth Rally be held once each quarter in connection with the regular district rally, and that two special rallies be held the coming year, September 3 and July 4.

Resolved that the minutes of this Conference be printed in the district minutes.

Resolved that each society set aside at least one meeting each year for a study of our church doctrine.

Resolved that a Young People's prayer meeting be organized on the camp ground in 1952 under the leadership of the executive committee.

Resolved that each society strive to keep the Pilgrim Youth News in each Pilgrim home.

### New Resolutions

Resolved that the assessment be as last year, 25¢ per member each quarter, the money to be divided between home missions and decorations for the dining room.

Resolved that each society purchase a copy of the current Colorado Springs Bible College annual for their society.

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## DISTRICT YOUNG PEOPLE'S SECRETARY'S REPORT

Another Conference year has passed, and we are a little nearer our heavenly home.

This has been a triumphant year amidst the battles and testings.

Our first District Young People's meeting was held at Newkirk Labor Day. A fine crowd attended and God's blessing was upon it. The day was climaxed with a good crowd visiting the county jail. That was a touching service with many hands for prayer. One man knelt and prayed as we interceded for him.

Bethany got the banner and was able to keep it until April, when Blackwell really went to work to get it and got it.

The next District Young People's meeting was at Enid July 4th with over a hundred present in spite of rains and floods. Again Bethany had the most points and was allowed to elect a young person to come to camp with free room and board. That person was Rose Terry.

We are happy that nearly all of the churches have again started Young People's meetings. Some are not organized yet, but are having meetings nevertheless.

The District Young People's Societies have put in gravel walks on the Camp ground, which will add much to our comfort during rainy seasons at Camp. We are grateful for this project.

It has been a pleasure to work with the fine Oklahoma Youth. There are no better anywhere in this land. Let me express my appreciation and thanks to you for your splendid cooperation.

With this report I tender my resignation. The Youth Leader to follow is a splendid person and you'll find has the heart of the youth uppermost.

Sincerely submitted,  
Mrs. D. R. Close

## RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

1. We recommend that each church be budgeted as follows:

	GENERAL BUDGET				DISTRICT BUDGET				Grand Total
	Gen. Adm.	Foreign Mission	Total Gen. Budget	District Adm.	Camp	General Conf.	Bible College	Total Dist. Budget	
Alva	\$ 15.00	\$ 8.50	\$ 23.50	\$ 50.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 13.00	\$ 73.00	\$ 96.50
Bethany	126.00	78.00	204.00	50.00	18.00	5.00	50.00	123.00	327.00
Blackwell	147.00	84.00	231.00	100.00	18.00	12.00	80.00	210.00	441.00
Enid	63.00	36.00	99.00	30.00	12.00	5.00	50.00	97.00	196.00
Henryetta	42.00	24.00	66.00	30.00	12.00	3.00	20.00	65.00	132.00
Hopeton	150.50	86.00	236.50	120.00	*	12.00	100.00	232.00	468.00
Newkirk	45.50	26.00	71.50	30.00	7.00	3.00	15.00	50.00	121.50
Oklahoma City	52.50	30.00	82.50	40.00	18.00	3.00	45.00	106.00	188.50
Pond Creek	63.00	36.00	99.00	30.00	18.00	3.00	20.00	71.00	170.00
Pleasant View	140.00	80.00	220.00	100.00	*	12.00	100.00	212.00	432.00
Timber Hill	7.00	5.00	12.00	10.00	5.00	1.00	5.00	21.00	33.00

\* These two churches were not given a camp budget because of the camp being held there and their having given.



2. We recommend that the District Superintendent be paid four (4) cents per mile travel expense.

3. We recommend that all ministerial tithes be paid the first of each month, the same to be applied to the district fund.

4. We recommend that Sunday Schools of fifty (50) or under pay ten (10) cents a week, and Sunday Schools of over fifty (50) pay twenty (20) cents a week into a district parsonage fund. And that a special offering be taken once a year to be applied to this fund.

5. We recommend that the registration fee for the camp be set at three (3) dollars for adults who stay the full time, and \$1.50 for those who come on or after the last Thursday. Children 5 to 12 one-half adult fee. We recommend a fee of fifty cents be charged for the cots for the full time, and 25 cents after the last Thursday.

6. We recommend the District Treasurer be paid a salary of \$50.

7. We recommend the District Secretary be paid a salary of \$30.

8. We recommend that the district postage, stationery, telegrams and telephone calls be paid out of the district fund.

9. We recommend that all district and general funds be forwarded to the district treasurer the first of each month.

10. We recommend that all district checks from the bank be kept on file and be turned over with the treasurer's books.

11. We recommend that the District Superintendent be paid a salary of \$100.00 a month.

12. We recommend that the home missionary offering, which is taken the last Sunday of the camp, be applied in the interest of district home missions, and that the distribution of all home missionary monies be left to the District Council.

13. We recommend we have 200 copies of the 1951 minutes printed and that we sell them at 50 cents each.

14. We recommend that each minister and deaconess, both licensed and ordained, be assessed a conference fee of \$2.00, the same to be paid before the end of the first quarter.

15. We recommend that all children attending the camp be accompanied by a parent or guardian, and that they be subject to all camp rules.

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### REPORT OF THE EXAMINING BOARD

We recommend that Warren D. Ruble be granted ordination papers.

We recommend that Arminta Billbe be ordained as deaconess.

We recommend that Ruth J. Brummett be granted fourth year license.

We recommend that L. C. Gray be granted fourth year license.

We recommend that Harvey Murrow be granted third year license.

We recommend that Fred Atkinson be granted second year license.

We recommend that Lula Clark be granted second year license.

We recommend that Jerald Bushman be granted first year license.

## DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the annual conference of the Oklahoma District of the Pilgrim Holiness church convened at Hopeton, Oklahoma, July 30, 1951; Greetings:

District conferences are historic mile stones. Each conference adds its chapter to the record of the District.

The past year has witnessed progress and growth in our District. A new district goes through various phases of development. There is first the opening of a work and the gathering of a people of like precious faith in a covenantal relationship; second there are the various building programs of churches and parsonages, which are essential to the establishment of the work of God; third there is the responsibility of enlarging the Sunday Schools and congregations. These three parts go on to some degree simultaneously yet there are clear divisions in district advancement. We feel we have definitely reached the third point in our District. This year finds us with only one church without either a church building or parsonage.

When we came to the district we had 3 established congregations in Oklahoma with 3 church buildings and 2 parsonages valued at \$8,000.00. We now have 11 church buildings and 11 parsonages, 3 of the parsonages, however, are good apartments in connection with the church. These now have a valuation of \$107,250.00.

The purchase of the Alva church has given us another fine church worth approximately \$10,000.00. We were able to get a good parsonage at Bethany worth \$5,000.00 for a little over \$3,000.00. The Henryetta church, with District help, added a 5 room apartment worth about \$2,500.00. We appreciate the labor from the ministers on the District at Henryetta and Bethany, as it cut our cost considerably. We feel these have been valuable gains for our District, and means much to our work. This is a property increase of approximately \$17,500.00 this year.

This past year two new churches have been organized which is one half our District quota for this quadrenium. Brother Kelley has labored faithfully at Timber Hill for a number of years and God has rewarded him with a fine group of people. We organized with 9 at Timber Hill and their Sunday School has averaged ..... for the year.

Our Alva church is the result of a number of things. We have had Pilgrims who have moved to Alva and began praying for a church. Brother Wilson has also had Alva on his heart for a number of years. This year the Christian church offered us their old building at a reasonable figure. The District Council after much deliberation and prayer felt that we should buy the Christian church and organize our Pilgrims at Alva into a church for the furtherance of our work in this section. We organized with 15 members and 2 more came in right after. The Sunday School is averaging 30.

God has blessed the District with a sweet spirit of fellowship this past year. We have had two main conventions. The first one was at Pond Creek in December when we dedicated the Pond Creek church. A fine crowd joined with Brother League in the dedication of a fine plant for the Pilgrims at Pond Creek. Brother Sturk was with us for one day at Alva which was rich in fellowship and blessing.

We urge our pastors and churches to carry on a more aggressive evangelistic program this next year with a greater emphasis upon soul winning and enlarging both our membership and Sunday Schools.

We have traveled in District work 8,735 miles. We have received for mileage \$241.95. We have made 35 visits to the churches, held 23 board meetings and 19 church meetings. We have received for telephone and stationery \$103.94.

We attended one Bible College Board meeting and held the mid-winter convention at the college and also preached the Baccalaureate sermon this spring. May God's richest blessings continue to rest upon the Oklahoma District.

Respectfully submitted,

D. R. CLOSE,

District Superintendent

## DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

July 18, 1950 to July 20, 1951

### DISTRICT BUDGET

Credits	
Received from churches .....	\$ 423.64
Received from sale of District Minutes .....	12.40
Received from District Convention offerings .....	74.14
Transferred from conference assessment .....	20.00
Received from ministerial tithe .....	1271.43
Total Credits .....	\$1801.61
	Deficit .....
	619.67
Debits	
District Superintendent's salary .....	\$1300.00
District Superintendent's travel expense .....	294.32
District Superintendent's telephone and stationery .....	103.97
District supplies, books, etc. ....	17.85
District Secretary's salary .....	30.00
District Treasurer's salary .....	50.00
District minutes .....	130.75
District Council travel expense .....	26.05
District Convention expense .....	74.40
District stationery .....	7.90
Miscellaneous .....	17.29
Deficit from previous year .....	368.75
Total Debits .....	\$2421.28

### DISTRICT HOME MISSIONS

Credits	
Cash carried forward .....	\$ 228.66
Received .....	1090.31
Loans .....	7300.00
Total Credits .....	\$8618.97
Debits	
Paid notes at Hopeton Bank .....	\$ 907.00
Enid property principal payment .....	150.00
Rev. J. V. Hickman salary supplement .....	125.00
Paid Devine Church .....	250.00
Paid Rev. Paul C. Nering salary .....	397.00
Paid on Henryetta parsonage .....	768.76
Paid on Alva Church .....	6040.71
Bethany parsonage payment .....	45.00
Miscellaneous .....	9.88
Total Debits .....	\$8693.35
	Deficit .....
	74.38

### CAMP MEETING

Credits	
Cash brought forward .....	\$ 109.45
Received .....	824.69
Camp Budget Transferred .....	40.84
Registration .....	188.45
Total Credits .....	\$1163.43
Debits	
Groceries .....	\$ 238.82
Evangelists .....	330.00
Singers .....	165.00
Cooks .....	80.00
Hopeton Church .....	65.00

Advertising .....	38.00
Incidentals .....	85.60
Total Debits .....	\$1002.42
Cash on hand .....	161.01

#### BIBLE COLLEGE

Credits	
Received .....	\$ 816.92
Debits	
Sent to College .....	\$ 816.92

#### FOREIGN MISSIONS

Credits	
Received .....	\$1199.71
Debits	
Sent to General Treasurer .....	\$1199.71

#### DISTRICT PARSONAGE FUND

Credits	
Cash carried forward .....	\$ 468.75
Received .....	11.45
Cash on hand .....	\$ 480.20

#### GENERAL CONFERENCE

Credits	
Cash carried forward .....	\$ 45.09
Received .....	10.25
Cash on hand .....	\$ 55.34

#### GENERAL BUDGET

Credits	
Received .....	335.03
Debits	
Sent to General Treasurer .....	\$ 335.03

#### GENERAL HOME MISSIONS

Credits	
Received .....	\$ 120.47
Debits	
Sent to General Treasurer .....	\$ 120.47

#### GENERAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING

Credits	
Received .....	\$ 29.90
Debits	
Sent to General Treasurer .....	\$ 29.90

#### CAMP BUDGET

Credits	
Received .....	\$ 40.84
Debits	
Transferred from Camp Budget to Camp Meeting .....	\$ 40.84

## SUMMARY OF TOTALS

Cash Received .....	\$6469.63	
Cash carried forward in all departments .....	851.95	
Total Cash .....	7321.58	
Loans from Bank .....	7300.00	
Total Receipts .....	14,621.58	
Total Expenditures .....	14,619.08	
Cash on hand .....	2.50	
Balance to all departments .....	696.55	
	Deficits .....	694.05
Cash on hand .....	\$ 2.50	

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## MEMOIRS

We, the Conference of the Oklahoma District, convening at Hope-ton, Oklahoma, July 30, 1951, place this memoir in our minutes in re-membrance of two who have finished their labors of this life and de-parted to be with their Lord:

Rev. Guy C. Jones, a licensed minister of the Pilgrim Holiness Church of Bethany, Oklahoma, died of cancer on March 8, 1951, after six months of suffering at the age of 70 years.

Bro. Jones had been saved 30 years and was a faithful supporter of the church and will be greatly missed by friends and relatives.

Rev. J. M. Edgar, a minister of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, de-parted to be with his Lord on Feb. 17, 1951, at the age of 73 years. He was called to the ministry in 1919 and served many churches untiringly. He was affiliated with the Pilgrim Holiness Church at Blackwell, Okla., at the time of his death. He will be missed by all.

**LOCAL  
CHURCH  
STATISTICAL  
REPORT**

	Members on Roll Last Report.....	Names Dropped.....	Transferred.....	Deaths.....	Total Removed.....	Additions by Profession of Faith.....	By Letter.....	Total Additions.....	Ordained Ministers.....	Licensed Ministers.....	Local Ministers.....	Deaconesses.....	Members in Full Standing Besides Ministers.....	Total Members.....	Preaching Services.....	Church Prayer Services.....	Total Services.....	Subs. to Advocate.....
Alva							17	1					16	17	59	48	107	8
Bethany	42	2	1	2	5	2	2	3	1				35	39	131	50	181	
Blackwell	51	14		1	15	6	6	2	2	1	1		36	42	138	50	188	15
Enid	14													16	18			
Fairview	18	4			4				1				13	14	123	40	163	2
Henryetta	29	17			17				1				11	12	124	42	166	9
Hopeton	43		4		4				3	3			35	39	130	63	193	20
Newkirk	11						2			1				12	13			
Oklahoma City	18	3	1	1	5	2			2				13	15	106	52	168	10
Pleasant View	46		6		6				2			1	38	40	128	44	172	
Pond Creek	11					6	1	7	1				17	18	124	51	175	10
Timber Hill						9		9					8	9	78	45	123	5
Totals	283	40	12	4	56	25	3	41	16	7	1	2	250	276	1141	495	1636	79

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**PROPERTY  
STATEMENT**

	Church Value .....	Debt .....	Equity .....	Parsonage Value .....	Debt .....	Equity .....	Total Value .....	Debt .....	Total Equity .....
Alva	\$10,000.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 4,000.00
Bethany	10,000.00	3,457.00	6,543.00	5,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00	15,000.00	5,457.00	9,543.00
Blackwell	6,000.00		6,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	11,000.00		11,000.00
Enid	6,000.00	2,190.00	3,810.00				6,000.00	2,190.00	3,810.00
Fairview	3,500.00		3,500.00	2,500.00		2,500.00	6,000.00		6,000.00
Henryetta	8,000.00	1,000.00	7,000.00	2,500.00	1,000.00	1,500.00	10,500.00	2,000.00	8,500.00
Hopeton	12,000.00		12,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	15,000.00		15,000.00
Newkirk	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	6,000.00		6,000.00
Oklahoma City	5,000.00	1,390.00	3,610.00	4,000.00	1,090.00	2,910.00	9,000.00	2,480.00	6,520.00
Pleasant View	5,500.00		5,500.00	3,000.00		3,000.00	8,500.00		8,500.00
Pond Creek	7,000.00	350.00	6,650.00	3,250.00		3,250.00	10,250.00	350.00	9,900.00
Timber Hill									
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$76,000.00</b>	<b>\$14,387.00</b>	<b>\$61,613.00</b>	<b>\$31,250.00</b>	<b>\$4,090.00</b>	<b>\$27,160.00</b>	<b>\$107,250.00</b>	<b>\$18,477.00</b>	<b>\$88,773.00</b>

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**SUNDAY  
SCHOOL  
STATISTICAL  
REPORT**

	No. Teachers and Officers.....	No. Scholars Enrolled.....	Total Enrollment.....	Ave. Weekly Attendance Last Report.....	Ave. Weekly Attendance This Report.....	Net Gain.....	Net Loss.....	No. on Cradle Roll.....	No. Sessions.....	No. Scholars Converted.....	No. Joined Church.....
Alva	7	28	35	0	30	30			31		
Bethany	7	56	63	45	43		2		53		
Blackwell	7	68	75	54	49		5		53		
Enid	5	39	44	37	23			10	53		2
Fairview	5	16	21	34	24		10	9	53	1	
Henryetta	6	50	56	50	42		8		53		
Hopeton	8	83	91	72	73	1		12	53		
Newkirk	5	30	35	27	29	2					
Oklahoma City	8	50	58	32	31		1	14	53	3	2
Pleasant View	10	98	108	64	57						
Pond Creek	8	54	62	32	33	1		5	51		
Timber Hill	6	35	41	16	24	8			46		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>

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**SUNDAY  
SCHOOL  
FINANCIAL  
REPORT**

	Cash Brought Forward.....	Regular Offering.....	Birthday Offering.....	Special Offering.....	Total Receipts.....	Literature.....	Equipment and Misc.....	Transferred to Church.....	Total Expenditures.....	Cash on Hand.....
Alva	\$	\$ 95.41	\$ 4.01	\$	\$ 99.42	\$ 54.81	\$	\$	\$ 54.81	\$ 44.61
Bethany		141.84	8.53	108.30	258.64	54.18	204.46		258.64	
Blackwell	.05	161.45	12.16	176.93	350.59	88.96	66.15	219.89	336.88	13.71
Blue Jacket	1.49	50.54	8.13	25.12	85.28	40.48	19.50	25.30	85.28	
Enid	19.74	84.75			104.49				93.14	11.35
Fairview	6.49	202.90	9.24		234.68	53.90	16.82	154.01	224.72	9.96
Henryetta		173.31		36.67	209.98	98.04		101.94	209.98	
Hopeton	52.36	536.61	17.84	15.00	621.81	127.45			573.51	48.30
Newkirk		387.28			387.28		369.18		369.18	18.10
Oklahoma City	2.07	199.35			201.42	82.00	70.00	48.00	200.00	1.42
Pleasant View		291.60	18.18	26.00	335.78			335.78	335.78	
Pond Creek	25.42	157.29		13.92	196.63	127.58	15.57	53.46	196.63	
Totals	\$107.62	\$2,480.33	\$78.09	\$401.94	\$3,086.00	\$727.40	\$761.68	\$938.38	\$2,938.55	\$146.90

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY REPORTS	STATISTICAL						FINANCIAL							
	Mtgs. Held	Members Last Report	Active Members	Associate Members	Honorary Members	Total	Net Gain	Net Loss	Average Attendance	Cash Brought Forward	Offerings	Total Receipts	Total Expenditures	Cash on Hand
Alva	22	0	9			9	9		8	\$	\$ 9.09	\$ 9.09	\$ 2.48	\$ 6.61
Bethany	52		10			10			20	1.24	77.23	78.47	54.22	23.75
Blackwell		23							15	.19	40.64	40.83	32.40	8.43
Fairview	47	10				14			14		67.33	67.33	67.33	
Hopeton	44	7	7	2	1	10	3		6		25.52	25.52	16.19	9.33
Pleasant View	44	11				14	3			29.30	23.13	52.43	34.30	18.13
Oklahoma City	49	6				6			7		69.83	69.83	63.20	6.63
Totals	258	57	26	2	1	63	15		70	\$30.73	\$312.77	\$343.50	\$270.62	\$72.88

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**EVANGELISTS  
AND UNSTATIONED  
MINISTERS**

	Sermons .....	Services Assisted in .....	Homes Prayed in .....	Total Calls .....	Prayer Services Conducted .....	Seekers Reg. ....	Seekers for Sanctification .....	Prayed with for Healing .....	Dealt With in Personal Work .....	Reverals Conducted .....	Marriages .....	Funerals .....	Support .....
Eliz. Ashcraft	5			112	10	7	9	11	25				\$ 10.00
Eliza Burge				12									
Gerald Bushman	4			30	5	25		4	10				
James Flick	6												
Eugene McLane													
Harvey Murrow	14				1	4	3				1		15.85
Gus Turbyfill	45			66	22	6	3	14		1	1		247.50
Lily Slaven	62			15			70	10		15			695.00
Grace Nelson	10			40	4			10				1	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>136</b>			<b>235</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>\$968.35</b>

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**CHURCH  
FINANCIAL  
REPORT**

	Cash Brought Forward.....	Reg. Offering.....	Special Off.....	Total Receipts.....	Ins.—Int.....	Pastor Support.....	Improvements.....	Indebtedness.....	Evangelists.....
Alva	\$	\$ 1,087.45	\$ 272.81	\$ 1,360.26	\$	\$ 775.00	\$ 136.72	\$	\$ 110.00
Bethany	237.22	1,786.57	1,172.59	3,433.60		1,285.00		390.00	326.33
Blackwell	63.93	2,962.41	1,021.21	4,047.55	36.27	1,806.00		820.00	392.00
Enid	32.09	907.60	287.50	1,227.19	114.76	540.00	204.65		60.00
Fairview	3.09	639.55	689.15	1,331.79		639.55			185.00
Henryetta	65.75	930.72	473.49	1,469.96	117.95	735.00	319.67		
Hopeton	51.22	3,979.87		4,031.09		1,727.83	330.00		328.47
Newkirk		408.39	491.89	900.28		614.28			217.00
Oklahoma City	1.79	1,958.13	175.00	2,134.92	53.48	1,361.66	68.77	270.00	150.00
Pleasant View	27.91	2,964.28		2,992.19		1,664.00			321.00
Pond Creek		753.25	512.00	1,265.25		648.00		400.00	112.00
Timber Hill		110.26		110.26		34.75			
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$261.54</b>	<b>\$18,488.48</b>	<b>5,095.64</b>	<b>\$24,067.12</b>	<b>\$322.46</b>	<b>\$11,831.07</b>	<b>\$1,059.81</b>	<b>\$1,880.00</b>	<b>\$2,201.80</b>

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	Youth and Sunday School.....	Dist. Budgets .....	District Home Missions .....	Camp and Conf .....	Foreign Missions .....	Gen. Home Missions .....	Gen. Adm. Expense .....	Bible College .....	Incidentals .....	Total Expense.....	Cash on Hand .....
Alva	\$54.81	\$	\$	\$	\$ 9.64	\$	\$	\$ 14.52	\$ 138.27	\$ 1,338.96	\$ 21.30
Bethany	9.47	53.33	82.33	11.86	296.16	14.65	32.75	35.73	611.95	3,149.54	45.84
Blackwell		68.64	35.00		72.82		15.80	95.00	589.55	3,930.02	117.53
Enid		23.00	3.50		85.84		5.76	39.35	150.33	1,227.19	
Fairview	9.72	18.05			57.10	13.50	7.67	30.50	350.41	1,329.55	2.24
Henryetta		21.60						36.67	54.47	1,285.36	184.60
Hopeton		120.00	497.15		432.10	34.50	166.00	278.70	106.73	4,021.48	9.61
Newkirk		68.00							2.00	900.28	
Oklahoma City		18.00		4.00	35.00		20.00	25.00	127.46	2,133.37	1.55
Pleasant View		67.29	123.00		151.53	21.30	110.00	197.32	343.97	2,980.11	12.18
Pond Creek	3.80		24.46		7.00	9.08		14.71	50.00	1,265.25	
Timber Hill		8.50		2.00	35.60	3.15	13.60	12.66		110.26	
Totals	\$77.80	\$466.41	\$765.44	\$17.86	\$1182.79	\$96.18	\$371.58	\$785.76	\$2,525.14	\$23,671.37	\$394.85

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**PASTOR'S  
REPORT**

	Sermons	Prayer Services Cond.	Calls on Members	Calls on Non-Members	Total Calls	Revivals Conducted	Seeking Reg.	Seeking Sanct.	Souls Dealt With	Prayed with for Healing	Comm. Services	Baptised	Children Ded.	Marriages	Funerals	Cash Support	Donations	Totals
J. F. Wilson	96	30									1				3	\$ 775.00	\$ 62.00	\$ 837.00
Rev. and Mrs. Close	144		124	147	271	2	51	28			3		5		2	1,260.00	134.10	1,394.10
W. H. Pope	99	46			411	3	36	21	18	16	2					1,806.00	330.00	2,136.00
J. R. Kelly	80	45	31	38	69	1	7	3	25	3	2	8	1	1		34.75	255.80	290.55
F.G & Mrs. Atkinson	94	55			160		3	2		3	1				1	540.00	50.00	590.00
P. C. Nering	124	42			804	1	21	5	53	12	3		2		2	615.00	28.33	643.33
E. C. Gafford	121	40	120	320	440	4	15	7	8	5	1		5		4	1,727.83	200.00	1,927.83
L. C. Gray	82	35	62	85	140	2	7	2	10	7	3		1	1		408.39	205.89	614.28
H. A. Downing	166	32			510	4	33	15		15	1				1	1,361.66	60.54	1,422.20
L. C. Hiles	93	36			476	2	4	3								1,664.00	31.75	1,695.75
E. V. League	110	48	86	186	272	1	5	2	10	3	3	7	2	1	2	681.77	20.00	701.77
J. V. Hickman	71	26	126	243	369		5				4					662.55	214.01	876.56
Totals	2360	435	549	1019	3922	22	187	88	124	64	24	15	16	3	15	\$11,536.95	\$1,591.42	\$13,128.37

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