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The General Conference benevolent contributions are for the year July to July.

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ANSON CONFERENCE

CHURCHES	ORDAINED AND LICENSED MINISTERS	POST OFFICE ADDRESS	Resident Members	Whole Number of Church Members	Whole Number in Sunday School	State Work	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Woman's Mission- ary Society	Total
Anson	Geo. E. Paine p	N. Anson	38	49	25	11.00	7.56				18.56
Athens	B. H. Johnson p	Athens	32	44	45		4.00				4.00
Bingham Village	J. W. Hinckley	Athens									
Concord	*		4	10							
Eustis	*		11	34							
Freeman and Salem			5	7	35					4.00	4.00
Industry	L. A. White p	Kingfield	25	28	52						
Kingfield	*		9	11							
Lexington ...	L. A. White p	Kingfield	55	70	88	4.65	11.16	5.00	1.50	9.00	31.31
Madison	C. E. Woodcock p	Madison	15	30							
Madison Village	*		10	25							
New Vineyard.	C. E. McColley p	Madison	130	210	150	8.05	25.30	9.10	7.80	23.37	73.62
1 New Portland	*		3	4							
2 New Portland			12	12			50	50			1.00
Stark	L. Hutchins E. New	Portland	19	29	25	8.75	21.11	10.50		4.00	44.36
Anson Conf...	M. S. Hutchins Phillips		3	13							
Total 15....	*						3.60			11.30	14.90
.....8..			371	576	420	32.45	73.23	25.10	9.30	51.67	191.75

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AROOSTOOK CONFERENCE

Blaine	J. M. Miller p	Blaine	52	36	88	2.00	11.00	3.50		2.00	18.50
Bridgewater .	Gardiner Hallowell	Blaine									
Caribou	†† Benjamin Bubar	Blaine									
Fort Fairfield.	W. L. Phillips p	Bridgewater	53	27	80	15.61	8.00	6.00	2.45	8.45	40.51
Limestone ...	*A. W. Bradeen p	Caribou		111	120	5.00				1.00	6.00
Mapleton	Eugene Trafton p	Fort Fairfield	96	25	121	38.25		2.30		33.55	74.10
Mars Hill	Frank C. Bradeen	Groveville									
Pine Tree	†† G. A. Bates p	Limestone	23	11	34	3.07	13.00	5.00			21.07
Presque Isle..	†† J. J. Bonnell p	Mapleton	81	7	88	4.00				39.00	43.00
Robinson	†† Frank Sobeaus p	Robinson	32	8	40	11.10				1.10	12.20
Sprague's Mill.	A. E. Saunders p	Sprague's Mill	13	14							
Aroostook, Con.	A. D. Paul p	Presque Isle	152	28	180	10.64	14.50	14.31	5.00	9.00	53.45
	*†† Frank Sobeaus	Robinson		22	23	6.22				2.50	8.72
	A. E. Saunders p	Sprague's Mill	70	29	99		9.60	9.60	8.80	4.15	32.15
.....										15.52	15.52
Total 11 12		572	318	873	95.89	56.10	40.71	16.25	116.27	325.22

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BOWDOIN CONFERENCE

Auburn	A. J. Marsh p Auburn	275	411	140	75.54	58.39	18.62	8.13		160.68
	D. C. Burr Auburn									
	††C. H. Crocker... Auburn									
Auburn (So.) ..		6	10							
Augusta	C. G. Mosher p Augusta	180	305	226	56.42	39.62	20.16	10.92	131.00	258.12
Bath (No. St.) ..	Aura L. Gerrish .. Bath	101	143	110	23.91	30.58	18.08	9.79	35.80	118.16
Bowdoin	R. D. Frost p Bowdoinham R. F. D.	19	42	33		7.20	1.00	1.30		9.50
Bowdoin (West)	W. Paul Curtis Auburn	40	80	50	34.00	12.00	10.00	4.00	48.20	108.20
	C. W. Purinton West Bowdoin									
Bowdoinham (East)		12	33			11.00	1.00	50		12.50
Bowdoinham Ridge	R. D. Frost p Bowdoinham R.F.D.1	47	81	47	10.00	18.59	2.08	1.93	26.29	58.89
	Joseph Nickerson									
1 Brunswick..	R. W. Churchill p Brunswick	45	114	50		50			20.00	20.50
Brunswick Village	R. W. Churchill p Brunswick	43	124	90					8.00	8.00
Freeport.....		16	40							
Gardiner	H. H. Hayes p Gardiner	112	154	96	14.00	11.25	5.00	6.00		36.25
	E. Manson									
Gardiner (West)	H. H. Hayes p Gardiner	38	59	45		18.65			2.00	20.65
		36	79						6.20	6.20
Greene		12	42			2.29	2.00			4.29
Hallowell		6	8							
Harpwell	A. T. Salley D. D. p Lewiston	245	349	400	197.45	318.15	92.15	31.75	79.96	719.46
Lewiston (Main St.)	J. A. Howe D D Lewiston									
	T. L. Angell Lewiston.									
	H. R. Purinton Lewiston									
	A. W. Anthony D. D. Lewiston									
	J. J. Hull Lewiston									
	††E. K. Jordan. Lewiston									
Lewiston (Pine St.)		84	204	112		33.50	2.80	1.40	1.00	38.70
Lewiston (So.)		14	28							
Lisbon	L. D. Tibbetts p Lisbon	57	74	75	11.00	18.90	8.51	3.00	47.87	89.28
Lisbon Falls..	E. W. Ricker p Lisbon F	86	125	245	13.00	10.50			16.82	40.32
	††Joseph Pearillo....									
Litchfield Plains		37	47	64		8.00	3.00	3.00	27.00	41.00
Litchfield (West)		4	9	13	2.00	4.00	2.00		1.00	9.00
Monmouth ...		7	10							
Orrs' Island..		30	44							
Richmond.....	††G. F. Bolster p Cobb Div. Sch.	42	63	55	1.30	7.00				8.30
Richmond Cor.		17	17							
Sabattus	C. W. Purinton p West Bowdoin	29	35	60		11.00				11.00
Topsham	S. A. Blaisdell p Topsham	138	185	150	15.40	12.00			20.00	47.40
Bowdoin Conf.						67.37				67.37
Total 29	24	1778	2915	2061	454.02	700.49	186.40	81.72	471.14	1893.77

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CUMBERLAND CONFERENCE

2 Buxton.....	C. E. Davis p Groville	18	27	25	4.50	4.00				8.50
Cape Elizabeth	F. S. Hartley p 547									
& So. Portland	Ocean St. S. Portland	48	82	100	20.00	19.32	19.43	7.29	63.38	129.42
Casco	J. L. Monroe p Casco	15	21	50						
	H. H. Hathaway Casco									
Gray	Frank Pearson	60	89	71	9.43	3.00	4.45	25	14.50	31.63
Harrison	Mabel A. Johnson p.	41	57	70	10.71	11.44	11.45	5.02		38.62
	J. F. Harriman, Edes F.									
Little Falls ..	*		34	35						

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N. Gloucester.	*.....	11		20		1.20	1.00			2.20
Portland	Lewis Malvern D. D., Lynn, Mass	298	373	425	164.34	142.15	111.14	71.19	157.16	645.98
Raymond	F. Starbird p E. Raymond	18	34	27						
Scarboro	F. E. Freeze p Gorham	45	57	35					49.94	49.94
So. Gorham ..	F. E. Freeze p Gorham	23	45	50		8.40	8.40	4.20	7.50	28.50
	E. C. Harmon. Gorham									
Steep Falls ..	O. J. Guptill p Steep Falls	55	83	150	56.40	21.00	15.36	10.94	47.96	151.66
Baldwin Branch	O. J. Guptill p Steep Falls	11	19	35					30	30
Oak Hill Branch	O. J. Guptill p Steep Falls	19	23							
Richville Branch	Wm. H. Fultz p 82 High St. Portland	15	21	30						
West Buxton.	J. W. Williams p W. Buxton	62	72	110	7.20	56.88	6.14		5.25	75.47
W. Danville ..		31	38	50		12.75	2.95		1.00	16.70
W. Falmouth.		35	37	74	8.09	22.98	13.72	7.37	49.90	102.06
White Rock ..	Wm. H. Fultz p 82 High St. Portland	17	22	52		2.00	2.00	1.00		5.00
Windham Cen. Cumberland		13	20			1.00	1.00		1.40	3.40
Con.....							5.00		37.90	42.90
Total 20	14	835	1154	1409	280.67	306.12	202.04	107.26	436.19	1332.28

Held last Wednesday and Thursday in January, May, Aug. and October.
Clerk, Rev. F. S. Hartley, 547 Ocean St., So. Portland, Me.

EDGEComb QUARTERLY MEETING

Barter's Island	*L. V. Mayo p Boothbay	25	38	40	2.50					2.50
Bath, Corliss St	J. A. Shaw p	45	100		5.70	4.26	2.70			12.66
Boothbay	I. V. Mayo p Boothbay	73	140		6.66	13.00	3.00	5.00		27.66
Edgecomb	*A. M. Cox p Edgecomb		43	40						
1 Georgetown.		52	84	50	2.10				18.00	20.10
2 Georgetown.		40	54	50	8.00	5.00				13.00
Parker's Head *			20	15						
1 Phippsburg.	L. H. Metcalf p Ashdale	21	29	25		3.50	1.00	1.00		5.50
Woolwich & Wicasset.		32		50	11.81	3.34	50			15.65
Edgecomb Q M						3.61				3.61
Total 9	4	243	313	510	36.77	32.71	7.20	6.00	18.00	100.68

Held 2d Friday in February, June, September and November.
Clerk, J. A. Purinton, Wicasset, Me.

ELLSWORTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Bluehill & Long Island.		26	37	30						
Clifton		13	16	30	13.53					13.53
Eastbrook ...	D. B. Smith p W. Franklin	29	41							
E. Franklin ..	D. B. Smith p W. Franklin	18	22	33						
Great Pond ..		6	17	25						
Hancock		12	17							
Mariaville ..		26	37	20	2.00					2.00
Orland & Dedham		6	24	25	6.22					6.22
W. Franklin..		13	21	30					6.25	6.25
Ellsworth Q M										
Total 9	1	144	232	193	21.75				6.25	28.00

Held Friday before 3d Saturday in March, June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, Moses F. Chick, Clifton, Me.

MAINE ASSOCIATION

FARMINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING

Bean's Corner.	L. S. Williams p E. Wilton	44	60			2.50	1.00	50		4.00
Chesterville	G. D. Milbury p No. Chesterville	18	25			2.00				2.00
E. Dixfield	L. W. Raymond p E. Dixfield	63	85	45	13.15	44.00	16.00		22.00	95.15
E. Livermore.	J. P. Barrett, p West Farmington	32	57	31		3.00			18.75	16.75
Farmington Falls	J. H. Bartlett p Farmington Falls	10	17							
Freeman & Avon	M. S. Hutchins p Phillips	15	25							
Madrid	M. S. Hutchins p Phillips	46	61			50				50
E. New Sharon	J. P. Barrett p West Farmington	18	28	30						
N. New Sharon.	H. S. Kilborn Farmington	18	26							
N. Chesterville	G. D. Milbury p No. Chesterville		34	86		7.75			22.00	29.75
Phillips	M. S. Hutchins p Phillips	58	78	87	8.00	29.00		2.00	25.00	64.00
Rangeley	E. H. Prescott p Rangeley	60	72		8.10	13.00	1.00	50		22.60
Temple	E. S. Longley p West Farmington	6	6	45						
Vienna	L. P. Gould p E. Livermore	40	64		1.50	1.50				3.00
W. Farmington	E. S. Longley p West Farmington	26	62	78	11.25	3.00	1.00			15.25
W. Mt. Vernon	Sweetland Cobb Div. Sch	15	25	40		6.63				6.63
1 Wilton	L. S. Williams p E. Wilton	39	45	106		54.00				54.00
Farmington Q. M.									16.36	16.36
Total 17	.....11.....	508	770	548	42.00	166.88	19.00	3.00	99.11	329.99

Held 2d Wednesday and Thursday in March, June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, Rev. J. P. Barrett, W. Farmington, Me.

HOULTON QUARTERLY MEETING

Crystal	J. N. Noble p . Crystal	31	37	40	4.00	3.00			1.00	8.00
Danforth	*.....	17	23	50		11.00	1.00			12.00
Dyer Brook	H. H. Hathaway p Dyer Brook	19	19	40						
Glenwood	*+L. W. Glidden Hodgdon	16	26	17						
Haynesville	+C. H. Crocker p Haynesville	23	42	33		1.00	1.00			2.00
1 Hodgdon	*+L. W. Glidden Hodgdon	12	14	30	4.00					4.00
2 Hodgdon	N. C. N. McLean Hodgdon	30	30							
3 Hodgdon	*.....	6	6	30						
Houlton	F. C. Hartley p Houlton	146	196	186		19.20	6.55	1.35	28.73	55.83
Island Falls	Geo. H. Salley p Isl. Falls	55	90	175	17.00	38.11	13.00	3.00	22.75	93.86
Linneus	C. W. Wheeler Linneus	21	22	100						
1 Littleton	F. A. Miller p Houlton R. F. D. 3	38	48	45	6.00				6.05	12.05
	Z. M. Miller Houlton R. F. D. 3.									
2 Littleton	F. A. Miller p Houlton R. F. D. 3	13	23	25					2.36	2.36
Merrill	H. H. Hathaway p Dyer Brook	17	25	30						
Mount Chase.	*.....	23	30	43						
New Limerick	C. A. Bell p Houlton R. F. D. 4	41	69	84	2.00				7.50	9.50
Smyrna Ludlow	C. A. Bell p Houlton R. F. D. 4	16	18	30	1.10					1.10
Wytopitlock	*B. Bubar p Wytopitlock	9	9		6.74					6.74
Houlton Q. M.						16.86	16.86	8.42	28.22	70.36
Total 18	.....12.....	533	727	958	40.84	89.17	38.41	12.77	96.61	277.80

Held Friday before 3d Sunday in Jan., Mar. and June and 2d Sunday in October.
Clerk Rev. Z. M. Miller, Houlton, R. F. D. 3, Me.

MAINE ASSOCIATION

MONTVILLE QUARTERLY MEETING

Islesboro	Harry C. Hull p No. Islesboro	38	53	60	2.81	1.00	1.00			4.81
2 Montville	+F. M. Poland, Thorndike R. F. D. 2	40	64	45		12.46	1.00			13.46
No. Cushing..	.....	23	26	35						
Rockland	W. W. Carver p Adams St., Rockland	75	115	130	2.10					2.10
Rockville	W. P. Richardson p W. Rockport	30	54	38	4.30					4.30
So. Liberty	.....	9	24							
So. Montville.	E. A. Dinslow p So. Montville	35	45	50		9.00	8.40	4.20		21.60
So. Jefferson..	H. F. Wood p 20 Norwood St. Portland	30	36	20		10.50	3.00		1.25	14.75
Washington	E. McKinsley Joice									
Montville Q. M.	*.....		7			24.60				24.60
Total 9	.....7.....	280	424	378	9.21	57.56	13.40	4.20	1.25	85.62

Held Friday before 3d Saturday in June, September and December.
Clerk C. S. Adams, So. Montville, Maine.

OTISFIELD CONFERENCE

Bethel	*.....		10							
Canton	B. H. Tilton p ...Canton	34	54	107		24.33			10.00	34.33
Dixfield	F. Pearson p ...Dixfield	26	35	81	7.28	3.00				10.28
East Hebron..	+W. T. Boyd p E Hebron	53	78	60	6.12	18.50	2.50	1.00		28.12
East Otisfield.	C. C. Foster p Oxford R. F. D. 1	24	48	34	2.00		2.00			4.00
Sumner	*.....	7	7							
West Paris	.....	9	17	26	2.35	1.00	1.00			4.35
West Peru	F. Pearson p ...Dixfield	34	76	53		1.00	1.00			2.00
Total 8	.....4.....	187	325	361	17.75	47.83	6.50	1.00	10.00	83.08

Held 1st Wednesday and Thursday in February, June, Sept. and Nov.
Clerk, S. L. Jordan, Oxford, R. F. D., 3, Me.

PARSONSFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Brownfield	N. W. Harrington p Conway Center, N. H.	30	66	31		1.00			4.05	5.05
Limerick	Newton Clough Brownf'd S. Wakely p ...Limerick	63	100	57	11.70	24.00	3.00		17.20	55.90
	M. Holman Dixfield A. F. Schermerhorn Kennedy, N. Y.									
N. Parsonsfield	*.....		14	25						
So. Cornish....	C. E. Brown p E. Parson's f'd	16	27	25						
So. Limington.	F. E. Briggs p So. Limington	60	121	50	2.00	3.40	2.20	1.10	23.65	32.35
S. Parsonsfield	T. F. Maxim S. Limington									
Parsonsfeld	Edwin Blake p S. Parsonsf'd	30	55	25						
Q. M.	.....								16.00	16.00
Total 6	.....9.....	199	383	213	13.70	28.40	5.20	1.10	60.90	109.30

Held 2d Wednesday and Thursday in Feb., June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, Chas. Moulton, So. Parsonsfield, Me.

WATERVILLE CONFERENCE

Burnham	E. B. Foster p....Clinton	10	17	30		2.40	1.20	.60		4.20
Clinton Village	E. B. Foster p....Clinton	45	63	45						
Oakland	A. L. Gerrish p..Oakland	62	73	79	12.80	6.50	5.72	.66		25.68
	E. G. Page .....Oakland									
	W. W. Willey ..Oakland									
Pishon's Ferry	.....	24	46							
Pittsfield	O. H. Tracy p..Pittsfield	170	341	150	19.00	54.00	17.00	8.00	88.15	186.15
	S. C. Whitcomb									
	101 Maple st., Bangor, Me.									
	†Wm. Sweetland Pittsfield									
	†Harry W. Rowe									
	†Arthur Linscott									
	†Chas. Magoon									
	†Mrs. Etta G. Tracy									
	†O. H. Drake									
	†F. U. Landman									
Waterville & Sidney	A. D. Dodge p Waterville	6	9	20		7.00				7.00
Waterville	A. D. Dodge p	53	63	150	22.00	10.00			16.00	48.00
Waterville C.	.....					1.44			1.12	2.56
Total	..... 14	370	612	474	53.80	81.34	23.92	9.26	105.27	273.59

Held 3d Wednesday and Thursday in Feb. and June and 2d in October.
Clerk, Rev. A. D. Dodge, Waterville, Me.

YORK COUNTY CONFERENCE

Acton and Milton Mills	E. W. Churchill p Milton Mills, N. H.	74	95	90	11.00					44.53	55.53
Biddeford	W. M. Davis p Biddeford	131	200	125	19.00	16.50	1.50	5.00	75.00	117.00	
E. Waterboro		10	14		13.67	8.27	5.58	3.50	3.36	35.33	
Hollis	J. W. Williams p W. Buxton	40	62	25		2.25	2.00	2.00	10.00	16.25	
Kennebunk & Kennebunk- port	W. M. Davis p Biddeford	20	21	65	10.00	15.83	4.12		5.00	34.95	
2 Lebanon	F. A. Palmer p North Lebanon	50	80	56	16.35	12.12	6.21	4.55	22.90	62.13	
Lyman	W. H. Hall Kensington, N. H.	28	41		11.61	2.50	1.50			15.61	
1 No. Berwick	Jas. Boyd p N. Berwick	37	78			2.00				2.00	
2 No. Berwick	J. L. Smith p N. Berwick	111	184	200		39.33	35.63	16.57	49.13	140.66	
No. Shapleigh		8	8		6.30					6.30	
Saco	J. B. Jordan, p. Saco	232	282	283	31.00	93.00	26.00	10.00	79.50	239.50	
Shapleigh		14	34		13.66					13.66	
So. Buxton ..	C. E. Davis p Groverville	15	32	30	2.75				2.00	4.75	
Springvale ...	J. B. Ranger p Springvale	136	168	202		11.55	6.60	5.65	25.00	48.80	
	Samuel Poindexter Sanford										
Wells Branch.	W. H. Trafton Lagrange	42	60	70	1.50	3.50	2.00	3.00	27.40	37.40	
York Co. Conf.						541.70	806.70	1.60	69.34	1419.34	
Total 15 ....	..... 12	948	1359	1146	136.84	748.55	897.84	51.87	413.16	2248.26	

Held 1st Wednesday in February, June and November.
Clerk, Rev. C. E. Davis, Groveville, Me.

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Clerk, Rev. C. E. Davis, Grovesville, Me.

Chester		25	46	30					
Enfield				20					
Lee		8	8	30					
Lee & Lincoln		2	11						
Lincoln	H. Graves		20		14.17	2.00		2.46	18.63
Springfield ...	*		20						
Springfield & Carroll	*		9						
Springfield Q.M.	.....							13.00	13.00
Total 7 .....	..... 1	35	114	80	14.17	2.00		2.46	13.00 31.63

NEW HAMPSHIRE YEARLY MEETING

BELKNAP ASSOCIATION

1 Belmont ...	H. A. Childs p Belmont	71	131	110	10.00	10.20	7.20	3.60		31.00
	T. G. Wilder ....Tilton									
2 Belmont ...	F. I. Sargent p Laconia R. F. D.	19	29	35	3.75				4.35	8.10
1 Canterbury.	D. M. Phillips p Canterbury	17	31	30	5.00	5.00			21.75	31.75
East Tilton ..	Irving H. Gray p East Tilton	42	61	60		16.70	8.40	1.12	2.00	28.22
	Burton H. Tilton Canton									
	Geo. W. Gould									
	W. Roxbury Mass.									
Franklin Falls	F. D. George p Franklin	88	144	90	13.00	48.74	25.10	6.17	17.85	110.86
Gilford	D. A. Gammon p Laconia R. F. D. 4	46	82	35	6.01	13.25	1.53		7.00	27.79
	John G. Munsey									
	Laconia R. F. D. 4									
Gilmanton, I. W	John C. Osgood p Gilmanton, I. W.	53	89	50	12.20	10.60	5.00		11.55	39.35
Laconia	J. Franklin Babb p Laconia	206	268	250		33.94	6.00	3.00	143.00	190.94
	F. L. Wiley									
	A. D. Jones									
Lakeport.....	W.H. Getchell p Lakeport	170	227	210	22.60	21.89	15.00		62.00	121.49
	M. C. Henderson									
	St. Johnsbury, Vt.									
Loudon Center	Geo. O. Wiggin p Loudon R. F. D. 8.	56	74	88	17.25	46.53	41.25	18.91	48.30	172.24
Lower Gilman- ton		24	54	35	3.37	1.00	1.00			5.37
Meredith C....	Arthur Lewis p Meredith Center	28	28							
Belknap Asso.					4.30	30.00			18.68	52.98
Total 12 ...	..... 18	820	1218	993	97.48	242.85	110.48	32.80	336.48	820.09

Held 4th Tuesday to Thursday, January, May and September.
Clerk, Rev. F. D. George, Franklin, N. H.

LISBON ASSOCIATION

Carroll	....	..	Z. J. Wheeler p	Twin Mountain	20	31	13												
Concord, Vt.	...	*			4	4													
Franconia	....		George B. Southwick p	Franconia	45	74	45										1.00		1.00
Jefferson	.....	*			25	34	41												
Lisbon	.....		S. S. Nickerson p	Sugar Hill	47	67	35	13.95	29.90	7.40	2.70								53.95
Littleton	.....		J. S. Harrington p	Littleton	69	103	75		7.72	7.84	5.90	6.81							28.27
Milan and Stark	.....	*			5	9													
N. Woodstock	.....		E. G. Eastman p	North Woodstock	38	54	80	11.00	1072.04	19.04	8.82	5.00							1115.90
Whitefield	....		John Manter p	Whitefield	100	170	171	30.00	14.60	12.60	2.30	40.00							99.50
Lisbon Asso.	.....								10.54	6.83	3.43	4.85							25.65
Total 9	.....		6		353	546	460	54.95	1134.80	53.71	23.15	57.66							1324.27

Held 1st Tuesday and Wednesday in Feb. and Oct. and 1st Friday, Saturday and Sunday in June.
Clerk, Rev. Edmund G. Eastman, North Woodstock, N. H.

NEW HAMPSHIRE YEARLY MEETING

MERRIMACK VALLEY ASSOCIATION

(No returns)

Chichester ...	Thos. H. Stacy p Concord	22	23								
Concord.....	C. E. Hurd	216	264	450	51.01	181.20	36.52	13.46	5.30	287.49	
	W. A. W. Hardy Penacook										
Contoocook ..	W. A. Paige p Contoocook	35	59	50		24.60	5.50			30.10	
Epsom	N. C. Lothrop.... Bristol										
	F. P. Wormwood p Gossville	76	100	155	17.00	42.11	23.49	9.17	30.00	121.77	
Manchester ..	C. S. Frost p Manchester	105	226	220	45.56	12.95	8.70	3.60	62.00	132.81	
Newbury		2	7								
Pittsfield	J. M. Remick p Pittsfield	158	240	175	39.00	40.80	17.00		68.32	165.12	
Sutton	C. L. Fowler S. Newbury	31	70								
Warner		3	3		1.00	1.00				2.00	
Wilnot	H. W. Cummings										
	Wilnot Flat	31	57	30	1.00	3.27			5.00	9.27	
Total 10		10	679	1049	1080	154.57	305.93	91.21	26.23	170.62	748.56

Held 2d Tuesday in May and October.
Clerk, Fred S. Heath, Concord, N. H.

NEW DURHAM QUARTERLY MEETING

2 Alton.....	E. W. Cummings p Alton	47	76	90	20.00	12.27	8.51		17.65	58.42	
	N. A. Avery.... Ashland										
Barrington ...	B. D. Newell p East Barrington	38	59	30		1.50	2.50			4.00	
Bow Lake ...	C. G. Mitchell p Strafford	45	63	70	12.00				4.75	16.75	
Canaan	B. D. Newell p East Barrington	28	44	12	4.00	10.50	1.50		5.00	21.00	
Deerfield		3	56								
E. Rochester..	T. H. Scammon p East Rochester	38	58	75	13.54	21.55	10.30	6.65	1.00	53.04	
Farmington ..	J. H. Wilkins p Farmington	87	157	144	14.00	6.50	6.50		24.13	51.13	
	L. H. Winslow										
Gonic	W. J. Malvern p Gonic	46	98	80	33.75	63.75	17.50		96.00	211.00	
Milton	C. B. Osborne p Milton	76	99	75	34.06	12.00			25.25	71.31	
New Durham.	John Vance p New Durnham	29	68	35	7.21	30.40	8.65	2.60	127.50	176.36	
	J. F. Joy.. Farmington										
No. Notting-	J. A. Bailey p West Nottingham	19	35	20		7.05	5.21	3.46		15.72	
ham											
Northwood											
Ridge		79	187	40	6.40					6.40	
Nottingham											
Center		13	29								
Rochester	H. Lockhart p Rochester	143	207	167	27.39	48.38	31.38	13.39	20.52	141.06	
	S. D. Church										
Strafford and											
Barnstead ..		13									
2 Strafford....	D. M. Phillips p Canterbury	45	81	75	7.50	35.00	2.75	2.09	15.00	62.34	
3 Strafford....	George W. Russell	22	42	25		2.04	1.00		5.00	8.04	
	Center Strafford										
Walnut Grove.	T. H. Scammon p East Rochester	19	46	15	6 75	1.25	1.00	2.75	13.00	24.75	
W. Lebanon,											
Me.	C. B. Osborne p Milton	20	37	25	6.30				20.00	26.30	
New Durham.											
Q. M.					38.75	5.67	5.67	2.83	10.00	62.92	
Total 19		17	810	1442	878	231.65	257.86	102.47	33.77	384.80	1010.55

Held Tuesday before 4th Wednesday in Jan., May, Aug. and October.
Clerk, Rev. E. W. Cummings, Alton, N. H.

NEW HAMPSHIRE YEARLY MEETING

ROCKINGHAM ASSOCIATION

Candia	Geo. E. Kneeland p Candia Village	50	60	40	11.75	6.80	9.80	2.90	8.00	39.25
Danville	A. B. Hyde Buffalo, N. Y.	110	144	125	30.50	89.86	43.19	26.72	45.65	235.92
Dover	A. E. Wilson p 10 Richmond st., Dover	168	236		43.75	13.60	12.90	2.46	124.99	197.74
Hampton	G. C. Waterman p Hampton	53	56	73	8.90	19.08	15.08	11.04	68.00	122.10
Kittery Point, Me.	D. H. Adams V. E. Bragdon p Portsmouth	38	40	80	9.25	7.00	7.00	2.50	15.00	40.75
New Market ..	J. A. Wiggin p New Market	34			8.60	4.80			17.00	30.40
Portsmouth ..	V. E. Bragdon p Portsmouth	66	105	72	9.50	11.50	2.50		25.00	48.50
Somersworth ..	Austin I. Davis	158	209	157	35.51	51.45	49.90	20.45	58.49	215.80
S. Berwick, Me.	Welbee Butterfield p So. Berwick, Me.	45	87	90		13.50	4.00		33.00	50.50
Rockingham, Asso.	A. R. Paull Sanford, Me.								19.45	19.45
Total 9 .....	..... 10	722	937	637	157.76	217.59	144.37	66.07	414.58	1000.37

Held in January, May and October.

Clerk, John H. Foster, Candia Village, N. H.

SANDWICH ASSOCIATION

Alexandria	N. A. Avery p	14	29	60						
Ashland	††Fred Fitzpatrick No. Hampton	81	134	120	8.57	41.20	1.20	60	39.22	90.79
Blair	Milton Downing	24	32	50						
Bridgewater ..	.....	19	36							
Bristol	W. E. Kirkpatrick p Bristol	55	102	51	15.50	29.65	8.48	2.00	35.25	90.88
	Welbee Butterfield So. Berwick, Maine									
	David Colley									
	N. C. Lothrop									
	H. E. Wilson Somerville Mass									
Center Sandwich ..	*E. Newell p C. Sandwich	41	79	60	5.39	18.34	8.43	1.60	26.00	59.76
Chocorua	L. G. Clark p ...Chocorua	19	25	30	5.00	15.61	6.20	3.60		30.41
	E. I. Gilman ...W. Ossipee									
Eaton .....	.....	12	42							
Ellsworth .....	.....	10	37							
Holderness	N. A. Avery p ...Ashland	28	57			5.00				5.00
Meredith Village	E. B. Tetley p ...Meredith	84	115		20.21	31.09	20.93	10.84	21.72	104.79
Meredith Oak Hill	*Arthur Lewis p Meredith Center	2	25	30	4.00				4.35	8.35
New Hampton .....	.....	76	96	75	13.72	22.50	15.00	9.91	31.30	92.43
No. Sandwich	*E. Newell p C. Sandwich	12	26	13		6.00				6.00
South Albany .....	.....	10	10							
West Campton .....	.....	22	34			5.20				5.20
W. Center Harbor .....	.....	15	38		50	5.00				5.50
Sandwich Asso. ....	.....								4.25	4.25
Total 17 .....	.....13.....	524	917	489	72.89	179.59	60.24	28.55	162.09	503.36

Held 3d Tuesday in January, May and September.

Clerk, Rev. E. B. Tetley, Meredith, N. H.

NEW HAMPSHIRE YEARLY MEETING

WENTWORTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Canaan and Hanover .....	.....	11	16		1.00					1.00
Canaan and Orange .....	.....	11	44	25	4.25					4.25
Dorchester .....	.....	39	53							
Warren	C. W. Nelson...E. Kingston	36	50	25		80	80	40	6.00	8.00
Wentworth .....	.....	4	8						2.00	2.00
Total 5 .....	..... 1	101	171	50	5.25	80	80	40	8.00	15.25

Held 2d Friday in January and 1st Friday in June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, Mrs. Henry Chase, Wentworth, N. H.

WOLFEBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Alton .....	.....	8	18							
Eaton Center .....	.....	16	24	32						
Effingham	J. W. Farrell p Effingham F	9	10	20		2.00				2.00
Effingham .....	.....								
Falls	J. W. Farrell p Effingham F	26	33	30	3.75	4.00	2.30		11.25	21.30
Glen	R. E. Gilkey p ...Jackson	14	16	33		2.00				2.00
Jackson	R. E. Gilkey p ...Jackson	38	42	72	6.85	64.61	6.36	8.84	2.05	88.71
Madison	John T. Clow p ...Madison	35	42	85	6.25	5.88	3.20	1.60	1.00	17.93
Moultonboro & Tuftonboro ..	J. W. Scribner p Melvin Vil.	30	40	66	7.50	59.85	36.42	10.54	14.20	128.51
1 Ossipee and Wakefield ..	L. A. Jones p Leighton's cor.	39	60	20	4.40	2.00			50	6.90
Ossipee	L. A. Jones p Leighton's cor.	10	15							
1 Wakefield ..	.....	1	1							
Water Village ..	.....	11	32							
1 Wolfboro	A. C. Keith p ...Wolfboro	56	81	64	9.00	5.00			16.00	30.00
2 Wolfboro	A. C. Keith p ...Wolfboro	7	9							
Wolfboro Q M .....	.....				5.00				12.17	17.17
Total 14 .....	.....6.....	300	423	422	42.75	145.34	48.28	20.98	57.17	314.52

Held 1st Tuesday in February and June and 2d Tuesday in October.

Clerk, Rev. A. C. Keith, Wolfboro, N. H.

VERMONT YEARLY MEETING

HUNTINGTON ASSOCIATION

Huntington ..	W. S. Hathaway p Huntington	35	44	60					40	40
Lincoln	J. F. Thurston p ...Lincoln	18	18	65					6.60	6.60
	J. T. Hill ...Bristol R. F. D. 3									
Shady Hill ..	††H. I. Kemp p† Montpelier									
	R. F. D. 2	26	37			2.00	1.00		10.80	13.80
Starksboro	G. H. Grey p ...Starksboro	62	133		3.45	13.15	4.05	1.85	17.45	39.95
Underhill Center .....	.....	10	18	60						
Waterbury Center	Ozro Roys p Waterbury Center	25	30						7.90	7.90
Waterbury River	Ozro Roys p Waterbury Center	12	43	15		2.00			40	2.40
Huntington Asso. ....	.....					5.20	3.20	1.60	12.21	22.21
Total 7 .....	.....6.....	188	323	200	3.45	22.35	8.25	3.45	55.76	93.26

Held 1st Friday in Jan., 2d Friday in June and 3d Friday in October.

Clerk, Rev. J. F. Thurston, Lincoln, Vt.

RHODE ISLAND ASSOCIATION

RHODE ISLAND ASSOCIATION—Continued

East Putnam.	G. M. Caldwell p	35	45	90	4.20	11.43	3.30	-40	19.33
Fiskeville	Fiskeville	8	34		1.12				1.12
Foster	W. B. Greene p East	88	138	108	12.67	241.50	143.52	65.04	462.73
Georgiaville	Killingly Ct.	38	48	60	2.66	8.50	1.00		12.16
Johnston	J. P. Roberts p				2.24				2.24
Morning Star.	Georgiaville	64	97	127	10.25	21.00	38.34	10.00	84.59
No. Scituate.	Robert L. Duston p	39	44	80	6.09	13.66	13.66	3.18	36.59
Norwood	North Scituate	59	91	135	8.60	20.00	27.00	8.00	84.00
Pascoag	E. G. Wesley p Prov.	54	60	163		16.70	13.26	2.03	33.99
Pawtucket,	N. H. Farr Norwood								
Bethany	W. E. Dennett p	253	329	217	32.55	64.99	61.46	16.77	129.55
Pawtucket 1st	††M.T. Emery, p Paw-								
	tucket 31 Heaton St.								
	G. M. Caldwell								
	Fiskeville								
Phillips	C. C. Mitchell p Paw-								
Memorial	tucket 28 Brook St.								
Providence,	J. H. Roberts South								
Elmwood Av.	Attleboro, Mass.								
Providence	H. J. Piper p Eden Park	37	47	100	6.70	35.40	17.99	5.50	65.59
Park St.	A. B. Howard p 18	87	87	100	17.92	9.50	9.50	4.00	146.33
	Arch St.	100	145	138	26.74	22.00	19.34		50.50
	J. Stetson, Providence								
	T. J. Winslade p 106								
	Davis St.								
	E. G. W. Wesley 161								
	Smith St.								
	Mrs. Louisa Fenner								
	Providence								
	S. S. Barney E.								
	Harris Howard Old								
	Orchard, Me.								
Providence,	J. M. Lowden D. D. p	315	498	506	66.00	338.08	117.90	61.21	598.69
Plainfield St.	119 Webster Ave.	155	173	212	16.00	35.00	10.00	10.00	74.50
Providence,	Z. Harrison p 398	261	329	365	27.18	196.40	181.55	83.67	729.27
Pond St.	Washington St.								
Providence,	C. E. Cate D. D. p 158								
Roger Williams	Elmwood Ave.								
	C. W. Griffin 19								
	Roanoke St.								
Rehoboth		4	8						
Smithfield	G. B. Cutler p	99	164	66	14.00	151.70	67.79	25.60	66.95
	Greenville	50	80	30	18.50				18.50
So. Kingston	Irv. Winsor Greenville	20	40	48	2.80	13.40	8.00	3.58	21.00
Taunton	M. P. Tobey p	110	125	98	15.00	14.50	14.50		28.50
Tiverton	Taunton, Mass.	33	76	75	4.76	20.00	10.25		7.00
Union	J. H. Dickson p								
	Adamsville								
	F. M. Buker p North								
	Sterling, Ct.								
	Silas Griffiths								
Warwick									
Central	T. R. Rowe p Conimicut	68	108	130	5.18	1.00	1.00	7.50	14.68
W. Greenwich		13	35	35	2.10				2.10
W. Scituate									
Rhode Island									
Asso.						135.00		4.00	139.00
Total 36		2611	3640	3703	381.96	1565.09	885.89	351.89	920.68
									4105.51

Held Wednesday before last Sunday in May.
Clerk, Rev. G. M. Caldwell, Fiskeville, R. I.

HOLLAND PURCHASE YEARLY MEETING

CATTARAUGUS QUARTERLY MEETING

Elton	Chas Clark p	75	119	125	28.65	57.84	1.73	10.53	98.75
Humphrey &	Philto Miner p	37	46	45	13.83	8.13	5.00	1.25	28.21
Great Valley	.....	25	31	15					
Lyndon	F. S. Cook p	31	35	40	19.30				19.30
West Valley	J. L. West								
	W. H. Peck								
Cattaraugus	Springville								
Q. M.					17.23	9.07	5.27		31.57
Total 4	.....	168	231	225	79.01	75.04	6.73	17.05	177.83

Held 1st Saturday and Sunday in January, June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, Minnie E. Harrison, Salamanca, N. Y.

CHAUTAUQUA QUARTERLY MEETING

Cherry Creek.	††E. A. Osborne† p	34	54	25					
Hamlet	Cherry Creek	24	27						
Total 2	.....	58	81	25					

Held Saturday before 2d Sunday in Feb., Sept. and Dec., and 1st in June.
Clerk, Mrs. Mattie W. Weed, Cherry Creek, N. Y.

ERIE QUARTERLY MEETING

1 Buffalo,	Albert W. Jefferson p	221	287	316	10.00	205.20	9.82	7.86	2.00	234.88
Hudson St.	20 Ketchum pl., Buffalo	154	186	197	4.00	50.00	14.84		25.00	93.84
2 Buffalo,	Benjamin Franklin	57	67	50	11.74	5.86		3.64		21.24
Ferry St.	A. B. Hyde p 42 19th St., Buffalo	148	170	190	13.93	45.70				59.63
East Concord.	Wm. A. Raff									
Springville	E. Concord									
	O. W. Waldron p									
	Springville									
	A. F. Bryant	12	25	45						
West Concord.	*	16	24							
West Falls	*									
Erie Q. M.						10.36				10.36
Total 6	.....	608	759	798	39.67	317.12	24.66	11.50	27.00	419.95

Held last Thursday and Friday in May and October.
Clerk, Anna R. Jones, Springville, N. Y.

FRENCH CREEK QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Clymer and		9	18	40		10.90			10.90
Harmony									
Greenfield									
Union	Jas. Bogart p N East, Pa. R.F.D 5	21	30	40		7.30			7.30
So. Harmony	D. S. Fowler	50	73	50		32.70			32.70
	G. W. W. Carroll								
Sherman		55	75	40					
Total 4	.....	135	196	170		50.90			50.90

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Feb., June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Rev. D. S. Fowler, Niobe, N. Y.

HOLLAND PURCHASE YEARLY MEETING

GENESEE QUARTERLY MEETING

Batavia	C. P. Collett p	Batavia	75	91	83	4.35	13.00				17.35
Bethany	*			49							
Bliss	J. D. Fry p	Bliss	50	75	64						
Cowlesville	*F. H. Colby p	Cowlesville		35	60	3.35	3.55	1.41	.44		8.75
Dale	F. G. Mathews p	Dale	55	93	50		5.00				5.00
East Warsaw	A. J. Wayman p	Warsaw	19	19	45						
Marilla	*J. J. Hancock p	Marilla		57	50		10.00				10.00
Pike	S. S. Mead p	Pike	47	97	50	10.80	3.00		.40		14.20
	F. D. Ellsworth	"									
	Lora Ellsworth	"									
Scottsburg	*			50							
Varysburg	W. S. Holland p	Varysburg	43	54	75		8.00				8.00
	Milo Shoemaker										
Genesee Q. M.						5.10	1.60		.80		7.50
Total 10	11		289.620	477	23.60	44.15	1.41	1.64			70.80

Held 3d Friday in January, May and October.
Clerk, S. E. Fisk, Pike, N. Y.

GENESEE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

MONROE QUARTERLY MEETING

Byron	N. J. Shirey p	Byron	16	16	45	1.00	14.53	2.00	1.00		18.53
East Gaines	C. H. Hoag	Byron									
	O. R. Newman p	Albion									
	R. F. D. 4		34	67	70	13.00	7.00				20.00
Elba and Alabama	*			44	50						
Indian Falls	T. P. Price	Indian Falls	39	45	85	2.60	13.70				16.30
	Carrie H. Price	Indian Falls									
Shelby	*			50	52						
Monroe Q. M.						3.40	3.40		4.20		11.00
Total 5	5		89	222	302	20.00	38.63	2.00	5.20		65.83

Held 1st Friday in June, September and December.
Clerk, Geo. Snyder, Albion, N. Y., R. F. D., 4.

ROCHESTER QUARTERLY MEETING

East Hamlin	E. A. Estey p	East Hamlin	69	104	125	6.00					6.00
East Penfield	Z. B. Dally p	Penfield	99	118	50	30.44	15.15				45.59
	C. B. Hart	Webster									
	Marie McLatchey	Keuka, P.									
Fairport	Wm. R. Wood p	Fairport	206	227	275	18.66	43.41	1.00	5.08		68.15
	R. W. Pickett	Fairport									
	G. H. Durkee	Triangle bldg Rochester									
Hilton	Geo. E. Manter p	Hilton	236	259	225	69.26	81.00	23.41	50		174.17
Lincoln	C. V. Parsons p	Lincoln	127	171	110	5.00	30.59	4.73	1.57		41.89
Morton	R. D. Van Alstine p	Morton	40	50	130	16.14	30.88	5.00			52.02
Murray	W. S. Smith p	Holley R. F. D.	67	81	104	38.08	56.95	6.39	1.00	4.00	106.42
Rochester Q. M.						28.00	69.00	20.47	1.49		118.96
Total 7	11		844	1010	1019	211.58	326.98	61.00	9.64	4.00	613.20

Held 2d Wednesday in March, June and Dec., and last Wednesday in Aug.
Clerk, Rev. C. B. Hart, Webster, N. Y.

UNION QUARTERLY MEETING

Italy & Naples	W. H. Haines p	Naples	30	30	35	82	2.06				2.88
Middlesex	††C. A. Roys p	Middlesex	48	76	75	7.57	4.21	1.74	1.23		14.75
1 Naples	W. H. Haines p	Naples	13	13	30	1.27					1.27
Potter	*		11	13		7.20					7.20
Pulteney	E. B. McGhee p	Prattsburgh	19	41	43						
Urbana	*			30	20						
Union Q. M.						24.57	7.78		3.21		35.56
Total 6	4		121	203	203	41.43	14.05	1.74	4.44		61.66

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in February, September and December, and Friday before 1st Sunday in June.
Clerk, T. G. Jones, Wayland, N. Y.

SUSQUEHANNA YEARLY MEETING

GIBSON QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

Cascade Valley	E. C. Layton p	Thompson, Pa.	18	18	24						
East Lenox	††John Riley p	Lenoxville, Pa.	29	30	52	19.00	1.00				20.00
	O. C. Willson	Lenoxville, Pa.									
Greenfield	*		20	48							
Lake View	C. M. Butler p	Lake View, Pa.	47	86	55	5.01	80		40		6.21
Liberty	*S. W. Lindsley p	Hallstead, Pa.		34	60						
Loomis Lake	*		10	14	20						
Thompson	C. M. Butler p	Lake View, Pa.	9	25	20	16.00	2.00	2.00	1.00		21.00
2 Windsor	G. N. White p	W. Windsor, N. Y.	25	35	30	15.81	5.18				20.99
West Windsor	*G. N. White p	W. Windsor, N. Y.		30	30	25.90			60		26.50
Gibson Q. M.						8.81	3.97		3.03	6.85	22.66
Total 9	6		158	320	291	90.53	12.95	2.00	5.03	6.85	117.36

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in February, June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, A. B. Miller, Lenoxville, Pa.

MCDONOUGH QUARTERLY MEETING (N. Y.)

German .....	.....		22	32	30						
Otselic Center	P. H. Maxson	Otselic Center	20	20	22						
Willet	W. H. Ehlers p	Willet	30	31	20	55.00					55.00
	D. D. Brown	Willet									
	J. S. Tennant	Willet									
McDonough Q. M.							14.00				14.00
Total 3	4		72	83	72	55.00	14.00				69.00

Clerk, Rev. J. S. Tennant, Cincinnati, N. Y., R. F. D., 3.

OWEGO QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

Apalachin	J. M. Glasson p	Warren Center	20	38	40	10.80	2.00		2.40		15.20
Warren	J. M. Glasson p	Warren Center	38	50	25	50.80	7.35		50		58.65
Windham	*W. L. Pitcher p	Warren Center				22.60					22.60
	J. H. Green	Windham Center		45	40						
Windham Center	W. L. Pitcher	Warren Center	45	59	40						
	††D. B. Carter	Windham Center									
Owego Q. M.						3.25	3.50				6.75
Total 4	4		103	192	145	87.45	12.85		2.90		103.20

Held Saturday before 4th Sunday in Jan., Aug., and Oct., and 1st in June.
Clerk, W. H. Coffin, South Apalachin, N. Y.

SPAFFORD QUARTERLY MEETING (N. Y.)

Dryden	W. E. Green p	Ithaca	26	42	35		3.50	1.48			4.98
	Sarah Green	Ithaca		34	13	5.00	5.00			1.00	11.00
Fabins	*Hannah S. Paine			13	20						
Richford	*			4	6	10					
Summer Hill											
Total 4	3		30	95	78	5.00	8.50	1.48		1.00	15.98

Held Saturday before 1st Sunday in Feb., and 2d in June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Albert Mosher, Moravia, N. Y., R. F. D., 17.

CHEMUNG QUARTERLY MEETING (N. Y.)

Baldwin	*.....	17	40	2.12	2.12		1.06	5.30
Elmira, Benton St...	H. R. Saunders p 303 E Church St.	146	150	201	20.00	11.85	2.85	34.70
Elmira Heights	O. L. Nichols p 1421 Elmwood A	96	124	100	46.39	12.00	3.00	61.39
Keuka Park, ..	G. H. Ball, D. D., p Keuka Park	60	74	117	86.11	37.11	11.89	149.77
	Z. A. Space.....Keuka Park							
	A. M. Richardson..Keuka Park							
	E. C. B. Hallam ..Keuka Park							
	T. A. Stevens Horsehead R F D							
	C. E. Brockway W. Spring- field, Mass.							
Odessa *.....	A. D. Shepard p .....Odessa	40	80	80	5.64	27.64	4.61	38.93
Pine Valley ..	*Harry Tillis†							
Veteran	T. A. Stevens p Horseheads R.F.D.	14	16	40	24.80	8.43	40	33.63
Chemung Q.M.	.....				1.28	1.49	13	3.58
Total 7 .....	.....10.....	356	461	578	186.34	100.64	19.48	327.30

Held Friday after 4th Sunday in January, May and November.
Clerk, Lora A. Marsh, Keuka Park, N. Y.

TIOGA COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

Chatham Valley	J. D. Chidester p..Knoxville R.F.D.	2	23	28	30	4.00				4.00
Delmar and Shippen	††M. C. Campbell p Tiadaghton "	1	23	28	34	60	5.78	.30		6.68
Delmar	††M. C. Campbell p Tiadaghton "	1	34	36	35	40	2.40	.20		3.00
E. Chatham ..	J. D. Chidester p ...Osceola "	2	50	75	50	12.15	4.00			16.15
	††Herman Keeney ....Osceola "	2								
	J. W. Ingerick.....Wellsboro									
Gaines.....	L. L. McClain p .....Marshlands	82	121	20	33.00	32.00			2.00	67.00
Holliday	*R. M. Cloud p .....Wellsboro			57	40	4.00				4.00
Keeneyville ..	R. M. Cloud p .....Wellsboro	32		50	25					
Wellsboro	*R. M. Cloud p .....Wellsboro			30	30		4.82			4.82
Tioga Co. Q.M.						52.00			34.00	86.00
Total 8	6		244	425	264	50.15	105.00	.50	36.00	191.65

Held Sunday on or before full moon in February, September and November, and 1st Sunday in June.
Clerk, M. C. Campbell, Tiadaghton, Pa., R.F.D.1.

TROY QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

E. Granville ..	L. A. Roberts p Troy, Pa. R.F.D.63	47	62	50	2.21	2.21	1.10	5.52
East Troy ...	L. A. Roberts p Troy, Pa. "	92	140	82	9.85	4.79	2.39	17.03
W. Granville..	L. A. Roberts p Troy, Pa. "	53	70		74	74	37	1.85
Troy Q. M....					2.04	2.05	1.01	5.10
Total 3	1.....	192	272	132	14.84	9.79	4.87	29.50

Held Friday before full moon in Feb., May, Sept. and November.
Clerk, J. A. Ball, Troy, Pa., R. F. D., 63.

TUSCARORA QUARTERLY MEETING (N. Y.)

(No returns for three years)

Adrian .....	.....	8	8					
Brookfield	C. E. Stuart p ..Austinburg, Pa.	25	25					5.00
Cameron	Wm. Stocum p. Addison R. F. D. 2	30	60	30		5.00		10.00
Freeman	W. Skellett p	24	34	48				
Gibson	John D. Skellett	42	44	70				
	R. D. Van Alstin							
	S. R. Waldron							
Tuscarora ...	W. Skellett p	55	80	60	9.85	2.75		12.60
Woodhull	Wm. Stocum p Addison R.F.D. 2	35	78	50		4.50	12.00	16.50
Tuscarora Q.M.								
Total 7	6.....	219	329	258	14.35	27.00	2.75	44.10

Held Friday before 4th Saturday in Feb., May, Sept., and 3d in Dec.
Clerk, E. A. Northup, Osceola, Pa., R. F. D., 1.

JEFFERSON QUARTERLY MEETING

Crystal Dale..	††Arthur J. Schloop p..Lowville	66	55		5.00		5.00
	J. W. Hoyt						
Depanville ...	F. E. Miller p	47	76	35	10.10	9.81	19.91
	F. H. Hews						
	Jennie Jackson New York City						
Fowler .....	.....	17	37	50			
Harrisburg ...	A. B. Loomis	20	50	45		35.50	35.50
Spragueville ..	.....	19	30	30	20.00		20.00
Jefferson Q.M.	.....				18.10	5.50	23.60
Total 5.....	6.....	103	259	219	48.20	55.81	104.01

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in June and 3d in Sept. and December.
Clerk, Mrs. Sarah J. A. Smith, Watertown, N. Y.

LAWRENCE QUARTERLY MEETING

Dickinson	Mrs. Myra C. Hoyt p Dickinson C.	95	125	100	6.08	14.00		20.08
	Isaac Hyatt							
	Jonas Haskell ..Centralia, Wash.							
Ellenburg Depot	G. M. Cheney p Ellenburg Depot	110	160	120	17.72	2.72	1.26	21.70
	Ella S. Cheney ..Ellenburg Depot							
Hopkinton ...	E. M. Roel p....North Lawrence	11	16	20	2.60			2.60
Lawrence	E. M. Roel p ...North Lawrence	20	32	20		3.04		3.04
Pierpont .....	.....	17	20					
St. Regis Falls	Nelson Ramsdell p	55	61	50				
W. Parishville ..	.....	17	17					
Lawrence Q.M.	.....					26.56		26.56
Total 7	7.....	325	431	310	26.40	46.32	1.26	73.98

Held 2d Saturday in January and June and 3d in September.
Clerk, D. S. Smith, Dickinson Center, N. Y.

NEW YORK CENTRAL YEARLY MEETING

CHENANGO QUARTERLY MEETING

Columbus Quarter	A. D. Walker p New Berlin	90	209	75	94.64	30.27	8.65	15.35	148.91
	R. F. D.								
Holmesville ..	*.....	23	38						
Oxford .....	.....	47	62		3.50				3.50
W. Smyrna ...	H. H. Baker p	55	129	63	2.23	2.96	1.00	1.00	7.19
Chenango Q.M.	.....				14.55				14.55
Total 4	2.....	215	438	138	114.92	33.23	9.65	16.35	174.15

Held last Sunday in May and September.
Clerk, C. H. Tuttle, Upperville, N. Y.

LAKE GEORGE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Hadley.....	.....	19	30	30		5.00		5.00
Hague .....	.....	32	44	22				
North Creek..	F. P. Osborn p ...North Creek	60	75	35	3.65	10.00		13.65
	J. B. Randall ....North Creek							
Putnam .....	.....	66	82					
Lake George Q. M.....	.....					3.20		3.20
Total 4.....	2.....	177	231	87	3.65	18.20		21.85

Held 1st Friday in March, June, September and December.

NEW YORK CENTRAL YEARLY MEETING

OSWEGO QUARTERLY MEETING

Constantia Center	H. H. Ream p Bernhard's Bay	41	46	50	21.53	2.45				23.98
Gilbert Mills..	A. N. Denney p Fulton.....	43	56	60	16.00		1.25			17.25
No. Scriba ...	E. A. Snyder p North Scriba	71	83	80	18.04	1.65	1.70			21.39
Phoenix.....	J. D. Skellett.....Phoenix		96	50	8.25	32.00	1.40	1.10		42.75
Red Creek .....	.....		34	40						
Redfield .....	.....								
Oswego Q. M..	.....				5.16	10.90		2.59		18.65
Total 6 .....	.....4.....	155	315	280	68.98	47.00	3.10	4.94		124.02

Held Friday and Saturday before 1st Sunday in Mar., June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, N. M. Chaffee, Clay, N. Y., R. F. D. 3.

OTSEGO QUARTERLY MEETING

Aldrich Memorial ...	.....		40		2.50	2.50				5.00
Oneonta	C. S. Pendleton p.....Oneonta	365	603	550	287.92	114.11	22.29	9.32		433.64
	Chas. A. Meyer									
Otsdawa .....	.....		52	30	2.51	9.73	2.02	1.45		15.71
Ouleout.....	.....		45	35	2.50	2.50				5.00
W. Davenport.	F. D. Smock p ..W. Davenport	24	35	30	1.60	5.15		1.25		8.00
West Oneonta.	M. C. Miner p ..W. Oneonta	125	141	110	30.34	7.26	5.62	9.37	40.00	92.59
Otsego Q. M..	J. B. Coy.....Lewiston, Me.									
Total 6 .....	.....5.....	514	916	755	336.02	141.25	29.93	21.39	40.00	568.59

Held Friday before full moon in May and October.
Clerk, Edgar G. Horton, West Oneonta, N. Y.

RENSSELAER QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for three years)

Alps	L. R. Champney p		40	45	40	25.01		1.36		26.37
	Wynantskill R. F. D. 3									
E. Poestenkill	J. E. Lappen									
	L. R. Champney p									
Stephentown	Wynantskill, R.F.D.3	30	41	29	37.58		4.00			41.58
Center .....	.....	34	49	35	56.92					56.92
Stratton Vt..	.....	16	25	25						
West .....	.....								
Stephentown.	.....	41	118	40	23.30					23.30
Rensselaer	.....								
Q. M.....	.....					10.00				10.00
Total 5 .....	.....3.....	161	278	169	142.81	10.00	5.86			158.67

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Mar., Sept.; Dec. and 1st in June.
Clerk, Rev. J. B. Randall, North Creek, N. Y.

WHITESTOWN QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Ames	C. A. Buker p.....Ames	100	120	65	27.79	36.50	12.50	1.25		78.04
Grant	L. H. Sprague p	25	29	40	35.23	5.00	2.00	3.50		45.73
	M. N. Shoemaker...									
Miller's Mills..	C. E. Stuart ..Austinburg, Pa.	73	89	49	8.00	2.67	4.62	3.75		19.04
Poland	A. E. Cox p	67	83	100	39.23	40.25	17.00	10.31	54.55	161.34
Prospect	L. H. Sprague p.....Prospect	28	46	42	22.24	7.50	3.70	4.55	10.00	47.99
Unadilla Forks	G. H. Hobart p Unadilla Forks	134	160	80	73.00	71.50	35.75			180.25
Whitestown	.....								
Q. M.....	.....				26.02	8.70		3.60		38.32
Total 6 .....	.....6.....	427	527	276	231.51	172.12	75.57	26.96	64.55	570.71

Held Friday before 4th Sunday in January, May and October.
Clerk, I. J. Griffith, Prospect, N. Y.

PENNSYLVANIA FREE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

POTTER COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Eulalia and Hebron	O. C. Hills	15								
Fishing Creek.	N. M. Mayall† Roulette, R.F.D.1	11	12							
Harrisburg ..	.....	64	76							
Mills	G. R. Wood	5	9							
Sylvania	W. M. Fowler p.....Penn Yan, N. Y.	15	15							
West Pike	M. H. Blackman									
Williamstown	Chas. Marvin .. Hector Corners		22							
N. J.....	.....	50	50							
Potter Co. Q. M	.....								
Total 7 .....	.....6.....	160	184		8.28	8.51				16.79

Held 3d Sunday in February, September and November, and Friday before 1st Sunday in June.
Clerk, W. B. Lent, Ulysses, Pa., R. F. D. 3.

YEARLY MEETING OF FREE BAPTISTS IN
WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

ARMSTRONG QUARTERLY MEETING

Climax .....	.....	15	20	60						
Deanville .....	.....	10	15	35		10.66	10.65			21.31
Oakland .....	.....	7	10	50						
Total 3 .....	.....	32	45	145		10.66	10.65			21.31

Held in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, P. W. Shoemaker, New Bethlehem, Pa.

SOUTHWESTERN QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

Belle Vernon..	C. D. Allen p	170	180	150		15.50				15.50
	Alice Allen.....									
Jennerstown ..	Joel Baker.....Cherry Creek, N. Y.	35	47	40		2.00				2.00
Spring Hope..	††F. J. Smock†.....Jennerstown	17	25	75						
	††F. J. Smock p.....									
Total 3 .....	.....4.....	222	252	265		15.50	2.00			17.50

Held 2d Sunday in Jan. and Oct., and 4th in April and August.
Clerk, A. J. Marston, M. D., Belle Vernon, Pa.

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA YEARLY MEETING

ASHTABULA QUARTERLY MEETING

Burg Hill .....	.....	21	30	58						
Colebrook	S. J. Weed p.....So. New Lyme	18	32	40		3.65				3.65
Conneaut	A. D. Munn p Conneaut R.F.D. 3	24	46	65		3.75	3.75			2.50
Greene	S. J. Weed p.....So. New Lyme	16	21	25		12.00				10.00
Lenox	H. Dockum p	35	35	50		18.52	11.74			12.00
New Lyme	S. J. Weed p	37	57	60		3.19				30.26
••Painesville ..	††A. W. Robinson† p.....Geneva	5	8							3.19
Pierpont	R. E. Benjamin p.....Pierpont	128	167	60	21.00	6.41	5.06	.58		33.05
Sentinel	Leroy Waterman Hillsdale, Mich.									
Sheffield .....	.....	52	52	40		12.73	7.34			20.07
Wellsburg	A. D. Munn p Conneaut R.F.D. 3	16	33	35		2.23	.70	.40		3.33
Ashtabula	.....	5	5	46						
Q. M.....	.....					1.50	1.00	.24		2.74
Total 11 .....	.....6.....	357	486	479	21.00	63.98	29.59	1.22	2.50	118.29

Held Friday before full moon in Jan., May, August and October.
Clerk, Rev. Simeon J. Weed, So. New Lyme, Ohio.

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA YEARLY MEETING

CLEVELAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Beebetown ...	J. W. Wynn p.....Kipton	50	58	75		4.00			4.00
Cleveland, Fi-	T. C. Lawrence p								
delity Chapel	11 Isham Court	312	328	400		388.70	39.84	16.47	445.01
Cleveland,	W. A. Myers, D. D. p								
Scranton Av.	2004 Brainard Ave.	157	181	200		258.85	2.00		260.85
Hinckley	C. H. Searles p								
	Brunswick R.F.D. 3	41	62	70		50.00	5.00		55.00
	T. C. Charlton								
Total 4	5	560	629	745		701.55	46.84	16.47	764.86

Clerk, Mrs. Hattie Eastwood, Brunswick, Ohio, R. F. D. 3.

CRAWFORD QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

(No returns)

Bradleytown ..		36	47	40					
Canal		20	25	50					
Greenfield	W. D. King p	23	23	40		2.50			2.50
Greenwood	W. D. King p	111	144	100		5.16			5.16
Salem	W. D. King p	89	97	50		26.30			26.30
Crawford Q.M.						11.54			11.54
Total 5	1	279	336	280		45.50			45.50

Held Friday before 1st full moon in Feb., June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, M. S. Stevenson, Kennard, Pa.

GEAUGA AND PORTAGE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Auburn	G. V. Frey p	17	26	30					
North Russell ..		20	46	39					
North Solon ..	F. C. Laslette p	30	41	44		5.86			5.86
Randall	F. C. Laslette p	8	8	40					
Total 4	2	75	121	144		5.86			5.86

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in Feb. and Nov., and last in May and Aug.
Clerk, May Farahger, Randall, Ohio.

WASHINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING (PA.)

(No returns)

Juva	C. J. Clemmer								
	Waterford R.F.D. 1.	46	46	25					
Lake Pleasant	Wm. Johnson... Cutting, N. Y.	16	16	30					
Pageville		22	22	20					
Rockdale		43	68	40					
Sparta	Jas McClelland p								
	Spartansburg R.F.D. 5	4	13	25		2.32			2.32
Spring Creek.	Jas McClelland p								
	Spartansburg R.F.D. 5	34	51	30		8.53			8.53
	E. H. Wilcox.....Corry								
Total 6	4	165	216	170		10.85			10.85

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in Feb., June, Sept. and November.
Clerk, Rev. C. J. Clemmer, Waterford, Pa., R. F. D. 1.

CENTRAL OHIO YEARLY MEETING

HARMONY QUARTERLY MEETING

Broadway	T. O. Reed p	68	70	80		5.00			5.00
	H. Dockum								
Marmon Valley	T. O. Reed p	24	30	30		16.47	3.25		19.72
Raymond	T. O. Reed p	34	38	52					
Washington ..		14	14	68					
W. Mansfield.	J. A. Sutton p	121	121	100		3.39			3.39
Harmony Q.M.						3.52	3.52	1.77	8.81
Total 5	3	261	273	330		28.38	6.77	1.77	36.92

Held on or before the 1st full moon in March, June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, Anna Taylor, Zanesville, Ohio, R. F. D. 1.

CENTRAL OHIO YEARLY MEETING

KNOX AND LICKING QUARTERLY MEETING

Centerburg...	L. E. Sealey p	25	25						
Concord	A. A. Sparks	12	16	50		2.50	2.50		5.00
Harmony	L. E. Sealey p								
Rome		48	53	95					
Knox & Lick-		9	9						
ing Q. M....									
Total 4	2	94	103	145		3.00			3.00
						5.50	2.50		8.00

Held on or before 1st full moon in Feb., May, August and November.
Clerk, L. R. Disbennett, Johnstown, Ohio, R. F. D. No. 2.

LORAIN QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Kipton	H. V. Tanner p								
	139 Brookdale st Cleveland	28	43	100					
Rochester	H. V. Tanner p								
	139 Brookdale st., Cleveland	17	26	50					
Spencer		56	68	90		5.40			5.40
Total 3	1	101	137	240		5.40			5.40

Held 1st Saturday and Sunday before full moon in Feb., June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, Rev. John W. Wynn, Kipton, Ohio.

MARION QUARTERLY MEETING

Big Island ...	*F. A. Twining p	17	22	30		3.00			3.00
Claridon	G. E. Barnard p	24	24	30		6.74			6.74
Grand Prairie.	S. Fulton p	63	73	75		17.00			17.00
Green Camp ..	*F. A. Twining p	111	173	120		1.00	1.00		2.00
Larue	E. R. Heywood p	148	180	100		2.00			2.00
Marion	G. E. Barnard p	225	225	150		45.50	2.93	2.93	51.36
Morral	S. Fulton p	51	51	75		4.00			4.00
Wyandot	S. Fulton p	35	35	75					
Total 8	4	674	783	655		79.24	3.93	2.93	86.10

Clerk, Zoe E. Barnhouse, Morral, Ohio.

SENECA AND HURON QUARTERLY MEETING

Bloomville ...	D. W. Gow p	30	38	30		.40			.40
Lykens	Mrs. D. W. Gow								
South Bloom..	Mrs. D. W. Gow p	13	13	30					
Venice	D. W. Gow p	20	22	40					
Seneca and	D. W. Gow p	30	33	60					
Huron Q. M.									
Total 4	2	93	106	160		3.60			3.60
						4.00			4.00

Held 3d Sunday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, H. L. Michener, Attica, Ohio, R. F. D. 2.

OHIO YEARLY MEETING

MIAMI QUARTERLY MEETING

Blanchester ..	A. J. Osborn p	171	245	190					
	F. M. Watkins								
Maineville ...	D. W. Titus p	65	65	45					
New Hope	A. J. Osborn p	24	40	35					
Pleasant Plain	D. W. Titus p	17	28	40		1.00			1.00
	Ira Dudley								
Total 4	4	277	378	310		1.00			1.00

Held in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, Rev. D. W. Titus, Maineville, Ohio.

OHIO YEARLY MEETING

WARREN AND CLARK QUARTERLY MEETING

Beech Grove..	D. W. Titus p	Maineville	36	74	35		3.23	3.22		2.00	8.45
	W. H. O'Neill	Waynesville									
Pleasant Grove..	F. B. Zell	Chambersburg, Pa.	109	131	100		15.00				15.00
Silver Grove..	*		17	42			1.00	1.00			2.00
Sugar Run ..	D. W. Titus p	Maineville	70	99	50						
	John Baldwin	Morrow									
	Alice J. Bagford ..	Spring Valley									
Total 4	5.....		232	346	185		19.23	4.22		2.00	25.45

Held in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Amos Allen, Oregonia, Ohio.

OHIO RIVER YEARLY MEETING

ATHENS QUARTERLY MEETING

Albany	H. K. Freeman p	Albany	60	60	65		5.00				5.00
2 Alexander...	*		18	18	25						
Columbia	*		40	40	65						
Mt. Union	*		20	22							
Total 4	1		138	140	155		5.00				5.00

Clerk, D. B. Sharp, Albany, Ohio.

GALLIA QUARTERLY MEETING

Fairview	*		15	22							
Harris	W. J. Fulton p ..	Rio Grande	26	65	37		1.50				1.50
Harrison	*		16	35	20						
1 Huntington..			61	105	40						
1 Racoon	W. J. Fulton p ..	Rio Grande	139	139	85		59.95	110.25	2.75	25.00	197.95
	J. M. Davis, D. D.	Rio Grande									
	C. O. Clark	Rio Grande									
	W. W. Crabtree†	Sherman, N. Y.									
Union Grove..			36	60	50						
Vinton			25	60	40						
Gallia Q. M...							7.95				7.95
Total 7	4.....		318	486	272		69.40	110.25	2.75	25.00	207.40

Held Saturday before 4th Sunday in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, W. H. Hartsook, Vinton, Ohio.

MEIGS QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Addison	G. E. Moore p	Cheshire	14	24			4.38				4.38
Buchtel	G. E. Moore p	Cheshire					5.00				5.00
Campaign	W. J. Fulton p ..	Rio Grande	127	167	75						
Canaan	W. H. O'Neill p ..	Rutland	64	83	82						
Cheshire	G. E. Moore p	Cheshire	99	159	105		24.32	1.50			25.82
1 Kyger			200	230	117					5.00	5.00
2 Kyger			180	230	100						
Middleport			150	258	95		5.00				5.00
1 Rutland	W. H. O'Neill p ..	Rutland	40	52	75		6.69	2.69	1.34		10.72
2 Rutland	W. H. O'Neill p ..	Rutland	63	63	50		3.00				3.00
Meigs Q. M...											
Total 10	3.....		937	1266	699		48.39	4.19	1.34	5.00	58.92

Held Friday before 1st Saturday in March, June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, J. Howard Stansbury, Rutland, Ohio.

SHILOH QUARTERLY MEETING**

Antioch			12	17	12						
2 Huntington..	*F. N. Bates	Sybene	4	13	10						
2 Middleport..	N. R. Aler, ..	Berlin Cross Roads	6	6							
Providence			20	29	20						
Total 4	2.....		42	65	42						

Clerk, U. S. G. Rogers, Sybene, Ohio.

SOUTHERN OHIO YEARLY MEETING

OHIO SOUTHWESTERN QUARTERLY MEETING

Columbus, Grant Ave..	A. Bundy p		13	18	38						
Columbus, Hol-											
Ioway St. Mis-											
sion	††W. McCall p	Columbus		11	13						
Dayton											
Mission	Hattie A. Green p	Dayton R. F. D. 5	10	10							
New Carlisle..	B. F. Carter p	New Carlisle	6	8							
West Dayton ..	*E. J. Young	Dayton									
Xenia	B. F. Carter p	New Carlisle	10	18	28						
Total 6	5.....		39	65	79						

Held 2d Friday and Sunday in February, April, June and September.
Clerk, Rev. E. J. Harroway, 608 Hawthorne St., Dayton, Ohio.

OHIO AND KENTUCKY YEARLY MEETING

LEWIS QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Concord			29	29	30						
Liberty Grove..			18	22	20						
Science Hill..			34	38	25						
Total 3			81	89	75						

Held 2d Saturday and Sunday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, P. C. Henderson, Poplar Flat, Ky.

LITTLE SCIOTO QUARTERLY MEETING

Fairview	G. W. Vance	Galford	41	80	50		2.10				2.10
	††T. F. Kent.....	Lucasville									
Harrison	*		68	68	50						
Portsmouth ..	F. W. Chase p	Portsmouth	198	227	409						
	R. S. Workman	Portsmouth									
	††G. C. Sprouse ..	Portsmouth									
Rush.....	J. H. Massie† p	Rushtown	30	30	73						
Scioto.....	W. L. Reisinger p ..	Linn	43	73	30						
	R. Boring	Lucasville									
Sciotoville ...	G. W. Vance	Galford	80	101	75						
	J. T. Arthur	Sciotoville									
Total 6	9.....		460	579	687		2.10				2.10

Held 2d Saturday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Rev. G. W. Vance, Galford, Ohio.

WEST VIRGINIA YEARLY MEETING**

KANAWHA QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Beulah			10	10							
Charleston	James Eplin	Charleston	125	125			1.50	50			2.00
	S. H. Norman	Charleston									
	S. P. Robinson	Charleston									
	††John Williams.	Charleston									
	C. E. Dodd	Charleston									
Crown Hill ..	E. M. McVey p	Eastbank	10	10							
Dry Branch ..	E. M. McVey p	Eastbank	40	40							
Immanuel	S. F. Wills p	Lewiston	40	40							
1 Kanawha	E. M. McVey p	Eastbank	65	65							
Lewiston	S. F. Wills p	Lewiston	70	70							
	Eli Cooper	Lewiston									
	N. E. Mericle	Lewiston									
	††Albert Hopkins.	Lewiston									
	Tim Murphy										
Palestine			40	40							
Winifrede	E. M. McVey p	Eastbank	15	15							
	James Kelley	Tomberg									
	N. E. Mericle	Lewiston									
Total 9	12.....		415	415			1.50	50			2.00

Held Saturday before 5th Sunday of each month having five Sundays.
Clerk, Rev. E. M. McVey, Eastbank, W. Va.

WEST VIRGINIA YEARLY MEETING**

MT. UNION QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Christian Home	H. S. Spears, p	Midkiff	9	9							
	H. Spears	Spurlockville									
	A. Sansome	Spurlockville									
Charley's Creek	W. A. J. Smith	Hurricane	48	48							
Free Union			49	49							
Harmony	Hamilton Spears		25	25							
	N. L. McAlister	Nye									
Mt. Isle	W. R. Nestor	St. Albans									
New Fountain	H. M. Fountain	Tornado	58	58							
Pleasant Valley	L. Shoemaker p	Ona	34	34							
Pleasant View	L. Shoemaker p	Ona	39	39							
Union	H. S. Spears p	Midkiff	57	57							
	N. L. McAlister	Nye									
	A. White	Hamlin									
	R. L. Stanley	Tornado									
Total 9	10		319	319							

Held Saturday before 1st Sunday in March, June, Sept. and December.
Clerk, Rufus Stowers, Sweetland, W. Va.

BIG SANDY YEARLY MEETING**

JOHNSON COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING (KY.)

(No returns for three years)

George's Creek			10	20	30						
Rush Fork	H. B. Conley p	Paintsville	75	130	40						
	T. S. Williams	Lowmansville									
	††Jessie Hampton	Mingo									
	††Emil Dils	Mingo									
Jennie's Creek	John Estep p	Paintsville	40	80	25						
	John McFadden	Paintsville									
Little Mudlick	J. E. Conley	Paintsville									
Walnut Grove	H. B. Conley p	Paintsville	30	50							
	T. S. Williams p	Lowmansville	20	90	60						
	††G. H. Young	Mossy, W. Va.									
	††J. F. D. Borders	Ulysses									
	Naaman Borders	Bowen, W. Va.									
	L. F. Smith	Ulysses									
Little Blaine	Lewis Spencer	Charley	30	90	50						
Irish Creek	Kelley Fraley p	Adams	15	30							
Peach Orchard	C. C. Rose p	Peach Orchard	10	10							
	††J. M. Fraley p	Peach Orchard									
	Elijah Hensley	Eden									
Total 8	16		230	500	205						

Held 4th Saturday in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, Rev. Naaman Borders, Bowen W. Va.

WAYNE COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING (W. VA.)

(No returns)

Christian Home	J. W. Moore	Yorkville	38	38							
Covegap	C. W. Murphy										
East Lynn			24	24							
Elizabeth			17	17							
Hopewell	††J. T. Kelley p										
Kentuckey											
Home	—Daniels	Jean, Ky.	35	35							
Mt. Peron	W. L. Adams	Yorkville	25	25							
	Esom Legg										
	S. Spurlock										
	E. Spurlock										
	M. Francis										
	E. Hensley	Inez, Ky.									
W. Va. Home	N. Borders p	East Lynn	62	62							
Total 8	11		201	201							

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Clerk, S. F. Moore, Yorkville, W. Va.

VIRGINIA, W. VIRGINIA, PENN. AND MARYLAND YEARLY MEETING** 39

BALTIMORE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Morning Star	W. A. Brown p	Baltimore, Md.	52	29							
Mt. Zion	Joseph Reason p	Baltimore, Md.	160	27							
Shiloh	W. W. Allen p	Baltimore, Md.	227	127							
Social	C. A. Belt p	Baltimore, Md.	500	200							
	Thomas Jones	Baltimore, Md.									
	A. Faulk	Baltimore, Md.									
St. James	J. Brickhouse p	Baltimore, Md.	39								
St. Mark's	S. Ramcy p	Baltimore, Md.	59	29							
St. Matthew	J. R. Amis p	Baltimore, Md.	250								
Vincent	P. Jannings p	Baltimore, Md.	60								
Total 8	10		1347	412							

Clerk, Rev. W. W. Allen, Clinton Ave., Baltimore, Md.

HARPER'S FERRY QUARTERLY MEETING (W. VA.)

Britain, Va.	J. W. Parker p	Britain, Va.	12	12	30						
Hagerstown, Md.	J. C. Newman p	Hagerstown, Md.	83	85	72						
	††Rolay Myers	Hagerstown, Md.									
Harper's Ferry	N. C. Brackett p	Harper's Ferry	62	66	66	10.67	6.00		5.00	21.67	
	J. W. Ware†	Harper's Ferry									
Johnson	*Wm. Craven p	Shepherdstown		47	30						
Mt. Zion	J. M. Johnson p	Shepherdstown	46	47	38						
Pleasant Valley, Md.	*G. L. Danbridge p	Shepherdstown	20	20	15						
Shepherdstown	G. L. Danbridge p	Shepherdstown	21	24	16						
Wainwright	Wm. Craven p	Shepherdstown	160	225	165						
Total 8	8		404	526	432	10.67	6.00		5.00	21.67	

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Clerk, Rev. H. H. Winters, Harper's Ferry, W. Va.

WINCHESTER QUARTERLY MEETING (VA.)

Berryville	H. B. Harmon p	Berryville	80	80	60	3.00				3.00	
Blainesville	††I. I. Jenkins	Blainesville	36	40	30						
	I. H. Berry	Blainesville									
Craigsville	J. W. Ware† p	Craigsville	45	50	29						
Folly Mills	J. W. Ware p	Craigsville	21	30	23						
Luray	N. W. Hackley p	Luray	60	68	45						
	John W. Jackson	Luray									
	E. L. Brady	Luray									
Martinsburg			57	62	72	1.84				1.84	
W. Va.			30	36	31						
Salem	Geo. W. Randolph p	Salem	116	128	90		5.00	2.60		7.60	
Winchester	Geo. H. Carter p	Winchester									
	John H. Quiett	Winchester									
Total 8	10		445	494	380	4.84	5.00	2.60		12.44	

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Clerk, Rev. W. P. Fisher, 534 W. Martin St., Martinsburg, W. Va.

KENTUCKY YEARLY MEETING**

EDDYVILLE QUARTERLY MEETING
(No returns)

Benton	B. J. Kelly p.....Birmingham	16	26						
	I. Pride†								
	L. Foster†								
Birmingham ..	H. A. Williams p..Grand Rivers	20	50						
Eddyville	Jas. Smith p.....Kuttawa	19							
Garrison									
Chapel	H. A. Williams p..Grand Rivers	14	20						
Jones Chapel.	J. H. Patterson p.....Ironton	35	45						
Kuttawa	J. C. Berry p.....Cairo, Ill.	45	30						
Mt. Pleasant ..	W. H. Dixon p.....Murray	44							
	H. A. Williams...Grand Rivers								
Mt. Zion	J. C. Berry p.....Cairo, Ill.	25	15						
Murray	W. H. Dixon p.....Murray	127	150	5.70					5.70
Pleasant Hill ..	W. H. Dixon p.....Murray	31	25						
Young Grove ..	B. J. Kelly p.....Birmingham	15	20						
Eddyville									
Q. M.....					.50	1.00			1.50
Total 11.....	8	391	381	5.70	.50	1.00			7.20

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Clerk, J. A. Smith, Birmingham, Ky.

TERRE HAUTE QUARTERLY MEETING (IND.)

1 Chicago, Ill.		20							
2 Chicago, Ill.	R. Hayes p.....Chicago, Ill.								
1 Indianapolis.	B. McIntosh p.....Indianapolis	48	60	35					
	††M. Patterson.....Indianapolis								
	Sapphira Phillips ....Indianapolis								
2 Indianapolis.									
St. John.....	G. W. Ramsey p.....Indianapolis	58	59	30					
	M. W. Turner.....Indianapolis								
	F. C. Carr.....Indianapolis								
	P. Howard								
3 Indianapolis.									
Fremont.....	J. W. Maides p.....Indianapolis	28	28	15					
	††Samuel W. Banks...Indianapolis								
Maunie, Ill. ..									
Mt. Olive.....	C. C. Edwards.....Terre Haute	22	23	20					
Mt. Vernon, Mt.									
Zion.....	E. M. Turner.....Mt. Vernon	138	138	40					
St. Mary	Arthur Colman p.....Evansville	20	20	10					
2 Terre Haute	W. S. Hodge p.....Terre Haute	149	149	75					
	Grace Staten.....Terre Haute								
	W. F. Flowers.....Terre Haute								
	Thomas Edwards....Terre Haute								
	P. Morton								
Total 9	18	483	477	225					

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Clerk, Rev. M. W. Turner, 405 Dorman St., Indianapolis, Ind.

UNION QUARTERLY MEETING
(No returns)

Ball Hill	S. Clements p.....Morganfield	17							
Corydon		65	35						
Harrisburg, Ill.		8							
Henderson ...	G. W. Powell.....Corydon	60	20						
	E. H. Ball.....Henderson								
	H. Shutz								
Junction City ..	A. Baker p.....Shawneetown, Ill.	12	10						
Morganfield ..	D. Davis p.....Morganfield	150	90						
	A. Baker.....Shawneetown, Ill.								
	J. W. Waller....Terre Haute, Ind.								
	M. W. Clements.Terre Haute, Ind.								
	S. Clements								
Morgantown ..	G. W. Powell p.....Corydon	50	25						
Shawneetown									
Ill.	L. S. Hill p.....Shawneetown, Ill.	20	15						
	J. L. N. Calvert.Shawneetown, Ill.								
Zion	L. S. Hill p.....Shawneetown, Ill.	45							
Total 9.....	10	427	195						

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Clerk, J. H. Ingram, Morganfield, Ky.

INDIANA ASSOCIATION

LA GRANGE QUARTERLY MEETING

Cosperville....	R. B. Wood p																		
	Columbia City, Route 14	115	134	98	18.00	46.26													64.26
Jones Chapel..	J. W. Rendel.....Wawaka																		
La Grange ...	T. J. Mawhorter p...Wawaka	53	65	45	8.00	49.46													57.46
	R. W. Chamberlin p																		
	La Grange	19	20	46	5.00	8.75													13.75
	Mrs. R. W. Chamberlin																		
	La Grange																		
Pleasant Ridge.	*	30	48	30		10.00													10.00
Rome City	R. B. Wood p																		
	Columbia City, Route 14	75	75	50	7.50	19.75	1.00												28.25
South Milford.	*	45	45	65		2.75													2.75
Topeka	J. C. Steele p.....Topeka	109	120	145	6.00	130.96	2.00												138.96
La Grange																			
Q. M.....						1.61													1.61
Total 7.....	6	446	507	479	44.50	269.54	3.00												317.04

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, C. W. Weatherwax, Rome City, Ind.

NOBLE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Burr Oak		79	74	9.55	16.00	.50													26.05
Ormas	J. A. Cochran p																		
	Columbia City, R.F.D.14	122	100	22.00	22.65														44.65
Pierceton	E. E. Cartwright p.Pierceton	76	79		3.35	2.00													5.35
Salem	J. A. Cochran p																		
	Columbia City, R.F.D.14	17	50	3.00	2.50														5.50
Tippecanoe ...	E. E. Cartwright p.Pierceton	58	95	18.67	5.00														23.67
Wolf Lake ...	G. B. Hopkins p....Wolf Lake	105	93	33.45	62.45														95.90
Noble, Q. M. ...					79.70														79.70
Total 6.....	3	457	491	86.67	191.65	2.50													280.82

Held 4th Friday in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, Mrs. Anna A. Myers, Defiance, Ohio. R.F.D.6.

RIPLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Union	E. J. Tucker p.....Millhausen	80	100	50	3.00	7.00	3.50												13.50
Zion	E. J. Tucker p.....Millhausen	50	70	40		3.75													3.75
Ripley, Q. M. ...					2.00														2.00
Total 2.....	1	130	170	90	5.00	10.75	3.50												19.25

Held 1st Friday in June and 4th in October.
Clerk, E. C. Williams, Osgood, Ind. R.F.D.5.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for two years)

Bear Creek ...		52	66	75															
Belmore		59	71			3.65													3.65
Ridgeville		82	98		9.31	1.00													10.31
Salem		21	29																
Salem, Q. M. ...					2.00	2.00													4.00
Total 4.....		214	264	75	11.31	6.65													17.96

Held 3d Sunday in March, June, September and December.
Clerk, S. E. Prillaman, Portland, Ind.

WHITE COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Badger	A. C. Droz..Estherville, Ia.	93	132	61	56.25	39.95	2.50												25.00
Brookston ...		65	87	80	155.40	152.50	5.00												41.50
Parr		28	34		27.69														27.69
Rensselaer ...	A. R. Harper..Wixom, Mich.	75	80	45	1.00	5.70													6.70
Vaughn		23	31																
Wood's Chapel	B. F. Ferguson..Rensselaer	23	28	33	2.00	1.68													3.68
White Co., Q.																			
M.						10.00													10.00
Total 6.....		307	392	219	242.34	209.83	7.50												66.50

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in January, April, July and October.
Clerk, M. I. Adams, Rensselaer, Ind.

ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING

BOONE COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Cherry Valley.	A. Longfield p..Rockford, R.R.6	31	31	50	2.10					2.10
Kingston	A. C. Brush...Essex Centr., Can.	31	31	50		11.75	.75			12.50
Laona	C. H. Myers p.....Kingston	19	19	35	2.75	12.00				14.75
	Geo. W. Fritz p.....Durand									
	J. C. Gifford.....Juda, Wis.									
Ohio Grove ...	*.....	6	8							
Troy Grove ...	*A. Longfield p..Rockford, R.R.6	14	24							
Total 5.....	5	101	113	135	4.85	23.75	.75			29.35

Held Friday before 1st Saturday in Feb., May, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Rev. Geo. W. Fritz, Durand, Ill.

PRAIRIE CITY QUARTERLY MEETING

Cottonwood ..	Elsie Anderson p.....Bushnell	58	80	90		5.35	1.60	.80		7.75
Flatt	††P. W. Whiting† p....Flatt	35	44	40			2.20			2.20
Franklin	*.....									
Middle Grove ..	Wm. Tasker p.....Farmington	36	45	50	2.06	3.75	1.69			7.50
Oak Grove ...	††Luther Campbell.....Avon	56	60	55						
Paloma	††Luther Campbell p.....Avon	10	10		1.50	2.00				3.50
Prairie City ..	††Luther Campbell p.....Avon	19	19							
	S. T. Dodge.....Prairie City									
Terre Haute....	.....	36	47	40		7.50	7.50			15.00
Uniontown....	Wm. Tasker p.....Farmington	40	47	50	2.85	1.00			23.00	26.85
	††D. B. Lutz.....Rapatee									
	††H. C. Thurman†..Farmington									
	††Jacob Varnold†....Cuba									
Prairie City, Q.									
M.					2.40				2.40
Total 9.....	8	290	352	325	6.41	22.00	12.99	.80	23.00	65.20

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Clerk, Rev. Wm. Tasker, Farmington, Ill.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING

FRANKLIN COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Bear Point ...	M. Fox p.....Tamaroa	60	90							
	W. D. Cockrum.....Sheller									
Hickory Grove.	*.....	25	25							
Kirk	††A. D. Clinton† p.....Ina	25	20							
	††J. N. Allen.....Bonnie									
McGlasson ...	*T. E. L. Curry.....Benton	25	25							
New Bethlehem	W. A. Pitman p.....De Soto		45	30						
New Hope	J. T. Dempsey p.....Ewing	67	100	100						
	††A. D. Clinton.....Ina									
	H. Willmore.....Mt. Vernon									
Palestine	J. T. Dempsey p.....Ewing	58	62	100						
	T. O. Franklin.....Benton									
	††J. L. Franklin.....Benton									
Rescue	††A. D. Clinton p.....Ina	36	59							
	John Lawson .....Whittington									
Union Hall ...	*J. A. Jones p.....Christopher	20	20							
Webb's Prairie	W. A. Pitman p.....De Soto	82	110							
Total 10.....	12	398	556	230						

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in January, 2d in April, 3d in July and 4th in October.
Clerk, Rev. J. L. Franklin, Benton, Ill.

FREEDOM QUARTERLY MEETING

Dorrisville	W. J. Haley† p.....Dorrisville	35	35							
Freedom	J. S. Gullege p.....Marion	100	100							
Liberty	B. W. Ramsey p.....Johnston City	100	110							
McKinney	.....								
Chapel	Bent Durham p.....	44	44							
Smart's Chapel	Wm. SmartGalatia	25	25							
	B. F. Smart									
Union	W. W. Harris	25	25							
Union Grove ..	J. W. Austin	40	40							
Total 7.....	8	369	379							

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Clerk, H. T. McKinney, Herrin, Ill.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING

LEBANON QUARTERLY MEETING

Bethany	M. Fox	Tamaroa	30	42	50					
East St. Louis	L. B. Haines.....St. Louis, Mo.		67	91	50					
	Kate Haines.....St. Louis, Mo.									
	Claude Ryan	Marion								
	J. L. Tatum.....Percy									
Fair View ....	.....		43	58	60					
Pleasant View	.....		56	62	58				2.00	2.00
Sheller .....	.....		20	34	18					
Tamaroa.....	W. W. Jacobs.....Sunfield		94	119	75	4.25				4.25
	H. F. Carter.....Tamaroa									
	T. H. Evans.....Tamaroa									
White Swan ..	A. W. Downs.....Irvington		50	60	40					
Total 7.....	9		360	466	351	4.25			2.00	6.25

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Clerk, Rev. M. Fox, Tamaroa, Ill.

LOONEY SPRINGS QUARTERLY MEETING

Ava	Ralph Mayo p.....Ava	127	138	112		1.90		3.55		5.45
	J. W. Townsend.....Phoenix, Ariz.									
Bartlett	*.....	11	11	30						
Beech Grove ..	R. E. Cofer† p.....Alto Pass	40	75	48						
Bosky Dell ..	A. J. Rendleman† p									
Camp Creek ..	.....Murphysboro	38	38	60						
Campbell Hill.	W. A. Pitman p.....De Soto	80	80	40						
	Claude L. Ryan p									
	.....Campbell Hill	145	162	85	2.50	3.25	2.36	13.00	21.11	
	J. W. McMillan..Campbell Hill									
	G. A. Gordon....Campbell Hill									
	J. V. Musgrove..Campbell Hill									
Chester .....	.....	48	54	40						
De Soto.....	W. A. Pitman p.....De Soto	39	45	40						
Dry Hill.....	.....	32	40							
Etherton	S. L. Grissom.....Pomona	18	22	50	.50	.50			1.00	
Fordyce	*.....	20	20							
Kinkaid	C. R. Taylor.....Murphysboro	25	35							
Murphysboro ..	Fred Comber p.....Murphysboro	166	177	90	7.50	3.50	6.00	1.05		18.05
	Elizabeth Comber..Murphysboro									
	J. L. Meads.....Murphysboro									
Oak Ridge ....	.....	25	70							
Pates Chapel ..	A. J. Rendleman, p									
	.....Murphysboro	39	39	50						
Percy	J. W. McMillan p..Campbell Hill	90	107	79						
	J. L. Tatum									
Pipestone	H. Jacoby	75	116	54						
1 Pleasant	W. W. Jacobs p.....Denmark									
Ridge	J. B. Davis									
2 Pleasant	*.....	28	40	20						
Ridge .....	.....	60	75	40						
Rock Springs..	.....	31	60	35						
Sato .....	.....	68	170	25						
Willisville	Ralph Mayo p	148	171	171	4.11		1.75		5.86	
Total 22.....	18	1353	1745	1069	7.50	12.51	9.75	8.71	13.00	51.47

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Clerk, Rev. G. A. Gordon, Campbell Hill, Ill.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING

MAKANDA QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Carterville		54	54						
Cottage Home		80	80						
Crainville	J. F. Kirk	200	200	60					
Creal Springs	L. W. Miller	72	72	50					
	Glass								
Freewill		100	100						
Harmony		60	60						
Johnston City	J. W. McKinney	93	93	50					
Lander	Wm. Barringer	175	175	75					
1 Marion	A. J. Rendleman p	140	140	75					
	A. Z. Elam								
	Jas. Williams								
2 Marion	Mathers	88	88	40					
Shiloh	M. F. Kennedy	60	60	60					
Spillertown		60	60	40					
Union	J. C. Chamneso	90	90	60					
Total 13	11	1272	1272	510					

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Clerk, M. C. Cowan, Carterville, Ill.

WAYNE COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Blue Point ...	T. H. Evans p	47	58	50					
Gordon		12							
Johnsonville	*T. H. Evans p	26	26						
Oak Valley ...	T. H. Evans p	90	95	90					
Orchardville ..	*								
Salem	J. T. Dempsey p	101	101	60					
Total 6	2	276	280	200					

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Clerk, Mrs. Fannie Jones, Jeffersonville, Ill.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING**

CARBONDALE QUARTERLY MEETING

Carbondale ...	H. Green p	81	86	80	7.40				
	M. Johnson								
	E. Woods								
	D. Woods								
	††A. Parker								
Chapel Hill ..	A. Dunegan p	26	29	20					
	J. R. McDonald								
Duquoin	E. S. Moody p	18	26	13	1.00	1.20			
	Wm. Brown								
	††L. Beckley								
	††S. Mason								
Eden	U. S. G. Moore p	75	80	78					
Grand Tower ..		35	40	20					
Mack's Chapel ..	E. Woods	7	12		3.75	.50	.50		
Muddy Valley ..		8	9						
Pleasant Union ..	*D. Woods p	10	12						
St. Pauls Chapel	J. R. McDonald p	5	7						
Total 9	12	265	301	211	12.15	1.70	.50		14.3

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Clerk, Rev. E. Woods, 423 N. W. St., Carbondale, Ill.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS YEARLY MEETING

MOUND CITY QUARTERLY MEETING

America	M. Moore, p								
	4004 Sycamore St., Cairo	25	30	20	1.00				1.00
Bethlehem	O. T. Judge								
	Chicago	15	20	12	3.00				3.00
Caledonia	M. Moore p	28	35	20	1.75	.20	.20	.10	2.25
Grand Chain ..	H. Hill p	12	15	15					
Morning Star ..	M. Moore p	76	98	34	2.00	.60	.60	.30	3.50
	H. Hill p								
	M. Bass								
	††Wesley Johnson								
	A. Dunagan								
	Sam Cook								
Morning View ..	R. Banderson p	43	43	26					
	††G. H. Lane								
	††C. A. Moore								
Mound City									
Main St.	A. J. Donaldson p	135	142	60	26.25	2.00	2.13		30.38
New Hope	††Isaac Prier	21	23	12					
Pleasant Green ..	M. A. Jones p	37	37	35					
	W. A. Harrison								
Pulaski	R. Banderson	30	35	15					
Salem Hill ...	W. Fisher p	22	28	15					
	G. W. Brunson								
	I. Russell								
	Walter Jones								
Ulin	J. Washum p	19	27	15					
	F. M. Malone								
Union Grove ..	F. M. Malone p	11	20	10					
Villa Ridge ..	I. Crompton p	15	34	27	2.90				2.90
	E. Fowler								
Mound City Q.									
M.					2.66				2.66
Total 14	22	489	587	316	39.56	2.80	2.93	.40	45.69

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Clerk, J. P. Lewis, Olmsted, Ill.

J. S. MANNING YEARLY MEETING**

CAIRO QUARTERLY MEETING

Bird's Point Mo	G. W. Wilson p	17	19	10					
Birdsville	S. Lee p	45	40	10					
	James West								
1 Cairo	W. M. Kelley p	85	90	25	17.50				17.50
	J. M. Arter								
	Robert Sheets								
Caton Springs	L. S. Hill p	47	50	25					
Dog Tooth									
Bend	J. C. Berry p	40	58	18					
Fulton, Ky. ..	M. A. Jones p	141	173	35					
	F. D. Stovall								
Grand Chain ..	S. Lee p	60	75	30					
McConnell									
Mound City ...	J. C. Berry p	50	50	30	5.00				5.00
	G. Curtis								
New Hope	N. Ricks p	200	254	80					
	F. E. Jackson								
	O. Henderson								
Pilgrim's Rest ..	G. Daniels	26	30	30					
	John Kilgore								
Sandusky	*W. M. Kelley	10	19						
Total 12	16	721	858	293	22.50				22.50

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Clerk, Rev. Otrass Henderson, 612 21st St., Cairo, Ill.

CRYSTAL CITY QUARTERLY MEETING (MO.)

Bold Pilgrim.	A. H. Pettie p.....	Poplar Bluff	16	19	20					
El Bethal ...	*W. A. L. Hancock† p.....									
Little Mt. Zion	L. S. Scott p.....	Festus	35	41	15					
	H. Thomas	Bliss								
	H. L. Higginbotham.....	De Soto								
Mt. Moriah	L. S. Scott p.....	Festus	25	30	15					
	U. S. G. Moore.....	Sparta, Ill.								
Mt. Pilgrim ..	A. H. Bostick p									
	4232 Papin St., St. Louis		23	39	15					
Mt. Zion	M. Turner p.....	De Soto	19	19	30					
	L. S. Scott	Festus								
Rock Springs .	W. A. L. Hancock p									
	4131 Papin St., St. Louis		100	150	40					
	A. H. Bostick.....	St. Louis								
	Frank Williams	St. Louis								
	E. W. Booker	St. Louis								
	L. F. Bradshaw	St. Louis								
St. John's	H. L. Higginbotham p....	De Soto	20	26	30					
William's	*Frank Williams†									
Chapel	3940 Papin St., St. Louis									
Woodruff										
Chapel	A. H. Pettie.....	Poplar Bluff	19	20	20					
Total 10....	..... 11		257	344	185					

Held Friday before 3d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, Mary W. Jones, Festus, Mo.

DICKSON COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING (TENN.)

Cedar Grove ..	P. G. Tally p.....	Hamble	16	20	10					
Chestnut Grove	E. D. Robson p	Betseytown	87	103	35					
	Peter Jones	Betseytown								
	Ben Jones	Betseytown								
	Ransom Hughes	Betseytown								
	††Willie Lewis	Betseytown								
	B. S. Steward.....	Betseytown								
	J. S. Collins	Betseytown								
Mount Olive...	E. D. Robson p.....	Betseytown	27	30	15					
	E. L. Collier	Pardue								
Total 3.....	..... 9		130	153	60					

Held 3d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, Rev. Peter Jones, Betseytown, Tenn.

MISSOURI QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Brook's Chapel Fulton, Ky. ..		A. Treadwell p..... H. Hunter p..... ††Frank Flagg..... ††John Eliot..... ††— Wells.....	59	25					
Lily of the Val- ley..... Mt. Pisgah ..		††T. Longs..... S. R. Bullock p..... H. Hunter..... J. Mimbs..... J. W. Smith..... John Crocket.....	37	63					
Mt. Zion..... New Madrid .. Point Pleasant Tiptonville, Tenn.....		..... ..... J. I. Willows†..... T. Sims p..... W. M. Fisher.....	151 51 101	55 70 50					
Total 8.....		..... 13.....	399	263					

Clerk, S. Tidwell, Tiptonville, Tenn.

BRANCH QUARTERLY MEETING

Algansee	C. D. Thornton p....	Reading	44	63	85	1.50	21.50	2.00	18.25	43.25
Batavia.....	C. D. Eddy p.....	Hillsdale	27	47	60	8.00	2.00		37.84	47.84
	††Elizabeth Gray	Denver Colo.								
Kinderhook ..	E. W. Hughes p...	East Gilead	33	72	45	15.25	18.00	32.98	20.25	86.48
North Bethel .	††R. W. Longhouse.	Coldwater	12	12	25		1.00	1.00		2.00
Branch, Q. M. .						7.80	12.38	2.37	1.50	24.05
Total 4.....	..... 5		116	194	215	32.55	54.88	38.35	77.84	203.62

Held on or before full moon in Jan., May, Aug. and Oct.
Clerk, Miss Edna Jordon, Batavia, Mich. R.F.D.2.

CALHOUN AND NORTH BRANCH QUARTERLY MEETING

Burlington ...	H. H. Hoyt p.....	Burlington	35	53			2.00			2.00
Cook's Prairie.			58	76	50	13.59	3.25	3.92	13.25	34.01
Dayburg	D. B. Reed p.....	Hillsdale	34	67			10.00			10.00
Litchfield	D. B. Reed p.....	Hillsdale	54	66	80	7.19	1.00		30.00	38.19
Maple Grove..			14	28		3.00	2.15		2.53	7.68
St. Joseph										
River	H. H. Hoyt p.....	Burlington	45	70	50	1.25	1.76		4.00	7.01
Calhoun and										
North										
Branch, Q. M.						.70	7.27	2.77	2.60	13.34
Total 6.....	2		240	360	180	25.73	27.43	6.69	52.38	112.23

Held on or before full moon in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, L. J. Andrus, Homer, Mich.

CASS AND BERRIEN QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Berrien Center	Geo. Lyons p.....	Niles	45	45	45		1.00	2.00				3.00
Brownsville ..	M. D. Mack p.....	Cassopolis	36	54	50		2.00				13.77	15.77
Mason	M. D. Mack p.....	Cassopolis	55	71	80	7.00	54.83	10.51	3.28		37.08	112.70
Pokagon	Geo. Lyons p.....	Niles	8	8	25							
Summerville ..	Geo. Lyons p.....	Niles	26	27	35		3.00					3.00
Union	M. D. Mack p.....	Cassopolis	42	62	50	13.69	1.75	2.00			11.25	28.69
Cass and Berrien, Q. M...	.....	.....					4.00	4.00	2.00		13.10	23.10
Total 6.....	..... 2 .....	.....	212	267	285	20.69	66.58	18.51	5.28		75.20	186.26

Clerk, John L. Stevens, Cassopolis, Mich. R.F.D.1.

GENESEE QUARTERLY MEETING

Columbiaville	.....	8	25		6.00	3.00	1.00		1.00	11.00
Davison	F. C. Langley p....Davison	143	178	165	8.32	14.20	11.14	4.60		38.26
Dayton	S. A. Comstock....Davison									
Flint River	A. R. Toothacre p..Mayville	88	108	60	15.00					15.00
Goodrich	.....	30	34	45						
Juniata	H. E. Sayles .....Atlas	32	32	40						
Mayville	*.....	33	33	30						
Millington	A. R. Toothacre p..Mayville	104	122	150	26.00	10.08	5.67	3.49		45.24
Ortonville	.....	70	70	100	12.50	18.48	1.67	1.10		33.75
Richfield	A. A. Rose p.....Ortonville	60	70	138	15.00	4.50			20.00	39.50
Vassar	*.....	16	24	64						
Genesee, Q. M.	*.....	25	33	28						
Total 11.....	.....	609	729	820	24.69	12.37	4.90	1.08	5.04	48.08
	..... 5	609	729	820	107.51	62.63	24.38	10.27	26.04	230.83

Held Friday before last full moon in Jan., April, June and Sept.
Clerk, Mrs. Mary, R. Rose, 137 Fenton St., Flint, Mich.

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION

GRAND RAPIDS QUARTERLY MEETING

Casnovia	*††H. H. Howard...	Casnovia	37	47	50				
Kent City	*E. E. Stewart p..	Kent City	46	58	90	16.70	2.14	1.60	20.8
Lisbon	Geo. Dutcher† p.....	Lisbon	19	20	40	1.90	.15		2.0
	G. H. Howard.	Sparta R.F.D.20							
North Casno- via	Amos Rexford p	Casnovia R.F.D.1	7	14	30	2.70			2.7
North Chester	Geo. Dutcher† p.....	Lisbon	35	35	70	25.00	2.00	1.00	28.0
Plainfield	*Geo. H. Curtice.....	Austerlitz	29	34	65			1.00	1.0
Sparta	J. A. Jackson p.....	Sparta	175	200	225	35.60	10.00		45.6
	††H. M. Freeman	Sparta							
West Cannon..	*Geo. H. Curtice p..	Austerlitz	9	13	40	7.60	1.50	.45	9.5
Grand Rapids..									
Q. M.....						32.90	31.89		64.7
Total 8.....	..... 8		357	421	610	122.40	47.68	4.05	174.1

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in March and 1st week in May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, F. W. Porter, Kent City, Mich.

HILLSDALE QUARTERLY MEETING

	*L. A. Miller p..	Reading	35	44	40	5.00	8.00			16.25	29.
Bankers	E. C. Thompson p	Cambria	21	27	60	2.00	5.00				7.
Dover	**†W. T. Lockwood p	Hillsdale	33	71	36		8.05				8.
East Rome ...	*	Fairfield	8	10	23		2.00			2.50	4.
Fairfield	*W. J. Gray p.	D., p	56	87	85	3.05	8.77	4.75	2.32	34.04	52.
Hillsdale	O. D. Patch,	Hillsdale	252	355	234	56.78	139.30	38.28	9.43	53.75	297.
	H. M. Ford, D.	Hillsdale									
	C. H. Jackson	Hillsdale									
	G. A. Jackson	Hillsdale									
	W. P. Van Wormer	Hillsdale									
	J. T. Ward, D.	Hillsdale									
	F. M. Johnson	Hillsdale									
	B. E. Rifenburgh	Hillsdale									
	J. P. Hewes ...	Hillsdale									
	L. Waterman	Hillsdale									
	E. H. Osborn	Hillsdale									
	W. Joy	Hillsdale									
	G. P. Linderman	Paw Paw									
	W. C. Chappel	New York, N. Y.									
Jackson	G. R. Holt p	Jackson	114	133	155	20.00	51.75	18.83	1.00	26.50	118.
Manchester ...	E. M. Parsons p	Manchester	33	47	50		1.63	1.62		25.00	28.
North Reading	C. D. Thornton† p	Reading	45	72	50	20.00	31.00	4.00		37.75	92.
North Rome ..	Frank Brisbin ..	Onsted	35	76	75	7.17	4.40	3.50	2.71	14.76	32.
Onsted	W. F. Cole p.....	Onsted	38	53	75	16.00	20.52	9.09	2.00	35.88	83.
Osseo	Elizabeth Moody p	Hillsdale	65	109	100	4.55	7.20	4.25	4.00	12.48	32.
Pittsford	††B. C. Larabee p	Hillsdale	48	64	50		4.00			21.00	25.
	Harry C. Hull	No. Islesboro, Me.									

HILLSDALE QUARTERLY MEETING—Continued

Reading	L. A. Miller p .. Reading	58	70	60	15.00	9.40	8.27	1.70	27.00	61.37
Sand Creek...	W. J. Gray p .. Fairfield	40	53	40	12.00	3.09	3.70	2.73	5.75	27.27
Seneca .....	.....	11	11	45						
Temperance ..	David Owens p									
	J. W. Tolly, Temperance	90	106	160	15.00	16.60	7.00	2.70	2.00	43.30
	J. Silvernail, Temperance									
Union 664										
Grand Ave.	J. G. Bilhorn p 970 N.									
Chicago	Kedzie Av., Chicago	20	40	50		.60	.40	.30	3.00	4.30
Wheatland....	.....	10	10			1.00	1.00			2.00
Wood Bridge .	E. C. Thompson† Cambria	4	7	30						
Hillsdale, Q. M.	.....				11.70	41.16	3.00		34.18	90.04
Total 20.....	..... 30	1016	1445	1418	188.25	363.47	107.69	28.89	351.84	1040.14

Held 2d Sunday in January, April, June and October.
Clerk, F. Holcomb, Reading, Mich.

HOLTON AND WHITE RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Bridgton	J. W. McLean p	McLeans	17	17						
Holton	Fred Perkins	McLeans	10	12						
Twin Lake....	.....		13	14						
Holton and White River	.....								
Q. M.....	.....				1.55	3.30				4.85
Total 3.....	2		40	43	1.55	3.30				4.85

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Jan., April, Oct. and 3d Sunday in June.	40	48	1.55	3.30
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LANSING QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bath	—McLain† p	Bath	36	54	70		5.17	3.00		9.50	17.67
Elsie	I. B. Buffum,	Bath									
	J. W. Noble,	Elsie	101	132	112	11.35		2.25		6.20	19.80
Grand Ledge..	††N. L. Brass,	Elsie									
Haslett	J. I. Townner	Grand Ledge	92	113	150	5.00	6.75	4.50		3.00	19.25
Lansing, Q. M..	—McLaint† p,	Bath	51	56	105		8.73	8.14	1.00	2.00	19.87
							8.25			9.67	17.92
Total 4	5		280	355	437	16.35	28.90	17.89	1.00	30.37	94.51

Held in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Zola E. Knapp, Bath, Mich.

MECOSTA QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for three years)

Big Rapids	E. L. Comas	Big Rapids	9	10						
Glenwood			8	8						
Martiney	B. A. Crossett p.	Rodney	10	13	25					
	James Young									
Total 3	3		27	31	25					

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Held on or before full moon in Feb., May, August and November.			
Clerk, Chas. Rose, Mecosta, Mich.			

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION

MIDLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Billings.....	I. C. Smallwood p	Gladwin	12	15	30	2.84				2.84
	††A. C. Clark† Beaverton, R.F.D.1									
	††Alvin Rose†									
Gilmore	*G. A. Pitts	Farwell, R.F.D.1								
	John T. Sifton	Gilmore								
Sherman	M. P. Gilmore p	Skeels	21	24	50	5.08				5.08
Midland, Q. M.	.....					7.00				7.00
Total 3.....	6		33	39	80	14.92				14.92

Held on before full moon in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Mary L. Toman, Harrison, Mich.

MONTCALM QUARTERLY MEETING

Bushnell	E. A. Shepherd p	Crystal	30	34	45					
Carson City ...	*A. H. Whitaker p, Carson City		40	50	60	21.50	37.78	60.87	2.75	122.90
	D. J. Owens,	Carson City								
	Harry Smith,	Carson City								
Crystal	E. A. Shepherd p,	Crystal	45	51	45					
So. Crystal ...	A. H. Whitaker p, Carson City		14	16			3.35	1.28		4.63
Montcalm Q. M.	.....						11.15	6.27	1.50	18.92
Total 4	4		129	151	150	21.50	52.28	68.42	2.75	146.45

Held 1st Sunday in March, 2d in June, 3d in September and December.
Clerk, Mrs. Laura Fuller, Crystal, Mich.

OAKLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Green Oak ...	L. S. Jones p	Rushton	30	48	30	3.05	2.74	1.76	1.65	7.20	16.40
	J. C. Robinson,	Coldwater									
	Wm. Risner,	Northville									
Highland	F. W. Reeder p	Clyde	32	45	75	8.00	11.00	2.00	.75		21.75
Wixom	A. R. Harper p,	Wixom	113	113	125	14.00	9.43	4.82			28.25
Oakland, Q. M.	Mrs. Carrie A. Harper, ..	Wixom					8.82	5.35	2.68	3.83	20.68
Total 3.....	6		175	206	230	25.05	31.99	13.93	5.08	11.03	87.08

Held in January, April, June and October.
Clerk, Mrs. Geo. Auten, Clyde, Mich. R.F.D.1.

OSCEOLA QUARTERLY MEETING

Avondale	*R. O. Thompson	Avondale	24	35	70		1.50		1.25	4.00	6.75
Hartwick	*Dan W. Bush† ..	Grand Rapids									
Manton	L. F. Cilley p,	Manton	129	137	140	6.90	12.13	4.07	.80		23.90
Osceola, Q. M.	.....						2.22				2.22
Total 3.....	3		153	172	210	6.90	15.85	4.07	2.05	4.00	32.87

Held in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Mrs. Grace Peel, Avondale, Mich.

OXFORD QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bruce	J. Tree p	Capac	85	100		10.00	5.00	4.00	3.75		22.75
Capac	J. W. Wallace p, ..	New Haven	40	49	60	4.34		1.20			5.54
New Haven...	L. D. Boynton p, ..	Riley Center	20	25	30	6.00	2.30		1.41		9.71
Riley .....	.....									
Total 4.....	3		173	202	90	20.34	7.30	5.20	5.16		38.00

Held Friday before 4th Sunday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Mrs. Mina Wallace, New Haven, Mich.

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION

SANILAC QUARTERLY MEETING

Amadore	O. B. Ansted† p,	Amadore	29	36	60	5.50	9.50	3.00		25	18.25
Clifford	Fred Simmons p,	Clifford	16	46	20		2.05	2.05			4.10
Fremont.....	.....		14	14	55					50	50
Goodland	*G. W. Durkee p, ...	Brown City	29	39	75					1.25	1.25
	S. S. Rosenberger, ..	Brown City									
	N. Vandewalker, ..	Brown City									
	R. W. Freese,	North Branch									
Kingston	A. Curry p,	Kingston	90	131	70	7.00	2.00	1.34	1.00	11.51	22.85
North Branch..	Fred Simmons p,	Clifford	29	71	30		2.50	3.42		22.25	28.17
Novesta	John Willerton p,		26	32	55	1.90					1.90
	Peter Upper,	Marlette									
Oliver	Eugene Sutphen	Elkton	9	14	40		3.50	3.50		5.00	12.00
Pigeon River..	Eugene Sutphen,	Elkton	20	27	40						
Watertown	R. J. Fields p,	Cash	22	22	50					6.40	6.40
Sanilac Q. M.	.....					3.00				12.61	15.61
Total 10.....	11		284	432	495	17.40	19.55	13.31	1.00	59.77	111.03

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. H. Swalles, North Branch, Mich.

VAN BUREN QUARTERLY MEETING

Arlington	H. W. Carpenter p ..	Gobleville	27	27	64	5.00	3.94	8.94			17.88
Fennville	E. P. Boynton p,	Fennville	64	77	50	6.00	14.00	1.00			21.00
Gliddenburg ..	††G. E. Prater,	Paw Paw	11	14	45						
Gobleville	F. A. Brass p	Gobleville	130	137	142		12.50	5.17		21.00	38.67
Oshtemo	Anna Barton p,	Paw Paw	55	93	80	8.75	3.00			27.95	39.70
Paw Paw	T. H. Drake p	Paw Paw	63	75	40		18.60	3.07	80	2.25	24.72
	Anna Barton	Paw Paw									
	I. P. Bates	Paw Paw									
Pearl	E. P. Boynton p,	Fennville	23	27	40	3.25	2.00				5.25
Waverly	A. A. Sparks p, Paw Paw R.F.D. 3		35	43	55	7.11	6.24				13.35
Van Buren Q.M.	J. H. Darling, Paw Paw R.F.D. 3						10.36				10.36
Total 8.....	9		408	493	516	30.11	70.64	18.18		80	51.20

Held Friday before 3d Sunday in March, June, September and December.
Clerk, Rev. I. B. Bates, Paw Paw, Mich.

WISCONSIN YEARLY MEETING

HONEY CREEK QUARTERLY MEETING

Big Bend	Edward Beecher p, Mukwonago		37	44	50	24.57	65.00	1.00	5.00		95.57
	R. F. D. 40										
Caldwell	G. H. Hubbard p, Lake Beulah		22	22	105	16.75	15.50				32.25
	R. F. D. 26										
Honey Creek...	A. A. Glover p, Honey Creek		68	135	110	42.00	46.97	8.45	6.22		103.64
Mt. Pleasant...	.....		40	49	50	22.73	38.12	1.50			62.35
New Berlin ...	.....		22	28	50	5.16	17.80		90		23.86
Raymond .....	.....		5	5		2.50					2.50
Rochester .....	.....		7	7			6.00	5.00			11.00
Honey Creek	.....									
Q. M. ....	.....						27.88				27.88
Total 7.....	3		201	290	365	113.71	217.27	15.95	12.12		359.05

Held 2d Friday in February and 1st in June, September and December.
Clerk, Rev. G. H. Hubbard, Lake Beulah, Wis., R. F. D. 26.

WISCONSIN YEARLY MEETING

ROCK, DANE AND LAFAYETTE QUARTERLY MEETING

Evansville	A. B. Parry p, Evansville	75	106	85	12.75	65.50	3.50		81.75
Johnstown	Mrs. Ellen Copp..... Madison	37	46	30	33.00	23.55			56.55
Mary Kimball.									
Mission.....	Mary Kimball p 106 So. Jackson	25	37	15					
	St. Janesville	7	8	30		17.40			17.40
Oakland		12	32	30	24.00	12.00			36.00
Rutland	A. B. Parry p Evansville	29	82	25		14.60			14.60
South Wayne..		6	29			6.00			6.00
Summer		49	84	65	4.80	30.32	1.00		36.12
Warren, Ill....	C. S. Carroll p, .. Warren, Ill.								
Rock Dane and Lafayette						30.40			30.40
Q. M.....									
Total 8.....	..... 4	240	424	280	74.55	199.77	4.50		278.82

Held Friday before full moon in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Alice E. Andrews, South Wayne, Wis.

WAUPUN QUARTERLY MEETING

Allenville	J. M. Kayser p, Allenville	18	25	34	21.00	25.50			46.50
Burnett	M. H. Bridwell† p, Burnett	40	50	115	23.74	30.25		1.00	53.99
Dale	J. W. Hagerty p..... Hortonville	14		25	3.49				4.49
Fairwater	H. H. Rottman p .. Fairwater	70	84	50	43.78	78.14	5.50		127.42
	O. H. True, Fairwater								
Grand Prairie.	H. H. Rottman p, .. Fairwater	20	25	90	42.19	37.50	7.50		87.19
Greenbush	G. C. Alborn p, Greenbush	20	28	20	3.00	8.22			11.22
Greenleaf	R. Place p, Greenleaf	13	17	40	9.00	5.60			14.60
Hortonville ...	J. W. Hagerty p, .. Hortonville	55	73	93	8.20	21.76		4.21	34.17
Lawrence	R. Place p, Greenleaf	38	38	35	38.23				38.23
Marcellon	O. M. Temple p, Pardeeville								
	R. F. D. 6	22	38	25	17.50	31.50			49.00
Oak Center....	Mrs. M. J. Jewett p, .. Oakfield	25	28	40	14.10	12.00	1.00		27.10
Oakfield	M. J. Jewett p, Oakfield	38	59	30	34.05	22.25			56.30
Plainfield	R. D. Sparks p, Plainfield	14	17	50	6.60				6.60
Rosendale									
Center	*E. G. Hamley, .. Ripon, R.F.D.	15	17	40	18.30	32.08		8.00	58.38
Scott	O. M. Temple, Pardeeville								
	R. F. D. 6	48	84	70	24.00	59.75			83.75
Winneconne ..	C. Heywood† Winneconne	35	56	60	17.25	27.25	3.25		47.75
Wrightstown ..	R. Place Greenleaf	5	6	30	2.48	1.89			4.37
Waupun Q. M.					6.15	88.24		1.44	95.83
Total 17.....	..... 13	490	645	847	333.06	481.93	17.25	6.65	846.89

Held 3d Friday in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, Mrs. G. W. Sherwood, Markesan, Wis.

MINNESOTA YEARLY MEETING

HENNEPIN QUARTERLY MEETING

Brooklyn	J. F. Bennett p, Champlin	23	29	30	80				80
Castle Rock...	J. D. Batson p Farmington	25	29	30	16.60	25.40	2.00	1.20	45.20
	††C. H. Batson Farmington								
Champlin	J. F. Bennett p, Champlin	34	50	50	17.00			3.11	30.00
	Mary Bennett Champlin								50.11
	Edith French, Champlin								
East Castle									
Rock	*	11	14	27					
Minneapolis ..	*R. R. Kennan, ... Chicago, Ill.	141	161	100	6.87	18.33	19.55	10.45	116.45
	John Malvern Sebec, Me.								171.65
Hennepin Q. M.					20.75				20.75
Total 5.....	..... 7	234	283	237	62.02	43.73	21.55	14.76	146.45
									288.51

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in March and June, 2d in Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Rev. J. D. Batson, Farmington, Minn.

MINNESOTA YEARLY MEETING

SOUTH DAKOTA QUARTERLY MEETING (SO. DAK.)

Sioux Falls....	T. O. Comstock p Sioux Falls	30	30	85	39.50	31.50	1.00		8.12	80.12
	††O. M. Parkinson, Los Angeles, Cal.									
Valley Springs	.....	36	36	50		22.70	7.70		27.13	57.53
Total 2.....	..... 2	66	66	135	39.50	54.20	8.70		35.25	137.65

Held in May and December.
Clerk, Miss Rosina H. Palmer, Valley Springs, S. D.

ST. CROIX QUARTERLY MEETING (WIS.)

Beldenville ...	A. S. Reeves p, .. Diamond Bluff	13	18	35						
Cady Creek ..	David Smith† p, Elmwood	39	56	36		46	46	23		1.15
Dallas	Barton Addis p, Dallas	13	18	45						
	G. A. Taylor, Ridgeland									
Diamond Bluff.	A. S. Reeves p, .. Diamond Bluff	18	25	40		21.16	11.50	4.41	10.00	47.07
Maple Grove..	Barton Addis p Dallas	20	20							
Spring Brook..	.....	10	17	40						
St. Croix, Q. M.	.....					4.00				4.00
Total 6.....	..... 4	113	154	196		25.62	11.96	4.64	10.00	52.22

Held 1st Sunday in March, 2d in June and 3d in Sept. and December.
Clerk, Mrs. E. M. Sparks, Diamond Bluff, Wis.

WINNEBAGO QUARTERLY MEETING

Blue Earth ..	T. H. Smithers, p, Blue Earth	80	111	65	10.00	6.79			18.50	35.29
Brainerd	††Curtis Marston p Winnebago	25	44	40	1.50	2.50			73.97	77.97
Delavan	J. H. Davis p, Delavan	28	43	30		24.75				24.75
Huntley	D. A. Tucker p, Huntley	35	45	65	15.20	2.50	3.80		41.35	62.85
Madelia	G. L. White p, Madelia	81	122	50		25.00		5.90		30.90
	B. F. Kelley, Madelia									
Mapleton	*H. F. Bolton p, Mapleton	51	105	60	1.60	12.00				13.60
Nashville										
Center	E. E. Carr p, Truman	50	70	100	12.03			13.78	37.10	62.91
Truman	J. M. Young p, Truman	41	59	75	6.00	3.73		1.63		11.36
Verona	*D. A. Tucker p, Huntley	28	33	50	5.50	2.50	1.00		32.60	41.60
Welcome	*J. N. Longstreet, ... Welcome	25	32	65						
Winnebago ..	G. W. Stansbury, p Winnebago	121	185	193	28.49	150.77	13.20	14.52	95.52	302.50
	E. W. Van Aken, Winnebago									
	J. R. Mowry, Garrison, N. D.									
	D. D. Mitchell, .. Sofia, N. D.									
	††Inah B. Gates, .. Winnebago									
	Curtis Marston Winnebago									
Winnebago, Q. M.	.....					13.60	3.80		9.52	26.92
Total 11.....	..... 15	565	849	793	93.92	234.34	18.00	35.83	308.56	690.65

Clerk, Rev. H. F. Bolton, Mapleton, Minn.

WINONA AND HOUSTON QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Money Creek..	M. L. Dewey p Houston R.F.D. 4	29	51	40	2.00	53.00	9.25		5.83	70.08
New Hartford..	M. L. Dewey p Houston R.R.D. 4	6	9	15						
Pickwick	M. L. Dewey p Houston R.F.D. 4	7	9	25			1.37			1.37
Winona	F. B. Wilson..... Winona	40	70	80	22.00				31.67	53.67
	B. F. McKenney..... Winona									
Winona and Houston Q. M.	.....								2.50	2.50
Total 4.....	..... 3	82	139	160	24.00	53.00	10.62		40.00	127.62

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in June, Sept. and Dec. and last in Feb.
Clerk, H. T. Brann, Houston, Minn., R. F. D. 4.

IOWA YEARLY MEETING

BUCHANAN COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Aurora	D. D. Day p,	Auroa	63	78	70	29.50	5.00		3.05	37.55
	††C. W. Basham,	Aurora								
	A. C. Zabriskie,	Stanley								
Bryantburg			20	22	25					
Central City ..	M. S. Waller p, ...	Central City	126	189	107	19.40			44.00	63.40
	J. B. Gidney									
Dunkerton	J. W. McLaughlin p,	Dunkerton	54	61	85	5.60	5.59	96		12.15
	R. B. Whitaker,	Jesup								
Edgewood	C. H. True p,	Edgewood	16	20	35	1.00	1.00			2.00
Fairbank	J. A. Cochran p	Fairbank	115	143	150	5.00			20.75	25.75
Lamont	D. D. Day p,	Aurora	27	27	60	1.25	1.25		8.05	10.55
Oelwein	E. L. True p,	Oelwein	99	117	130	10.85				10.85
Waubesaek	M. S. Waller p, ...	Central City	22	35	9	9.60	2.75		3.00	15.35
Buchanan										
County Q. M.						13.03	7.78	3.88	6.60	31.29
Total 9	10		542	692	671	95.23	23.37	4.84	85.45	208.89

Held on or before full moon in February and October, and 1st Friday in June and December.

Clerk, Rev. E. L. True, Oelwein, Ia.

CEDAR VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Burr Oak			20	25	50					
David	T. O. McMinn p, ..	Little Cedar	26	31	34					
Horton	A. A. Sparks p,	Horton	36	56	50	5.00	4.00			9.00
	Geo. Hoover	Plainfield								
Lincoln			30	43	50				19.00	19.00
Little Cedar ..	T. O. McMinn	Little Cedar	43	57	65	29.45		3.39	23.00	55.84
Six Mile Grove	A. A. Sparks	Horton	22	36	25				10.00	10.00
Tripoli			10	10		20.00				20.00
Cedar Valley, Q. M.						12.79	2.79	1.39		16.97
Total 7	3		187	258	274	67.24	6.79	4.78	52.00	130.81

Held Friday on or before full moon in February, May, Sept. and Dec.

Clerk, Mrs. Carrie Miles, Tripoli, Ia.

LITTLE SIOUX VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Curlew	G. P. McBride p	Curlew	18	19	75	4.25				4.25
Estherville	A. C. Droz p	Estherville	123	171	135	4.26	5.21	3.02	17.00	29.49
Rutland			19	21					50.45	50.45
Spencer	E. E. Evans p	Spencer	98	132	90	12.00	4.00	11.71		27.71
Total 4	3		258	343	300	20.51	9.21	14.73	67.45	111.90

Held 2d Friday in June and September, and 1st in December.

Clerk, Miss B. C. Bartlett, Estherville, Ia.

VAN BUREN QUARTERLY MEETING

Hillsboro	Thos. McElroy p	Hillsboro	60	100	110	11.22			40.24	51.46
Lockridge	E. Tibbets p	Hillsboro	11	22	60					
Utica	Thos. McElroy p	Hillsboro	24	39	35					
Van Buren, Q. M.						3.45	5.69			9.14
Total 3	2		95	161	205	14.67	5.69		40.24	60.60

Held Friday on or before 1st full moon in Jan., May, Aug. and Oct.

Clerk, Rev. E. Tibbets, Hillsboro, Ia.

IOWA YEARLY MEETING

WAPSIPINICON QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bethel	E. H. Turner p	Tipton	35	35	30				1.51		1.51
Buena Vista			8	8							
Farmington ..	E. H. Turner p	Tipton	24	24	40				4.10		4.10
Mt. Zion	E. H. Turner p	Tipton	53	53	50				1.60		1.60
Pleasant Hill ..	Frank Piersol p	Hale	60	60	43				19.75	5.00	2.01
	W. Ed Meads	Rensselaer, Ind.									
	F. A. Ballou	Clarence									
Total 5	4		180	180	163				19.75	12.21	2.01

Held Friday on or before 1st full moon in Feb., June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Hosea Ballou, Clarence, Ia.

NEBRASKA YEARLY MEETING

CLEARWATER QUARTERLY MEETING

Clearwater	E. Hays p	Elgin	5	5							
Loup Valley ..	Thos. J. Parker p	Cotesfield	14	14					2.53		2.53
Oakland			9	9	15						
Summit	John Morrow p	Cotesfield	7	7					1.50		1.50
Total 4	3		35	35	15				4.03		4.03

Held in Feb., June, Aug. and Nov.

Clerk, Rev. Thos. J. Parker, Cotesfield, Neb.

CUSTER COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Mt. Hope	Wm. Huntley p	Callaway		6							
Zion	Wm. Huntley p	Callaway		10							
Total 2	1			16							

Held Friday on or before full moon in March, June, Sept. and Dec.

Clerk, Orpha O. Henry, Callaway, Neb.

GOSPER COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bethel				12							
Smithfield	L. C. Chase	Marion, Kan.		61	50						
	O. S. Hasty	Arapahoe									
Total 2	2			73	50						

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in March, June, Sept. and Dec.

Clerk, Bessie Armel, Smithfield, Neb.

HASTINGS QUARTERLY MEETING

Elm Island	Wilson F. Davis p	Kenesaw	18	18	50				5.30		5.30
Geneva			13	13	17						
Kenesaw	Wilson F. Davis p	Kenesaw	46	46	40				28.30	10.00	38.30
Thompson			4	4	12						
Hastings Q. M.									1.00		1.00
Total 4	1		81	81	119				34.60	10.00	44.60

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.

Clerk, Mrs. M. M. Myer, Geneva, Neb.

NEBRASKA YEARLY MEETING

MIDDLE GROVE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for two years)

Bonesteel, S. D. W. H. Saylor.....	Burke, S. D.	28	30						
Pleasant Valley.....	A. W. Dewitt .....Blackbird								
	T. L. Hoar.....Bonesteel, S. D.	8							
Total 2	3	36	30						

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, R. P. Hysell, Bonesteel, S. D.

NEMAHIA RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Centerville ...	Isaac Stone	Alvo	12	12						
Copp Memorial	H. E. Wolcott p									
	905 So. 14th St., Lincoln	21	29	30	3.35					3.35
Grandview ...	J. H. Wolfe p.....	Adams	65	105	50	20.80	2.00	8.55		31.35
	Delia S. Wolfe	Adams								
	H. R. Murphy.....	Contal, India								
	Rufus Hayden.....	Sac City, Ia.								
	K. Slot	Firth								
Lincoln	E. S. Branch p									
	1229 N. St., Lincoln	41	46	40	44.25	15.25	3.25			62.75
	E. H. Willisford	Lincoln								
	T. P. Taylor	Fairbury								
Long Branch	Wilmetta Marks p ..	Elk Creek	63	116	60	19.00				19.00
Nemaha River										
Q. M.						14.18				14.18
Total 5	11	202	308	180	101.58	17.25	11.80			130.63

Held Saturday before 1st Sunday in March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Mrs. Della S. Wolfe, Adams, Neb.

NIOBRARA QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for two years)

Mabelo		8	15						
W. Middle Creek	Andrew Bruce	11	55						
Total 2	1	19	70						

Held in March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, M. M. Allen, Norden, Neb.

NORTHERN KANSAS YEARLY MEETING

CLOUD AND REPUBLIC QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Buffalo Valley		32	55	50				6.30	6.30
Summit		79	132	35			5.00	8.41	7.10
Cloud and Republic Q.M.								5.88	5.88
Total 2		111	187	85			5.00	8.41	19.28

Held Friday before 4th Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, Winfield Tufts, Concordia, Kan.

HORTON QUARTERLY MEETING

Denton	T. D. Franklin p	Denton	28	46		3.03	4.00		6.71	13.74
Horton	T. D. Franklin p	Denton	49	77	60	2.05	18.29	2.85	1.41	11.00
Mt. Pleasant...	T. D. Franklin p	Denton	6	8	50		4.00	1.05		5.05
Horton Q. M.						67.71				67.71
Total 3	1	83	131	110	72.79	26.29	3.90	1.41	17.71	122.10

Held Friday before 1st Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, Frances O. Wegele, Horton, Kan.

NORTHERN KANSAS YEARLY MEETING

WASHINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING

Hickory Grove	73	107	77	9.87	1.48	6.55	17.90
Total 1	73	107	77	9.87	1.48	6.55	17.90

Held 3d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. J. Welch, Haddam, Kan.

SOUTHERN KANSAS YEARLY MEETING

ROW VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Little Flock ..	Chas. T. Rodgers p									
	Howard R.F.D.5	107	125	50	2.83					2.83
Mt. Zion	Chas. T. Rodgers p									
	Howard R.F.D.5	22	33		1.79					1.79
Pleasant Valley	J. A. Hale.....	Yates Center	30	45	58					
Salem	Chas. T. Rodgers p									
	Howard R.F.D.5	116	150	70	7.00	3.00		2.75	12.75	
	††J. W. Schofield									
	Howard R.F.D.5									
Union Valley..	J. E. Bayless.....	Chanute	81	87	25		1.16		10.00	11.16
Row Valley ..										
Q. M.						2.00				2.00
Total 5	4	356	440	203	13.62	4.16		12.75	30.53	

Held in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, J. W. Schofield, Howard, Kan. R.F.D.5.

SUMNER AND COWLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Anson	N. K. Simpson p	Conway Springs	41	50	65	5.00	5.00		10.00
Augusta	Lucy E. Skaer	Augusta	21	32		1.00			1.00
Total 2	2		62	82	65	6.00	5.00		11.00

Held on or after full moon in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. C. Newbold, Argonia, Kan.

LOUISIANA F. B. ASSOCIATION**

DAY SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

King Solomon.	J. Davis p	Brandon	33	33	20					
	††Simpson Warden	Water Valley								
	M. R. Hayes.....	Water Valley								
	J. Sellers	Water Valley								
	J. Toles	Torras								
Mt. Pleasant..	W. Jones p	Torras	31	31	25					
	Aaron Maxill	Torras								
	Parker Lenix, Jr.,									
	Fort Adams, Miss.									
Mt. Olive.....	J. Davis p	Brandon	16	16	15					
	††James Verdue	Ratcliffe								
Oak Grove ...	J. A. Washington p	Torras	58	58	40					
	††R. J. Palmer.....	Torras								
	††James Lynch	Torras								
	††Wm. Marshall	Torras								
	††Abe Morgan	Torras								
	††M. W. James	Torras								
	††J. Holland	Torras								
St. Mark	J. Davis p	Brandon	50	50	45					
	††Wm. Bailey	Brandon								
	Mose Clay	Brandon								
Sun Flower ..	N. Mosby p.....	Fort Adams, Miss.	28	28	20					
	††Jos. Hunter..	Fort Adams, Miss.								
Total 6	20		216	216	165					

Held in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. J. A. Washington, Torras, La.

LOUISIANA F. B. ASSOCIATION

EAST BATON ROUGE QUARTERLY MEETING

Bethlehem	J. W. Presser p....Baton Rouge	35	51	24						
Cypress Hall..	††O. J. Handy p .....Lobdell	35	65	43						
	††G. C. Jones .....Lobdell									
	S. Hanix .....Lobdell									
Ebenezer	B. K. Donaldson p .....Howell	25	38	27						
	F. Smith									
Good Hope ...	J. A. Washington p .....Lindsay	75	103	28						
	J. Hamilton .....Lindsay									
	††Jas. Gilmore .....Lindsay									
Little Star ...	I. K. Aikres p .....Zachary	20	24	24						
Morning Star..	*W. W. Andrews p....Port Allen	12	35	15						
Mt. Pilgrim ..	J. W. Gray p .....Lobdell	14	14							
Mt. Zion	E. E. Griffin p.....Baker	39	63	38						
	††T. A. Bell									
St. Paul	E. E. Griffin.....Baker	34	60	35						
	††Randall Slaughter .....Baker									
	Jackson Broil .....Scotland									
	††Carroll Baldwin .....Baker									
	††Press Freeman .....Baker									
Total 9	18	289	453	234						

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. E. E. Griffin, Baker, La.

NEW ORLEANS QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Israelite .....	.....								
Morning Star..	H. Simms .....New Orleans	10								
Mt. Calvary ..	H. Powell .....New Orleans	15	26							
Mt. Zion	John Coleman .....New Orleans	63	75							
St. James	E. Freeman .....New Orleans	42	77							
	††Dorsey Moore .....New Orleans									
St. Joseph	J. Blackstone .....New Orleans	20	10							
St. Matthew ..	R. Johnson .....New Orleans	27	16							
Total 7	7	177	204							

Held in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. E. Freeman, 628 Burgundy St., New Orleans, La.

SUNLIGHT QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Evening Star ..	R. W. Simson p .....Jacoby	26								
Morning Star..	J. L. Colman p ....Tarbert, Miss.	59	46							
	††George Light .....Nocks									
	King Couch .....Torrar									
Mt. Zion.....	J. S. Smith p.....Tarbert, Miss.	30								
Rising Sun ...	F. L. Johnson p .....Ratcliff	17								
St. Mary	J. L. Colman p ....Tarbert, Miss.	20								
	J. C. Filmore .....Torrar									
Total 5	7	152	46							

Clerk, Rev. J. L. Colman, Tarbert, Miss.

SOUTHWESTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING

GREENFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Olive Branch ..	*H. Seward .....Neola	33	40							
Son's Creek....	††D. Madison Carlock.. Greenfield	30	50	50						
Verdella	Allen Shevey p .....Neosho	34	62	74						
Total 3	3	97	152	124						

Held in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. M. Carlock, Greenfield, Mo.

SOUTHWESTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING

JONES CHAPEL QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for three years)

Cave Spring ..	E. Hendrickson p .....Bethpage	30	32	40						
Hopewell	H. E. Rowlands p .....Bethpage	68	101	60						
	N. C. Jones .....Granby									
	J. R. Lewis .....Coy									
	E. Hendrickson .....Bethpage									
	G. M. Hendrickson .....Waddill									
	W. M. Damron .....Joplin									
Macedonia.....	E. Hendrickson p .....Bethpage	33	47							
No. 1 Church..	E. Hendrickson p .....Bethpage	17	21							
	E. C. Whitehead .....Coy									
	L. E. Nutting.....Splitlog									
Pleasant Grove	E. Hendrickson p .....Bethpage	27	32	30						
	C. Thomas .....El Paso									
Pleasant Ridge	.....	36	45							
Salem	G. M. Hendrickson p .....Waddill	9	9							
Total 7	9	220	287	130						

Held in March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, R. H. Nutting, Splitlog, Mo.

SOUTHEASTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING

MADISON COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Marquand	F. J. Brotherton p .....Marquand	50	70							
	††Mrs. Maggie Walton									
Mine La Motte	Joseph M. Baugh p.....Doe Run	70	88	90						
	††Harvey Landon..Mine La Motte									
	††Marian Sykes .....Knoblick									
	James Lawrence ..Fredericktown									
Trace Creek ..	W. W. Callier† .....Marquand	50	57							
	††Jacob Stacy ....Fredericktown									
	††Joseph Stacy ...Fredericktown									
Union Light ..	.....	39	44	50						
Total 4	9	209	259	140						

Held in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, John Hansen, Marquand, Mo.

ST. FRANCOIS COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for two years)

Alsbury Chapel	.....	48	78	35						
Bismarck	L. N. Beard p .....Bismarck	14	15							
Doe Run	W. C. Hill p .....Doe Run	88	109	150						
	John D. Flanery .....Delassus									
	I. L. L. Pond .....Doe Run									
	John Wood .....Doe Run									
	Jeremiah Wood .....Doe Run									
Flat River ...	T. E. L. Curry	62	101							
Pine Grove ...	.....	15	20	30						
Total 5	7	227	323	215						

Held in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. F. Sigman, Doe Run, Mo.

WESTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING**

ARROW ROCK QUARTERLY MEETING

Arrow Rock ..	W. C. Todd p	Arrow Rock	35	50	25						
	††R. Banks	Arrow Rock									
	††W. M. Parkes	Arrow Rock									
Blackwater ...	C. R. Smith p	Arrow Rock	20	30	15						
Burns Chapel..	E. D. Burns p	Sedalia	30	35	25						
Elk Hill	††W. E. Lewis p	Bluelick	10	10							
Napton	C. H. Green p	Napton	20	31	17						
	C. W. Wright	Napton									
	R. Bruner	Nelson									
	W. L. Spears	Marshall									
	††J. Lewis	Bluelick									
Nelson			20	20	16						
Pinesville	C. W. Wright p	Napton	30	45	40						
Total 7	11		165	221	138						

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, Rev. C. R. Smith, Arrow Rock, Mo.

MARSHALL QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bethesda	W. H. Howard p	Lexington	5	10	12						
Elk Fork	C. H. Green p	Greenridge	17	20	10						
	Ed West	Greenridge									
Hayes' Chapel..	E. D. Burns p	Blackburn	28	28	20						
	H. Yarnell	Blackburn									
Mt. Calvary ..	H. Green	Carbondale, Ill.	110	130	40						
	W. H. Howard	Lexington									
	Mrs. Martha Lane	Marshall									
Mt. Olive	D. H. Hawkins	Marshall									
	W. H. Howard p	Lexington	36	40	20						
Mt. Sinai	M. Hawkins	Pilot Grove	10	10							
Pleasant Green	J. T. White p	Pleasant Green	7	7							
St. John's											
Temple	J. P. McDonnell	Gilliam	40	40	25						
	E. D. Burns	Blackburn									
St. Paul's											
Chapel	E. D. Burns p	Blackburn	8	8							
	D. Redrick	Kansas City, Kan.									
	J. T. Harris	Kansas City, Kan.									
	Ed Dunlap	Kansas City, Kan.									
Union Hill ...	C. R. Smith	Kansas City, Kan.	45	45	28						
Total 10	15		306	338	155						

Held Friday before last Sunday in Jan., May, June and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. E. D. Burns, Blackburn, Mo.

NORTHWESTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING

Best Chapel ..	O. P. Georgeson p ..	Pattonburg	30	44	45						
Castile	Wm. H. McKown p ..	Carlow	102	102							
	C. S. Williamson ..	Avery, Okla.									
Center Point..	O. P. Georgeson p ..	Pattonburg	70	90	40						
Grand River ..	T. C. Ferguson p ..	Pattonburg	35	60							
Happy Valley..	Wm. H. McKown p ..	Carlow	47	47	60						
Hickory Grove	Wm. Blevins		35	40	50						
Lone Cotton-											
wood			38	38							
Philadelphia ..	T. C. Ferguson p ..	Pattonburg	114	130							
	††Myrtle Ferguson ..	Pattonburg									
	S. B. Lewis	Pattonburg									
	Thos. Blankenship ..	Cameron									
Pleasant Hill..	G. W. Hensley p ..	Easton	30	30							
Union Third											
Fork	G. W. Hensley p ..	Easton	63	63	60						
Total 10	9		564	644	255						

Clerk, Willis Kerns, Easton, Mo.

NORTHEASTERN MISSOURI YEARLY MEETING

ADAIR QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Bear Creek ...	L. L. Mikel	Greentop	13	13							
Bethel	W. D. McFarlan p ..	Livonia	20	30	25						
	James Shoop	Kirksville									
Freedom	P. H. Veach	Kirksville	39	39	59						
	W. D. McFarlan	Livonia									
	G. S. Latimer	Mapleton									
	C. Mann	Queen City									
Hazel Creek ..	L. L. Mikel	Greentop	6	8	20						
Mt. Olive			25	25							
Mt. Zion	John Bunyard p ..	Worthington									
New Harmony..	Chas. Mann p	Queen City	109	109	45						
New Hope	J. Andrews	Cincinnati, Ia.									
	A. J. Morgan	Cincinnati, Ia.									
Sublett	Joseph Williams ..	Sublett	35	45							
Union	P. H. Veach p	Kirksville	8	16	25						
Welcome Home	W. D. McFarlan ..	Livonia									
Total 11	10		255	285	174						

Held in March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, W. S. Halladay, Kirksville, Mo.

MISSISSIPPI YEARLY MEETING**

AMITE COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING

Brown Chapel..	S. E. William p	Johnson	40	40	16						
Cockerham											
Chapel	A. A. McCray p	Eastfork	150	175	55						
	††S. Cockerham	Peoria									
	A. Simmons	Berwick									
Good Hope ...	S. E. William p	Johnson	12	12							
Jerusalem	Albert Hurse	Little	21	21							
Morning Star..	R. Cockerham	Peoria	15	15							
Pleasant											
Grove	W. Harris p	Summit	77	117							
Shady Grove..	J. A. Walker p	McComb City	75	102	24						
Spring Hill ...	A. A. McCray p	Eastfork	75	90	40						
St. Manning ..	S. McCray p	Magnolia	42	42							
St. Mary	W. Richardson p ..	Vicksburg	50	50	60						
Tangipahoa ..	A. A. McCray p	Eastfork	85	100	35						
	S. Marsalis	Thompson									
Walker Chapel	††Wm. Elzy	Magnolia	14	14	14						
William											
Chapel	A. A. McCray† p ..	Eastfork	12	12	12						
Zion Hill	J. A. Walker p	McComb City	90	100	36						
	J. H. Marsalis	Thompson									
	S. McCray	Magnolia									
	S. E. Williams	Johnson									
	G. W. Ashley	McComb City									
Total 14	14		758	890	292						

Held Friday before 3d Sunday in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. A. A. McCray, Eastfork, Miss.

BON EAGLE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for three years)

Guiding Star..	L. C. Crawford p ..	Blanton	21	25	16						
Mt. Moriah....	I. Spiller p	Eagle Bend	9	10	16						
Mt. Nebo.....	H. Holmes		50	54	27						
Mt. Olive.....	W. Richardson p ..	Vicksburg	67	75	45						
Mt. Pisgah....	T. J. Crawford ..	Grand Lake, Ark.	56	58	35						
Mt. Zion.....	I. King p	Omega, La.	66	67	31						
Rising Sun....	E. B. Belle, Jr.		74	80	36						
	Geo. Murphy	Tallula									
	Ed. Belle	Omega, La.									
	Jack Goodall										
	Jno. McNeil										
	David Wright ..	Grand Lake, Ark.									
	W. Gray	Eagle Bend									
	Jas. Franklin ..	Arcadia									
St. Ann.....	Jno. P. Williams ..		28	30	45						
Sweet Home ..	G. H. Jones p		10	10							
Travelers' Rest	M. Knight p	Carmel, Ark.	5	5	10						
Total 10	17		386	414	261						

Held Friday before 2d Sunday in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. J. P. Williams, Carmel, Ark.

MISSISSIPPI YEARLY MEETING

ROBINSONVILLE QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns for three years)

Mt. Olive.....	P. Lee p	Shelby	26	32							
Mt. Pilgrim...	P. Lee p	Shelby	37	42	58						
	Henry Lee	Shelby									
	J. W. Thompson	Shelby									
St. John.....	T. S. Scott p	Robinsonville	19	19							
St. Paul.....	Wray Turks p	Tunica	44	51	46						
	Moses Hampton	Tunica									
	A. J. Jackson	Tunica									
	Wm. Ruffins	Tunica									
St. Peter	D. L. Sears p	Tunica	130	148	63						
Total 5	9		256	292	167						

Held Friday and Saturday before 2d Sunday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov.
Clerk, J. T. Williams, Shelby, Miss.

NATCHEZ QUARTERLY MEETING

Hayes' Chapel.	B. Allen p	Tarbert	25	25	21						
	John Hutchins	Tarbert									
Infant	J. M. Coleman	Natchez	30	30	18						
	Joseph James	Natchez									
	R. Mitchell	Natchez									
King Solomon.	B. C. Nicholson p	Natchez	13	13	26						
Mercy Seat....	M. White p	Natchez	20	23							
	H. J. Jenkins	Morville, La.									
Mt. Bethlehem	M. T. Tolbert p	Pine Ridge	10	11	15						
	J. D. Johnson										
St. James.....	J. L. Coleman p	Tarbert	40	40	45						
	Melvin Saul	Tarbert									
	John Scott	Tarbert									
	Patt Armstrong	Tarbert									
Total 6	14		138	142	125						

Held before 4th Sunday in Jan., April, July and Oct.
Clerk, Rev. H. J. Jenkins, Morville, La.

UNION F. W. B. ASSOCIATION (TENN.)

Bear Creek....	W. P. Knowling p	Unicoi	33								
Bethany	J. D. Fox	Jearoldstown	124	50							
	A. H. Burgess.....	Baileytown R.6									
	Wm. Blazer	Jearoldstown									
	J. A. Brown	Jearoldstown									
Bradshaw	J. G. Blizzard	Church Hill	43								
Brown's Chapel	G. W. Day p	Baileytown R.5	20								
Cedar Brook..	.....		56								
Cedar Creek...	.....		34			5.00				5.00	
Christian Bend	W. W. Lee p	Church Hill	38	50							
East Knoxville	J. F. Cash p	Knoxville, R.4	24	30							
Grassy Creek..	Wm. Stroup p	Baileytown R.6	31	30							
Green Ridge..	W. P. Knowling p	Unicoi	19	35							
Gum Springs..	.....		12								
Johnson Chapel	J. L. Cagle p	Knoxville	80	55							
Liberty	W. P. Knowling p	Unicoi	115	60							
Magnolia	R. H. Jones	Rogersville	31								
	L. J. Stewart	Rogersville									
Midway	W. F. Buckner p	Midway	109	50		5.00				4.00	9.00
	J. C. Stallard	Midway									
Mt. Carmel....	A. H. Burgess	Baileytown	134	125							
	W. H. H. Morelock,	Baileytown R.6									
New Cross....	W. B. Jones	Greenville	27								
	W. H. Johnson	Greenville									
New Home....	W. F. Buckner	Midway	105	60							
New Prospect.	J. L. Case	Knoxville	95	120							
Pleasant Point	W. M. Clendenen	Dandridge	78	30							
Van Hill.....	G. W. Day p	Baileytown R.5	47	30							
	J. R. Richards	Baileytown R.6									
Willow Springs	W. H. H. Morelock ..	Baileytown	29	40							
Wooddale	J. L. Cagle p	Knoxville	18								
Woolsey .....	.....									
College.....	W. P. Knowling p	Unicoi	48								
Total 24	21		1350	765		10.00				4.00	14.00

Clerk, T. H. Woolsey, M. D., Greeneville, Tenn. R.F.D.15

FLAT CREEK ASSOCIATION (TENN.)

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(No returns)

Beech Grove..	J. R. Banks p	Adamsville	60								
	Culver	Stantonville									
	J. P. Gray	Coats									
Burrough's	.....									
Schoolhouse.	D. D. Mays p	Webb	9								
Cabo	E. A. Vandiver	Enville	31	25							
	J. M. Fields	Enville									
Doe Creek....	J. A. Serratt p	Sardis	89								
	E. A. Vandiver	Enville									
Flat Creek....	J. M. Fields p	Enville	7								
New Home....	J. M. Fields p	Enville	41								
New Prospect.	E. A. Vandiver p	Enville	28	50							
Red Walnut...	J. M. Fields	Enville	15								
Shiloh	E. A. Vandiver p	Enville	17	30							
Solitude	J. P. Gray p	Coats	24	50							
Total 10	7		321	155							

Held in May and August.

Clerk, W. A. Poole, Henderson, Tenn.

GOLDEN GATE ASSOCIATION (CAL.)

Oakland	Wm. Robt. Reud p	1570 Grove St.	52	81	69	17.50	.50	3.50	21.50		
San Francisco.	W. N. Meserve p	1271 Bush St.	14	55		19.85	5.60	2.80	27.50	55.75	
	Axel Brandt..	Point Richmond									
Golden Gate	.....					85.00	37.88	5.88	.44	9.00	138.20
Asso.....	.....									
Total 2	3		66	136	69	85.00	75.23	11.98	3.24	40.00	215.45

Held 1st Saturday in April and October.

Clerk, S. P. Meads, 815 20th St., Oakland, Cal.

WESTERN TEXAS ASSOCIATION

CYPRESS RIDGE QUARTERLY MEETING

Cedar Spring..	Wm. Thompson p	Marshall	11	11	15						
Longview .....	.....									
Blossom.....	C. S. Scott p	Marshall	16	16	10						
Lilly Hill.....	H. P. Patrick p	Marshall									
	F. Lagrove	Marshall									
	A. Daggett	Longview									
	Wm. McAfee	Longview									
Mt. Zion.....	S. L. Banks p	Marshall	40	90	35						
	J. G. Garrett	Marshall									
	I. C. Caraway	Marshall									
1 Pleasant Hill	H. P. Patrick p	Marshall	24	24							
2 Pleasant Hill	S. L. Banks p	Marshall	26	26	20						
	Wm. Thompson	Marshall									
Potter's Creek.	C. S. Scott p	Marshall	40	40							
	J. Davis	Marshall									
	W. R. Spikes	Marshall									
	J. B. Brown	Marshall									
	G. F. Lawson	Marshall									
Spring Hill....	I. C. Caraway p	Marshall	10	10	10						
St. James.....	C. S. Scott p	Marshall	60	60							
	B. J. S. James	Marshall									
	H. P. Patrick	Marshall									
Total 9	14		227	277	90						

Held in February, May and November.

Clerk, Rev. I. C. Caraway, Marshall, Tex.

WESTERN TEXAS ASSOCIATION

DALLAS QUARTERLY MEETING

Ebenezer	J. G. Griffin p	Dallas	25	15					
Mt. Pilgrim ..	N. W. Hennigan p	McKinney	71	54					
	R. C. Chamberlain	McKinney							
	P. Lawson	McKinney							
	H. L. Bady	McKinney							
	J. C. Lawson	McKinney							
New Zion	R. C. Chamberlain p	McKinney	38	30					
	N. W. Hennigan	McKinney							
	W. T. Thomas	Dallas							
Randall	G. W. Winn	Dallas	24	20					
	V. T. Brown	Dallas							
	J. G. Griffin	Dallas							
	G. W. Garden	Dallas							
St. Paul	D. L. Lewis p	Dallas	43	35					
	H. E. Brown	McKinney							
Total 5	12		201	154					

Held in March, June, Sept. and Dec.
Clerk, Rev. N. W. Hennigan, McKinney, Texas.

WESTERN TEXAS YEARLY MEETING

WESTERN TEXAS QUARTERLY MEETING

(No returns)

Easley's Chapel	A. J. Barnett p	Carbon	40	45					
	R. B. Easley	Comanche	15						
Elmgrove	J. C. Creamer p	Comanche	11	20					
Delmar	A. J. Barnett p	Carbon	10						
Liberty Hill ..	T. A. Strain p	Cisco							
	††F. T. Emert	Floydada							
	††W. G. Wetzel	Comanche							
Mt. Olive	A. J. Barnett p	Carbon	41	50					
Salt Springs ..	J. E. Raney p	Acton	45	50					
	J. C. Weathers	Comanche							
Total 6	8		162	165					

Clerk, W. E. Pannell, Comanche, Tex.

BENGAL AND ORISSA YEARLY MEETING (INDIA)

BALASORE QUARTERLY MEETING

Balasore	Geo. H. Hamlen	Balasore	199	276	483				
	E. H. Lougher	Balasore							
	C. A. Collett	Balasore							
	Joseph Fullonton	Balasore							
	Kamala K. Nayak	Balasore							
	Gangadhar Rath	Balasore							
	Probodh Chundra Nayak	Balasore							
Bhadrak	C. A. Collett	Balasore	9	25	47				
	Rajani Mahapatra p	Balasore							
Chandball	M. J. Coldren	Chandball	20	40	446				
	Caleb Hudson p	Chandball							
	Apana Monjet	Chandball							
	Padmalochan Das	Chandball							
	Debraj Singh	Chandball							
Jellasore	Z. F. Griffin	Hatigarh	37	51	57				
	Umesh Chundra Patra								
Metrapore	E. H. Lougher	Balasore	38	46	72				
	Krushna Das p								
Santipore	Z. F. Griffin	Hatigarh	178	195	571				
	L. C. Griffin	Hatigarh							
	Umesh Chundra Patra p								
	Hiram Curtis								
	Kuar Mahanty								
Ujurda	E. H. Lougher	Balasore	33	34	62				
	Natobar Singh p								
Total 7	20		514	667	1738				

BENGAL AND ORISSA YEARLY MEETING (INDIA)

MIDNAPORE QUARTERLY MEETING

Bhanga Mora			4	4					
Bhimpore	A. L. Kennan, M. D.	Lalgarh	134	258	1374				
	Peleram Kisku p								
	Champa Murmu								
	Narayan Soren								
	Paru Kisku								
	Suriya Hembrom								
	Sundor Murmu								
	Debonath Marndi								
	Dubku Hembrom								
	Tono Hasda								
Chitrapathar ..			29	31	31				
Contai	H. R. Murphy	Contai	8	12	28				
	Chas. Das								
	Ram Prasanna Mukerjee								
Kalamatia			17	17	25				
Kenduasole			10	12	38				
Kharagpur	J. H. Oxrieder	Kharagpur	24	61					
	Koilas Chundra Mahapatra								
	Joseph Singh								
Midnapore	H. E. Wyman	Midnapore	126	150	493				
	Sachidananda Rai								
	Jacob Mishra								
	Samuel Das								
	Amrit Lal Mahity								
	Copal Das								
	Philip Baski								
	Hridoi Chundra Patra								
	Chundra Lela								
Palasbani			14	14	19				
Salgadia	Jhampard Santara p		30	36	79				
	Ram Jena								
Satbankara					25				
Topabon			19	19	20				
Uda			9	9	24				
Total 13	27		424	623	2156				

CHURCHES NOT CONNECTED WITH ANY QUARTERLY MEETING

Brooklyn, N. Y.	Rivington D. Lord, D.D., p 593 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.	425	497	375		46.00	32.40	7.00	19.00	104.40
Knowlton, Ia.	*G. W. Ringler..Knowlton, Ia.		36	35						
Montour, Ia.	H. S. Dixon p....Montour, Ia.	6	6			.50	.50			1.00
	††G. C. Dixon ....Montour, Ia.									
Unicoi, Tenn.	J. W. Lucas.....Unicoi, Tenn.	27	39			7.03				7.03
	D. L. Howell....Unicoi, Tenn.									
	E. W. Akard....Unicoi, Tenn.									
Total 4	7	458	578	410		53.53	32.90	7.00	19.00	112.43

BODIES NOT CONNECTED WITH GENERAL CONFERENCE

BEAVER CREEK ASSOCIATION (ALA)**

(No returns for three years)

Blue Springs..	S. Wallace p	Guin	18	23	11				
	††J. R. Spearman	Bexar							
Corinth Chapel	F. P. Riggans p	Hamilton	16	24	13				
Good Hope ...	S. G. McCrady p	Sulligent	18	22	16				
	Z. Swanigan	Wheetley, Ark.							
	O. J. Metcalf	Wheetley, Ark.							
Macedonia	S. G. McCrady	Sulligent	20	23	20				
Mt. Olive	H. M. Terrell p	Guin	15	21	11				
Mt. Pleasant ..	H. M. Terrell	Guin	36	40	32				
	J. H. Terrell	Wheetley, Ark.							
	E. Bowman	Vernon							
New Home	H. B. Spearse p	Shekel, Miss.	11	14					
New Hope	M. R. Rome p	Wheetley, Ark.	60	68	41				
Wesley Chapel	H. M. Terrell	Guin	35	45	25				
Total 9	11		229	280	169				

Held in January, April and July.
Clerk, H. W. Spearman, Hamilton, Ala.

CAVE SPRING ASSOCIATION (MO.)

(No returns)

Bethany	J. R. W. Harbison	Myrtle	29	13						
	††G. J. Endicott†	Myrtle								
	††W. J. Williams†	Myrtle								
Cave Spring ..	D. R. Johnson	Alton	57							
	Wm. Pierce	Alton								
	††W. P. Staysdill	Alton								
Cotton Creek ..	T. J. Dunkin	Myrtle	45							
	P. W. Harlem†									
Garfield			13							
Mill Creek			19	30						
Mt. Olive	J. H. Haraldson	Myrtle	40							
No. Township ..	N. R. Whitman	Thayer	13							
Oak Grove	David Johnson	Hy	12							
Pike Creek	Martin Barnes	Winona	28							
	— Narras	Winona								
Piney	N. Combs	Garfield	57							
Smyrna										
Friendship			73							
Walnut Grove ..	T. A. Wayoner†	Elm Store, Ark.	55							
	S. O. Buckley†	Elm Store, Ark.								
Total 12	16		441	43						

Held in February, May, August and November.
Clerk, J. J. Sitton, Garfield, Mo.

LACLEDE COUNTY ASSOCIATION (MO.)

Corinth	A. L. Broyles	Delto	26							
Cross Roads ..	S. N. Reid p	Abo	83							
	J. R. Reid	Abo								
	M. E. Bingham	Drynob								
	E. Bingham	Drynob								
	Wm. Bingham	Drynob								
Eldridge	Ira Waterman p	Eldridge	87							
	R. W. Waterman	Eldridge								
	F. B. Odom	Eldridge								
	J. W. Curran	Eldridge								
	H. F. Weaver	Waverly								
	F. M. Phelps	Fair Grove								
Greenridge			41							
Happy Hill		Delto	23							
Ira	M. M. Kelley† p	Ira	58							
	C. M. Rector	Ira								
Lone Dove			85							
Mt. Hope	††Robert Agee†	Lebanon	24							
Mt. Pisgah	J. F. McSpadden	Lebanon	39							
Mt. View	W. T. James	Broadway	29							
North Fristoe ..	M. H. Reed p	Warsaw	20							
	Wm. West	Fristoe								
	James Dopp	Fristoe								
	††Geo. Turner†	Fristoe								
Plain View	M. D. Johnson	Russ	25							
Pleasant Union ..	M. T. Lomenick	Lebanon	42							
South Union			13							
Union Chapel ..	Wm. Scheats p	Agnes	44							
	††D. Milligan	Competition								
	A. J. Chambers	Competition								
Walker Hollow ..	J. L. Jones p	Bath	44							
	J. H. Jones	Bath								
Total 16	28		683							

Held Thursday before 1st Sunday in October.
Clerk, Rev. Ira Waterman, Eldridge, Mo.

LIBERTY ASSOCIATION (GA.)

Bethlehem	J. E. Thompson p	Hartsfield	140	140						
	G. W. Cannon	Pavo								
Cool Spring ..	W. A. Pope p	Norman Park	90	90	43					
	B. J. Griffin	Debbie								
Greenwood	W. A. Pope p	Norman Park	27	27						
Hartsfield	J. E. Thompson p	Hartsfield	40	40						
	W. G. Stovall	Moultrie								
New Bethel	N. E. Massey p	Isabella	55	55						
New Prospect ..	*			57						
New Hope	W. A. Pope p	Norman Park		27						
Pine Level	*Thomas Howell	Miami, Fla.								
Pleasant Hill ..	J. E. Thompson p	Hartsfield	19	19						
Pleasant Home ..	*		28	28						
Spring Hill ..	W. T. Sellers p	Faircloth	102	102	19					
Saco	W. A. Pope p	Norman Park	70	70						
	C. M. Hall	Thomasville								
	G. H. Akridge	Hartsfield								
	B. C. Sharpe	Jacksonville, Fla.								
Union Hill	J. L. Akridge p	Akridge	70	70						
Total 13	12		641	725	62					

Held Tuesday after 2d Sunday in October.
Associational Clerk, Charles M. Burtz, Camilla, Ga.

DISTRICT ASSOCIATION (ALA.)

Burts Chapel ..	*††R. B. Brown	Hillsboro	7	17	17					
Flower Hill ..	††A. Watkins p	Trinity	63	132	132					
Jasper	*††S. L. Fennell p	Trinity	10	10	10					
	††J. C. Watkins	Hillsboro								
	††G. McIntosh	Trinity								
	††T. Kelley	Hillsboro								
	††A. Kelley	Hillsboro								
	††I. E. Holt	Athens								
	††B. Jones	Athens								
	††R. B. Watkins	Hillsboro								
	††S. T. Townsend	Florence								
	††John Rice	Florence								
	††J. M. Watkins	Hillsboro								
St. Luke	S. M. Malone	Athens	12	20	20					
St. Mark	*††J. D. Watkins	Hillsboro	8	13	13					
	*Geo. Mannings	Hillsboro								
Total 5	16		100	192	192					

Held in May and August.
Clerk, T. C. Baker, Hillsboro, Ala.

MT. MORIAH ASSOCIATION (ALA.)

(No returns for three years)

Antioch	W. R. Latham	Koon	64	84						
Hattie's Chapel ..	W. J. Coward	McShan	10	10						
Mt. Moriah	J. S. Hinton	McConnells	150	200						
Macedonia	Woods Springfield p	Delmaville	155	180						
Phillips Chapel ..	J. E. Mathis p	Millport	64	84						
Shiloh	J. D. Byars p	Millport	62	82						
Tabernacle	S. W. Williams	Bostic	65	105						
Union	J. M. Pinkerton	Reuben	105	145						
	J. E. Strickland	Gordo								
	W. J. Harbin	Reuben								
	J. B. Davis	West Point, Miss.								
	W. B. Montgomery	McConnells								
Total 8	12		675	890						

Clerk, Thomas Alexander, Kennedy, Ala.

BODIES NOT CONNECTED WITH GENERAL CONFERENCE

NIANGUA ASSOCIATION (MO.)

Benton Branch	J. N. Sigafoose†	Tilden	90						
Buffalo	Ben Owens†	Buffalo	27						
1 Freewill Chapel	J. C. Crithfield p		59						
2 Freewill Chapel	J. J. Highfill	Olive	58						
	J. P. Highfill	Springfield							
Liberty	C. A. Hefton p	Phillipsburg	31						
	Dow Post	Phillipsburg							
	O. B. Lane	Phillipsburg							
Mt. Zion	Wm. Bowlin	Buffalo	63						
	B. W. House†	Pleasant Hope							
New Prospect	John Breshears p	Hico	99						
	W. N. Sutton	Long Lane							
	J. D. Smith	Long Lane							
	A. L. Gower	Thorpe							
Willow Springs	††G. R. Crithfield†	Urbana	49						
Total 8	15		476						

Held Thursday before 2d Sunday in August.
Clerk, E. T. House, Pleasant Hope, Mo.

WATER VALLEY ASSOCIATION (MISS.)

Antioch	J. H. Norwood p	Toccopola	52						
Gauley	T. J. Deckard p		62						
Pinevalley	L. Prescott	Pinevalley	46						
Springdale	J. H. Norwood p	Toccopola	92						
Stetson Chapel	L. Prescott p	Pinevalley	52						
	John Wells								
	G. W. Powell								
Union Hill	L. Prescott p	Pinevalley	58						
Total 6	5		362						

Clerk, Rev. L. Prescott, Pine Valley, Miss.



MIDNAPORE CHAPEL

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			State Work	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Education	Woman's Missionary Society	Total
15	7,948	11,956	\$1,332 32	\$2,605 30	\$1,589 18	\$ 332 26	\$2,048 17	\$7,907 23
2	4,070	6,701	817 30	2,623 28	613 56	232 95	4,636 31	8,923 40
2	957	1,610	6 62	292 71	142 89	40 90	392 14	875 26
2	1,783	2,697	317 71	1,130 22	227 69	66 83	427 90	2,170 35
1	2,611	3,640	381 96	1,565 09	885 89	351 89	920 68	4,105 51
1	1,258	1,887	152 64	487 21	32 80	30 19	27 00	729 84
1	1,054	1,435	276 31	379 66	64 74	19 28	4 00	743 99
3	363	690	257 98	48 30	3 48	7 93	7 85	325 54
3	1,011	1,487	265 68	242 43	22 23	26 21	36 00	592 55
2	428	690	86 78	102 13	1 26	190 17
.....	1,654	2,705	913 59	421 80	124 11	69 64	104 55	1,633 69
.....	25 55	18 58	5 52	26	49 91
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1	160	184	8 28	8 51	16 79
1	254	297	46 77	12 65	59 42
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1	1,501	1,790	389 82	688 42	16 50	66 50	1,161 24
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11	4,316	5,488	528 85	964 52	398 26	66 33	867 17	2,825 13
.....	931	1,359	521 32	911 08	37 70	18 77	38 75	1,527 62
3	1,060	1,422	527 07	412 59	70 83	55 23	606 27	1,671 99
1	1,321	1,650	218 68	58 54	26 36	260 98	564 56
.....	418	568	153 52	11 80	201 57
.....	268	425	132 79	36 16	10 38	9 82	43 54	232 69
.....	502	285	19 62	9 16	22 21	50 99
21	789	998
1	317	439
5	436	582
4	442	559
2	564	644
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ENDING JUNE 30, 1906.

MAINE		1 Pawtucket		\$ 10.00
Kingfield	\$.50	Providence, Park St.		1.66
Madison	2.30	" Plainfield St.	305.00	
Lewiston, Main St.	7.50	Smithfield.		9.16
" Pine St.	1.40	Taunton		10.00
Cape Elizabeth & So. Portland	1.00	Tiverton.		2.00
Steep Falls .....	.75			
Beans Cor. ....	.50			\$ 365.86
Rangeley .....	.50	NEW YORK		
So. Montville .....	.20	Byron	\$ 3.00	
Bangor	2.50	Indian Falls.		2.08
Dexter. ....	.80	Fairport.		1.00
Dover and Foxcroft.	5.00	Hilton		16.00
Clinton Village	2.40	Murray		3.20
Oakland	3.16	Keuka Park. ....		.50
Pittsfield	3.00	E. Chatham.		1.00
2 Lebanon .....	.30	Tioga Co. Q. M. ....		.75
1 North Berwick.	4.40	Dickinson Center.		1.11
Springvale. ....	.50	W. Smyrna		1.00
Maine Asso.	6.12	Ames.		2.50
	\$ 42.83	Unadilla Forks.		10.00
NEW HAMPSHIRE		Central Association. ....		.52
Whitefield	\$ 5.00	Brooklyn.		5.00
Epsom	1.00			\$ 47.66
Dover	10.00	OHIO		
1 Ossipee & Wakefield.	1.00	Cleveland, Scranton Ave.	\$ 5.00	
New Hampshire Y. M.	104.23	Beech Grove. ....		.50
	\$ 121.23	Portsmouth		10.00
VERMONT				\$ 15.50
Vermont Y. M.	\$ 2.00	INDIANA		
MASSACHUSETTS		Center Chapel.	\$ 2.00	
Boston.	\$ 20.00	White Co. Q. M.		10.00
1 Lawrence	10.00			\$ 12.00
Melrose Highlands	6.61	ILLINOIS		
Somerville	5.00	Oak Grove.	\$ 3.00	
	\$ 41.61	Campbell Hill.		1.22
RHODE ISLAND		New Hope		5.00
Arlington.	\$ 3.90			\$ 9.22
Carolina	10.00			
Georgiaville.	6.64			
North Scituate	1.66			
Pawtucket, Bethany.	5.84			

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MICHIGAN

Batavia.....	\$ 5.00
Kinderhook.....	10.00
South Litchfield....	5.00
Berrien Center.....	5.00
Mason.....	1.00
Davison.....	1.00
Fairfield.....	5.00
Hillsdale.....	23.65
Jackson.....	5.00
Grand Lodge.....	5.00
Carson City.....	10.00
Avondale.....	5.00
Manton.....	5.00
Osceola Q. M.....	11.05
Fennville.....	2.00
Gobleville.....	1.00
Van Buren Q. M.....	2.00
Misc.....	5.00

\$ 106.70

WISCONSIN

Honey Creek.....	\$ 5.00
Warren.....	2.90
Burnett.....	.50
Fairwater.....	10.00
Waupun Q. M.....	8.85

\$ 27.25

MINNESOTA

Champlin.....	\$ 10.00
Minneapolis.....	6.00
Sioux Falls.....	2.50
Diamond Bluff.....	2.20
Huntley.....	6.00
Winnebago.....	17.25

\$ 43.95

IOWA

Central City.....	\$ 10.00
Fairbank.....	5.00
Oelwein.....	8.32
Curlew.....	2.00
Estherville.....	5.03
Spencer.....	1.50

\$ 31.85

MISCELLANEOUS

Harper's Ferry, W. Va.....	\$ 5.00
Horton, Kan.....	2.50
Midway, Tenn.....	10.00
Marshall, Mo.....	5.00
Misc.....	37.79

\$ 60.29

\$ 927.95

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ADDITIONS BY BAPTISM

MAINE

Anson.....	1
Athens.....	5
Kingfield.....	1
Madison.....	7
Blaine.....	4
Bridgewater.....	9
Fort Fairfield.....	5
Mapleton.....	7
Mars Hill.....	3
Presque Isle.....	42
Sprague's Mill.....	9
Gray.....	3
Portland.....	5
Scarboro.....	2
Steep Falls.....	9
W. Buxton.....	5
W. Danville.....	6
Boothbay.....	6
Georgetown.....	3
Clifton.....	4
Hancock.....	1
New Sharon.....	1
Freeman & Avon.....	6
Phillips.....	3
E. Dixfield.....	7
Rangeley.....	4
Madrid.....	3
Glenwood.....	2
Haynesville.....	1
Houlton.....	21
New Limerick.....	6
Rockland.....	2
2 Montville.....	8
N. Islesboro.....	19
Dixfield.....	10
E. Hebron.....	2
W. Peru.....	5
S. Limington.....	5
E. Jackson.....	10
Monroe.....	12
Bangor.....	2
Charleston.....	2
Milo.....	3
Oakland.....	3
Pittsfield.....	38
Waterville.....	9
" & Sidney.....	1
Auburn.....	1
Augusta.....	45
Bowdoin.....	2
Bath.....	2
Bowdoinham Rdg.....	1
Gardiner.....	7
Lewiston (Pine St.).....	15
Litchfield Pls.....	7
Richmond.....	3
Topsham.....	12

Biddeford.....	3
Hollis.....	2
2 Lebanon.....	3
2 N. Berwick.....	9
Saco.....	19
Springvale.....	2

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NEW HAMPSHIRE

2 Belmont.....	4
E. Tilton.....	7
Franklin.....	4
Laconia.....	13
Lakeport.....	10
Meredith Cen.....	12
Littleton.....	5
Strafford.....	5
Concord.....	6
Contoocook.....	7
Manchester.....	1
Pittsfield.....	3
Sutton.....	6
Alton.....	1
Rochester.....	1
Danville.....	3
Somersworth.....	13
Tuftsboro.....	2
Effingham.....	2
" Falls.....	4
Glen.....	1
Madison.....	9
2 Wolfboro.....	2

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VERMONT

Hardwick.....	1
St. Johnsbury.....	3
Lyndon Cen.....	19
Newport.....	4

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MASSACHUSETTS

Amesbury.....	3
Boston.....	8
Brockton.....	1
Cambridge.....	7
Chelsea.....	19
1 Lawrence.....	8
Lowell(Chelmsford St).....	1
Lynn (High St).....	15
Lynn (Hudson Sq).....	2
Melrose.....	4
Somerville.....	5
Worcester.....	4

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RHODE ISLAND

Arlington.....	3
E. Killingly.....	4
Fiskeville.....	3
Johnston.....	5
N. Scituate.....	5
Warwick Cen.....	1
Pawtucket Bethany.....	5
" 1st Ch.....	21
Park St. Prov.....	16
Plainfield St. ".....	39
Pond St. ".....	7
Roger Williams, Prov.....	4

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NEW YORK

1 Buffalo.....	16
2 ".....	30
E. Concord.....	10
Springville.....	7
Batavia.....	9
Indian Falls.....	1
E. Penfield.....	3
Fairport.....	39
Morton.....	3
E. Lenox.....	14
2 Windsor.....	12
Cascade Valley.....	4
Windham Cen.....	1
Dryden.....	1
Elmira.....	2
" Heights.....	8
Odessa.....	9
Chatham Valley.....	1
Delmar & Shippen.....	9
Delmar.....	17
E. Chatham.....	3
Brooklyn.....	10
Gaines.....	1
Keeneyville.....	5
Depauville.....	27
Fowler.....	1
Spragueville.....	2
Dickenson.....	31
Ellenburg Depot.....	13
St. Regis Falls.....	1
Constantia Centre.....	3
Gilberts Mills.....	10
N. Scriba.....	3
Oneonta.....	25
W. Oneonta.....	2

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PENNSYLVANIA

Belle Vernon.....	30
Jennerstown.....	2
Fishing Creek.....	1

Pierpont.....	11	Pipestown	3	Osseo	1
Beebetown.....	I	Willisville	34	Reading	4
	—	Bosky Dell.....	15	Sand Creek.....	3
	45	Oak Valley	5	Wood Bridge.....	1
OHIO		Salem	3	Jackson	12
Cleveland.....	3	Carbondale.....	13	Bridgton	3
Marmon Valley.....	3	Eden.....	21	Billings	1
W. Mansfield.....	5	M. C. Chapel	1	Sherman	2
Concord	1	America.....	9	Manton	40
Claridon.....	4	Caledonia.....	1	Amadore	1
Marion	22	Grand Chain S. I....	2	Kingston	9
Morral	2	Morning Star.....	9	N. Branch.....	23
Bloomville.....	3	Ullin.....	3	Novesta.....	4
Venice	6	Union Grove.....	3	Pigeon River.....	8
Blanchester.....	5	Salem Hill.....	8	Fennville.....	38
Maineville.....	1	Mound City.....	37	Gobleville	19
Pleasant Plains.....	1	Pleasant Green.....	1	Oshtemo	6
First Racon.....	4	New Hope	1	Paw Paw.....	1
Harris	20	Morning View	15	Pearl.....	2
Providence	4	Mound City, Main St.	15	Bushnell.....	2
Xenia Ch.....	2	Little Mt. Zion	10	Wixom.....	19
Grant Ave. Ch.....	4	Mt. Zion.....	1	Highland.....	2
Portsmouth.....	11	Mt. Moriah.....	9		—
Rush.....	3	Mt. Pilgrim.....	9		328
Scioto.....	22	Rock Springs.....	3	WISCONSIN	
Scioto ville.....	19	St. Johns.....	1	Big Bend.....	2
	—	Chestnut Grove.....	8	Caldwell.....	5
	145	Maunie.....	1	Honey Creek	8
MARYLAND		New Hope	16	Evansville.....	8
Hagerstown	1	I Cairo	10	Johnstown.....	13
Shepherdstown	4	Mound City, J. S. M.	10	Warren	10
	—	Grand Chain, "	12	Mary Kimball Mis...	7
	5	Dog Tooth Bend.....	1	Burnett.....	11
VIRGINIA		Birdsville.....	6	Dale.....	1
Berryville	1	Pilgrims Rest.....	6	Fairwater.....	34
Craigsville.....	3	Cherry Valley	12	Grand Prairie.....	2
Folley Mills.....	2	Uniontown	10	Hortonville	18
Luray	1	Oak Grove	13	Lawrence.....	2
Salem	3	Fiatt.....	5	Marcellon.....	6
Winchester	12	Franklin and M. Grove	10	Oak Centre.....	17
	—	Dorrisville.....	20	Oakfield.....	14
	22	Prairie City	3	Scott	33
INDIANA		Tamaroa	5	Winneconne ..	8
i Indianapolis.....	5	Ava	9		—
2 "	4	Beech Grove.....	3		199
3 "	5	Chester	1	MINNESOTA	
Mt. Vernon.....	3	DeSoto... ..	8	Sioux Falls	1
Terre Haute.....	9		—	Valley Springs.....	4
St. Mary.....	2	MICHIGAN	418	Cady Creek.....	1
Hawpatch	4	Dayburg	8	Dallas.....	3
Cosperville	3	Davison	19	Huntley	2
Jones Chapel.....	4	Dayton.....	22	Madelia.....	8
Rome City.....	19	Flint River.....	6	Nashville Cen.....	13
	—	Goodrich	11	Truman	8
	58	Mayville	19		—
ILLINOIS		N. Chester.....	5		40
Murphysboro	9	Sparta	4	IOWA	
Pates Chapel	6	Hillsdale	15	Burr Oak.....	7
Percy.....	2	Manchester.....	11	David	1
		N. Rome.....	7	Little Cedar	4

Estherville	18	Ira	33	LOUISIANA	
Spencer	4	Cross Roads	8	St. Paul	
Montour	1	Eldredge	4	Mt. Zion	5
	35		219	Good Hope	1
NEBRASKA		KENTUCKY		Ebenezer	8
Loup Valley	3	Fulton	30	Bethlehem	3
Kenesaw	10		30		22
Copp Mem	5	TENNESSEE		MISSISSIPPI	
Grandview	2	Christian Bend	4	St. Manning	13
Long Branch	1	E. Knoxville	15	Spring Hill	8
	21	Grassy Creek	7	Tangipahoe	6
KANSAS		Johnson Chapel	14	Cockerham Chapel	15
Denton	2	Liberty	11	Pleasant Grove	10
Anson	1	Midway	1	Zion Hill	8
	3	Mt. Carmel	14	Shady Grove	11
MISSOURI		New Prospect	38	Morning Star	4
Verdella	7	New Home	18	Jerusalem	2
Mine La Motte	4	Pleasant Pt.	5	Brown Chapel	3
Trace Creek	3	Van Hill	1		80
Union Light	4	Willow Springs	4	TEXAS	
Marquand	2	Wooddale	7	Mt. Zion	4
Best Chapel	15	Unicoi	1	Lilly Hill	4
Centre Pt.	28		140	Pleasant Hill	2
Happy Valley	7	GEORGIA		Longview	2
Hickory Grove	16	Bethlehem	7	Mt. Pilgrim	1
Philadelphia	69	Pavo	9		13
St. Louis	5	Hartsfield	3	CALIFORNIA	
Greenridge	1	New Hope	4	San Francisco	4
N. Frisloe	2	New Bethel	1		4
Walker Hollow	1	Spring Hill	5		
Mt. Hope	3	Union Hill	11		
Mt. Pisgah	6	Saco	5		
Mt. View	1		45		
Total				2,998	
Total added otherwise				1,708	
Total dismissed				1,204	
Total excluded				651	
Total died				877	

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The Ministerial Relief Fund.

GENERAL CONFERENCE

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CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

Foreign Missions—The year 1905-06 will be known as the year of our largest receipts in the history of our missionary work up to this time. The Blake bequest of over \$80,000 was received just before the close of the financial year. One half of this has been added to the foreign mission permanent fund and one half to the home mission permanent fund.

Rev. G. H. Hamlen and Rev. H. E. Wyman and wife returned to India last fall and took up their work at Balasore and Midnapore.

Mr. Murphy and wife left Midnapore and took up work at Contai.

Mr. Collett and wife left Balasore and went to Bhadrak.

As a result of these changes no one station has more than one male missionary except Balasore, and it is hoped that when Mr. Lougher returns to the field after his furlough, which is due him next spring, he will be allowed to cut loose from the station work at Balasore and devote himself, as his tastes and qualifications fit him, to evangelistic work. The time has come when with one missionary family as superintendents at each station, the work must be assumed by the native brethren.

Mrs. Lougher with her daughters, Marguerite and Dorothy, and Roland Murphy are on their way home. Her coming at the present time was approved by the unanimous vote of the India committee on account of the precarious condition of her mother's health.

On March 7, 1906, Helen M. Phillips, whose life has been closely identified with India, passed to her heavenly rest. She was born in Jellalore, India, June 15, 1852. She is remembered with loving gratitude by those whom she served. A faithful and conscientious worker and a sympathetic and inspiring friend has entered upon her reward. Her memory is a precious legacy.

A problem that confronts the Board now is what to do for Bhimpore when Dr. Kennan comes home one year from next spring.

We have reason for devout thanksgiving that the last year has witnessed such an outpouring of divine grace and spiritual power upon our India field as has never before been experienced. The answer to our prayers has seemed to outstrip our faith and to make us blush for our lack of financial support. In Midnapore the atmosphere of the whole community is changed. In every house the people are singing and praising God. Very few have failed to receive a wonderful blessing. Six of the worst backsliders have come out in a wonderful manner. Many of the people have actually been baptized with the Holy Spirit and endued with power. Our preaching band numbers between forty and fifty. The heathen people are greatly moved. We have prayer meetings in the church Sunday and Thursday evenings, and cottage prayer meetings and bazaar preaching every evening. Thousands of tracts have been distributed and there are several seekers among Hindus and Mohammedans. Several Santals are also ready for baptism. The missionaries are very happy in their work. They ask our prayers for the city of Midnapore. They want it for Christ. There are thirteen students in the Bible School and more anxious to come. Seven of the students are married and it has been hard work to house them. We MUST have those dormitories. The plaster on the walls is fast wearing out between the bricks, and Deering Hall will be a wreck in a few years unless plastered over.

At Balasore the work has been splendid this year, revival spirit in the air.

Over sixty additions to the Balasore church. The city has not seen such a shaking for many years. The book room has had a banner quarter. Over 5,000 tracts and 7,000 books have been sold or given away. That means substantial work done by hundreds of miles of walking by the colporteurs and missionaries. It means many hundred silent sermons in houses and zenanas where the missionaries could never enter. The High school is flourishing. There is often found in the country work a splendid influence from boys who have attended the school. Wealthy natives are being interested in the development of industrial work. They will help us. We are now doing cane work, carpentering, bookbinding, experimental gardening, tailoring and fancy sewing and embroidery. All this is self supporting and will certainly increase the earning and paying capacity of the coming generation.

At Kharagpur the native and English work is prospering. The work on the house is progressing favorably and the foundation for the church is done. The rainy season has interfered with the supply of bricks so that it is hardly expected that the church will be completed before Christmas.

The latest letter states that the good news from the field still continues. Bhimpore is the latest place to have the stirring. At the quarterly meeting the last of June they had a great blessing. Mr. Wyman said he had never anywhere seen meetings of such power.

Aside from the regular estimates for the coming year the following demands are pressing: Deering Hall never was fully completed. The outer walls need plastering to preserve them. Estimated expense \$300. Bible School dormitory for three families. Cost \$250. The principal's house at Balasore, \$1,000. New roof for the Santipore bungalow, \$800. Preachers' houses at Kangardia and Soro, \$200. A Santal preacher at Midnapore, \$40. New preachers for unoccupied stations, \$140. Building for book room at Midnapore, \$300. A total of \$3,030, of which \$2,000 has already been voted when we have the money. Also more money is to be needed to complete the house at Kharagpur.

We must all look with approval upon the increasing efforts of our missionaries to induce the native Christians to adopt the theory and practice of self support, self government, and a personal responsibility for the propagation of the gospel. Therein lies the hope of evangelizing India.

I think our hearty encouragement should be given to the missionaries to increase their efforts in behalf of industrial training. Two men were in conversation. One said, I hope the time may come when every man will read Bacon. The other replied, I hope the time will come when every man may eat bacon. In taking the gospel and civilization to the heathen we increase their wants, even their necessities, and make it harder for them to eat bacon or anything else. They must be taught how to become larger producers, that they may do more for themselves and more for the new cause which they espouse. Education should fit one for his own environment and opportunities. Recent converts from heathendom need very much more to learn how to do things, that they may meet the increasing demands of civilization, than they need a knowledge of Greek or Latin. In mentioning these things I do not overlook the importance of evangelistic work. This comes first. But there are diversified needs to be met before Christianity can be established permanently and become a self supporting and aggressive force.

Home Missions—In many important respects all missionary work is one.

But there are distinct problems at home and abroad which require specific treatment. So for a long time we shall continue to speak of missions as foreign and home enterprises. There is no need of attempting a comparison of their importance. We can not, however, overrate the importance of christianizing the United States. In becoming a world power we are having a tremendous influence for or against Christianity. It will be slow, uphill work for the missionaries in China so long as our nation treats their nation and people in an unchristian way. Our missionaries to any quarter of the globe will be discounted so long as our country in its international dealings, including its commerce, does not practice the principles of the golden rule. There is very little good in sending missionaries and rum in the same vessel to Africa, or missionaries with opium and legislative exclusion acts to China, or missionaries with piratical trade tricksters to India. In short if we are to Christianize the world we must Christianize America. Then we should bend our energies to the doing of our part.

There has been paid out on appropriations during the year, \$4,178. Unpaid, \$350. Under the present arrangement each yearly meeting or association keeps all the home mission money it can raise for its own use. There is an increasing demand upon our treasury from these bodies for appropriations. This thwarts the design of the donors of our funds which are given for work outside. If this tendency is not checked it will stop our work for Storer College, all our frontier work, and result in appropriating back to the several yearly meetings or associations all we receive in contributions from the constituency of those bodies. It would be just as consistent, and more so, for us to go to these state treasuries and demand appropriations for our work from their funds raised for their own local work. I give in brief abstracts from the churches aided the last year:

East Saint Louis, Ill.—Rev. J. L. Tatum has the work in charge. Good audiences, good Sunday school, and a promising Young Peoples' Society. Several baptized. No statistics given.

Jackson, Mich.—Rev. G. R. Holt, pastor. A series of successful revival meetings in February were conducted by Mrs. McLatchy, the evangelist. Twenty-seven additions to the church and others to be received. Current expenses have been heavy on account of the necessity of providing a new heating plant. Semi-annual interest on mortgage paid in July and it is hoped that in January besides paying the interest, a reduction can be made on the principal. All the mission days have been observed with generous offerings. The Sunday School, Ladies' Missionary Aid, and Young People's Society are all doing well. The pastor has been severely afflicted with muscular rheumatism but is full of courage and hope.

Murphysboro, Ill.—The present pastor, Rev. Fred Comber, assumed charge October first, 1904. There were several debts against the church, the largest of which was held by the General Conference. An appropriation of \$200 was asked for on the condition that the balance be raised. The granting of the request gave courage, and between \$1,500 and \$1,600 was raised, clearing the church from all indebtedness of every kind and leaving a small balance in the treasury. They jubilantly burned their mortgage on the first Sunday in April. Great gratitude expressed for the timely aid of the Conference. Spiritual interest good. Fifty-nine added to the church in less than two years, thirty-one by baptism. Congregations large, Sunday school increasing, and outlook hopeful. P. S. Planning to build or buy a parsonage.

Phillips Memorial Church, R. I.—Rev. H. J. Piper, pastor. Some increase

in church and Sunday school. Three additions to the church during the year Bills all paid promptly. Apportionment more than paid to General Conference. In addition the Sunday school has contributed over twenty dollars for missions, and the Juniors have supported an orphan in India. There is the nucleus of a good church. Its growth depends upon the growth of the community. Owing to the greatly increased cost of building there have been very few new houses erected in the last two or three years.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—Rev. T. O. Comstock, pastor. A year ago and less the work was prospering and there was new life and enthusiasm. Suddenly the moving fever made its appearance, and in a few weeks fifteen families and over fifty members of church and Sunday school had gone, largely to the Pacific coast, some to Arkansas and Missouri. These scattered as the disciples from Jerusalem and have gone preaching the word. One man and his wife are doing mission work in Los Angeles. Another family is sustaining a Sunday school in Oregon. Two brethren are doing similar work in Arkansas. One brother has taken a pastorate in Missouri. One is engaged in work for the American Sunday School Union in Iowa. Another is doing evangelistic work in our own State. Others organized and are sustaining Sunday schools. Nevertheless we are carrying on our work. Have contributed the last year over \$100 for missions. The city is now gravelling the street in front of the church and parsonage which will entail an expense of fifty dollars, and if they compel us to put in cement curbing, it will mean as much more. Where it is to come from we do not see, but we trust Him. Moreover, on account of the strike of the printers we were unable to issue our Christmas Bells from which we have usually netted from \$150 to \$200. So, with thinned ranks, and extra expenses, although courage is undaunted, we do not see how we can sustain our pastor and work without continued help. We sincerely trust it will be the last year we will have to ask it. Sincere thanks for the aid of the past.

Worcester, Mass.—Rev. R. S. W. Roberts, pastor. The Sunday school is the most prosperous part of the work. Numbers 120. Nearly all live near the church. Thirty boys from eight to fifteen. Since we began work on the chapel a year ago last April twenty-five have been added to the church. A count every Sunday last year showed that forty per cent. of the attendants were men. Have a well organized boys club also a club of twenty-seven men. Raise this year about \$400 on church deficit besides running expenses.

Nebraska and No. Kansas Y. Ms.—Rev. J. H. Wolfe, Field Superintendent. On account of ill health it was voted by the two Yearly Meetings that the work should largely be done from the office. Thus much more matter has been sent out to the pastors for use on mission days and other occasions. The money appropriated by General Conference enabled us to keep the Superintendent at work and also to put Rev. T. D. Franklin as an evangelist into North Kansas for half the time. Half his time he devoted to the pastorate of the Denton church of which he has been pastor for several years. We used him some in Nebraska with profit to the churches. For several years we have been laying the foundation. This year we had hoped for a time of soul saving. A few things have hindered the complete realization of our wish. 1. The scattered condition of our churches. 2. Lack of ministers. 3. Some whom we have, not being in harmony with the work in the States or in the denomination. 4. The unsettled condition with reference to "union." 5. The small salaries are not "drawing." The large

majority of our people are true and loyal to all our interests and when the opportunity comes to be heard on the question of union, Nebraska and Kansas will stand for the denomination without any compromise of principles. A systematic campaign has been undertaken for the Morning Star. The year will show some gain in our efforts to help support brother and sister Murphy. The Superintendent has done some traveling. Whether he can continue in the work is a serious question. The work needs a strong man in the field all the time. Just now we are starting out a man to be a pastor at large. He will supply pastorless churches until regular pastors can be obtained. The expense will be met mostly by the churches. Will it be possible to help us another year? We are very grateful for past help.

Education.—After so long a time the note given to Lyndon Institute more than twenty years ago for \$5000 has been paid.

Some bequests for this department that were unrestricted in their use made this possible.

The funds of this department are small but enable very timely aid to students preparing for the ministry.

There is ample scope for work in behalf of that for which the Educational department stands—an educated ministry. More well trained pastors, missionaries and evangelists are still the pressing need. The old prayer needs still to be offered, "Pray ye, therefore, the Lord of the harvest that he would send forth laborers into his harvest."

ARTHUR GIVEN,
Corresponding Secretary.

SPECIAL MISSION DAYS.

The third Sunday in March, 17th.—Home Missions for use of Conference Board.

The third Sunday in June, 16th.—Home Missions for use of Association or Y. M. Boards.

The third Sunday in September, 15th.—Education.

The third Sunday in December, 15th.—Foreign Missions.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Report of the Treasurer of the General Conference of Free Baptists for the year ending June 30, 1906.

FOREIGN MISSIONS DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash balance July 1, 1905		\$6,381 39
Contributions for general fund	\$4,829 39	
" permanent fund ..	241 24	
" high school fund	25 00	
" Bible and tract cause	10 00	
" Bible school interest	10 00	
" high school interest	19 16	
" Balasore orphanage	27 00	
" Balasore station	679 72	
" Bhadrak station	215 78	
" Bhimpore station	1274 42	
" Contai station	50 30	
" famine orphans	300 00	
" Japan famine fund	65 51	
" Jellasore station	320 10	
" Kharagpur station	55 60	
" Midnapore station	537 26	
" Salgadia station	151 95	
" Santipore station	328 20	
" Eurasian school	3 25	
" outfit and passage	421 17	
" schools and miscellaneous	1059 70	
" Mrs. J. P. Burkholder	62 50	
" M. J. Coldren and wife	878 29	
" C. A. Collett and wife	668 82	
" L. P. Clinton	408 07	
" Z. F. Griffin and wife	183 99	
" G. H. Hamlen and wife	552 11	
" A. L. Kennan and wife	50 00	
" E. H. Lougher and wife	821 36	
" H. R. Murphy and wife	166 94	
" New Brunswick work	856 00	
" J. H. Oxrieder and wife	356 74	
" Mrs. M. R. Phillips	25 00	
" H. E. Wyman and wife	1,000 00	
Total contributions		16,654 57

GENERAL CONFERENCE

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Bequests for general fund	1,124 94	
" permanent fund	41,391 20	
" high school fund	2,500 00	
Total bequests		45,016 14
Interest on permanent fund	\$266 26	
" Bible school fund	354 90	
" high school fund	290 71	
Total interest		911 87
Cash overdrawn June 30, 1906		1,496 15
Aggregate		\$70,460 12

DISBURSEMENTS

Annuities	160 24	
High school	1,500 00	
Missionaries' services and allowances, India	11,174 79	
Missionaries' services and allowances, Africa	1,124 69	
Balasore station	1,060 00	
Balasore orphanage	960 00	
Bhadrak station	200 00	
Bhimpore station	1,800 00	
Chandbali station	700 00	
Kharagpur station	225 00	
Japan famine fund	65 51	
Jellasore station	220 00	
Midnapore station	1,850 00	
New Brunswick work	475 31	
Salgadia station	128 77	
Santipore station	365 00	
Schools and miscellaneous	5 00	
Outfit and passage	1,050 00	
Permanent fund carried to investments	\$41,632 44	
High school fund	2,525 00	
23,064 31		
Expense account as follows:—		
Conference board	\$431 54	
Executive committee ..	64 60	
H. S. Myers, salary and expenses	333 32	
Postage and stationery	226 06	
Printing	417 94	
Clerical help	520 00	
44,157 44		

REPORT OF THE

Salary of Treasurer	1,140 00
Expenses of treasurer	104 91

3,238 37

Aggregate \$70,460 12.

INVESTED FUNDS.

PERMANENT FUND.

Central Real Estate Co., stock	\$375 00
E. A. Means, real estate bond	400 00
Louis Lescault, mortgage	2,500 00
Taylor Little estate	800 00
Real estate, Boston	1,200 00
Cash	3,932 34

9,207 34

Blake Fund.

Certificate of deposit, Atlantic National Bank	\$25,000 00
Cash and bank books	16,531 09

41,531 09

\$50,738 43

BIBLE SCHOOL FUND.

International Silver Co. bonds	\$1,970 00
Jas. E. Newstead, mortgage	135 00
A. W. Jackson, mortgage	675 00
W. C. Anderson, mortgage	1,100 00
Chas. J. Miller, mortgage	1,100 00
Estes, mortgage	1,500 00
Unicoi	1,230 19
Cash	3,155 00

10,865 19

HIGH SCHOOL FUND.

Morning Star Pub. House, note	\$2,500 00
C. W. Macomber, mortgage	800 00
First National Bank, Portland, stock	1,200 00
Nemaha Co., bond	200 00
Yale and Towne, bond	1,000 00
Canadian Savs. Loan and Bldg. Asso., stock	2,500 00
Frank D. Mills, mortgage	350 00
Hadley Roberts, real estate bond	1,000 00
Wm. J. Evans, real estate bond	1,000 00
Ford Street house	3,500 00
Unicoi	5,111 34
Cash	25 00

\$19,186 34

GENERAL CONFERENCE

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HENRY NEWTON FUND.

Cash	300 00
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Total foreign mission investments \$81,089 96

HOME MISSIONS DEPARTMENT

RECEIPTS.

Contributions for general fund	\$3,580 62
permanent fund	100 00
Harper's Ferry	50 15
Manning Bible School	1,013 00
Mary Kimball Mission	5 00
Church Building Loan Fund	11 60
Unicoi	59 93
Publishing House	57 93

4,878 23

Total contributions	\$9,180 00
Bequests for general fund	41,341 19
permanent fund	

\$50,521 19

Total bequests	
Interest on permanent fund	\$378 21
Church Building Loan Fund	207 00
Henry Newton fund	6 00

591 21

Total interest	1205 80
Sale of land, Unicoi	115 00
Melrose Highlands	

\$57,311 43

Aggregate

DISBURSEMENTS.

Cash overdrawn July 1, 1905	\$193 00
Annuities	25 00
Augusta, Kan.	300 00
Central Association	200 00
East St. Louis, Ill.	100 00
Golden Gate Association	820 00
Harper's Ferry	275 00
Jackson, Mich.	100 00
LaGrange, Ind.	943 00
Manning Bible School	5 00
Mary Kimball Mission	225 00
Melrose Highlands, interest	200 00
Murphysboro, Ill.	200 00
Nebraska and No. Kansas Y. M.'s	200 00
Phillips Memorial, R. I.	

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REPORT OF THE

Portsmouth, O.	150 00
Publishing House	57 93
Sioux Falls, S. D.	135 00
So. Milford, Ind.	50 00
Unicoi	294 44
Worcester, Mass.	500 00
Field Secretary	1,462 50

Church Building Loan Fund carried to investments,	\$6,435 87
Interest Building Loan Fund carried to investments	11 60
Unicoi balance carried to investments,	207 00
General fund carried to investments ,	971 29
Permanent fund, carried to investments	4,037 95
Expense account as follows:—	41,441 19

Conference board	\$215 78
Executive committee	32 08
Printing	97 46
Postage and stationery	103 52
Clerical help	260 00
H. S. Myers, salary and expenses.....	166 68
Field secretary, expenses	459 34
Treasurer, salary	360 00
Treasurer, expenses	52 29

Cash balance June 30, 1906	1747 15
	2,309 58

Aggregate	\$57,311 43
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INVESTED FUNDS.

PERMANENT FUND.

Brinkerhoff-Faris stock	\$1,000 00
New Market National Bank stock	240 00
Cripple Creek Central Rlwy. Co., receipts	1,540 00
J. W. McLaughlin, mortgage	200 00
Savs. Bank, Laconia	1,100 00
Green Mt. Seminary	3,000 00
Unicoi	4,127 36
Cash	700 00

11,907 36

Blake Fund.

Cash and bank books	41,339 84
	\$53,247 20

GENERAL CONFERENCE

HENRY NEWTON FUND.

Nemaha Co., bond	\$100 00
Cash	300 00

400 00

Total home mission investments

\$53,647 20

TWENTIETH CENTURY LOAN FUND.

UNNAMED FUND.

Amount of fund, July 1, 1905	\$4,867 34
Contributions	11 60
Interest	160 00

5038 94

LOANS.

Sacramento	\$200 00
St. Louis, Mo.	800 00
St. Regis Falls, N. Y. ..	164 00
La Grange, Ind.	1,100 00
Rensselaer, Ind.	250 00
Portsmouth, O.	783 89
E. St. Louis, Ill.	60 00
Cash	1,681 05

\$5,038 94

WATERLOO, IOWA FUND.

Amount of fund July 1, 1905	\$5,408 35
Interest	99 00

5,507 35

LOANS.

Parr, Ind.	500 00
Pierceton, Ind.	1,000 00
Rensselaer, Ind.	250 00
Horton, Kan.	125 00
Fidelity church	1,725 00
Luray, Va.	150 00
Portsmouth, O.	800 00
Cash	957 35

5,507 35

ILLINOIS Y. M. FUND.

Amount July 1, 1905

2,000 00

LOAN.

E. St. Louis, Ill.	\$1,920 00
Cash	80 00

2,000 00

Total loans

\$12,546 29

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

RECEIPTS.

Cash balance, July 1, 1905	5,286 89
Contributions for New England students	\$974 83
Hillsdale	138 55
Keuka	44 99
Parker	38 21
Rio Grande	1 50
Permanent fund	50 00
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Bequests for permanent fund	1,248 08
Interest on permanent fund	500 00
E. True fund	\$170 00
Library fund	75 00
Henry Newton fund	62 00
Henry Newton fund	15 00
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	322 00
Aggregate	<hr/>
	\$7,356 97

DISBURSEMENTS.

New England students	\$711 00
Hillsdale students	151 95
Parker students	43 06
Rio Grande students	1 50
Bates, from library fund	31 00
Lyndon Institute, note and interest	5,300 00
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Permanent fund carried to investments	16,238 51
Cash balance June 30, 1906	550 00
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	568 46
Aggregate	<hr/>
	\$7,356 97

INVESTED FUNDS.

PERMANENT FUND.

Frank Brackett, mortgage	\$700 00
Oliver D. Haskell, mortgage	350 00
Robert J. Nugent, mortgage	1,150 00
Cash	1,464 80
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	3,664 80

E. TRUE FUND.

Central Real Estate Co., stock	\$375 00
Yale and Towne Mfg. Co., bond	1,000 00
Rev. C. A. Collett, note	165 00
Cash	211 01
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	1,751 01

LIBRARY FUND.

H. E. Willard, mortgage	\$650 00
W. R. Harper, mortgage	500 00
Cash	639 10
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	1,789 10

HENRY NEWTON FUND.

Jacob Swackhammer, mortgage	300 00
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Total Ed. investments	\$7,504 91

ONE CENT TAX ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Collected from Y. M.'s and Associations	\$591 01
Maps sold	18 80
Life of Dr. Bacheler	5 00
Cash overdrawn June 30, 1906	650 18
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	1,264 99

DISBURSEMENTS.

Cash overdrawn July 1, 1905	\$911 73
Morning Star Pub. House	200 00
Correspondence School	50 00
Committee of Twelve	103 26
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	1,264 99

MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand July 1, 1905	\$583 29
Contributions	14 23
Interest	4 92
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	602 44

DISBURSEMENTS.

Rev. S. W. Schoonover	\$55 00
Rev. Royal McDonald	60 00
Rev. J. T. Bunn	5 00
Cash on hand June 30, 1906 (\$300 per fund)	482 44
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	602 44

Total invested funds of all kinds including church loans \$155,088 36

ARTHUR GIVEN, Treasurer.

This certifies that I have examined the above accounts and find them correctly cast and sustained by proper vouchers.

August 1, 1906.

FRED S. HEATH,
Auditor.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE FREE BAPTIST
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

LAURA A. DEMERITTE, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE FREE BAPTIST
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR THE YEAR ENDING
AUGUST 31, 1906

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand August 31, 1905.....	\$1,244 14
From estates.....	\$3,084 91
From interest.....	1,972 81
From contributions.....	8,074 64
From all other sources.....	2,213 18
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	\$15,345 54
From funds to be re-invested.....	2,720 00
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Total to be accounted for.....	\$19,309 68

DISBURSEMENTS

Cash on account of work in India.....	\$5,990 00
On account of Storer College.....	2,393 80
For Brewster scholarship.....	45 00
For Western work.....	100 00
For Mrs. Arter's salary.....	100 00
For <i>Missionary Helper</i>	427 12
For literature department.....	139 99
For investment of new funds.....	2,854 50
For annuity.....	128 20
For membership in Nat. Council.....	33 33
For temporary loans.....	2,005 58
For care of funds.....	123 66
For premiums, etc. from C. F. income.....	145 16
For administration of Society.....	582 30
Total for General disbursements.....	15,068 64
For funds re-invested.....	2,720 00
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Total	\$17,788 64
On hand August 31, 1906.....	1,521 04
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Accounted for.....	\$19,309 68
Net on hand not including temporary loans, \$1,017 76.	

LAURA A. DEMERITTE, *Treasurer*.

I have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

(Signed)

M. W. THOMAS, *Auditor*.

STATEMENT OF INVESTED FUNDS

<i>Funds</i>		<i>Investments</i>	
Itemized in <i>Missionary</i>		Municipal bonds.....	\$8,100 00
<i>Helper</i> , December,		Railroad bonds.....	9,250 00
1906.....	\$47,447 37	Corporation bonds.....	8,500 00
		Mortgages.....	12,050 00
		Savings Banks and Trust	
		Companies.....	3,747 37
		Stocks.....	5,800 00
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			\$47,447 37
	<hr/>	Premium on stocks.....	5,800 00
	\$47,447 37		<hr/>
			\$53,247 37

REAL ESTATE

Henderson Home and Brown Dispensary, Midnapore, India.
Sinclair Orphanage, Dorcas Smith Widow's Home and Caroline A. Brad-
bury Kindergarten Hall, Balasore, India.

LAURA A. DEMERITTE, *Treasurer*.

I have examined the foregoing invested funds and find them in amount
and kind as stated by the treasurer.

(Signed)

M. W. THOMAS, *Auditor*.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

	F. M.	H. M.	ED.
General Conference (cash)	\$62,582 58	\$48,311 43	\$2,070 08
" " (reported)			207 93
" " (reported			
state work)		7,292 97	
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	\$62,582 58	\$55,604 40	\$2,278 01
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			\$120,464 99
			614 81
One-cent tax			19 15
Ministerial relief			<hr/>
			\$121,098 95
			927 95
United Society of Young People			13,132 36
Woman's Missionary Society			<hr/>
			\$135,159 26
Total amount raised			

In order of their total contributions and bequests. Bequests are not included elsewhere.

STATES	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Educa- tion	State Work	Y. P. S. Work	Total	W. M. Society
Massachusetts.....	\$42,471 42	\$41,568 88	\$ 66 83	\$ 317 71	\$ 41 61	\$ 84,465 45	\$ 427 80
Maine.....	3,185 30	1,669 18	332 26	1,332 32	42 53	6,561 89	2,048 17
New Hampshire.....	2,673 28	663 56	732 95	817 30	121 23	5,008 32	4,636 31
Rhode Island.....	1,565 09	885 89	351 89	381 96	365 86	3,550 69	920 68
Ontario.....	2,500 00					2,500 00	
Michigan.....	964 52	398 26	66 33	528 85	106 70	2,064 66	867 17
Wisconsin.....	961 08	37 70	18 77	521 32	27 25	1,566 12	38 75
New York Cent.....	421 80	124 11	69 64	913 59	13 50	1,542 64	104 55
Minnesota.....	492 53	70 83	55 23	527 07	43 95	1,189 61	606 27
Indiana.....	731 62	21 80	2 90	394 82	12 00	1,163 14	70 25
Ohio and Penn.....	829 66	78 35	18 66	21 00	5 00	952 67	2 50
New Brunswick.....	906 30					906 30	20 00
Vermont.....	632 71	142 89	40 90	6 62	2 00	825 12	392 14
Genesee.....	379 66	64 74	19 28	276 31	25 28	765 27	4 00
Holland Purchase.....	487 21	32 80	30 19	152 64		702 84	27 00
Nova Scotia.....	595 00					595 00	97 00
New York and Penn.....	242 43	22 23	26 21	265 68	2 25	558 80	36 00
Iowa.....	218 68	58 54	26 36		31 85	335 43	260 98
Susquehanna.....	48 30	3 48	7 93	257 98		317 69	7 85
New York Misc.....	141 80	118 50	34 00		20 00	314 30	2 00
Ohio River.....	150 59	114 44	4 09			269 12	30 00
Nebraska.....	153 52	36 25	11 80			201 57	
Illinois.....	45 75	13 74	80	129 69	3 00	192 98	23 00
Northern Kansas.....	36 16	10 38	9 82	132 79	2 50	191 65	43 54
St. Lawrence.....	102 13		1 26	86 78	1 11	191 28	
Golden Gate Association.....	75 23	11 98	3 24	85 00		175 45	40 00
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Southern Kansas.....	19 62	9 16				28 78	22 21
J. S. Manning.....				22 50	5 00	27 50	
N. E. Missouri.....	16 38	3 95				20 33	5 00
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Penn. F. B. Association.....	8 51			8 28		16 79	
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Penn. Misc.....	5 00					5 00	
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Miscellaneous.....	212 24	1,445 80			17 79	1,675 83	503 99
Interest.....	911 87	591 21	322 00			1,825 08	1,835 35
Aggregates.....	\$62,582 58	\$48,311 43	\$2,278 01	\$7,292 97	\$ 927 95	\$121,392 94	\$13,132 36

BEQUESTS

NAMES	STATES	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Educa- tion
George Thompson.....	Maine.....	\$ 50 00	\$ 50 00	
Raymond Toothacre.....	Maine.....	500 00		
George Plummer.....	Maine.....	30 00	30 00	
Jonathan Howe.....	New Hampshire.....	50 00	50 00	
Ann Augusta French.....	New Hampshire.....			\$ 500 00
Eliza G. O. Howe.....	Vermont.....	340 00		
Jesse Blake.....	Massachusetts.....	41,341 20	41,341 19	
Martha S. Walling.....	New York.....	50 00	50 00	
Adelia Stansbury.....	Ohio.....	25 00		
Clarissa J. Fry.....	Wisconsin.....	50 00		
George Kennan.....	Minnesota.....	79 94		
Hiram Harrington.....	Ontario.....	2,500 00		
Total		\$45,016 14	\$41,521 19	\$ 500 00

ARTHUR GIVEN, *Treasurer.*

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

American Free Baptist Mission

OF

Southern Bengal

For the year ending September 31

1906

THE EVANGELIZATION OF THE WORLD IN THIS GENERATION

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16,000 Missionaries on the Field
50,000 Required to Evangelize
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the Russo-Japanese War

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mies of the United States, Great
Britain and Germany

12,000,000 American, British,
and German College Graduates
of a Generation. 1-24th would
Evangelize the World.

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\$20,000,000 Income of For-
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\$800,000,000 Army and Navy
Expenditures of the United
States, Great Britain and Ger-
many

\$1,115,000,000 Cost to Great
Britain of South African War

\$796,207,000 Annual net In-
crease in Wealth of Protestant
Church Members of the United
States over and above all Ex-
penditures

\$25,000,000,000 Total Wealth
of the Protestant Church Mem-
bers of the United States

POWER ENOUGH

*And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All Power is Giv-
en Unto Me in heaven and in earth. Go Ye Therefore, and teach all na-
tions, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Ghost: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever
I have commanded you; and lo, I am With You always, even unto the end
of the World*

WE CAN DO IT IF WE WILL

Report of the American Free Baptist Mission

FOREWORD.

The fourth day of last February marked the seventieth anniversary of the landing of our first missionaries in Calcutta. The same month also marked the sixty-eighth anniversary of their settlement in Balasore to begin their permanent work. We have still in our midst one who joined the little company here two years later. "Grandma" Phillips, as she is lovingly called, is spending her last days where her work in India began sixty-six years ago. And so the narrow span of a single life more than covers the time since Free Baptists first awoke to their privilege toward India, and the working years of that life cover almost the whole life of the mission.

Remembering things as they were then, and comparing the present with that day, we have abundant cause to "Thank God and take courage." The vast changes in the attitude of the people toward God and Jesus Christ that seventy years have witnessed here cannot be put into words. The fact that such revivals in our little churches as are noted in the following pages have become not only possible but actual, is enough to make those who recognize its significance shout for joy.

"India, Awake! Thy King is come," is the cry that has been ringing out over this great empire for this past year. And India is awaking. In no other twelve months has she taken such a stride forward into the light. And we are as yet only at the very beginning of the awakening. The marvellous things that our God has done are only an earnest of the far more marvellous things that he is preparing to do. The breath of the Spirit of God has touched many a sleeping church in many parts of the land this year, and it has revived and put on new beauty and courage and hope. But "our eyes are toward the Lord, and all our expectation is from him." It is wholly his work, and often human instrumentalities seem to be almost wholly ignored. Only those that are humble are used. Prayer has become the great weapon of the church. We are waiting with ever-increasing long- ing for the great day of his ingathering to begin right here in our midst. Will you not join us in this prayer? The following pages will suggest many a subject that you will certainly wish to lay before the Lord in ear- nest pleading if you read in the right spirit.

And so may I beg that you will offer a prayer for open eyes and heart as you look into these pages?

PERUSE, PONDER, PRAISE, PRAY.

Your brother,

GEO. H. HAMLEN.

REPORT OF THE

PROMOTED.

It were not well for those of us who remain to forget such as have been called to join the Church Triumphant. During the past year one whose life has been closely identified with India laid down the earthly tabernacle for the heavenly. Helen M. Phillips entered into rest March 7, 1906. She was born in Jellalore, India, June 15, 1852. When she was eighteen months old, her mother took her with the other children on a sailing vessel to America. There she grew to womanhood, and obtained a liberal education.

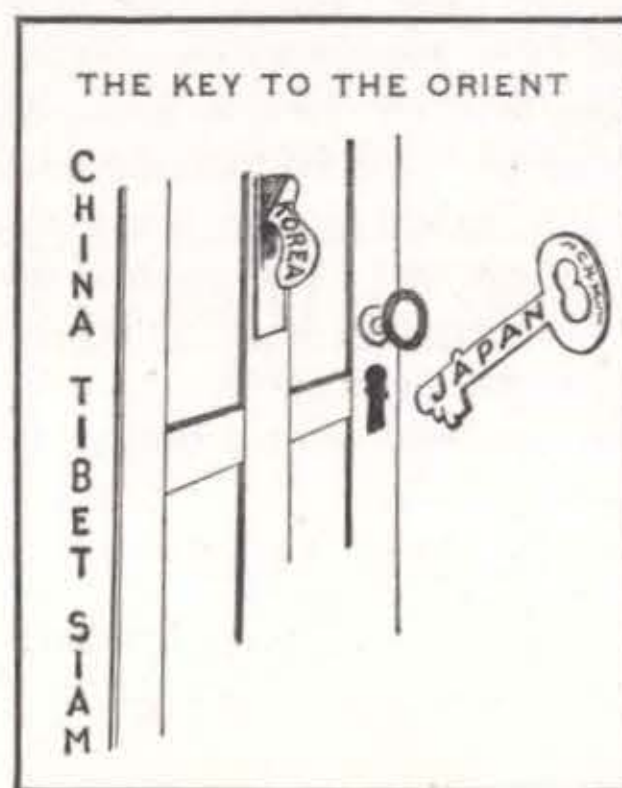
This is not a biographical sketch, only a bit of a tribute to one who loved Jesus, and therefore loved India and its people. She sailed for India Sept. 24, 1881, and landed about two months later. Her first term of service lasted almost eleven and one-half years a term which few constitutions can stand with impunity. After a furlough of less than twenty-two months, she was back again at her loved work. Balasore and Santipore, chiefly the latter, were the fields of her labor. Her medical training was especially useful in Santipore, where no doctors live nearer than eight or ten miles and the nearest English doctor is thirty-five miles away. And she was always ready to spend and be spent for those who needed her. Her memory is especially fragrant among those whom she served.

Those of us who knew her have precious memories of her kindly interest and sympathy, of her lively conversation, of her constant desire to be used of the Master, and of her patience and loving kindness. It was a grief to us that disease deprived us of her presence, and India of her service during the last years of her life. But we know that she was tenderly cared for. Yet even to the last her habit of helpfulness was strong, showing itself in kindly ministrations to those worse off than herself.

And now she sees with unclouded vision the Saviour she loves, and is one of the great company of those amidst whom He dwells, and who "serve Him." For her we are glad, knowing that she is with the Lord. For ourselves may we gird ourselves afresh for the "race that is set before us."

"Thanks be unto Him who giveth us the victory through our Lord, Jesus Christ."

GEO. H. HAMLEN.



FREE BAPTIST MISSION

BALASORE.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. GEO. H. HAMLEN.	MRS. E. J. HAMLEN.	MISS J. J. SCOTT.
REV. E. H. LOUGHER.	MRS. M. W. LOUGHER (on furlough).	
REV. C. A. COLLETT.	MRS. DORA J. COLLETT.	MRS. J. P. BURKHOLDER
MRS. H. C. PHILLIPS (retired)	MISS SHIRLEY H. SMITH, M. D.	
MISS E. E. BARNES.	MISS M. E. DAWSON.	MISS R. D. BOMWETSCH

HOME MISSIONARY.

MR. DINA NATH BASU (head master of the high school).

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES.

REV. JOSEPH FULLONTON. REV. KAMALA KANTA NAYAK (retired)

EVANGELISTS.

GANGADHAR RATH
Five colporteurs.

PROBODH CHUNDRA NAYAK
Bible women

OTHER WORKERS.

Sixteen school teachers.
Ten Kindergarten teachers.

Twelve zenana teachers.
Four pupil teachers.

REPORT OF GEO. H. HAMLEN.

It does not take an old hand, for whom several people are waiting, very long to find himself back under the old budens which those others are glad enough to transfer to his shoulders. But I wish to say that I found that the burdens had been faithfully carried and that things were moving as smoothly as usual when I slipped back into the harness almost eleven months ago. Surely those who "filled the gap" while I was away were helped of the Lord to do so wisely and well.

And what a busy, eventful eleven months it has been, to be sure, since I took up work at the old stand again! Every day has had its own special experience, and its peculiar grace and its blessings. But outstanding in and over it all has been and is the wonderful fact of the constant presence of the Lord. In no other year of my life has he been able to make his presence so real to me, and never has his leading been so apparent and the fruits of his abiding so precious.

The Church—Once more the church has been in my care. It is a care that always brings both sorrows and joys. This year the joys have been more numerous than usual, while the sorrows have been of a sort to make one know a little more of the meaning of "Suffering with Christ."

As I am told, and firmly believe, much prayer was offered all the preceding Summer and Fall for an outpouring of the Spirit on the church. The last week in December I asked some of the brethren to meet at my house to talk over the prospect of having a Bible class once or twice a week. Several came, and the plan was considered, and we had decided to meet twice a week, when almost as we were separating, the Master whispered to me that the next week would be the week of prayer. I mentioned

it, and the idea took at once. Meetings were suggested for morning and evening. And almost in a spirit of levity that grieved me, the whole matter was arranged, and we agreed to postpone the beginning of the Bible class till the second week of the year. And so the meeting broke up.

Revival—But the Lord knew how to turn the whole course of the meetings so lightly proposed into a very serious channel. It is always the custom here, originating where I do not know, for most of the young men and boys to get together about midnight of the last day of the old year, and to begin the new year by going about the streets singing. Then finally, as the sun comes up, and the cool air begins to warm up a bit, they gather in the church with many of their neighbors, for a prayer meeting. That first prayer meeting of the new year was marked by a greater solemnity than usual, and the vows made by several were more sincere and earnest than we usually hear at that time.

Notice was given of the meetings we had planned. The meeting in the evening was well attended and the interest good. And to the surprise of most of us the next morning many were present, and in a day or two it was evident that something very unusual was taking place. Some Christians began to be concerned for their neighbors and friends. Sinners began to be deeply convicted. The messages from the word of God went straight home, and we were in the midst of a revival.

By the end of two weeks during which the meetings were held twice a day, and often lasted two hours or more, several were asking for baptism. Several hardened sinners who had been excluded from the church, were so deeply moved that they began to confess their sins. The evening meetings continued for two months and before they ended fifty had been baptized and ten had been reclaimed.

There is neither time nor space here to recount the incidents of the revival. Some of the confessions were very touching. Some confessed sins which they had sturdily denied for many years. One whole family which has father, mother and three sons who had all been far from God, were gathered into the church and have lived since in such a way as to show their sincerity. Another man, who was exceedingly hard, and had not been into the church for many years though he was formerly a member came and most humbly confessed his sin. Ever since he has been one of the most faithful ones in church and prayer meeting, always ready with prayer and testimony when he has opportunity. The children and young people were especially blessed and a large company of them were gathered into the church. It was my blessed privilege to give the hand of fellowship to about fifty one beautiful Sunday morning.

Fruits—One of the immediate fruits of the revival was that two young men went to the Bible School to prepare themselves for evangelistic work. Another is working as a colporteur for a year, in order to become familiar with the sort of work he will need to learn to do, before going to that school. Several old feuds were wholly or partially healed, and it has been much easier to persuade people to settle their own quarrels than it used to be. The attendance at the meetings has been better than formerly. But

perhaps most important of all, an appetite for better things has been awakened; and I have never known a year here when there has been so much prayer for, and expectation of, far greater blessings than we have as yet received.

But there is still very "much land to possess" within the church itself. There must come a definite full surrender to and infilling by the blessed spirit for service, before the church can even begin to reach out after the vast multitudes of the lost all around us, over whom Jesus yearns with infinite love and pity. And it is for this that we now pray and wait with earnest hope.

Christian Endeavor—There are two Senior and two Junior societies connected with the church. This is because boys and girls, and young men and women cannot as yet unite in such work with any profit. The societies have done a lot of good work, more especially in the way of training their members to take part in meeting, and to pray and speak in public simply and naturally. But a good deal has been done in them in the way of teaching practical righteousness, and quite a number of those baptized were from among the associate membership of these societies. These societies share with the Sunday School the work of training the young for the Master.

Quarterly Meeting.—The August session of the Quarterly Meeting was held with this church, and was very helpful. Several of the students of the Bible School came down, including some of our own boys. With them came two of their teachers, Brothers Sachi and Samuel, and Brother and Sister Wyman, all of them full of revival fire. Many of the new revival hymns were sung with deep feeling and preaching, prayer, exhortation and confession were marked by great earnestness. Several of our people were specially blessed. One young man who had been a great sinner, was broken down and confessed his sin very humbly, and once more began to walk in the way of truth and purity. Since then he has been strongly tempted in another way. He secured a position as a teacher in a Mohammedan school; but in a few days he found that he would have to work on Sunday. He stood it for two weeks or so, and then resigned, saying that he could not have any peace of mind in thus neglecting the Lord's Day, and setting such an example as to hinder the work of other Christians in preaching God's Word.

Sunday School.—I have asked the Assistant Superintendent to report the work of the Sunday School. He has done much of the work. I have had only a sort of general oversight. I think that the school has done better work this year than usual. This does not mean that there is not much improvement possible, but that improvement is being made, as it has been for years past, and we hope to make more improvement in the future.

High School.—The head master will report this. He was in immediate charge of the school while I was gone, and has done faithful work. Since my return, I have realized much more keenly than before how much the teachers need to be taught how to teach. To help somewhat in this matter I have had them come to my study for an hour of discussion of ways and

methods as often as possible. For some time they came twice a week. Recently sickness in the family of one of them, and other things have hindered this work, but we mean to press it more earnestly in the future.

The Government has given us a grant of forty rupees a month, equal to a little more than thirteen dollars. Some changes in the routine of the classes made it possible for us to reduce expenses somewhat, so that the school, while doing rather better work, has cost less. It is a time of scarcity of food, and the hard times have hindered numbers from coming to school whom otherwise we might have had. This has conspired with our rule requiring Bible study of every pupil, to keep our numbers down. Sometime, before long, we hope we shall do better in every way.

Industrial.—Two years ago Government gave us a small grant-in-aid towards carrying on a garden for training our boys in gardening. Soon after I came this was put into my charge. Most of the boys of the Orphanage get more or less training in it, and occasionally one from outside comes in to learn. The chief difficulty we have to contend with is that no one will give his time to learn such work. The boys and young men have not yet advanced far enough to appreciate the value of being able to cultivate a little garden of their own some day.

The first of the year Mrs. Burkholder turned over the carpentering department to me. Then she gave three hundred rupees to put up a roof over a verandah, so that there would be room for the shop. A young Hindu carpenter was converted in the revival meetings and has been a very efficient and useful teacher in this shop. We have had from three to seven boys giving their whole time to learning carpentry and cabinet making. There are six now. Besides these several others, including two Hindu and one Mohammedan boy have spent one or two hours a day at this work. I consider this one of the most promising openings we have in the industrial line.

Besides the sum given by Mrs. Burkholder, we are indebted to a New Brunswick brother, D. McLeod Vince, Esq., of Woodstock, for the kindly gift of one hundred and fifty rupees to help on this work. We would hardly have been able to carry it on without this help, and the further assistance of thirty rupees sent by Brother J. C. Blaisdell, of Waterville, Me.

Perhaps some may look askance at such work for missionaries, and such use for money sent to India. But if they were here on the field they would soon understand the reason for it in the need. Especially here in Balasore, where there are no good workmen in any trade, is it necessary to train our own boys for self-support in these lines. And all may be sure that we are not walking this new road without much prayer, and full dependence on the wisdom from above.

GEO. H. HAMLEN.

BALASORE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

By the Assistant Superintendent.

It is attended chiefly by our own people. There are sixteen teachers for the sixteen classes, six of them being females. There are 208 pupils on the rolls, and the average attendance on every Sunday is 140 nearly. We

have our Superintendent, Rev. Geo. H. Hamlen, and other office bearers, who were duly chosen by the free votes of teachers of the Sunday School. The masters of our high school have themselves undertaken the task of training souls for Heaven. But as they had not among their corps one capable of efficiently drilling the others in the Word of God, they requested Bro. Hamlen to do it prayerfully and carefully. The teachers feel deeply the responsibility and importance of the calling so they do not fail to meet in the Preparation Class after Sunday morning service.

When the church bell rings for Sunday School, we begin the opening hymn in the high school hall. The singing is followed by a brief responsive reading of Scripture. Before the scholars are dismissed to their respective classes a short prayer is offered to the Lord to prepare their minds that they may receive the Word of Life. Lessons on truth and duty in life are illustrated and enforced with prayer on the tender minds of the learners. To foster the spirit of benevolence among the children the teachers receive and note down the voluntary contributions that are offered every Sunday. We have now in hand \$12.58. Fifteen minutes before the end of the hour, the school-bell rings for all to assemble again in the hall where the closing hymn is followed by the Lesson Review and the blessing on the work of the day.

A quarterly review of the individual lessons is very helpful to the students to acquit themselves creditably at the All-India S. S. Examination. This year 25 scholars have been successful and the result is comparatively better than that of the last year. Certificates are awarded to the candidates taking the highest places in the Scripture examination.

Dear readers, do join hands with us in invoking the blessing of our Father on the work to which we are called in the name of Jesus.

H. M. SARKAR.

BALASORE HIGH SCHOOL.

Reported by Mr. Basu.

The Teaching Staff.—We were very glad to welcome our Principal, Rev. G. H. Hamlen, back to Balasore, in October last. He took over charge of the school early in November, but he did not take part in teaching the first two classes before January, 1906. I am very sorry to report that Mr. Rajani Kanta Jena, one of our most promising Christian teachers left us in the end of December last, as he was going to join the Bengal Police Department. This young man was formerly a pupil of this school when it was established in 1894. He was brought up in our Orphanage which he joined when late Mr. Boyer was in charge of it. No doubt he will be better off, as the Police Department is much more lucrative than the Mission Educational Department. But the Bengal Police Department is full of temptations and very few officers can overcome them, and therefore people look upon it as a corrupt department and usually conscientious Christians do not wish to enter it. It is a great pity that this so-called corrupt department has taken away from us one teacher, two young men from our Orphanage,

two from the Christian village and one Hindu young man from the highest class of our school during the year under review.

Pupils.—Early in January last, the Russell Memorial School (Infant School) was amalgamated with the lower primary department of the high school. Thus we have two schools in the same compound. At present the high school has eight classes instead of ten, and the amalgamated primary school has four classes instead of two. Thus the number of pupils in the high school has fallen off to some extent and that in the primary school has increased. There are 86 boys on the rolls of the high school, of whom 44 are Christians, 40 Hindus and 2 Mohammedans. The average monthly number has been 94, and the average daily attendance 79 nearly. About a dozen orphan boys had to give up their studies as they were too dull to study any further; half a dozen village Christian boys left us during the year, and over a dozen Hindu boys left school.

There are 39 boys in the primary school of whom 30 are Christians and 9 Hindus. The average monthly number on the rolls has been 39, and the average daily attendance, 31.

Examinations.—At the last Calcutta University Entrance Examination we sent up two Christian young men (who hailed from Bhimpore) of whom one, named Chakravarti Laren, has been successful. The Government Educational Department has kindly granted him a special scholarship of 8 rupees a month, tenable for two years; besides this scholarship he is allowed free tuition at the Midnapur College.

Ninety-four (94) boys appeared at the last Annual Examination, of whom 67 have been successful; so the percentage is more than 71, and better than that of the last year.

Vacations.—We had 239 working days during the year under review. The Summer vacation lasted for five weeks, Christmas for three weeks, Pujah for eight days, preparations for examinations for eight days, and other holidays for five days.

Religious Instructions.—As usual the Bible was regularly taught in all the classes. Every morning at prayers the Principal addresses the boys and teachers for a few minutes. We have kept up the Saturday afternoon addresses given by the masters and missionary friends.

Distinguished Visitors.—Dr. Ward, of Hillsdale College, U. S. A., very kindly visited the school in March last, and gave a stirring address. In July last His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal honored the school with a visit.

Evangelistic Work.—I have visited my educated Hindu and Mohammedan countrymen whenever I have found time and opportunity. Early this year I began a new phase of my work, I mean preaching to the Urdu and Hindi-speaking Balasore merchants and Puri pilgrims to Jagannath, passing through Balasore. I introduced some of my non-Christian countrymen to Dr. Ward, who thus got an opportunity of knowing the religious views of educated Hindus and Mohammedans from their own lips, and their attitude towards Christianity.

One day I was surprised to hear that an acquaintance, who is an elder-

ly Hindu gentleman had been requested by his son to read the Bible. The secret of it is that the son was brought up in a mission college where he learned to value the Bible. English education de-Hinduizes the Hindu, breaks down idolatry, inspires him with a distaste for it, and a latent desire to be free from it. Those of our countrymen who have received English education have learned to have regard for Jesus. Mohammed of the Mohammedans and Ram Krishna, Nanak and Chaitanya of the Hindus cannot satisfy them. The stars grow very dim when the sun rises. A few months ago I was introduced to a retired Bengal judge—an M. A. of the Calcutta University. He asked me how Jesus Christ had treated a fallen woman who had washed his feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. I told him the story as narrated in the Bible. On hearing it the gentleman said, "How different is Chaitanya (an incarnation of Krishna), in his treatment of sinners! For one day Chaitanya got very angry because a sinful man of rank touched his feet. But Jesus Christ pardoned the penitent sinner."

I was very glad to hear from one of our Brahmin (Hindu) pupils that his aunt wanted to have a Bengali New Testament. This lady is the wife of one of the Government officials here. He and I read together in a Mission Collegiate school. On coming to this place my friend found out that I had embraced Christianity. He told his wife about my conversion. She being an educated lady wants to read the Bible. I made her a present of a copy of the New Testament in Bengali. I hear she read the book as quickly as possible. May the Holy Spirit work in the hearts of these inquirers and bring them to the feet of the Great Redeemer of mankind and make them truly happy! Amen.

DINA NATH BASU.

E. H. LOUGHER'S FIELD REPORT.

At last yearly meeting, with the sanction of the Home Board, the India Committee gave me the work I have been longing for ever since I came to India. That is the evangelistic field.

I have long felt that we should put more stress on this part of our work, which to my mind, has been rather slighted in the burden of care for our large institutional works. The work before one is that of getting into our churches for special services, and more particularly of going directly at the countless thousands on all sides of us.

The work last cold season was of a most encouraging character and the evidence of the silent, wonderful power of the Gospel is showing forth on every hand. The people listen well. They talk. They are thinking how they can become Christians and live. That is the all-important question with hundreds of thousands now.

The work last cold season had a good help in Bro. Collett and it might have been somewhat broken during the fore part of the season but for him; for little Dorothy came and for some little time she seemed to demand her father.

I wonder if I could do better than give you a glimpse of what we mean when we say we are doing cold season work. I think I will just write a few notes from my work diary of last season.

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One Half-day's Work.

"We divided into three parties and got into ten villages during the forenoon. The work with my party was something like this: Set out at 7.30 a. m. going on the feeder road, we found about thirty men 'eating the sun' (sunning themselves). We preached to them, gave them some tracts and answered their questions. The next stop was in a village where an old man and some helpers were planting a patch of mustard. Sold him a book—it will preach—and passed on. Came to a house where a man was stacking rice. Sold him a book and called in a Brahmin who was passing by. He was on his way to the temple to sacrifice to his God. We told them of the better, brighter way. Next, by the R. R. track, we found a man having his hair cut, and as he and the barber squatted on the ground we talked to them of Jesus. Ganga ran after a crowd of men on their way to the city. He gave them some tracts, explained to them and sent them off singing how Jesus came to save the whole world. We sold a book to the man being barbered, and passed on. Going by the edge of the village, we saw a couple of men lifting water from the railway excavations. They fled! They thought we were after them for taking the water, I expect, but we called them back, laughed at their fears, sang for them, and sold them a book. The man had to go to the house for his pice, and when he returned he brought the whole tribe with him. We sang for them and sold other books, explained why we were going about, and after a good talk we went on across the fields.

"Met a man; stopped him. Sold a book. Got him interested. A couple of boys hearing the singing came, saw, and away they ran for pice, returned, purchased, sang and went off happy. A couple of black, naked little tots came along, got a tract each, and their little legs worked like drum-sticks as they ran for home with their prize. Then on to 'Ram Naggar.' I saw a woman and a couple of youngsters and they saw us and fled, the boys to the vines in the hedge; the woman to the house and chained the door. We went into the yard and a preacher explained to her how we had come to tell her of a better way to live and had a book that would explain it. She listened, peeking over the door, finally the chain dropped and out she came; and the boys, hearing the singing, came crawling, grinning, out of the hedge. A little further on we gathered some men and boys who were herding cattle, and as they sat in the shade of a peepul tree, we told the story. Then into the villages again. Found a man sorting some good rice for seed. We took our text from that and preached to him Jesus. Sold him and his neighbors books. Met a man coming from his field. Told him a few things. Went into a man's yard. He had sons and daughters and daughters-in-law galore, and a perfect cloud of little black children swarmed out from where I scarcely know. We preached to them and I told the children how Jesus took the little children in His arms. From here we pushed on across a field

towards camp. Met a man and asked him to buy a book. He looked us straight in the eye and said 'I am very poor. I have not a single pice in the world.' 'All right, brother, there are some tracts. Learn them and sing them. They are the great secret of life.' And off we went and out he called, 'Come back! Come back!' The old liar found his pice bag and bought a book and called out as we were leaving him, 'But why are the Sahibs walking about like this?' So we told him and then went on to the tent, and to breakfast, and the half-day's work is done. What fruit? Who can say?"

This, with variations is the story of the work. Sometimes it is one sometimes a dozen, or fifty or one hundred; and we have preached to over 2,000 with the lantern at night.

Oh, that we might push into every corner in our great field, not once to give but a fragment, but often, until the message had burned its way deep into these countless lives!

The Book Room.—This work is well worthy of note. During the year the number of visitors has been about 3,000. Many talks and interesting experiences have been noted. The sales of all books and tracts for the year will number over 13,700, besides those given away. The Colporteurs have done excellent work and this is a mighty agency for good. We have done considerable translating and prepared some new tracts in Oriya. Pan-gadhar Rath deserves especial praise along this line.

There cannot possibly be any more encouraging reports from the field and India this year than those of a purely evangelistic character. Nearly all our own churches have been aroused. The country far and wide is passing through marvelous experiences, some of them pentecostal, indeed.

Now is a special time to pray:

1. For missionaries.
2. For native churches.
3. For native helpers, on whom a great burden is lying these days.
4. For means to do a very enlarged work, opportunities for which crowd upon us until we are nearly distracted to know how to improve them.

E. H. LOUGHER.

REPORT OF MRS. LOUGHER.

Industrial—The handkerchief work which I began three years ago has constantly continued to grow. Some women have come in from other stations and staid long enough to learn the work and then returned to their homes, where I afterwards sent the handkerchiefs to them. I have never refused work to anyone who came and now there are women who make handkerchiefs in Midnapore, Metrapore and Ujurda as well as Balasore.

It is an advantage that all are able to take this work to their own homes to do. Thus they can look after their children and do their housework while at the same time they are able to earn good wages. Another good thing is that it gives employment to many needy ones who are not

well enough educated to teach and would never make good ayahs, (children's nurses), about the only kind of work open to women in India.

It has been a real pleasure to watch the development of the new workers and to have the old ones bring even better work than ever this year.

The better workers have made some Irish linen handkerchiefs with finer, prettier patterns than before, so that those without lace sell as high as 75 cts. each and those with lace insertion and ruffles up to \$2.50 each. We still put the linen centers into the real lace borders which we get from another mission and these sell from \$3.50 to \$10.

I wish again to thank the ladies of our Cleveland and Buffalo churches and also several in Maine, Michigan and other states who have so interested themselves in the work and helped us dispose of it.

Bible-Women—Three Bible-women have been in my charge during the year and I am sorry to say I had to dismiss one of them. Not because of any special sin which she herself committed, but because she shielded her son in serious sin and we felt that under the circumstances she could not do good work. Mariam and Monie have done good work during the entire year. I do think Mariam is one of the best women I have ever known. So spiritual and so helpful in the Christian Community, as well as in the outside work. She said to me not long ago, "Mem sahib, I am getting old and I pray every day, yes, many times a day, that God will raise up someone to take my work before he calls me home to himself." I told her I would join her in praying for the same and I wish others would do so. Oh, for many more Mariams.

The Hindu Girls' School has been kept up as usual during the year, but with fewer pupils because we had Christian instead of Hindu teachers. Both teachers were thoroughly revived during the special meetings held in Balasore the first of the year and in March both went to Bible school. This necessitated a change and I put in another young man from our Christian community who will be able to do all the work unless the attendance increases. Government furnishes nearly all the funds for the expenses of this school.

Eurasian School.—This school which I started four years ago and with which much of my time has been spent has been closed. I think most of you will be sorry to hear of this, but those of you who read my last year's report knew that such a thing was possible.

Khargpur, from where we drew the largest number of pupils has now a much better day school than ever before and fewer of the children are being sent away to boarding schools.

It came to a crisis. Either we must put a good deal of money into buildings and expenses for teachers, etc., and make a first-class school of it that we might draw pupils from a larger area, or we must close it, for we could not continue it as it was. As we had no money there was no alternative and at the end of the school year in December we closed it. I am sure that God wanted the school opened and I am just as sure that good was accomplished, but now that I have not that work I know He can use me in other ways for the furtherance of His Kingdom and I pray Him to do so.

Miss Kenyon who has been our teacher ever since the school was opened, had joined our church while with us and was very loth to leave our mission. We, too, hated to see her go as she is capable of doing efficient work with the native people. She has a thorough knowledge of Hindustani and there is great need of such a worker at Khargpur. We have no missionaries who speak that language as hitherto we have had no special need of it in our field.

The missionaries joined in paying Miss Kenyon a very small salary for one year in order to retain her until there should be a place for her to live with the Oxrieders. She will go to them about the first of the new year. This year she has been studying Bengali and working in different stations as she was needed. We hope the Conference Board will be able to take her on as an assistant missionary and a regular worker.

Ourselves—On Dec. 23d a dear little baby girl came to our home and we were all delighted to see her. Marguerite, who had been the only one for fifteen years, named her Dorothy Winifred. She has been a constant joy to us ever since she came and now she is running about alone and doing all the cunning little things common to a ten-months baby.

In April we heard that my mother had had a very severe illness. She recovered so slowly that we feared she might never be really well again, and as the letters kept coming, telling us of her condition we decided that it was best for me to come home. Some of you know that I am an only child, so their-all was in India and father and mother were alone.

In Calcutta, the night of July 5th, the children and I said "good-by" to Mr. Lougher and he returned to Balasore to take up the work alone, while we aboard the steamer Kutsang set our faces towards the home land. Those who have not experienced it can hardly realize what such a parting means. At the same time Mr. and Mrs. Murphy took leave of Roland, who came with us. We changed boats at Hong Kong and came on the Korea, on which Dr. and Mrs. Ward joined us at Yokohama. The voyage was pleasant all the way, but we were glad to step foot on American soil Aug. 20th. We found friends in Oakland, some we had known before, and more that we had never seen, but all were Free Baptists and received us oh so cordially into their homes and hearts. I shall never forget their kindness to us.

We were glad indeed on our arrival here (Jackson, Mich.) to find my mother was much better, but still sure that it was best we had come.

God has been good to us during the year. He has taught us some lessons that have been hard to learn, but we know we have profited by them. May He use me here in our own dear country to further the work in India is my prayer.

MINNIE WHITNEY LOUGHER.

REPORT OF MRS. BURKHOLDER.

Balasore Boys' Orphanage.

This report must be short. In all we have had fifty-eight boys in the Orphanage and eighteen boarders in our home. Of the fifty-eight, sixteen

have left us. Several have returned to their friends, while others have gone out to find employment and to care for themselves. It is to be hoped that they will carry with them the Christian instruction given daily while with us, and thus influence for good those with whom they come in contact.

This is not only an orphanage but a home as well for a good number of young men who are variously employed.

Quite a number of the boys having pursued their studies as far as their ambition could carry them have left school and are learning useful trades. Three are in the bookbindery; three in the rattan department; still others are working in the garden or fitting themselves for house-servants.

At the beginning of the year, Mr. Hamlen took charge of the carpenter's department. We were glad to welcome him back. Every family, whether large or small needs a father. Mr. Hamlen has taken this place, and has helped us over many hard places. As a whole there has been a law-abiding spirit among the boys. It is not surprising that they have overstepped the bounds at times. The general health of the boys has been excellent until the last month during which there have been many cases needing treatment, but none that were serious.

Industrial.—The five boys in the bookbinding department have done good work. They have made a large number of assorted blank books, which have been sold here and in other places besides re-binding ninety books from the Government High School Library, eighty-six from the Bengali Club Library and many more from other sources.

During the past month alone they have made 208 blank books and rebound 48.

The rattan department has been kept up throughout the year. We are now able to make comfortable chairs as well as a variety of smaller articles.

Boarding Master.—Last January, Rajani Jena, our assistant in the Orphanage, left us to enter Government employ. We were very sorry to lose him as he was one of our best young men. We have now secured the services of Rajani Fullonton, who is a teacher in our high school. He lives with the boys and is doing excellent work. Of his own accord he has started a prayer circle which meets daily at eight in the evening. It is the two's and three's, four's and five's who meet to plead for an outpouring of the spirit on the school and church. One little fellow about ten or twelve years of age has been most faithful in attending this meeting. He comes from a village a short distance from here, where only one family has joined the Christians. They have met with much persecution from their heathen neighbors, but the Lord has stood by them so they are more than holding their own. This boy was baptized only last January. But at each meeting he prays as Rajani says, like an old man. He is trying to persuade others to come to the little meeting.

For two months and more at the beginning of the year we had a series of revival meetings which were productive of much good. Six from our boys' home were among those baptized. We are longing, praying and hoping for a deep work of grace in the hearts of our boys. Daily instruc-

tion from the Bible is given but the Blessed Spirit alone can quicken the inner life and lead to repentance.

When, oh, when shall we receive the abundant showers of blessing?
Friends, continue to pray for us all.

J. P. BURKHOLDER.

REPORT OF MISS EDITH PHILLIPS.

Since being connected in the Zenana work with Miss Scott, ten houses have been visited. Out of these six have been dropped because they only wanted to read, and not know the way to Heaven.

How sad and discouraging!

Yet it is encouraging when bright ones are found.

The wife and daughter of a deputy magistrate are interested in Bible stories. The wife reads and talks English well. She is an educated Bengali woman. The daughter is learning English and Bengali, also has a good memory, telling some of the stories when shown Bible pictures.

In another home, the daughter of a pleader in court has had Bengali in school, but reads English well. She recites her catechism very nicely, even before her Hindu mother, which is remarkable.

In a village a little distance from Sinclair Orphanage a service is held every Saturday.

Children, young men and women come, the largest number being sixteen. They are pleased with the stories and pictures and recite the Golden Text in Oriya. They are delighted with the little pictures which are given them the first of the month. Such dear little ones, it is a pleasure to teach them.

Remember the Brownies and your friend and fellow-worker in Christ,
J. EDITH PHILLIPS.

REPORT OF MISS BOMWETSCH.

The Kindergarten.—The past year has been a memorable one in many respects, a year of "tender mercies and loving kindness!" At the request of the Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society in America, an application was made to the Director of Public Instruction for a Government grant-in-aid for the Teachers' Training School and Kindergarten.

The European Government Inspector of Schools consequently paid a visit to both departments and "strongly recommended the grant." The grant was subsequently sanctioned with effect from the 1st of June, 1906.

To meet the requirements of the Government code the new syllabus had to be introduced. This necessitated some changes in the organization of the school, as well as the studies and occupations of the children. These innovations exacted hard work on the part of both teachers and pupils which task, however, was made as light as possible for them.

The results of our annual examination were satisfactory. The chil-

children with a few exceptions passed and were promoted to higher standards. Twelve of our pupils joined the primary classes in connection with the boys' high school and the Girls' Middle Vernacular Day School. This reduced our roll number to 62. However during the early months already 15 new children have been admitted and we close the year with 77 names on the rolls.

The teachers' training class increased from ten to fourteen in number, four being taken on as pupil-teachers only. The last mentioned are young girls, who are in the first instance, expected to attend the training classes, without any remuneration. One of the students after completing her studies returned to her home at Ujurda, and is engaged in teaching the little ones in the mission school of her native village.

We received yet another blessing this year, and that is a true revival of the mighty workings of God's Spirit.

Three of our teachers who "were afar off, are become nigh by the blood of Christ." "The whole house where we sit" seems to be filled with an almost mysterious resurrection spirit. The power of the Life of Jesus seems, day by day, to be pervading all.

May we not acknowledge every divine blessing as a special answer to the prayerful support "at home" which surrounds us continually and may it not call forth more and more the sympathy and co-operation of all "who are His?"

"The fervent supplication of the righteous has much power."

R. D. BOMWETSCH.

REPORT OF DR. SHIRLEY H. SMITH.

Sinclair Orphanage.—Poor girls! they have been for five months under the charge of their "old maid aunt" and they will be glad indeed when their "mother" gets home next month. And the "aunt" has often felt great sympathy for the old woman in the shoe. They have been pretty good children after all, though so many, and I cannot complain for they are girls, not angels, so you could not expect them to be perfect. Miss Dawson went home to Australia the last of March and left things in my hands. Dear, faithful Rutni has been a great comfort and help and I have had an excellent helper in Bolap Podham, who has been able to help, not only in the Orphanage, but also in the school and medical work. For the last month, however, she has been sick in bed, and the work has suffered materially. I have been trying to get a competent woman to take special charge of our six babies under four, and to sleep with the girls at night. I have a woman now who is not satisfactory, and I am praying that we may find a suitable person for this responsible position; for our little babies are very delicate children, and must have the best of care if they are to survive.

Seven children have been admitted during the year, three of them sisters of one of our best girls—children of a widowed mother, unable and also incompetent properly to train and care for them. Two of the newcomers are only a few months old. There are now fifty (50) names on our

roll which includes our three girls in Calcutta schools. We have our "boarder" too poor to pay for her board; but we allow her to stay here to attend the school for a time, then she will go back to her mother. There has been comparatively little sickness and no deaths have occurred during the year, for which we are indeed thankful. But one dear girl has been attacked with that dreaded disease, consumption, and I have sent her to Dr. Mary Bachelor for change of air and treatment. The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore, however, does not pronounce her case incurable. Three girls, Kati, Poonie, and Shanti have been married and are in homes of their own.

I have been obliged to stop most of the industrial work that Miss Dawson had so nicely started, but I felt that I had not the time to give that it required. The gardening, however, has gone on, and since the middle of May we have had no gardener. The old gardener was dismissed because he was depending too much on the girls' work and too little on his own to deserve pay. After his dismissal I was considering getting another, but the bullock driver said "Missi Baba, why do you hire another man? With what I can do mornings before the Bible women go out and what the girls do, we can get along all right; sometime, when there is some extra work, you can call in a coolie for a few days." Such an unusual thing in a servant makes one thankful to have such a one, though in this country we never feel secure from deception. The girls seem to enjoy the work and the effort to make the place look well and be profitable. They come to me telling, with pride, that they have learned to dig with the heavy hoe, and show me their burning, blistered hands. It is easier to find gardeners than seamstresses among them now.

But the best part of the year's report is that ten of our girls were converted and baptized in the Winter. They have, as a rule, proven true; but in two, at least, there is need still, for a larger work of grace.

Pray for India and Umbika and for the girls who have not yet made a confession of their faith.

The spirit which permeates the institution throughout is excellent. There is nearly always a ready response whenever for any reason I need to appeal to the girls' sense of right and wrong, or to their sympathies. They have really tried, I believe to make the work as easy as possible for me. I wish you might attend evening prayers some night. The lantern in the middle of the room is only just bright enough to bring out the dark faces, white frocks, and bright eyes of the girls sitting along the mud wall. Rutni is leading. A song is sung and when all is quiet she says, "Now all who have done good work to-day, wherever you have worked, may rise"—A certain number stand. "Now any who have committed any fault"—and nearly or quite all the others rise. Then she begins in her quiet way and asks each in turn to confess her fault. "Did you ask forgiveness?" "Did you put down a mark?" (The marks are put on the wall—white marks for good work and black ones for bad.) After the questions are answered satisfactorily comes a Bible lesson, and prayer. Even our little Prea only 2 1-2 years old has caught the spirit of confession and tells us in her pretty lisping way that she has been angry with Elsie. There and then she asks pardon, and the little trouble between the babies is made up.

The members of the C. E. Committee for the sick, help me sometimes in looking after the sick and giving medicines.

Trials? Discouragements? Difficulties? Yes, often. But who would count them when the compensations are so great? When one thinks of what would have been the lot of these girls if it had not been for the Father's love expressed through the gifts of friends and the loving service of Superintendents, what would one take in exchange for the loving confidence and dependence of one of these girls? "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of these—"

BIBLE-WOMEN.

There are only two now working under the Woman's Board, but they and the others work side by side. Old Udia was called to her rest and her reward in April. At our annual meeting last November, it was decided that she should not be kept on longer as a regular Bible woman, she was so old and she couldn't tell the Story very well. So she was offered two rupees a month to go as a companion for one of the other women. (They go by twos.)

It was a test—a heavy one—of her devotion. For some time she thought she could not go out for that pay, as she could not live on it; but during the revival meetings her old heart became so warmed she came back to say that she would go out with the women. But it was not for long, for a serious illness took hold of her and after a few days of suffering she went home.

I have been able to do nothing with the women more than to pay them since Miss Dawson went away. One of the teachers of the high school has conducted the class.

Miss Dawson was out in country work with them nearly a month in all, and went out into the towns and the villages near by many times to show the magic lantern. These lantern talks are very much appreciated and more requests come for them than can be filled. I remember distinctly the feeling it gave me one night when I was managing the lantern for Miss Dawson, and we came to the picture of Jesus in the mob. A woman from the darkness asked, "What are those people doing to my Jesus?" "My Jesus," from a Hindu woman's lips? Yes, a woman who had had a vision of Him, and had thrown away her idols, was reading her Bible, and worshipping Him in a heathen home.

If our Bible-women could tell you this report there would not be another of the year more full of interest. They could tell of Mani and her mother, who have their Bibles with them constantly, waking or sleeping, and are doing a beautiful work in the heathen community where they live. Widows both, but God is caring for them. Mani gave her testimony in the church last cold season. Can you see her standing—Mrs. Burkholder beside her—testifying to the love of God before a whole church full of strange people? We hope that both mother and daughter may soon be baptized.

They would tell of an old woman, so old they thought she would be dead when they went again. But they found her there, still interested in

the Story. She called in her whole family, shut the door so everything would be quiet, and said, "Now read me about the forgiveness of sin." Another one says, "Whether one is Hindu or Mohammedan, one must have forgiveness from God in order to receive salvation." Another is never satisfied until our women have prayed with her, and she never allows any disturbance during prayer.

These are only a few of the incidents they might tell you of.

One day a week is given to work in the Christian community, for our Christians, like some in Christian lands, need constant encouragement and help in spiritual things.

The Bible-women, too, have the collecting of the money for the Home Mission work at Kalamati. They would be expected to receive contributions only from Christians, but, strange as it may seem, several Hindus are among the regular contributors.

The walls are crumbling in places, and the foundations of heathenism are being gradually undermined. The word is heard more readily than ever, and the printed page is being more and more read. Pray for the hastening of the coming of the Kingdom of Love and Light

MEDICAL WORK.

The medical work, even yet, does not compare very favorably in attendance with numbers reported by other medical missions; but our numbers are increasing. For the past year they are as follows: At dispensary, 1,358; calls on patients in their homes, 447; attendance on Orphanage children about 500; but these last are hard to count. Sometimes the treatment is taking out a thorn or splinter, or putting some drops in an eye, which anyone might do, and which seems scarcely worth while counting; or it may be going to see a girl out at the house half a dozen times a day, which, one would not do if they were off the premises or it may mean a child brought into the house and watched day and night, as when little Achama was sick last Winter, and we feared she would die in spite of everything. So these things are hard to count. One interesting incident during the year was a gift of five rupees from a Babu, who celebrated a rise in his salary by giving that amount to pay for medicines for patients too poor to pay for them. I charge only one cent a day for the medicines I give out, but some are too poor to pay even that. The receipts this year have been about Rupees 200, above expenses but that has been due to practice among Europeans, whom I charge higher fees. Some people seem to think the missionary is here to help only the natives, but I have often said that I am here to help anyone who needs me, whether they are white or brown.

Another interesting incident was a visit to a patient in Jellalore, in which the results of reasonable treatment were so soon apparent that the heathen charms on the patient were thrown away as worthless; and when I came away they called me God. I explained that I was not God, but I tried to be His servant. I have paid them

a friendly visit since and they promise that the little boy who was born that day shall be my servant, and shall follow my religion. Would that the latter part of the promise might be kept! The native people call my babies my grandchildren for in doing anything for a woman I become as her mother—she always calls me “Ma”—and so I must be grandmother to her children. It makes one feel dreadfully old.”

Another interesting incident was a visit to the wife of the Raja, a native State about 13 miles away.

Miss Scott and I are members of the Managing Committee of the Government Hospital, and as such were especially mentioned on the occasion of the visit of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, formally to open the new hospital last January. Our men missionaries have been members of this committee for a long time, but it is very unusual to have women as members of committees under Government. The new hospital is a fine one for the place, and I do what I can in placing patients there whom I have no place or facilities for caring for here. Many are reluctant to go, and I have to go with them many times.

My little mud hut out in the corner of the compound is often in use by people who come from other places for treatment.

Some are Christians and some Hindus.

One finds many who are grateful for help even to the extent of doing something in return. But some are like the nine lepers who forgot to go back to say “thank you,” though saved from a living death. But one learns to work, not for the thanks that one receives, but for the satisfaction of knowing that one has tried to relieve suffering; though often one never has the satisfaction of knowing that the efforts have been successful. So we “Sow beside all waters, not knowing which shall prosper.”

CHRISTIAN GIRLS' DAY-SCHOOL.

A number of changes have been made in the school during the year. In December, Ellen Maharana left and after a few weeks of teaching by a supply Kumodini Das, formerly a teacher in the Kindergarten, and later in Zenana work under Miss Scott, was engaged for the two lowest classes. These classes are known as the Hanson School, supported by the Mission Band at Pittsfield, N. H. In May, Sarala B. Sen, the teacher of English and Drawing, resigned and we were obliged to put in her place a man, a Hindu, who for some time taught in the Christian Boys' high school. He seems to be doing very well. Later Chandra Moni Das went to Calcutta to enter a training school, and another Chandra Moni Das, for a number of years, a teacher in this school, took her place as teacher of the upper primary classes. Government is becoming more and more particular about having trained teachers in the school and for this reason Chandri decided to go for training. I have conducted a class for teachers about twice a week a large part of the year and am doing as much as possible to get our girls who would make teachers into a training school, or into higher schools than ours. There are now five girls of this school in Calcutta schools three from Sinclair Orphanage, and two from the Christian community.

There are 48 names on the roll at the close of the year. Two of the girls were recently married, and another is out on account of ill health.

The drill and drawing introduced only two or three years ago, are improving. We have produced no artists nor teachers of calisthenics as yet, but one never knows what may happen. The drill, at first, seemed a very silly performance to the girls, but they have become more interested in it, and I am trying to make them see its benefits. One of the girls said the other evening, “Missi Baba, Nari needs to take more drills. See how round shouldered she is, and how her stomach sticks out.”

We have put in new black boards, benches, and desks this year. The desks are an innovation. We have never had them before, and the girls think them fine. The desks and benches were all made in the industrial department of the high school, and are very satisfactory.

The changes made by Government about two years ago in regard to examinations have been modified, and the older girls are taking interest again in the school work. But I wish some one would offer the prize I mentioned in last year's report, viz., a year of school in Calcutta, to the girl standing highest in the final examination, provided she were a girl who would profit by such an experience.

The school has been visited by the Inspector twice, and on the occasion of the Lieutenant Governor's visit to Balasore in July, our girls went down to the Kindergarten to be inspected by His Honor there.

I am hoping to be able to give more time to the school in the coming year. More must be given if we are to keep up with the Government standards.

SHIRLEY H. SMITH.

C. A. COLLETT'S REPORT.

In beginning my report this year, I have something of the same feeling I had last year, “So little accomplished; so little accomplished.” But I suppose after a life time of service in India, I shall still have that same feeling. At any rate, I hope I may. However, I do feel that a little has been accomplished towards the spread of the Gospel which would not have been done had we not come to India.

Our year's work has been considerably broken up because of uncertainties as to location, the extent to which we could spread our work and just what the nature of the work should be under the circumstances. At first, we were with the Lougher's, then we moved into the new house. Mrs. Hamlen's coming put us back with the Loughers again. There we remained until the close of the cold season work, at which time we came to Bhadrak. You can readily realize that some time, energy and money have been lost in this way. If we could only know where our life's work in India is to be, and begin that work, it would be much more satisfactory. But missionaries are like pastors at home; they never know where they may be called.

A brief review of the year may give you a faint idea of some of the efforts put forth to let a little more light into this terrible darkness. From the

last of November until February 16th. was spent in the country. During this time, excluding village work, I traveled on my bicycle, beside my bicycle, and under my bicycle, several hundred miles. Not less than seventy-five thousand people were reached, although the instruction was necessarily very limited. Our book sales averaged more than seventy-five a day, besides the tracts and leaflets given free.

Since coming to Bhadrak, my work has been from house to house, and in the bazaars, and markets. Two large markets afford splendid opportunities for spreading the Gospel in the near villages. I wish you could see Rajani's face glow with the joy of battle and certainty of victory, as he preaches to the people who gather around us. And I am certain you would enjoy hearing Sasi sing from the books, although you could not understand one word. Near our house is the government court, where many people assemble every day to bring cases against their neighbors, or for the trial of those they have already brought against them. They are very much like the people Paul came in contact with at Athens; they spend their time at nothing else but either to tell or hear some new thing." But we often meet some very interesting people there. At present there is one man who says that as soon as he can get this case settled, he will become a Christian.

One of the greatest difficulties is to overcome the impressions made by the English government officials. When stopping at a place, if I ask the people to tell why I have come to them, they invariably say: "To see about the opium shops" or "to establish new ones." Only a few days ago the headmaster of the high school here told Rajani he never knew that the missionaries were like the sahib (gentlemen) he thought they were like the Englishmen. Mrs. Collett's teacher asked her why he never saw the sahib's (her husband's) pipe and tobacco, and never saw the sahib smoking. These things impress me more and more that it is the Christian lives that will tell in India, as well as in America.

Our school and church reports are given on another page. The church report is not at all satisfactory, owing to misunderstandings, and I have not time to clarify matters before this report must be handed in. You will notice that there are more non-residents than resident members. Our Christians' places for work change, and they neglect to transfer their letters. You will also notice that we have added four to the church, and more have been changed and yet we have one less than last year. This is due to some mistake last year.

The work looks very hopeful. The Hindu gentlemen, and a few Mohammedans are manifesting especial interest in the work. We should have another preacher, but there are so many places in which there are no workers that we are thankful for one good preacher and a good colporteur. My colporteur's book sales have averaged about four hundred per month.

We are still "digging." No, not for gold, but for more language. At home we say "Grow in grace and knowledge of the truth." But here it may be added, grow in the language and knowledge of the people.

MRS. COLLETT'S REPORT.

Last year, I felt that only studying and a little teaching were hardly worth mentioning; so did not write a report.

This year I feel that I have done something, even if little. The same routine of study has been carried out, but has been more encouraging, although the progress is always slow.

Two weeks living in the tent in January, talking with the women and explaining the Bible pictures as best I could to the women and children who came to see the first white woman and children that had ever been there, filled me with a great longing to be able to make them understand.

This year I shall go out as much as possible taking the Bible-women with me.

Since coming to Bhadrak, my work has been principally in the school, with such village work as the primary teacher and the pastor's wife could aid in. Because of the uncertainty of our staying here the committee has thought it best not to send Bible-women here to stay. I find that fully as many of the women are Bengali or Hindostani as Oriya, and cannot understand me; so I have been very much handicapped.

The first week in September we held a Demorest silver medal contest in our school. Those present seemed very much interested and some of the native gentlemen spoke of the great need of special efforts to wipe out the opium traffic.

Slowly but surely the Gospel and its teachings are being spread, and we rejoice that we are permitted to work where it can truly be said, "The harvest is great but the laborers are few."

DORA J. COLLETT.

UJURDA.

REV. E. H. LOUGHER in charge. NATOBAR SINGH, Pastor and evangelist.

Two teachers.

This little station has had a touch of the revival fire burning so brightly in India nowadays, and we had some good special meetings there, baptizing nine. And the life of the place was really stirred. These people from very low conditions are steadily rising. We have now as teacher in the school, a young woman Kindergartner, the first fruit of the kind from the station. She is doing very well.

I am both sorry and glad that Natobar, who has been such a good man for the place, is leaving. The Balasore church has called him to be pastor. For that, I am glad, but extremely sorry to lose such a good co-worker.

The people here in common with a large section, are in the awful anxiety of possible famine as I write. "Heaven spare us this calamity."

E. H. LOUGHER

REPORT OF THE

BHADRAK.

REV. C. A. COLLETT, in charge.

RAJANI MAHAPATRA, native pastor and evangelist.

Three teachers and one colporteur.

CHANDBALI.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. M. J. COLDREN. MRS. EMMA L. COLDREN.

EVANGELISTS.

CALEB HUDSON, Pastor. APANA MONJET, Telugu work.

PADMALLOCHAN DAS, Village Worker. DEBRAJ SINGH, Chasikhand.

OTHER WORKERS.

Two colporteurs. Two Bible-women. Twenty three teachers

STATION WORK.

The past year has been one of the best in several years. The church services have been held regularly and well attended. The health of the people was good, contributions more liberal, the community difficulties fewer, the spirituality of pastor and people improved, and sinners have been converted. We have not witnessed the mighty power of God as manifest in some parts of India, but the Dear Father has given us a number of refreshing showers and greatly revived us. The devil also has been in works abundant, and one of our number has gone behind the "iron bars" for a month. I wish I could say he was there unjustly or for righteousness sake. We are earnestly hoping that God may use this sad experience to bring him close to Himself. He is a man of more ability than any other in the village, and could he be truly converted, he would have more influence for the Kingdom of God than all the rest of the village. We are exceedingly anxious for his sanctification. Never before have we had so many wanting to be baptized. We have to be very careful; have already been deceived in some cases, and just now a famine seems to be at the door and hundreds of people are in distressing circumstances, and many are ready to accept any religion where there is something to eat.

Chasikhand Debraj Singh is still at Chasikhand and being tried very much by that people. When he rebukes them for their sin, and tries to get them to behave, then they "don't like the preacher" and stay away from the church and prayer meeting. How really like some Christians in America! except over there, they go to the Methodists for spite. However, the patient pastor works with them, and usually gets them back before Christmas.

There are some genuine good Christians that would be a credit to any church who stand by the pastor; and there are enough of them to fully repay all the time and expense that has been expended on the village. Some

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of those whom I assisted in getting some land are doing very well, and some proved failures. Notwithstanding all difficulties the church has grown in spirituality and we have reason to press the work with courage.

Book Room.—Apana has charge of this work. One hundred and twenty-eight rupees worth of books were sold, besides hundreds of tracts distributed. The British and Foreign Bible Society have withdrawn their grant having had need of the funds for publishing the Scriptures. I ought to have \$25 a year for Bible and tract work. The printed word goes where missionaries never go and to the interior where the Gospel as yet has never been preached except by these little silent messengers.

Village Schools.—These schools continue to do their good work. Over 350 names are on the rolls and most of these are in the Sunday School here or at Chasikhand every Sabbath. This blessed work among the children increases in interest every year. Some of the brighter ones can answer without a mistake all the questions in the Catechism, and repeat the ten commandments and Lord's Prayer. I offered a small prize to all who would repeat the Golden Texts for a year without a mistake and I had to give over 40 prizes. The teachers who meet me every month for religious instruction have manifested a good interest and some are under conviction. One under these influences found such unrest of conscience that he finally went away rather than hear these things. Quite a number are fully convinced of the truth of the Gospel. But it takes courage to face the opposition of friends and relatives and make a public profession of Christ, especially for those in the higher castes. While it is true the Government protects any one in changing his religion, yet relatives and Brahmins have a great many ways of making it uncomfortable within the limits of the law. Three teachers of the Middle English School in other years have left us, because their conscience would give them no peace while under direct Christian influence. One is now a lawyer whose brother was baptized many years ago by Father Phillips, but family influence got him back into Hinduism again. I often think that if this people had the influence and help to become Christians that the young people at home have, we could soon double our numbers.

Evangelistic Work.—The work among the villages has been faithfully carried on, 2,125 visits to villages being made of which 468 were to new villages (not visited before), 281 Markets and 13 Fairs were preached in, and 1992 books sold and hundreds of tracts distributed. The Gospel has been preached without serious opposition, which is due something to indifference arising mainly from the fatalistic views of the people, but in many cases because of a real sympathy for and interest in the Gospel message. To this class we can always preach with the assurance that fruit will follow. There is certainly a growing uneasiness in the public mind concerning the present religious condition of the people. That a mighty work of grace is coming upon India there is an abundance of evidence and this forms in us an inspiration for more effectual service. But work as we may the force, both American and Indian is inadequate to the mighty work of giving the Gospel to every creature, nay, to every village even! A letter from Harry Myers asks "What do you want over there to evangelize our field in this gener-

ation?" The Canadian Baptists ask their board for a Foreign Missionary for every 25,000 population. A man and wife 50,000. But I want for my half of the Bhadrak Sub-Division,—2,000 villages, 200,000 population,—two missionaries and their wives, two unmarried ladies, and one preacher and colporteur or teacher for every ten villages, i. e., one man for every FIVE VILLAGES, that certainly is not extravagant. With this force I believe the Gospel could be preached regularly in every village once a week. These 200 preachers would each have his parish of ten villages and a colporteur to assist him. The missionaries superintend the whole.

Thus for my small parish of 200,000, six Americans, 400 Indians to be placed two by two in 200 central villages with an outlay of \$125 for preachers, colporteurs and school house in each center and an average monthly expense of \$7 for preacher and colporteur, in each center village. Does it seem visionary and unreasonable to expect such an outlay of money? It may to the unbelieving but to the eye of faith it is quite within the vision. If the three minutes' earthquake could so shake San Francisco that the financial loss cost the Insurance Companies 133 million dollars, does it seem a thing incredible that a little spiritual upheaval could put a few thousand extra dollars in the F. M. Treasury? Granted the money but where are the men to be had? In every village there is some man who is by his fellows considered the head man and a natural leader. Is it any more inconsistent or impossible for the Lord to call these leaders than it was to call Matthew or Paul? I believe in the baptism in the Holy Ghost for India's evangelization. And that baptism has been and is being delayed by the unbelief in God's people. Let us believe it,—India is on the verge of one of the mightiest spiritual upheavals the world has ever known. Let us plan great things for God, and believe in their realization.

The work at Beam Sai has been sanctioned by the Home Board, and will be taken in hand as soon as the rains are over. At Khandgardia, where fifteen years ago the teacher was converted but was forced to recant, the work seems to be opening up again, and one has been baptized. Some of the "Fidelity" friends are interested in this work. One of my boatmen has decided to be a Christian. His brother is deeply under conviction and it is becoming a serious question whether he will not leave my service rather than yield to the Spirit's call. I think he feels quite certain that if he remains here under these influences he must publicly confess Christ. His family ties are binding him. He has expressed his desire to live a secret Christian. There are hundreds like him who believe in Jesus with the head but not fully with the heart.

The year's work, taken altogether, has been encouraging, and we enter upon the new year with increased enthusiasm believing that we are to see substantial progress.

M. J. COLDREN.

CHARLES SINGH'S REPORT OF SUNDAY AND DAY SCHOOL.

We have in our Sunday School 301 names on the roll besides those in Chasikhand and the Girls' School, out of which number, eight are Christians,

11 Mohammedans, and the rest are Hindus. In our last Sunday School Union, All India Examinations, 36 boys have passed, 9 in the middle and 4 in the Junior, and 23 Viva Voce. We are pleased to note that one of the little Hindu boys from the Kuarswar School gained 99 marks of possible 100. He will receive a special prize from the Union. Besides this 40 children received prizes for reciting all the Golden texts for twelve months without a mistake. Last Christmas was a great day for the children. They were much pleased to get presents in the beautiful bags, many of which were sent from America. We give many thanks to the kind friends who sent them. It was a curious scene when Santa Claus came laden with the prizes. As regards our Middle English School, the boy who was selected by the Deputy Inspector of schools to compete for the scholarship was unfortunately ill, and could not take the examination. I am glad that the Government has again passed the order to supply passed candidates with certificates. This is a great incentive to the children, as these certificates are helpful in getting into Government positions. A drawing and drill master has lately been appointed and the school is well reported by Government officials.

CHARLES SINGH.

APANA'S REPORT OF THE TELUGU WORK.

There are five divisions in the Telugu ward of Chandbali with 130 houses and 500 people. They are very poor and ignorant. Only three persons among them can read or write even in their own language. The children in the school are beginning to read a little. They work in the rice gowdowns (storehouses) and can only do the common coolie work. Among these I hold meetings twice a week and every day visit at their homes. Some of them are pleased to join in singing hymns which I have taught them, and some have refused to serve the idols and say they believe in one God only. And sometimes they come to me and ask me to read the Bible to them. There have been two Telugus baptized this year. One was the teacher and one an old woman who is now very happy in her love for Jesus. She brings the children for the Girls' School and has become very useful. The children in the Sunday School learn texts and some Christian hymns. One of the boys who was bright and much interested in religious things went away to Burmah some time ago. Now word comes that he has given his heart to Jesus and been baptized and united with the Baptist church there. He is working on the railway. So we can never tell how much good we are doing and what will be the fruit later.

I also work in Oriya villages, during the cold season and have great happiness in preaching the Gospel.

I also have charge of the Book-room which is open every forenoon from 8 to 11.30. I am thankful to say that the dear Lord has been very good to me and has given me many rich blessings during the year, my faith and spiritual strength have been much increased.

APANA MANJET.

CALEB'S CHURCH REPORT.

First I am thankful to the dear Lord for his wonderful mercy and great love. Last year I was very ill nigh unto death, had no hope of recovery. But praise His name, I have been restored in body; but best of all I have received such a wonderful spiritual blessing. This year the condition of the church has also been much better. The young men spent their spare time in singing revival hymns, where formerly much time was spent in vain conversation. The C. E. meeting every Sunday at 7.30 A. M. is a great source of growth to the church. There has been a deep work of grace, sins (old sins covered up for years) are being confessed, and they are asking pardon of each other. I am sure this work is of the Holy Spirit. The result is that Hindus are being influenced and some are coming and being baptized. But we are not yet satisfied; we desire more and hope the time will soon come when God will pour out His spirit upon us in mighty power.

CALEB HUDSON.

MRS. COLDREN'S REPORT.

Kindergarten and Girls' Sunday School.—During the past year this school has numbered 20, and averaged 14 present each day. Unfortunately changes in teachers had to be made as the husband of the head teacher went to the Bible school, and so she was obliged to go with him. The rule of the Bible school requires this. No other teacher being available I had to put Ludia, the Bible-woman in the school from the first of June. The teacher of the Jajpore Girls' School was a Christian, with a family of four children and a sick husband, and was not able to support them on the pay she got. So she came here and now has charge of this school. I hope we have teachers now that will remain with us for a number of years.

Nearly all of the girls who have been in the school for two or three years have learned to sew very nicely. Two of the largest girls have each made a little jacket to send to Balasore for exhibition of work from the primary girls' schools. These children come regularly to the Sunday School also some Hindu girls from outside schools. They came regularly during the dry season but in the rains not so regularly. Our day school teachers also teach in the Sunday School, and I have a class of women composed mostly of recent converts from Hinduism, and also a sister of one of these women who desires to be a Christian. She is very regular in attending the women's prayer meeting and church services. The teachers and Bible-women have been studying the course in "Old Testament History" and are now reviewing preparatory to the October examination.

Temperance Work.—We have a W. C. T. U., with seven members and eight honorary members and are affiliated with the Calcutta Temperance Federation. They have given us much Temperance literature, both in Bengali and English, for free distribution. They have a temperance story printed in Oriya of which we have a supply on hand for sale. We held a silver medal contest in July in which ten of the boys in our mission school took part. The president of the Federation giving the medal. Two other people gave second and third prizes in money. The remaining seven boys

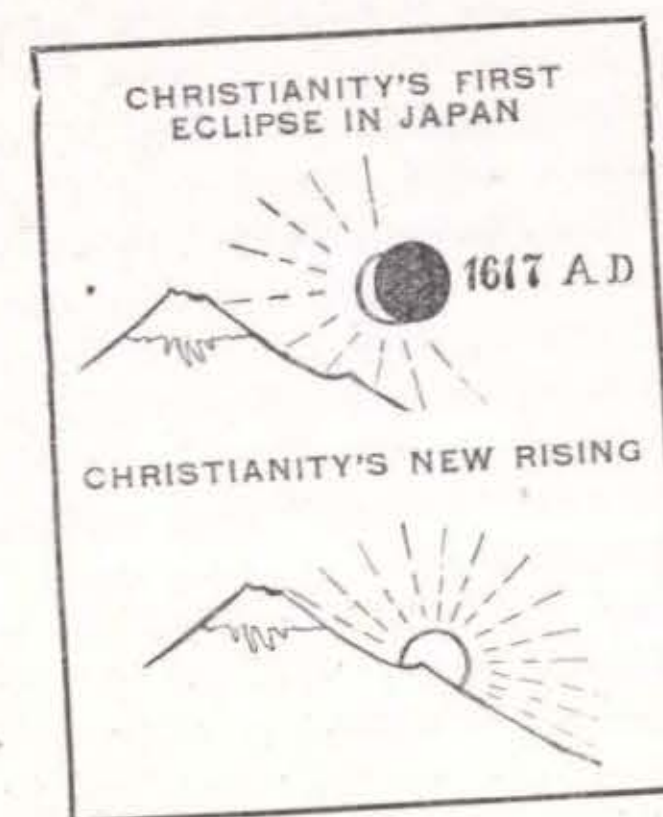
received each a copy of the temperance story. We have temperance meetings in our C. E. Society once in two months, and use the International Temperance S. S. Lessons for temperance teaching once a month in the kindergarten Sunday School. The W. C. T. U. meets once a month, and they have had several mothers' meetings. We petitioned the Government to remove a liquor shop from near the school and succeeded in getting it removed to another part of the town, but the Government is too hard up for revenue to close it altogether.

BIBLE-WOMEN'S WORK.

From September to May, the work went on as usual in Chandbali, and in January, Ludia went with me into the country to work in villages some distance from here. We had good work. The women listened attentively and we have reason to feel that good was accomplished. In the villages near here some of the women are very much interested and some of them say they do not worship the idols but worship God. The women usually visit four or five houses each day when they are out. Ludia has not been out from June to September as she had to teach in the Girls' School; but now she will attend to her Bible work again. Ella Sing at Chasikhand has been working since January, has visited 40 different hamlets and spoken to over 700 people. One of the Christian women goes with her. They have had some opposition from the Hindus, the men making the trouble, but for the most part the women hear them gladly, and are interested in the gospel's message. Her work there is very important, as there are some Christian women who have lately been converted, who need teaching quite as much as the Hindus.

Dear friends, please pray for the women's work for it is a very difficult work, and needs God's constant blessing. Also pray for the poor ignorant women of this country, that they may be speedily brought to Christ.

E. L. COLDREN.



REPORT OF THE

CONTAI.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. H. R. MURPHY.

MRS. E. G. MURPHY.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARY

REV. CHARLES DAS.

EVANGELIST.

RAM PRASANNA MUKERJEE.

One colporteur. One Bible Woman, Two Teachers.

REPORT OF H. R. MURPHY.

The first few months which fall within the period which should be covered by this report were spent in Midnapore. During my five years at Midnapore I had frequent occasion to visit Contai as one of my out-stations, and each time I left it with an intensified feeling that Contai must be the field of my future labors in India. The return last fall of Mr. and Mrs. Wyman together with the vote of the Board, opened the way, and we lost no time in getting to our new field.

The Mission premises here had been rented for ten years or more to the Government for a salt office, and had, like most rented places, completely run down. We had tried to keep up a fence to protect the orchard and garden that Brother Hallam had with great labor and pains gotten started, but a native tenant made an end of the fence to kindle his fires with. The bare sand hills and unsightly condition of things was not a little trying, especially to Mrs. Murphy, who I expect, if the truth were known, saw a few rather blue, if not home-sick, days. Kalsomine, whitewash and paint, wrought wonders with the dirty walls. The addition of a pantry, small kitchen, bath-room and box-room (insect proof boxes are a necessity for most things one hopes to be able to keep in India) added greatly to our convenience. A fence to keep out the goats and sheep has given the grass a chance, so that, with a supply of flower seeds, we begin to feel, and we think, to look, quite homey.

Our moving, coming as it did in the middle of the cold season, interfered much with our country work. What time I was able to give to it was spent in visiting the large markets of the district, and getting the lay of the land generally. Contai sub-division is about the size of an ordinary sized county in America, and contains about 375 square miles, with a population of 250,000 or 660 to the square mile. There are 75 miles of roads, and about the same of water-way. It is estimated that there are nearly a thousand villages. The district is crossed from east to west by a range of sand dunes which outline what was once the sea-shore. The sea has receded for from four to twelve miles. Aside from these low sand hills the country is practically level and almost without drainage. It is crossed by one river, and several smaller streams, all of which are diked, as is also the sea front, with a dike 34 feet above mean water level. The land lays so low and is so damp that I find a tent is of no real use in my cold season work. Before coming here I made a house-cart, which although but 7 x 4 feet, has to

answer for house and commissary. I find that it serves another purpose which the tent did not, namely, a preaching stand. In market preaching one can reach many more, and speak to many more effectively from the rear of the cart than when standing on the ground.

At the beginning of the hot season I urged my preachers to take up the plan of house to house visitation instead of the market and bazar preaching. As for myself, I have had little occasion to leave the house to find work. Seldom a day passes without at least one and some days a dozen or more inquirers coming to the bungalow. These do not include ordinary callers, but only those whose purpose in calling is to learn about the Christian religion. There are many who seem almost persuaded, but the power of caste and the breaking with their relatives and friends, has so far proven too great a barrier. A master and also a former head master of the Contai high school have been coming for several months. They are both fully persuaded and earnest seekers for salvation. They are reading their Bibles regularly and praying and trying to find that that alone can satisfy, but without breaking caste I am sure I would rejoice if God would forgive and save them as they are, but that is His business, and not mine. It is the old case of the young man that Jesus loved, but who went away sorrowful lacking the "one thing."

We have sold during the last eight months more than 7,000 Bible portions, and distributed 15,000 tracts. I expect that these will be read or listened to by at least 20,000 people. If nothing else had been done, this alone would justify our being here. These Bible portions go into many homes that are all but inaccessible to the missionary, and not one of these homes will be quite what it was before. In many of them there will be secret followers of Christ, and from some of them we expect true disciples.

Our Christian community now numbers 42, having been decreased by the removal of a large family, and increased by one baptism, and the coming of three young men and their wives. These young men are in Government employ.

The preaching service, Sunday School, and prayer meeting are all well sustained. The first is held in one room of our house, but the attendance has out-grown the room, making a church building an immediate necessity. Rev. Charles Das is pastor, and is doing, we believe, a good work.

The great need for our work here is, as it seems to me, a building near the center of the town, which will answer for a lecture hall and place for our church services, and at the same time supply our need for a kindergarten hall and girls' school and reading room and library. Such a building could be built for \$1000, exclusive of the land. The Sub-divisional officer has promised me that he will do all in his power to get the land for us. Our mission bungalow is considerable distance from the town, a fact that could not be avoided at the time it was built, but which inconveniences our work in many ways.

One other matter I mention here not so much as a matter of report as because it illustrates the need of medical work in connection with our mofussal stations. When we came here I brought a few medicines for our own use and to supply our servants and mission workers', but when some of our near-by neighbors came for medicines I could not refuse them, and once

the line was down it was not easily drawn again; and so the work has grown until I have a practice that would flatter most home doctors in so far as number of patients are concerned. The pay is a different matter altogether. The people of this section are extremely poor, and now that rice is seven seers to the rupee, whereas it has usually been sixteen to eighteen seers, the people are in real distress. I see many every time that I go to the bazar who show plainly by their emaciated bodies that they are suffering for food. When I see their sick bodies I cannot refuse to do what is within my power, but on the other hand it is taking both time and money more I feel I can afford. I have no authority to open a dispensary, nor do I feel that I am warranted in doing so without having had a medical course.

Remember Contai.

H. R. MURPHY.

REPORT OF MRS. E. G. MURPHY.

The first two months of the year, September and October were taken up with the attempt to complete work planned for the teachers training course. Then came the yearly meeting, and soon after our moving to Contai.

December was taken up with home making which was finished just in time to observe Christmas with our little flock here. Their first truly Christmas. Before they all felt that they must go to Midnapore. Now we will have truly Christmases every year I trust.

Sunday School.—We met for Sunday School the first Sunday in the new year. The pastor had kept up a Sunday School during the year with only our Christian people. So I told the pastor's boys to try and bring in Hindu boys. They did, and we soon had an enrollment of fifteen boys who came regularly for four months—then something happened, I presume we may never know just what, and most of the outsiders stopped coming. But for a month past they have been returning, and last Sunday we had eighteen boys present, whose ages range from eight to sixteen. The Sunday School lessons this year are admirably adapted to our work.

Evangelistic.—From the first of January, I took on Sumati Das, wife of our pastor, as a Bible-woman, she going out with me to the villages. I have found her a good help both in singing and talking. During March we confined our visits to Contai, taking with us each trip a few books from our Zenana library. There is quite a call for books but in two homes they refuse to read them when they found that they were "Jesus Christ books," as they called them. On account of just opening school I did not get out in April, so sent Sumati to work alone with Abdula's wife as a companion. For one person to talk and sing almost constantly for three or four hours is hard work and before the month was out she was taken ill with lung trouble from which she slowly recovered, and again began work the first of August. She is unable to sing or talk much, so I have opened work in a few houses where she teaches sewing, with the understanding that each sewing lesson is to be preceded by a Bible lesson. After a few visits, one of the Babus told his wife that she must not read the Bible. I sent word that in such a

case her sewing lessons would have to be discontinued. She is still having her lessons.

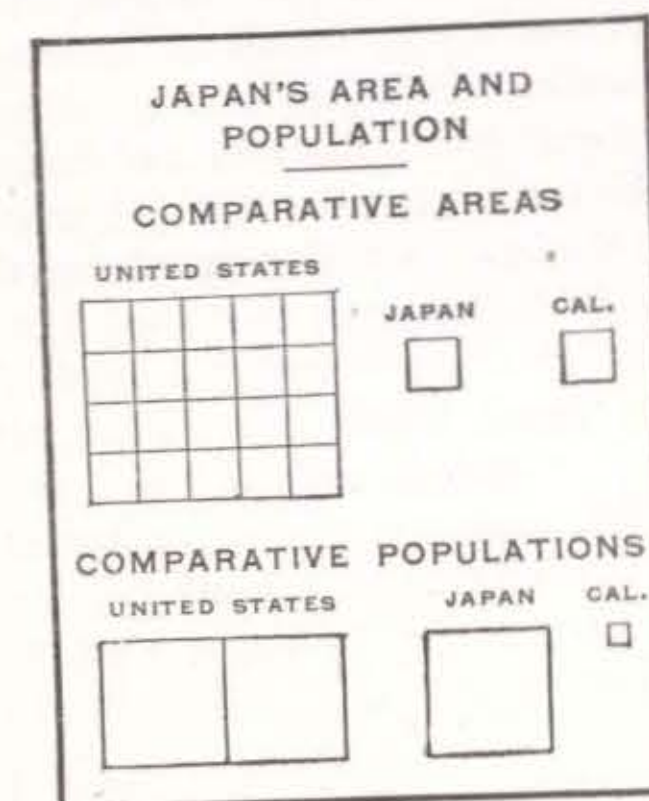
I have done what I could alone, since Sumati was ill, taking Abdula's wife for company. During the last two months I have visited three villages, going to fifty-nine houses. From three to fifteen women gather to listen. While we like to reach as many as possible, I find the quiet listeners of three or four are the most satisfactory. Some gladly hear the word, and some leave while we are talking, saying "The Hindu religion is for us and the Christian religion is for you." We have now several houses where we go regularly to teach the Bible, not in connection with other lessons, but because they have urged us to come and teach them about Jesus.

Girl's School.—We were long undecided whether to begin this year, in one of the present mission buildings, which would necessitate a garry to bring the children to and from school, or to wait and try to secure land with the hope of being able to build near the center of the town. We decided that to begin was the best way to arrive at better things. The school work, like our evangelistic efforts, is viewed with considerable suspicion by the Hindus, who fear to have their children receive Christian instruction. One little girl said: "Men-sahib, if you did not teach about Jesus Christ lots of people would send their girls." Were we keen simply to educate their girls we might consider the proposition but we know *our sole object is that they may learn about Jesus Christ.* They continue to send, and the number has grown from four to sixteen in less than four months, and I have faith that the number will continue to grow. But we must make it a good school. During the first month I was in the school room most of the time, and now have the teachers, Bemola and Ruth, come for an hour each morning to prepare and learn how to teach the days lesson. This is an hour well spent.

The St. John Sunday School of New Brunswick are supporting the teacher of the higher classes. Scranton Ave. Sunday School of Cleveland, Ohio, are supporting the primary and kindergarten department.

We must have that building! (see Mr. Murphy's report.) In the past four years our mission has had the gift of four buildings. Contai next!

E. G. MURPHY.



JELLASORE.

REV. Z. F. GRIFFIN and REV. L. C. GRIFFIN, in charge
UMESH CHUNDRA PATRA, assistant pastor.

OTHER WORKERS.

Eight teachers. One colporter. One Bible-woman.

REPORT OF Z. F. GRIFFIN.

The report sent in last year by the native pastor never came to me for approval or disapproval, as is the usual custom, but was sent direct to the editor. Had I seen it I should never have consented to its publication, for it is not true to the facts in the case. The good brother was homesick and sick in body, and things looked awfully blue to him. He thought he was reporting the condition of the church but really it was his own condition. We have no triumphs to report, or great conquests, for the material surroundings are not favorable, with our force, to great ingathering. The village is small, and the people have no means, outside of a small number, to support themselves; and as a natural consequence, as they grow up some of them go to Calcutta for work, and some go to Balasore and Midnapore. As soon as they get through the school in this village, some of them enter the Bible school and some the high school.

Opium is a terrible curse in this district. It affects thousands. More opium is consumed in Ballasore district than almost any district in India. It is used by a few of our Jellasore people, and has ruined a few; but this very fact has proved a warning to others.

This little church in proportion to its numbers and income, contributed more towards paying of the debt of the mission society than almost any church in our mission. I think they stand at the head. They have regular preaching once in four weeks, and occasional preaching oftener.

They maintain their own prayer meeting and Sunday School each week.

We secure the funds for supporting the colporteur at this place from the Christian Literature Society, and for supporting the Bible-woman from the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Z. F. GRIFFIN.

KHARAGPUR.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. J. H. OXRIEDER.

MRS. CARRIE M. F. OXRIEDER.

EVANGELISTS AND PASTORS.

REV. KOILAS CHUNDRA MAHAPATRA.

JOSEPH SINGH.

OTHER WORKERS.

Two School Teachers.

REPORT OF J. H. OXRIEDER.

Another year has gone, and as we often say, one less of those hot seasons, and one year nearer the home coming. There have been many changes here this last year. Changes that have made our hearts rejoice. One of the principal ones is the securing of the land and the building of the home. Though it is not yet complete, and we really need about \$800.00 more to complete it, yet it has been partly completed and we are living in it.

The land was secured shortly after the new agent of the Bengal-Nagpur R. R. came. Brother Griffin was appointed as one of the committee to see him and in fact was the only member of the committee who acted. He saw the agent and got a promise from him to see to the matter at once, which he did. The site is one of the very best in the place. Besides this the new church is about one-third done. It will be one of the finest buildings in the city when completed.

Sunday Services.—We are still holding services in the R. R. Institute at 6 P. M. every Sunday evening, also Sunday School at 5 P. M., both being well attended, and a good interest manifested.

We have also organized another Sunday School and service in the northern part of the city among the poorer class of people. The congregation is not large but the interest is good. These services are held in a private house. If the interest keeps on increasing we will have to find more spacious quarters before another year passes.

We are in hopes to get into our new church by the first of the New Year, which will be likely to unite the two congregations, and relieve the necessity of other quarters.

Kharagpur is still growing, over fifty large brick houses have been erected this year. Many more are to be erected the coming year.

Native Work.—Native work is also in a prosperous condition. As our native pastor is writing a report of the work, I will say but little, but refer you to his report. We have two fine young men on the native work, Koilas Chundra Mahapatra, the pastor, and Joseph Singh, the assistant pastor. They hold three services every Sunday. One in Bengali, one in Oriya, and one in the Hindustani, and then their prayer meetings during the week. They are both wide awake men, and have the interest of souls at heart. I have been able to give but little attention to the native work, and have put the whole responsibility on Koilas. He has proved himself worthy of the trust.

We also have two schools; one in Hindustani and one in Bengali. Neither of these are doing proper work for lack of funds to carry them on properly.

Preacher's Quarters.—We also are in sad need of proper buildings for the native pastors. Their house is a disgrace to our mission. Water runs through the roof and comes up through the floor. Some of them are sick nearly all the time with fever. It's a shame, and every time I think of it, and the work they are doing, I hate to face them again. Will not some one make it possible to give them a proper home to live in before the next rainy season? It will cost about \$300 or \$400.

Praying that the Lord may richly bless you all at home and give us a rich harvest this coming year, I remain Yours in the Master's service.

J. H. OXRIEDER.

KHARAGPUR CHURCH REPORT.

I have been appointed as a pastor of this church since the first of December, 1905. Although I am not well qualified for the post, yet trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ, I am trying to supply the pulpit and do the other necessary duties for the church. The Missionary pastor, Secretary and the elders are helping me in various ways to carry on the work. In my absence the pulpit has been well supplied by Brother Singh, and one of the elders.

Since last year the church is doing well financially. Besides the necessary expenses of the church, some poor have received considerable help from the church funds. This church has also freely and gladly subscribed to the newly organized home mission society.

This year fourteen souls have joined our church by baptism, but three of them have broken the fetters of Hinduism. This church has advanced in numbers, and is partly supporting the pastor's salary, but in spirituality it has not advanced as it ought to have done. Still there are some souls who are trying their best to live a good Christian life and are growing in grace. We are waiting and praying for a mighty revival of this church, which prayer I believe will soon be answered. Readers please remember this church in your prayers.

KOILAS CHUNDRA MAHAPATRA, PASTOR.

REPORT OF MRS. OXRIEDER

My report will of necessity be short this year, as the time for writing finds me barely convalescent after a long illness. But propped up with pillows, close to a window where the morning breeze is fresh and sweet, I will try to write a little.

A great deal of missionary work goes on under greater difficulties. This year has been a trying one for us in many respects; but the blessings have been so great, we have thought very little of the difficulties, only as we were reminded of them by others.

Early in the year we came to Kharagpur to the two rooms in a na-

tive house, expecting to begin work at once on our house on the land that had been purchased outside the Railway grounds. We were hindered in various ways when lo! just at Christmas time, thanks to Mr. Griffin's persistence and diplomacy, the Christian character of the new agent, and the goodness of God, we were given land, not only for a church but for a house, in the midst of the city.

By the first of February, Brother Ager was on the ground, and the house begun. The comments on the house by the officers of the Railway Company prove again that missionaries have learned to make one dollar do the work of two.

Our usual Christmas treat was held in the Institute and showed over one hundred children in the Sunday School, with no decrease until the time came for going away to school in March.

Early in April the fierce hot winds began to blow. We could not live in those two rooms with doors closed to shut out the winds, as we do in our own houses. So with the dirt blowing from above and below we struggled on for a while till it seemed necessary for Raymond and myself at least to get away. We found a place of refuge with the Murphy's at Contai, while Mr. Oxrieder put in his time helping to get one room of the new house done so we could come home.

After five weeks we came home to the one room, and we have been gradually moving into the other rooms, till now we have four.

July 26th. in spite of rain that threatened to engulf us, saw the corner stone of the Phillips Memorial Church laid.

Dear old Grandma, in spite of her eighty-eight years came to lay it. Three generations of the family were present. The dear old lady was an object of great interest.

Difficulties there are but great causes for rejoicing.

"The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are glad."

CARRIE M. F. OXRIEDER.

METRAPORE.

REV. E.H. LOUGHER, in charge.

KRUSHNA DAS, native pastor and evangelist.

One School Teacher.

I am glad to report a new lease of life for this place. We baptized six, and the church and community were stirred as I never have seen them. This was last April, and the fruit seems to stand the test of time. I am more glad than I can put into words, for I have had some heart-aches over this place and to see them living at peace and regularly attending church, and working at their religion, is uplifting to one's spirits.

We have here also a good man, Krushna Das, steady, level-headed and spiritual. I intended to change him to Ujarda, but I hear a petition is coming from the people, asking if possible to let him stay. That is a lot of proof that Metrapore is getting alive after many days. Pray for that little flock. They are weak, and have many trials; but I believe there are true hearts among them.

E. H. LOUGHER.

MIDNAPORE.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. H. E. WYMAN, MRS. G. M. WYMAN, MISS M. W. BACHELER, M. D.,
MISS L. C. COOMBS, MISS E. M. BUTTS.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES.

REV. SACHIDANANDA RAI. REV. JACOB MISHRA. (Retired).

EVANGELISTS.

SAMUEL DAS, AMRIT LAL MAHITY, SURENDRA NATH MUJUMDAR,
COPAL DAS, REV. CHUNDRA LELA.

OTHER WORKERS.

One colporteur, two Bible-women, four kindergarten teachers, twenty-three school teachers, eleven zenana teachers.

Note. The Bible School has fifteen students, who give three months in the year to evangelistic work.

REPORT OF H. E. WYMAN.

I took over charge of the work in Midnapore from Brother Murphy the first of December. I had little opportunity for cold season work, owing to the rains that necessitated repairs upon nearly all of the mission buildings. These buildings had fallen into a very dilapidated condition owing to a lack of funds with which to make the necessary repairs when needed. Also the boys and girls schools both needed considerable attention being without an adequate staff of teachers.

Revival.—The last day of the year (1905) the church commenced revival meetings, that continued in one form and another without intermission up to the middle of May, and were again opened in June, and have continued up to the present date the 12th of September, with no signs of stopping. During this time several backsliders, (some long since regarded as heathens) have come into the church; several young people have been baptized; and one Hindu has broken caste and been baptized.

Kalamatia.—I have visited this place and was much pleased with the work of the native home missionary society there. Kalamatia is a direct result of the work at Babagadia, and is but one mile distant from that place. The revival reaches this place from Midnapore, and four persons have been baptized. The water supply here is very bad, and a new well would be looked upon as a great boon by all of the people around about. The soil is such that a simple hole in the ground will not answer the purpose, and as there are no stones there to stone up the well, it must be made of large piping or bricked up.

Bhanga Mada has nearly deserted us. The Catholics decided to revive their mission work there and use money freely in winning back many of those who had joined our church. Four have remained faithful, and some who went away are anxious to come back; but we are in no great haste to

take them back. We wish to be sure that they are not to be so easily turned about in the future.

The Bible School.—The Bible School year opened the first of March with thirteen students. Before the month closed we suffered a great loss in the death of one of the two students in the senior class, Benod Basu. During a short illness he worked faithfully with some of his young friends, and his labors were rewarded during the revival meeting following his death. During the revival the school received additions from the young men who surrendered to Christ. We now have fifteen students. There has been a strong revival spirit in the school, and the work has been very satisfactory. The students have helped in the meetings in the Midnapore Church, and also in similar meetings at Bhimpore, Ulda, Chitrapatra and Balasore.

During our revival meetings we received great help from the neighboring Methodist Mission to the north. Brother and Mrs. W. P. Byers from Asansol being with us a few days, and with them came a band of earnest, consecrated native young men and women.

Industrial.—With very little means in hand, I have opened up industrial work in Midnapore. It is in the form of a carpenter shop, and I have one young man learning the trade, with a carpenter to teach him, and five students from the school, who have commenced to work for two hours a day. There are several others who want to learn. I have had a class in wood carving, and several boys can now do fairly good work. I have no funds, and am operating on a gift contributed by a sister missionary, and a very slender margin of my own salary. Such work can not be run at a profit; at first at least; so I am looking to providential aid to help carry it on. It is an absolute necessity to furnish work for some of the Christian youths, for Hindu workmen will not train them. Missionaries all over India are united in the determination to push industrial work as an important part of missionary endeavor. With an adequate amount to invest, I think I could soon make the Industrial self-supporting; and the industrial work will help the people in self-support.

H. E. WYMAN.

MRS. WYMAN'S REPORT.

We enjoyed our furlough in America very much, and wish to express our thanks to the dear home friends for all their kindness in helping to make the vacation so pleasant. We arrived in Calcutta the seventh of November and went directly to Balasore for the Yearly Meeting. We came to Midnapore the fifteenth of November. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy left for Contai on the first of December. For ten months now we have been at the old stand, giving out of cheer, comfort, help and advice as the case may have demanded. Opportunities for service have been many and of great variety.

Revival.—I want to mention the revival and the good work that has been going on among the women. The scolding and quarreling has been much less, and in many cases entirely given up. They have more of a desire to attend church, and they are trying to live the Christian life in their

homes. The young women have formed a voluntary band to go from house to house and village to village explaining the Bible, praying and singing with the women, helping to settle family quarrels, giving to the poor and helping in many ways. The Lord has blessed their efforts. May the readers of this report remember to pray for the young women.

Bible Class.—A Bible class of twelve young women and young girls has come regularly for Bible study since the first of January. Much good has come of this course of study. During the revival meetings they, one and all, confessed Christ, and a little later were baptized.

Woman's Meeting.—The Woman's prayer meetings have been held every Wednesday since the first of December. The women take turns in leading the meetings, and the interest has kept very good. The first Wednesday of the month is the day on which they bring their offerings of rice, or sometimes money. At this time after the prayer meeting the women spend an hour in sewing garments for children. They give the time and sewing willingly. The money goes for the support of the home mission work at Kalamatia.

Temperance.—The temperance meetings have been held once a month and there has been a good interest manifested. Some of the young women have promised to use their influence against the cigarette smoking among the young boys.

Girls School.—The girls middle English school has claimed a good deal of my time and attention. I found a man temporarily at the head of the school. The inspectress of schools wrote that we must secure a well qualified head mistress to take his place. After six months of hunting and hard work I secured one. Now the school has a good staff of teachers. The Director of Public Instruction visited the school on the first of September and he spoke well of its condition and work.

Kindergarten.—The kindergarten is a source of joy and comfort to me and to the little children as well. In the two years we were at home I find that there have been many changes. The older children have graduated, and gone into the other schools. Those that were in the infant classes are now ready to graduate. I find the revival has affected the children of both schools. There is more of the spirit of love and obedience in their lives.

Industrial.—During the last five months I have had a class of fourteen young women who come every Saturday afternoon to receive instruction in making fancy handkerchiefs. They learn to draw the threads, hemstitch, and put in fancy stitches. They have made rapid progress.

G. M. WYMAN.

PASTOR'S REPORT.

In my last year's report I mentioned that we were praying for a mighty revival in our church. Thank God we have had it this year. It began last March, and was really a work of the Holy Spirit. Every soul felt it and acknowledged the power of the Lord. Even the critics of the church did acknowledge it. There was great joy in the Christian village. The noise of

songs and praise filled the atmosphere. Christian young men went out every day in bands to sing the gospel songs to their neighbors. The heathens also were astonished to see the new power of the Christians.

Several backsliders have been taken back into the church. Many souls have newly opened to receive the Lord and his salvation. A few long standing quarrels have been wonderfully settled. Peace and joy in the hearts and song and praise on the lips of many are found.

Some young men have made up their minds to be preachers of the gospel and are preparing themselves for it. This new blessing here spread into the village churches also. The result of this blessing is still continuing among us, and we are more earnestly praying together for such revival among the surrounding heathens.

SACHIDANANDA RAI.

REPORT OF THE INDIAN BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

During the last year the Lord has blessed abundantly the work of the church at Kalamatia. The members of the church have earnestly worked for the extension of God's kingdom. The pastor, Hridor Chundra Patra, has also served faithfully. The Church members have preached and lived the gospel among their heathen neighbors. Many Hindus have commenced to praise the Christian religion, because of the love and good works of the Christians.

Last June Rev. Sachidananda Rai baptized five persons at this place. Among these was a man afflicted with leprosy. The other Christians united with him in praying for his healing, and he is rapidly recovering from the disease. The Hindus recognize this healing as the work of God, and exalt the name of Jesus.

The number of church members is now fourteen, and of the community nineteen.

The amount received for this work the last year is rs 295 2-3. The total expense was rs 210.13. Balance for this year rs 85 5-3. The balance of the previous year was rs 103.64½, making the sum total in hand rs 188.11.7½.

REV. SACHIDANANDA RAI, PRESIDENT.

SAMUEL DAS, TREASURER.

REPORT OF MISS BUTTS.

Hindu Schools.—There are at present fourteen of these Hindu schools. Five of them are within the limits of the municipality of Midnapore, and two are just outside so that the seven schools are entered as town or bazar schools in the statistical table. Three of the town schools are for girls exclusively, and are wholly supported by mission funds except the aid received from government, and about fifty cents a month given as fees by the girls of one school. All the other schools are partially supported or aided by the Mission.

The seven village schools including the Palasbani school which is sep-

arately reported in the statistics are situated from four to twenty-four miles from the town of Midnapore. There are about 120 girls and over 300 boys on the rolls of these schools.

Since my last report was written old Modheu Das who had been a teacher in mission employ for more than thirty years, died at his home in Salgadia. He was the last of a company of converts baptized by Dr. Bachelor forty years ago. Among the children and grandchildren of those converts are some of our best mission workers. The Palasbani School has been taught for the past twelve years by a son of one of these converts. In this school are sometimes seen Hindu, Mohammedan and Santal boys besides the sons of the Christian teacher. One very promising Santal boy, after passing the Lower Primary examinations went to the Bhimpore Training School where we hoped he would not only acquire a good education but would become a true Christian. The death of his mother who was the only member of his family who favored his being sent to school, obliged him to return home to work in the rice fields to help support his lazy drinking father and older brothers. But he frequently visits his former Christian teacher, and never takes any part in the heathen festivities and drinking carousals of his people, so we are praying that he may have courage to break away from all the fetters that bind him and publicly profess Christ.

The study of the little Bible Catechism, the Temperance Catechism, for those who have completed the former, and the memorizing of selections from Proverbs, Psalms and the Gospels and of hymns or poetry on Christian themes has been continued as usual in all the schools. The Christian inspector examines the pupils in these subjects, noting progress and explaining the meaning of what is learned. When a class has completed the Catechisms, the teacher brings the pupils to me for a final examination. Each pupil passing the examination receives a prize of four annas—eight cents—and those who complete the Temperance Catechism receive six annas. These little prizes are given either in cash or in books, as the children prefer.

The Christian inspector takes tracts and leaflets for free distribution on his monthly rounds among the schools and villages and he also occasionally goes to the R. R. Station and to markets. In this way about 3,000 tracts have been distributed during the year. Whenever I visit these country village schools, I take picture cards or an illustrated child's paper in Bengali, in addition to the tracts. Any kind of bright picture is most eagerly received by the children. Often when passing through villages where there is no school, the children will run after my garry and with outstretched hands beg for a picture or a paper. After I tell them I have no more, those who have not received any will run on for half a mile or more, calling out, "Give a picture, give a paper, give, give!"

Last cool season when visiting the country schools I several times took with me our good old Bible-woman Ramonie, who went from house to house reading, singing, and talking with the women, while I was examining the school and talking with the men, who always gather about to listen—I always take food with me, but in some villages the teacher would feel quite distressed if I did not eat the rice and curry which he has had prepared

for me. Ramonie was always provided with a good meal by some one of the village women. It does not break their caste to give us food—though some are too strict to do so but they cannot eat food prepared by us—that is the worst sin.

During the year all the little girls who had reached the mature age of twelve have been obliged to leave school. Some of them had been married from two to five years previous, but had been allowed to remain in school; others left to be married. Although it is generally admitted that the average age at which girls are married in this part of India, is about two years above what it was thirty or forty years ago, still in one of my girls' schools I recently counted seven little girls, all under ten who had the red marriage mark in the parting of the hair. One of these child brides was a tot not over five, and two others were only seven. The saddest thing connected with such marriages is the greater liability that the girl may become a widow even before she is twelve years old. Otherwise it makes but little difference in most cases whether a girl is married at five or twelve. The girls are taught to sew, the older ones learn to make letters, simple figures, and flowers, with bright-colored wools on canvas. The cut and basted patchwork sent out from home is very useful in the sewing classes. The Christian women teachers are urged to try above all to instill into the minds and hearts of these bright little girls, the simplest truths of Christianity, especially the fact that "Jesus loves even me." No Hindu gods love girls and women. The girls are fond of singing hymns. "There is a Happy Land," "Jesus Loves me," "O How He Loves," are favorites.

At Christmas all the schools nearby came to our Mission compound for the usual exercises and treat. Each school had some part, singing, recitation, dialogues, in fact it was quite like a Sunday School concert. The older boys of our school gave a fine drill exercise. Our native pastor, Rev. Sachidananda Rai, gave a short practical address to the children, after which the Christmas bags were distributed. The articles sent out from home by the returning missionaries helped very much in filling the bags. Each pupil who could read received a copy of a booklet entitled "The Prince of Peace," in Bengali. Some of these school children tell me they do not worship the family idols any more, but pray in secret to our Heavenly Father.

BIBLE CLASS.

When the Bible School is in session, I have a daily class, five days in the week, for the wives of the students. There are now eight of these young women. Two of them have each two small children, and three others have one infant each, so it may be imagined that there are many difficulties to be met in conducting this class. Indeed, the only way to secure comparative quiet is to employ a woman to look after and amuse the children during the class hour.

All of these women belong to the second or third generation of Christians, but although far in advance of the average Hindu woman, they are still very ignorant in regard to the principles which ought to govern a Christian woman in the discharge of her daily household duties, especially those relating to the proper discipline and moral training of children. One

point which I have most earnestly and prayerfully tried to impress on their minds is, never to lie to their children, or to deceive them in any way, either by threats which they would never dream of executing or by promising rewards which they never intend to bestow. All admitted that they were guilty in this respect and promised amendment but I feared lest habit and mental indolence prove stronger than their good resolutions. A few days ago, when something in the lesson brought up this subject again, I was much pleased to hear one little woman say, "Since you talked to us about this I have several times been just going to utter a false threat or promise, but remembering what you told us I have kept back such words." I thanked God and took courage.

For the past few months, in addition to the Bible, we have used as a text-book, a most helpful little book of 160 pages, an English work, much used in "mothers' meetings" in England, translated into simple Bengali by an educated Christian Bengali lady whom we well know. There are twelve chapters, each beginning with the story of some woman mentioned in the Bible. From these stories, as texts are drawn most important and practical lessons concerning almost every possible phase of woman's duties and responsibilities. The first chapter is entitled "The Woman Who Touched the Hem of his Garment," and the key-note of deep spirituality struck in this chapter pervades the whole book. I have given each woman a copy of this book urging them to treasure it, next to the Bible, all their lives, since it shows them how to apply the teachings of the Bible to daily life and its needs. Dear friends, please remember to pray for these Bible School students' wives, who will have so many opportunities of witnessing for the Master, if only they become imbued with His Spirit.

ELLA M. BUTTS.

REPORT OF MISS COOMBS.

Zenana Work.—The number of pupils is a little larger than last year and the teachers fewer. Two have died, two have been incapacitated by illness and had to be dropped and one has been transferred to other work.

How we are to keep up our teaching staff is a puzzle, but we are trusting God and doing the best we can with the material we have.

The widow (an ex-pupil of the zenana work) who was spoken of in last year's report as having left her Hindu relatives and come to us, was put in a Convert's Home and has since been baptized and is going on with her studies. She may yet be one of our teachers. Another widow has just declared her determination to be a Christian and came to us, but her relatives prevailed on her to return. Whether she will ever venture forth again the future will show. We are praying for her.

Some of our teachers were greatly blessed in the revival which visited us last Spring, and would go out to read and sing and pray with their Hindu neighbors after their day's work was finished in the zenanas. And when we needed another Bible-woman to accompany the one who has been serving so faithfully in this capacity many years, but whose eyesight is fast failing her,

one of these teachers was ready to volunteer for the work, and we were glad to transfer her though it made us shorthanded again for teachers. The director of public instruction visited us a short time ago and he suggests trying to get some of the Bengali ladies on our Committee, who are no longer zenana ladies themselves, but wives of government officials, barristers, etc., and have moved in English society for some time. It may be we can prevail on some of them to accept such an office.

One would think they might be specially interested for their secluded sisters.

This work is one not easily reported as its results are not so apparent as those of some other departments; but it is a strong *hidden influence* the extent of which is known only to Him, whose "eyes run to and fro throughout the whole earth."

L. C. COOMBS.

Since the above was written, a private letter from Miss Coombs brings the following news:

"In my report I spoke of a widow who had come to us, and then had been prevailed upon to return. But she came again Saturday evening, breathless and trembling, having slipped away from close vigilance, and sure they were close upon her. She says she is willing to be baptized at once, and probably will be in a few days. Her friends have made no disturbance as yet."

I am sure all will wish to breathe a prayer for this sister. Editor.

MEDICAL REPORT.

The following figures are for the year ending the 30th. of June, 1906. Dispensary open 279 days; number of individual patients (about) 1600; whole number of patients attended 5191; number of visits paid 633.

No strict account has been kept of the number of Gospels sold, or tracts distributed at the Dispensary, as the Dispensary store has also supplied other departments.

The preacher and colporteur, supported by a friend in Maine have done good work during the year. The latter keeps a diary of his work and reports to me each month. He does not sell as many gospels as I could wish, but exercises so much discretion in his distribution of tracts that I think few are wasted. During the year he has given away 5484 tracts and leaflets.

MARY W. BACHELER.

SALGADIA

Mr. GEORGE AGER, in charge

Pastor, JHAMPARD SANTARA.

One Bible-woman,

Evangelist, REV. RAM JENA.

Five teachers.

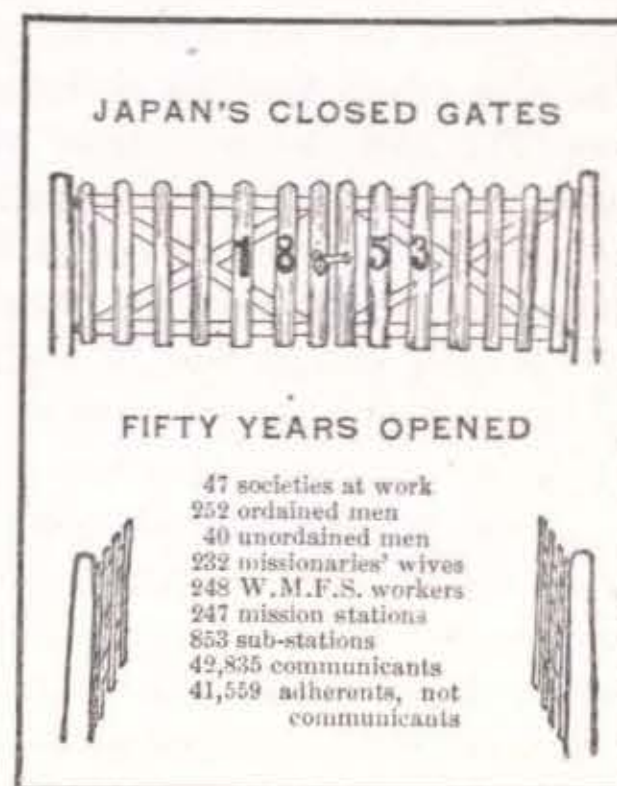
MR. AGER'S REPORT.

It is not my intention to give a report of all the work here. But I will write a few words, first, to thank our heavenly Father for his watchful care over this flock, while I have been away so much, attending to other work; secondly to thank our missionary friends and helpers, who have helped us not a little with their advice and sympathy in regard to the work here.

With the consent of the committee, we have closed some of our outside village schools, and have formed one here, because it is not only central, but could be looked after better. And though the number of schools and pupils in the statistics will show less than in former reports, the teaching and superintendence are a great deal better than before. A Christian teacher and his wife are in charge of this school, and English, as well as the vernacular is taught.

There have been disputes and childish ill-feelings among the people of the village, which have not required much effort in settling; and on the whole they are trying to live honestly and uprightly before their heathen neighbors.

GEORGE AGER.



SANTIPORE.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. Z. F. GRIFFIN.

REV. L. C. GRIFFIN.

EVANGELISTS.

UMESH CHUNDRA PATRA, native pastor. HIRAM CURTIS, KUAR MAHANTY.

OTHER WORKERS.

One colporteur. Thirty-four school teachers. Six zenana teachers.
One Bible-woman.

REPORT OF Z. F. GRIFFIN.

A written report but touches the surface of things. We must read much between the lines if we would come in real sympathy with what is reported.

First, our lawsuits seem to be over. These directly and indirectly have caused me bodily discomfort, anxiety of mind and considerable expense. In each case the side on which I had figured has been successful, and it would seem as if the man who has been at the bottom of all the trouble would not want much longer foolishly to spend his money.

The discomfort and anxiety which has come to us through the injury to my knee has been considerable. The latter part of March we went to Jellalore with a force of workers expecting to accomplish a good deal in the course of two weeks.

The first Saturday I returned to Santipore to spend the Sunday while Mrs. Griffin remained at Jellalore. Monday morning while going over on my wheel a calf took it into his head to jump in front of me, throwing me on the hard stone road with a good deal of force. I had great difficulty in reaching Jellalore. We went as soon as we could to Balasore to Dr. Shirley Smith, who treated me, and for two weeks I seemed to get on nicely and returned home; but no more progress was made. I spent five weeks in the General Hospital in Calcutta, and was under the care of one of Calcutta's best surgeons for a time after I came out of the hospital; but up to this date, September 17, I can see no improvement over where I was five months ago. "What I do thou knowest not now but thou shall know hereafter."

We may as well not question for a thousand unanswered ones suggest themselves.

Life of Chundra Lela.—During the months I have been kept from getting about I have not been altogether idle. I have compiled the autobiography of Chundra Lela from data largely furnished by Brother Wyman; and if I live our people will have the book, for I consider her life one of the most interesting and wonderful ever lived. It did not seem to us that the present life of hers which is published covers the ground.

Growth.—I am sure we are able to report a good deal of progress during the year. Nine months ago I baptized seven and in April, Brother Byers and his wife and a band of native workers came and helped us ten days and twenty-five were baptized then, and a few days ago I baptized eight

more. I held myself up in the water by my crutches and put my hand on the candidate while the native pastor assisted in the immersion. Forty have been added by immersion to the church, and others have been restored and some have come in by letter; so, in all just seventy have come into the fold during the year. Some of those baptized were from the Santals, and we are hoping that there will be a great work amongst them, and a general break. There are two or three who stand in the way.

Our school and Sunday school work has greatly increased. In fact the limit of our capacity for work and the means to carry it on, is the only limit which can be put upon its extension. Mrs. Griffin is working hard at the statistical report just now, and I hope you will not overlook it. It may seem like dry reading; but it takes a lot of hard work to compile it, and it tells a tale of much hard work with the blessing of God for the year past.

The Sunday School.—There is an annual All-India examination in the Sunday School lessons for the year, and this year twenty-five of our scholars passed and will get certificates. In the highest grade we passed the largest number of any school in Orissa, and in all grades our proportion stands well to the front.

The Church.—The native pastor will report this, but I wish to say a few words which he will not say, and that is that he has been a great help and comfort to us. He has his weaknesses like us all; but he is careful and a great peacemaker and has the confidence of the people. Once a month he goes to Jellasore, and on that week either Mrs. Griffin or I take the Sunday service here, and this is our communion Sunday. We have introduced the revival hymns in the Sunday service. This has quite revolutionized the singing. A few of the old members like to get back to the old dragging tunes, but it is only once in a while they have the chance. I think the church singing was a little the worst I ever heard; but you ought to hear them sing now.

Schools.—Mrs. Griffin has the most to do with the schools here in the village, so she will report them. I am the secretary and recognized by Government as the official head, and must keep the accounts and make the reports; but she does the hardest part of the work in the village schools. In some of them I have the larger share of the responsibility.

The Industrial.—Our good brick building, 30 x 100 feet, with a good, heavy galvanized roof, is completed, and at a cost of over 1,200 rupees, but practically at no cost to the mission or our people. A few at home contributed to help me out on a small debt against the building, and still there is a small debt; but I shall ask no one to pay it. The principal things taught are weaving, carpentering and cabinet making, mat weaving or rather braiding, sewing, gardening and some rope making. At the time of the calling of the roll, we have worship with those who work all day in the shop. Some of these are Hindus, but there is a spirit of inquiry about the Christian religion, and we trust seed is being sown even here which will bear fruit.

We have no trouble to sell all we can make in every department. In fact we cannot as yet fill orders. I have been trying for a long time to

get a box off for England, and one for America, of our spreads, but have not been able to.

The Government gave us a small grant for an experimental garden, and we are teaching the people that they can raise something more than rice. Some may think that this is leaving the word of God to serve tables; but our people need material uplift as well as spiritual. If we can teach them to raise two blades of grass where they formerly raised but one, we are conferring a blessing on them, and on the country, for this is a country where the struggle for life is severe. Already they have seen that they can raise peanuts in their gardens, and quite a number are doing so.

Cold Season Work.—By the help of some kind friends in Odessa, N. Y., we were able to get two tents for our preachers and colporteurs, and we had two parties out most of the cold season. We were greatly grieved that one of the men who had done excellent work when we were in the country before, and who came to us upon our arrival this time, seemed to have imbibed a good deal of the race spirit so abroad in Bengal, and disqualified himself in our opinion for successful evangelistic work. So far as I was concerned I told him I could not work with him but if any of the other missionaries could I should be most glad to have them take him. All my brothers took the same view of the case as I, and he had to seek employment elsewhere. When we get above humbly serving our fellow-men, we get above our business as ministers of Jesus. Still those who did work through the season reported great interest everywhere. Mrs. Griffin and I found all we could do in this and Jellasore static, though nothing affords either of us greater pleasure than regular camp life, itinerating in the country districts.

Our colporteur has sold thousands of books and leaflets during the year.

Mr. Jordan of Alfred, Me., has sent \$100.00 towards the new roof of our house, and a few others have sent smaller sums, for which we are just as grateful. A new roof is badly needed, and we hope before another year to be able to report that it is an accomplished thing.

With some interruptions our market preaching has been kept up through the year, with always a large number of attentive listeners.

Z. F. GRIFFIN.

REPORT OF UMESH CHUNDRA PATRA.

The condition of our church is much better than last year. Then our church numbered one hundred and twenty-five, now it numbers one hundred and ninety-five. Two Santal men and one Santal woman and thirty-seven children and young people have been baptized.

By the special meetings held this year in our church much good has been done. The indifferent were aroused, backsliders reclaimed and some young men who drank have been saved. Now, these come regularly to services and several young men hold outside Sunday Schools. The regular church work goes well. We have one colporteur selling books, one man preaching among the Santals, and seven women who do outside work. I preach and work here three weeks in the month and in Jellasore one.

The missionaries are working for the good of this church with all of their strength and the results of their labors are being seen.

How great is the responsibility of the care of a church! I, a young man, often get disheartened, but when I look to Jesus the Author and Finisher of our faith, all this is instantly dispelled, and joy and faith are born in the heart.

Finally, I ask that when you pray you will pray for Santipore, for me and for the missionaries here, that Jesus will give to us in the year to come still greater blessings.

UMESH CHUNDRA PATRA.

MRS. GRIFFIN'S REPORT.

First let me record gratitude to God for His indwelling which has never been so real as now, and for the blessed talks with Jesus as we have walked under the yoke. A new day has dawned for many of India's missionaries, as well as for India's people.

Schools.—The normal school has been put on the government list, and its pupils may receive government certificates. Miss Brock at the head of Woman's Educational Work in Bengal, when here was enthusiastic over this, one of the largest training schools in Bengal, and spoke kindly of its work. Mrs. Nundy has the larger part of the work; a pundit teaches regular branches to those who need it; I have the care and teach pedagogy, and we get good extra help as we can. Miss Kenyon and Miss Nundy have helped for a short time. The Saturday afternoon class for men is well attended.

Miss Brock said government will gladly put many trained women into village schools at good salaries. But one Christian family alone in a distant Hindu or Santal village must endure much loneliness and hardship and but few will go. If we could put a Christian preacher or colporteur and family where government would put and keep a Christian teacher and family, our field might quickly have many evangelistic centers.

The Middle Vernacular School gains in attendance and enthusiasm under the efficient management of Upendra Mahanti, a graduate of the Balasore High School. Many of the children have been converted during the year, which is, too, part of the secret.

Kindergarten and Santal School.—Mrs. Nundy efficiently superintends the Kindergartens. The Oriya Kindergarten, with Udia Jena at its head, is prospering, but the Santal is small now, as is the Santal school at whose head is faithful Sarada Patra. After the rains and rice harvest, sixty dark restless little ones will crowd the Kindergarten and eighty or more attend the school. These little folks must learn in Oriya, making their progress at first slow. The uplifting of the Santals is a problem well worth the solving.

Nine Village Schools are in our care. We are urged by the people to start schools in other villages where the people say they will build school-houses and help pay teachers if the mission will help take charge and make the school permanent. Miss Brock said "You must not neglect offers like

that. Get the school house built and run a girls' school for six months in any village, and I will guarantee government help. It is pitiful to refuse a plea for having girls taught." And so it is, but there is a limit to what two person's hands, brains and hearts can do.

There is an imperative need of a woman missionary to live and work with us at Santipore.

Six Zenana teachers have ninety-seven pupils in many scattered Hindu, Santal and Mohammedan homes. One Bible-woman goes to the villages where these do not, and tells the women of Jesus.

Christian Endeavor.—The Young Men's Christian Endeavor and the Boy's Junior Christian Endeavor are in the hands of the pastor, the Girl's Junior Christian Endeavor in Mrs. Nundy's care and I have the young women's society. God is adding to the church such of these as are being saved.

Dispensary.—More than 1500 have come to us for medicine during the year. There is not one doctor for this large Christian community, or for the people for many miles about; no one to go to the mother in her hour of peril when often skillful help alone can save; no one for missionaries or people in case of accident or dire disease. What this means, only those know who live and suffer far away from any possible help.

Books.—When home I said, "If I go back to India, I shall do all possible to get more good books in the Oriya language." The need of Oriya literature is pitiful.

The Calcutta Temperance Federation put out a telling temperance story, *Haridasi*, in the Bengali language. It is the story of the wrecking of the high caste Hindu home by drink. I told the officers of the Federation our needs and they paid most of the cost of printing *Haridasi* in Oriya. The Balasore Women's Christian Temperance Union paid the rest. Brother Gangadhar Rath of Balasore has done all the translating for me and done it well. The first edition of *Haridasi* sold quickly, and another one is being printed. I have asked the Federation to put the book into Hindi, but the reply has not come. It would greatly help in one Hindu city, Kharagpur, and in many places.

An appeal to the officers of the Indian Christian Literature Society resulted in the printing of two translated books, "The Uses of Pure Water" and "On Caste," and the promise to send the request to headquarters that Cuttack be made one of their centres for work. Other requests were sent and now the plea has been granted to our great joy. My three little books are the first Christian Literature Society books in Oriya, but now more will follow.

The English Bible and Tract Society granted the pay for printing the story of Sitambaran, and Mr. F. Kehl is printing our Oriya translation of the Revival Hymns that have so enthused the Bengalis who sing them. The Bengal W. C. T. U. voted to put all that it prints in Bengali into Oriya and Hindi.

Schools in Orissa are rapidly multiplying. There is a hunger for books and leaflets. These five books, God through His people has wonderfully helped me to get this year in our own Oriya, and I have the promise

of the pay for two or three more. For all this we are most grateful. This work is a delight. I long for more time to give to it.

Other Work.—The Friday evening workers' Bible class goes well. The W. C. T. U. needs more attention though much is done for temperance. The greatest foes to our mission are drink and drugs. I have done what I could as W. C. T. U. organizer for Bengal.

Sometime has been spent in Jellasore, where we have good schools and faithful workers. If well, we purpose to give more time to evangelistic work in and around Jellasore in the year to come. Miss Ruby Kenyon, now in our mission in Balasore, came to my help while Mr. Griffin was in Calcutta hospital, and did most thorough, efficient work, for which she has our gratitude.

L. C. GRIFFIN.



BHIMPORE.

SANTAL WORK.

MISSIONARIES.

REV. A. L. KENNAN, M. A., M. D. MRS. B. R. KENNAN, LALGARH, P. O.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARY.

REV. PELARAM KISKU (JOSEPH ODELL), PASTOR.

BIBLE WOMEN.

ANNA HEMBROM, SARAH MARNDI, TARA SOREN, PODE MURMU.

ASSISTANT IN DISPENSARY.

UPENDRA SOREN.

NORTHERN SECTION.

SUPERINTENDENT—REV. CHAMPAI MURMU, LALGARH, P. O.

EVANGELISTIC ASSISTANTS.

NARAYAN SOREN, PARU KISKU, SURJYA HEMBROM,

SOUTHERN SECTION.

SUPERINTENDENT.

REV. DEBONATH MARNDI, ROHINI P. O.

EVANGELISTIC ASSISTANTS.

SUNDOR MURMU, CHAMPAI MURMU, DUBKU HEMBROM.

BIBLE WOMEN.

MINA MURMU, LUDAMA SOREN.

INDEPENDENT WORKERS.

REV. TONO HASDA.

SCHOOLS.

Two School Inspectors; Christian Teachers, Twenty; Non-Christian Teachers, Thirty-four.

ORPHANAGES.

Boys, Nineteen Supported; Girls Twenty-eight Supported.

BHIMPORE REPORT.

We are glad to think, as the year rolls round, that our home land associates, who make it possible for us to be here, are now expecting to hear of the work. The work is more immediately under our eyes but we hope they feel that it is no less theirs than ours. The past year has been one of deep contrasts. There have been grievous disappointments in some ways and gracious outpourings and upliftings. Serious as the faults of others or of ourselves have been we close the year with no inclination to find any fault whatever with God.

Again we are privileged to report the health of the missionary family as excellent. By God's mercy, though serious disease has even entered our compound, we have escaped. Malarial fever has again claimed its victims in every house about us in the village but we have been free. Our youngest boy, Floyd, was bitten by a mad dog which also attacked Mrs. Kennan but did not succeed in biting her. Mrs. Kennan at once took

Floyd to the Government Institute at Kasauli, some twelve hundred miles away in the Punjab, where they remained about a month while Floyd took treatment with the hope of avoiding the development of the disease. We hope and pray that the treatment has been successful.

Schools.—The grade of the boys' school has been raised from middle vernacular to middle English. The school is now, as regards staff in better condition than ever before. It was closed some four weeks on account of cholera and many boys who then left did not return. A little effort has added others however and the number is about as usual. There were two deaths from cholera among the pupils. In the girls' school we have now two qualified female teachers and a qualified teacher in charge of the kindergarten. The Jungle schools are not taking as kindly nor as quickly as I had hoped to the grading and schedule of studies. Conditions are such that it is difficult to insist. It may be that if one insists on a boy coming every day that he will not come any day.

The new newspaper has appeared at monthly intervals with one exception. Being almost wholly dependent on one man left it in bad shape when he had fever. A new arrangement has now been made which will make a better paper and reduce the cost. As this has been borne to date by the missionary he feels especially pleased with this last feature.

Preachers.—These are working as last year except that a house has been built at Goresole and Narayan located there. Dharma was again taken on and sent to Dardara but as he thought it a great hardship he has been granted leave without pay until Yearly Meeting when his case will be considered by the committee as a whole. It is a real hardship for these young preachers to go out and live among the heathen but to my notion it is the thing that must be done. The spiritual condition of the preachers is better than ever before and their desire to do work for the Great Master greater.

Cholera.—All this section had a severe epidemic of cholera during the cold season and extended into the hot season. We are always having sporadic cases but this time there were numbers of cases in every village and some villages were more than decimated. The man who herded our cattle and milked the cows was the first victim in Bhimpore. He milked the cows Saturday evening and was dead at one o'clock Sunday. A boy in the orphanage went into a collapse and was pulseless with cold extremities for two days but finally recovered. The man who looks after the boys and one of the Bible-women were also attacked but recovered. The daughter of the Bible-woman and the little nephew of our Ayah died. Altogether there were about twenty deaths but only these two from the Christian community. Cholera gets onto my nerves. I stuck it out but if any of you good home people think that I liked to I hasten to assure you to the contrary. It is like standing out in the open and being shot at with smokeless powder. There is nothing to see, nothing to touch. The spread of the disease is insidious and speedy. It is here today and half a dozen people just wither. It is there tomorrow and where it will next strike no one knows. Since beginning this report our native pastor has been a victim. It is now about thirty-six hours since he was attacked but by God's

blessing he is recovering. This time the disease was brought in from Gya by some pilgrims. One of them died on the day of his return last week. May God in his mercy save us from another such visitation as we had last year.

Providence Dispensary.—More patients than any previous year. We had 148 pay patients in one day which is the record so far. Many days there were from 75 to 100. This rush was during the fever season. The most noteworthy case of the year was that of a boy gored by a buffalo. He was brought some ten miles on a native cot. When I laid back the cloth they had put over him I found a tear three-fourths of the way across the abdomen. The portion of his bowels that had protruded was wrapped in a filthy cloth. Fortunately they had not been perforated. As soon as hot water could be gotten and things sterilized Mrs. Kennan gave him chloroform and I washed him up and sewed up the wound. He came out from the chloroform and soon went to sleep. I staid awake and got onto the rack wondering if I had rightly treated those cold bowels that had lain outside for ten hours—wondered if my stitches would hold if he coughed or vomited—wondered if any dirt had been left in the abdominal cavity that I had not seen etc. etc. etc. By the mercy and blessing of God that boy recovered and never had a temperature above a hundred. I told him I thought the Lord must have some special work for him to do for by all the rules of the game he should have died and died promptly.

Another interesting case was one of abscess of the spleen. I went twenty miles to see the patient, evacuated the pus which amounted to five or six quarts and washed and drained the cavity and then came back. He had been passing pus with his stools for twenty-four hours before I reached him. A few days later his friends came for medicine and instruction as some of his food was coming out of the opening. I very much want to know just what happened inside of that man but probably never shall for at last account he was on the road to recovery. Probably even though he had some confidence in me he would not care to have me prowling around among his insides.

There are many funny things and I thank the Lord I can still see them and they often help to relieve the strain. A day or so ago I pulled a big molar. A few moments later as the man squatted near by I heard him answer an inquiry, "Yes, it was a bad tooth. I had been to many blacksmiths but none of them had the courage to try and take it out."

Outside Work.—The little outside churches are all in prosperous condition. Ulda has been lessened by removals otherwise the work there is as usual. A new church with seventeen members has been organized at Topabon. There have since then been two baptisms there.

God bless these people one and all. They need some one beside a blacksmith to pull their teeth and some thing beside a demon or an idol to help them out of their sin.

In general I think I am safe in saying that, as compared with previous years, the Santal work is in a much improved spiritual condition. I feel that we cannot be sufficiently grateful to God for this. By his blessing the work as a whole is on a higher plane. Some of these Santals have tasted

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of higher things and had experiences of God's dealings with them which mean the beginnings of new eras in their lives. A man who has been moved by the Holy Spirit has a testimony from which he cannot escape and which he cannot deny to the truthfulness of the religion of Jesus Christ. I have been specially thankful for the spiritual uplift that two of our young farmers have received. They are now actively at work for the Lord as they have opportunity and without mission pay. May they be the heralds of a new order.

A. L. KENNAN.

MRS. KENNAN'S REPORT.

There have been rather more than the usual number of changes in the Girls' Orphanage during the year but the number at the close is about the same. Six of the girls have married during the year. Nilmonie and Bimola are among the number and they now have their own homes here. They still continue teaching in the school. Mukte whose frail health I have spoken of before in the annual reports has been much blessed this year. We had little reasonable hope that she would ever be well but the whole of the past year she has made steady improvement. We are very glad for she has made but little progress in school on account of her ill health. She now takes pleasure in household duties and likes to work out of doors. The variety of outdoor work she has been doing has been good for her. Better even than the report on her health is that on her life. She is a sincere and humble Christian. She has greatly endeared herself to us by her endeavor to be a good daughter.

We have a new son-in-law,—Chaku. He was a good boy but though industrious had no permanent employment. He wanted to marry Salgae, one of our orphan girls. We were favorable to the plan if he had some regular work. We informed him to this effect and he tried hard to secure such work. Failing in this he came to the bungalow one evening with the pastor and others and made the suggestion that we take him as Laban took Jacob. This is quite a common custom among the Santals. To make a long story short we at length agreed. He is to serve us five years getting his board and the clothing necessary and at the end he will get about ten dollars worth of rice, a pair of bullocks, an ax, a plow, the young woman of his choice and our blessing. As he had already waited two years we thought best not to delay the marriage. We have put them down on the new farm where they have both gone to work under our direction. We hope they will soon be self supporting. Salgae always refers to him not as Chaku or my husband but as "your son-in-law." Salgae seems to be developing into a very capable and efficient woman.

Abhoi, our youngest orphan boy, died a short time ago. He had always been frail and in addition to this was blind. He contracted dysentery and the medicines given seemed to produce no effect. One of the older orphan boys has been married and lives here in Bhimpore. Another is teach-

ing in a village not far away. Still another will take the Middle Vernacular examination this month. Six have been baptized during the year. One of these had a particularly striking experience. He had cholera and vowed then to be a Christian if he recovered. On recovery he postponed it. Convicted in some special meeting we held he acknowledged Christ but again delayed. The Lord however would not let him alone. He at last came to Mr. Kennan and asked to be baptized at once refusing to wait until others were ready.

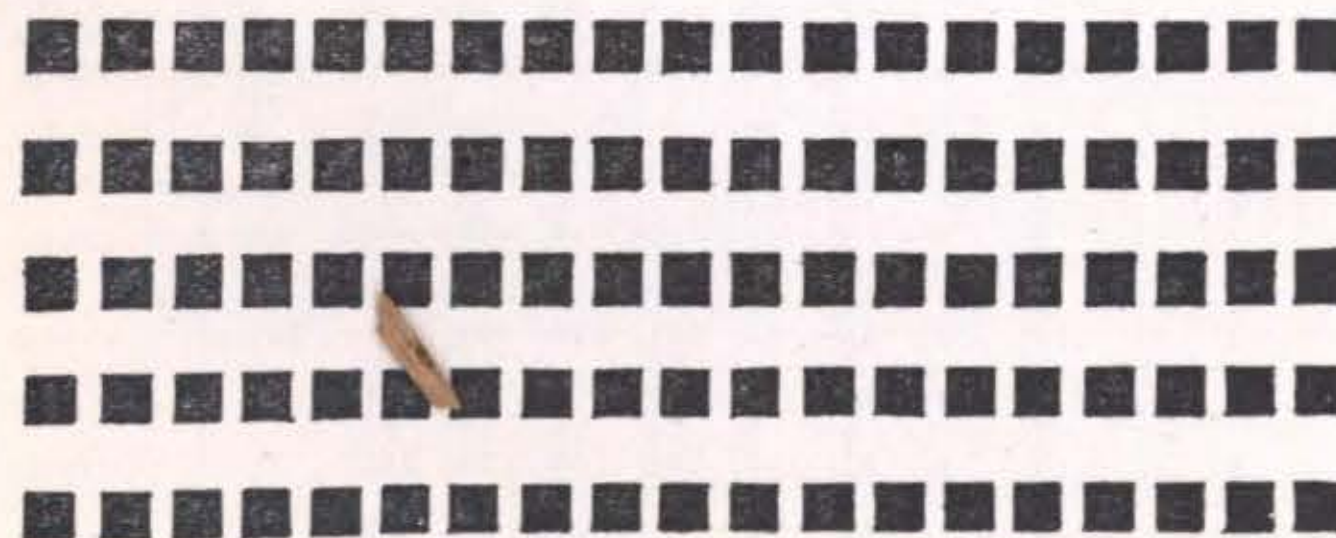
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RELIGIOUS DIVISIONS OF AFRICA



EACH CRESCENT REPRESENTS ONE MILLION MOHAMMEDANS

EACH CROSS THE WHITE CROSS
REPRESENTS ONE MILLION REPRESENTS LESS THAN ONE
NOMINAL CHRISTIANS MILLION CHRISTIAN COMMUNICANTS



EACH SQUARE REPRESENTS ONE MILLION PAGANS

CHURCH STATISTICS

CHURCHES	Established	Added by Baptism	Added by Letter	Added Otherwise	Dismissed by Letter	Dropped from Roll	Excluded	Died	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Total Membership	Gain or Loss	Contributions Except for S. S. and C. E.		Native Christian Community	
													Native			Other
													Rs. A.	Rs.		A.
Balasore.....	1838	50		14	2	18		3	199	77	276	41	409	13	165	533
Bhadrak.....	1890	4		1					9	16	25	5	2			23
Bhimpore.....	1874	20		21	13		1	1	134	124	258	26	144	13		384
Bhanga Mora.....	1903			4							4	4	4			4
Chandball.....	1888	4		1		3			20	20	40	2	110		75	66
Chitrapatra.....	1890	1		5				1	29	2	31	5				4
Contal.....	1902	1	1						8	4	12	2	7	10		38
Jellasore.....	1855							2	37	14	51	2	44	8		55
Kalamatia.....	1905	4		13					17	17	17	1	4	8		17
Kenduasole.....	1900	1				2			10	2	12	1				20
Kharagpur.....	1903	14	11	2					24	37	61	27				150
Metrapore.....	1855	7							38	8	46	7				88
Midnapore.....	1863	30	3	6	2	9	2	5	126	24	150	21	471		177	277
Palasbani.....	1880			7					14		14	7				14
Salgadia.....	1899	2		3				1	30	6	36	3	100			75
Santipore.....	1867	40	6	27		1	2		178	17	195	70	115		140	255
Topabon.....	1906	2	17						19		19	19				29
Ujarda.....	1891	9						1	33	1	34	8				43
Ulda.....	1890			1	2	8			9		9	9				10
Totals.....		189	38	105	20	41	3	16	938	352	1290	251	1421	5	459	2144
Totals last year..		52	9	7	37	10	1	11	786	248	1039	4	2079	6	408	1917

Three rupees equal one dollar.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL STATISTICS

STATIONS	No. of Schools		Number of Teachers		No. of Pupils				Total No. of Pupils	Gain or Loss	Contributions			Language used
	For Christians	For Non-Christians			Christian		Non-Christian							
			Men	Women	Male	Female	Male	Female						
											Rs.	A	P.	
Balasore.....	2	5	12	22	148	128	61	112	449	—89	37	11	9	..Oriya and Bengali
Bhadrak.....	1		1	2	10	5	4	25	44	16				..Oriya and Bengali
Bhimpore.....	1	41	49	10	28	63	1081	143	315	126	13			..Santali and Bengali
Chandball.....	2	2	11	5	9	8	365	48	430	—10	18			Oriya, Telugu and Bengali
Chitrapatra.....	1		2		12	17			29	11				..... Santali
Contal.....	1		1	1	8	3	15		26	13				..... Bengali
Jellasore.....	1		3	4	16	24	2	8	50	—44	1	6		..... Oriya
Kalamatia.....		1	2		2	1	10	10	23	—2				..... Bengali
Kenduasole.....	1	1	2		4	6	20	6	36	—6				..... Santali
Metrapore.....	1		2	1	30	25	6	8	69	8	1	4	6	..... Oriya
Midnapore.....	1	15	18	10	56	38	261	110	465	—225	33			..... Bengali
Palasbani.....		1	1		3		15		18	—5				..... Bengali
Salgadia.....	1	2	5	2	20	12	40		72	102				..Oriya and Bengali
Satbankara.....		1	2		2	1	10	10	23	23				..... Bengali
Santipore.....	2	12	16	16	93	105	232	109	539	213	7			Oriya, Bengali and Santali
Topabon.....	1		1		11	8			19	19				..... Santali
Ujarda.....	1		1	2	12	7	15	25	59	11				..... Oriya
Ulda.....	1	1	1		6	4	12	1	23	—3				..... Santali
Totals.....	19	80	130	75	470	455	2149	615	3689	—56	111	6	3	
Totals last year..	17	70	122	64	516	486	2098	644	3745	511	99	2		

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

STATIONS	Christian Teachers		Non-Christian Teachers		Christian Pupils		Hindu Pupils		Moham'dan Pupils		Santal Pupils		Telugus and Others		Total Pupils		Grand Total	Gain or Loss
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
Balasore.....	9	1	2	1	44	48	40	9	2	7					86	48	86	19
".....	1	1	2	1	30	42	21	130	1	15					39	137	48	23
".....	2	1	3	1	24	3	6	210							22	46	159	11
".....	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	26							31	225	77	3
Bhadrak.....	4	3	31	43	3	43	6	6							6	29	225	25
Bhimpore.....	1	1	3	2	9	2	180	45							9	43	52	17
".....	1	1	2	2	8	4	2	14							1076	125	1201	126
Chandball.....	1	1	12	12	1	2	33	12	11	8					64	18	64	50
".....	1	1	1	1	1	1	260	33							268	33	18	12
".....	1	1	1	1	1	1	33	14							34	14	301	36
Contal.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	14							1	15	15	15
Jellasore.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	21	25	6	1					23	32	48	2
".....	1	1	1	1	1	1	18	43							10	10	10	21
Kalamatia.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	9							8	25	45	21
Kharagpur.....	3	3	1	1	15	25	17	6	19	35					15	31	63	14
Metrapore.....	1	1	1	1	15	121	6	4	4	47					26	149	164	8
Midnapore.....	1	1	1	1	20	102	13	11	19	28					159	35	149	1
".....	1	1	1	1	20	106	105	106							133	113	246	91
".....	1	1	1	1	3	8	6	6							21	21	21	5
Palasbani.....	1	1	1	1	12	29	20	21							20	20	28	55
Salgadia.....	1	1	1	1	17	25	15	15							53	30	71	42
Santipore.....	1	1	1	1	20	24	15	15							41	41	82	32
".....	1	1	1	1	20	24	15	15							41	41	82	32
".....	1	1	1	1	20	24	15	15							41	41	82	32
Ujarda.....	1	1	1	1	20	24	15	15							41	41	82	32
Ulda.....	1	1	1	1	20	24	15	15							41	41	82	32
Totals last year.....	61	93	79	343	323	1200	895	135	135	135	82	1102	173	15	2694	1411	4105	46
Totals.....	56	89	84	333	453	1051	865	93	93	93	82	1022	216	36	2533	1618	4151	635

Totals last year.....

*In the Midnapore and Santipore kindergartens 53 and 50 children respectively, and 60 in the Santipore Industrial, are in other schools, and hence are omitted in the footing of the totals.

REPORT OF THE

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

NAME OF SOCIETY	When Organized	Active Members	Associate Members	Honorary Members	Total Membership	Number Baptized	Contributions		
							Rs.	A.	P.
Balasore, Young Men	1900	33		5	38	6		11	
" Young Women	1900	26			26	9			
" Junior Boys	1903	42			42	4	3	5	3
" Junior Girls	1902	35			35	3			
Bhimpore	1893	15	2		17	2			
Chandball	1895	10	5	2	17		3	4	
Kenduasole	1906	8			8				
Midnapore	1893	31	3		34		14	3	
Santipore Young Men	1894	41		2	43	6			
" Young Women	1897	37	3	1	41	1		6	
" Junior Boys	1902	8	9	1	18	8		5	
" Junior Girls	1903	20	6	1	27	4			
Salgadia Men	1906	16	4		20	1			
" Women	1906	20	2		22				
Ulda	1906	9			9				
Totals		351	34	12	397	44	22	2	3
Totals last year		254	39	10	303	20	32	10	3

GENERAL STATISTICS

Missionaries.		School Teachers.	
Men on field	9	Christian men	61
Women on field	17	Christian women	64
Women on furlough	1	Non-Christian men	79
Women retired	1	Zenana teachers	29
Total	27	Total	233

Indian Assistants.

Ordained ministers (two retired)	11
Evangelists	2
Lay preachers	20
Colporteurs	12
Other lay workers	3
Bible women	20
Total	68

AFRICAN MISSION

A letter from Mr. Clinton dated October 20, 1906, states that he has written several letters which have not been received. He writes, "Some men who are able to judge whether I am making good use of my time here have visited my place and from them I hope you may learn how hard your humble servant is laboring. Last February the Methodist Episcopalians held their general convention here in the city of Edina, Grand Bassa County. After the meetings were over Dr. Ernest Lyon, from the American Legation at Liberia, in company with Bishop Scott, visited our mission. From these and from the Rev. E. J. Lucas, manager of the Lord's Mission Home, Grand Bassa, you may learn how I am spending my time and the money sent to me by the Christian friends of glorious America. My feeling is that actions speak louder than words."

LEWIS P. CLINTON,

Fortsville, Grand Bassa, Liberia, West Africa.

Extract from a paper published in Grand Bassa :

"On the first of September the editor left Kingsville for the Free Baptist Mission at Fortsville, where we remained fifteen days, preaching and giving Bible talks. We were received and entertained nicely by the manager, Rev. Lewis P. Clinton, who truly has this mission work at heart, a man of great faithfulness, diligence, love and sympathy for both heathen and civilized, sick and well. While talking to his thirty or more pupils my heart yearned that they might grasp the opportunities offered to them.

Mr. A. K. Peabody, Rev. Clinton's tribal brother, is his associate. Mr. Peabody's sixteen years' experience with eight or more years in the best schools certainly fits him nicely for his present work.

The mission is situated on a hill and gives a good view looking over Fortsville, as well as healthy.

The main building is two stories, several native huts; the chapel is soon to be built as it takes much time to get materials together.

Two were converted and are awaiting the baptism."

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THE MISSIONARIES.

MISS MARY W. BACHELER, M. D. (1875).....	Midnapore, India
MISS E. E. BARNES (1893).....	Balasore, India
MISS R. D. BOMWETSCH (1905).....	Balasore, India
MRS. J. P. BURKHOLDER (1865).....	Balasore, India
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MRS. EMMA L. COLDREN (1882).....	Chandbali, India
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REV. L. C. GRIFFIN (1873).....	Hatigarh, Balasore District, India
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MRS. E. G. MURPHY (1900).....	Contai, India
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