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MINUTES OF THE  
CAPITAL DISTRICT CONFERENCE  
OF THE  
PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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## OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1960 CONFERENCE

Secretary of Church Extension

Rev. R. C. Hawkins

### DISTRICT COUNCIL

District Superintendent

Rev. W. R. Dudley

District Secretary

Rev. J. W. Kraus

District Treasurer

Mr. E. L. Howard

Advisory Member

Rev. C. W. Beach

Advisory Member

Mr. R. L. Campbell

### EXAMINING & EDUCATIONAL BOARD

Rev. W. R. Dudley, Chairman

3 years

Rev. J. W. Kraus

2 years

Rev. C. W. Beach

1 year

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Rev. C. W. Beach, Chairman

3 years

Mr. R. L. Campbell

2 years

Mr. E. L. Howard

1 year

### EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. C. J. O'Donnell

### SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

Rev. Lester Parks; Rev. H. V. Mellott

### YOUTH DIRECTOR

Rev. J. D. Pence

### COMMITTEES

#### Resolutions

Rev. C. W. Beach

Rev. Norman Wilson

Rev. Miles Bennett

#### Men's Fellowship

Mr. E. L. Howard

Rev. Lee Pickett

Mr. James Click

#### Ways and Means

Rev. W. R. Dudley

Mr. E. L. Howard

Rev. J. W. Kraus

Mr. R. L. Campbell

#### Statistics

Rev. Dennis Godsey

Miss Naomi Floor

Mr. R. L. Campbell

#### Memoir

Rev. John Foster

Rev. Miles Bennett

Rev. Norman Wilson

#### Auditing

Rev. Dennis Godsey

Rev. Lester Parks

Rev. J. D. Pence

#### Missions

Mrs. J. W. Kraus

Mrs. Marjorie Beach

Mrs. Ruth Godsey

#### E.P.C. Representatives

Rev. W. R. Dudley

Mr. E. L. Howard

Mr. R. L. Campbell

#### Editing

Rev. J. W. Kraus

Rev. A. E. Knowles

#### Lay Visitation

Rev. C. W. Beach - Va.

Rev. J. W. Kraus - Md.

#### "Pilgrim Action"

Rev. H. V. Mellott, Editor

#### Youth Camp

Rev. W. R. Dudley

Rev. J. D. Pence

Rev. Dennis Godsey

Mr. R. Evans

## D I R E C T O R Y

### ORDAINED MINISTERS

Beach, C. W.	8208 16th Ave., Hyattsville, Md.	Tel. HE 4-3294
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Foot, E. L.	4825 69th Ave., Hyattsville, Md.	Tel. AP 7-6742
Foster, John	Rt. #1, Box 137, Springfield, Va.	Tel. GL 5-9307
Godsey, Dennis	321 East Rugby Rd., Manassas, Va.	Tel. EM 8-6359
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Weir, T. M.	4111 Meadow Dr., Indianapolis, Ind.	Tel. LI 5-1907

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	Church	Tel. FL 4-3752
Pickett, Lee	#12 North Kings Highway, Alexandria, Va.	Tel. SO 8-2128
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### DISTRICT TREASURER

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### DISTRICT CALENDAR

District Conference	May 30th - 31st
District Camp	June 16th - 25th
Sr. Youth Camp	To be announced
Interm. Youth Camp	To be announced
Jr. Youth Camp	To be announced

### CAPITAL DISTRICT CAMP COMMITTEE

C. W. Beach, President	J. D. Pence, Secretary
R. L. Campbell, Treasurer	Dennis Godsey, Promotion

<u>CHURCHES</u>	<u>PASTOR</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Cameron Valley (Unorganized)	John Foster	Cameron Valley, Alexandria, Va.
Damascus Pilgrim (Unorganized)	Elmer Drury	Damascus, Md.
First Pilgrim	H. V. Mellott	Monroe & DeWitt Ave., Alexandria, Va.
Floor Memorial Pilgrim	Miles Bennett	27th & No. Harrison St., Arlington, Va.
Foster Memorial Pilgrim	J. D. Pence	1909 Old Rolling Rd., Franconia, Va.
National Pilgrim	J. W. Kraus	6324 Riggs Rd., Hyattsville, Md.
North College Park	A. E. Knowles, Jr.	Rhode Island Ave. & Edgewood Rd., College Park, Md.
Temple (Unorganized)	C. W. Beach	Temple Traylor Court, Alexandria, Va.
Woodlawn Pilgrim	Lester Parks	69th & Greenvale Pkwy., Hyattsville, Md.
Yorkshire Pilgrim	Dennis Godsey	East Rugby Rd., Yorkshire Acres, Va.

THE ROLL INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING LAY DELEGATES:

Alexandria - Dorothy Wallace and Mrs. Harlow  
Floor Memorial - Naomi Floor  
Edgewood - Absent  
Foster Memorial - Lyda Goins

National - Mrs. McGehee  
Woodlawn - Dick Evans  
Yorkshire - Ruth Godsey

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The eighth Annual Conference of the Capital District Pilgrim Holiness Church convened at 9:17 A.M., May 30, 1960 at the North College Park Pilgrim Church in North College Park, Md.

Rev. Dennis Godsey opened the conference in singing "My Jesus I Love Thee."

Rev. Dudley asked Rev. R. C. Hawkins to lead in prayer. Then Rev. Dudley reported to Rev. Hawkins of our readiness and asked Rev. Hawkins to introduce Rev. R. G. Flexon, the Chairman of the conference and General Superintendent.

Rev. Flexon responded with an exhortation speaking from Romans 10:11-15.

To be a Preacher means more than a call to a parish.

I. The pastor and his preachings.

A. The need for expository preaching.

1. To Feed the Saints.
2. To help the New born.

B. Feed the sheep.

1. Do you want long life and wool?
2. Do you want short life and meat?
3. Faults of the saints should not be Demonstrated.
4. Don't waste time on old Goats.

C. Methods of Preaching.

1. Preaching is more than a memory drill.
2. It is not an emotional display.

D. The presentation of your message.

1. Have variety.
2. Have an objective.
3. Don't change because of who comes in.

II. The Pastor and his planning.

A. Plan for action.

1. At least 15 years of service.
2. Make all plans long range.

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### B. Plan your service.

1. Ushers.
2. Nursery (care of babies).

### C. Plan Revivals.

1. Train altar workers.
2. Train follow-up counselors.

### D. Plan Visits.

### E. Plan your Finances.

1. Make study of potential.
2. Plan to pay Budget.
3. Preach on tithing.

### F. Organize your church.

1. Elementary - (spiritually).
2. Denominationally - (loyalty).
3. Transcending - (House to House).

### G. Plan prayer meetings.

1. Bible studies.
2. Times of spiritual refreshing.

### H. Start Branch Sunday Schools.

## III. The Preacher and his people.

### A. Be patient.

1. Learn how to counsel.
  - a. Listen
  - b. Wait until they have finished speaking.
2. The Bible says, "Long suffering."

### B. Be Loving.

1. Be one that expresses his appreciation for things done in the church.
2. Write letters of appreciation.
3. A ~~genuine love must be expressed~~. Do so.

From this excellent presentation of Rev. Flexon, the Business meeting was immediately begun.

The motion prevailed and was seconded and passed to establish the first 5 rows across the church as the conference bar.

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The time of the settings was moved, seconded and passed to be 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. morning, 2:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. afternoon.

Special meeting of District council and Secretary of Church Extension with the candidates for ordination, 5:00 to 5:30. Evening - 8:00 until finished (approximately 10:00 P.M.).

The following questions were presented to the conference with Negative answers.

1. Are there any new churches to be presented?
2. Is there anyone to be presented by the reception committee?

A report from the Educational Committee gave seats within the conference bar to Rev. Lape, Rev. Drury, and Rev. Knowles by virtue of the receiving of their 1st year District Licenses.

The District Superintendent's report was called for and Rev. Dudley responded. (It is recorded on Page ). The Superintendent's report was received with a rising vote of thanks for the tremendous job that he accomplished through God's help for us.

The Auditor's report was called for and Rev. Dennis Godsey responded. (Report is recorded on Page ). The Auditor's report was accepted.

The Treasurer's report was called for and Mr. Howard responded. (It is recorded on Page ). The report was moved to be accepted by Rev. Dudley who asked to speak. His remarks in essence are: It is noted that Bro. Howard has played in our District since its conception. His excellent years of service to our District have been second to none from the beginning to the present. All who have associated with Bro. Howard know him to be a man of God whose steady nature and high integrity are an inspiration to all. The motion prevailed that in accepting this report, that all members of the conference pass before Bro. Howard and personally give him a sincere handshake of Thanks for a splendid job. It was noted that Mr. Howard will take leave of this office of District Treasurer this year. This was seconded and passed.

When the conference returned to their places within the bar, the Reception committee presented Rev. Melvin Deiter, Acting President of Eastern Pilgrim College. Rev. Flexon greeting him within the conference bar with deserveable comments. Rev. Deiter responded with a testimony concerning up-to-date spiritual victory. He was accepted by the Conference.

The Chairman then made note of the good job done by the Camp President, particularly in the area of finance. Special commendation is due Rev. Beach for this good showing of leadership.

It was moved, seconded and passed that the District Treasurer's Proposed Budget be referred to the Ways and Means Committee and to be given as a part of their report. It was requested that Rev. Deiter speak concerning Eastern Pilgrim College finances, also in the Ways and Means report.



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The Statistician's report was called for and Rev. Dennis Godsey responded. This report was accepted with appreciation by a motion, second, and an aye vote.

Giving per capital was called for and was reported at \$318.29 each.

Missionary Societies were admonished to recall that their missionary vision should take in Home as well as Foreign fields.

Question was made as to the fluctuation of property holdings and decreased value noted in the statements of several churches. It was explained that some of these changes are of varied origin such as: Second Trust holdings maturing, re-evaluation of their property, etc.

District Camp President's report was given by Rev. Beach. This was graciously accepted. (Recorded on Page ).

The Youth Director's report was called for. Rev. Pence responded and his report was accepted. (Recorded on Page ).

Rev. O'Donnell, Secretary of Sunday School Promotion, gave his report and it was accepted. (Recorded on Page ).

The report of the Secretary of Education and Examination was given by Rev. Kraus and accepted. (Recorded on Page ).

The Resolutions Committee's report was given by Rev. Beach, Resolution #1 to change Camp date. It was moved to be adopted and seconded. Then carried. (Recorded on Page ).

Ways and Means Committee report was called for and given by Mr. Howard. (Recorded on Page ).

Resolution #2 - concerned Eastern Pilgrim College support.

Resolution #3 - concerned estimated District Budget and Pastor's Tithe - 50%.

Since the time of adjournment was so close it was moved to recess for lunch and to reconvene at 2:00 P.M., making the Ways and Means Resolutions the first order of Business for the afternoon. The time of adjournment was at 12:40 P.M.

Afternoon session of the conference of the Capital District Pilgrim Holiness Church convened at 2:35 P.M. with Rev. Pence leading the conference in "I Love To Tell The Story." Rev. Deiter led in prayer.

Rev. Flexon brought a few remarks pertaining to Luke 9:1-2; Luke 10:1-2; Acts 5:42 a pentecostal spirit, Acts 20:20 - go from house to house, witness and win. An admonition to take up house to house visitation.

Business was immediately entered into with the calling of the roll. All were present. Rev. Flexon asked for a goal in Advocate Subscriptions, for the coming year. They are as follows:

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National - 35  
Temple Trailer - 10  
Cameron Valley - 10  
Woodlawn - 10  
Arlington - 30  
Yorkshire - 20  
Foster Memorial - 20  
Alexandria - 30  
North College Park - No report  
Damascus - No report

Total 165.

Minutes of morning session were read and approved.

Ways and Means. (Recorded on Page ).

Resolution #3 - Estimated Budget. Moved to be adopted. It was carried.

Resolution #2 - Eastern Pilgrim College support. Mr. Howard yielded the floor to Rev. Deiter to speak of the Resolution. It was noted that the Eastern Pilgrim College Choir would come to our District twice a year, present a program and then split up into smaller groups visiting each church, take pledges to defray this expense, and present a program.

Amendment. This resolution is to be substituted for the last 3 paragraphs of Standing Resolution #6 of the Ways and Means Committee.

Resolution #3 - 50% of Pastor's Tithe. This was carried.

Rev. Flexon spoke concerning Eastern Pilgrim College and admonished us to support the School, with finances, prayers, and students. Direct young people to Eastern Pilgrim College, then those desiring Liberal Arts in their last two years be encouraged to go to Owosso Pilgrim College, Owosso, Michigan. "Support your church schools," said, Rev. Flexon.

The President of the Conference called for the elections. Appointments were read by Rev. R. C. Hawkins.

District Superintendent - W. R. Dudley

District Secretary - N. W. Kraus

District Treasurer - Raymond Campbell

The conference proceeded to the election of the Advisory Members for the District Council. Those elected were Rev. C. W. Beach and Mr. E. L. Howard.

The motion and second prevailed to elect Rev. J. W. Kraus to the Educational Examining Committee for a period of two years. This was done by unanimous acclamation.

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Rev. C. W. Beach was unanimously elected to the position of District Trustee for a period of three years.

Rev. W. R. Dudley read the committee appointments, a copy of which is seen on Page One of your Minutes. Also an announcement was made of a District-wide ministerial meeting with the visiting of our General Secretary on October 2, 1960.

There was no report from the Memoir Committee and all other business being concluded, the conference gave a rising vote of Thanks to Rev. R. G. Flexon for his leadership in this our Eighth Annual Conference. We were adjourned in prayer by Rev. R. C. Hawkins.

The Ordination Service of the Eighth Annual Conference of the Capital District was conducted by Rev. R. G. Flexon, General Superintendent of the Pilgrim Church, and was assisted by the Ordination Council of Rev. R. C. Hawkins, Rev. W. R. Dudley, Rev. C. W. Beach and Rev. J. W. Kraus.

Rev. Dennis Godsey and Rev. Miles Bennett were ordained in a very beautiful and appropriate service at the North College Park Pilgrim Church.

## DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

TO THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE CAPITAL DISTRICT CONFERENCE OF THE PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH NOW IN SESSION AT COLLEGE PARK, MARYLAND, MAY 30, 1960.

Christian greetings:

I lift my voice in praise and adoration unto the Christ, "who loved us and gave himself for us". There have been many occasions during the past year when we have been the recipients of that "wisdom from above". We have stood in awe as we have observed the Lord move on the scene and bring to pass that we had admitted was beyond our human abilities. This has served to keep us conscious of our utter dependence on God.

In reviewing the accomplishments of the past year I am made mindful that "we are laborers together with God". The cooperation of the ministers and laymen plus the blessings of God has given us the fine Conference year just passed.

### THE SPIRITUAL PROGRESS OF THE DISTRICT

The District Camp Meeting under the direction of Rev. C. W. Beach and his fine committee with Rev. Albert Massey, Superintendent of the Virginia District, was a time of real blessing. The \$1.00 per member per month financial plan has served to the end that we come to Camp time with the District Camp Fund reading on the blue side of the ledger.

The revival at Yorkshire with Rev. Merrill Consoloy as evangelist was blessed of God. Several nights of the meeting the altar was lined with seekers, in all there were over 50 seekers for salvation.

The revival at Alexandria with Rev. Shell as evangelist was similarly blessed and over 50 seekers sought the Lord for salvation.

The Capital District Indoor Camp Meeting was visited with revival under the ministry of Rev. J. Roland Mitchell. This was a time of going deeper with the Lord. There were many seekers and happy finders of salvation.

This has resulted in new people getting saved, believers being Sanctified and new people joining Church.

The District Youth Society under the direction of Rev. J. D. Pence assisted by Rev. Dennis Godsey and the Youth Camp Staff has enjoyed the blessings of God in the Youth Camp, the Bi-monthly rallies and the Annual New Years Eve Banquet and Watch Night Service. God blessed the ministry of Rev. Carl N. Hall and as the Old Year rang out and the New Year rang in a good number of young people knelt at the altar and sought the Lord for salvation.

### CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

In looking over the membership report I am reminded of an observation made by a minister of the Washington, D. C. area, "this is like pastoring a bus station". The Capital District Churches have taken in 59 new members, this is

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a good number for one year. In bringing the membership rolls up to date 56 members have been removed from the rolls. With the membership rolls brought up to date and with the blessings of God the forth coming Conference Year should show marked gains in membership.

### SUNDAY SCHOOLS

This has been a good Sunday School Year and the statistics will reveal that effective work has been done in this field. Rev. Jack O'Donnell and the National Church Sunday School Department conducted a very helpful Sunday School Work Shop at the Alexandria First Church. Programs and methods of doing Sunday School work to the best advantage were demonstrated.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

The Missionary Societies of the District Churches held a retreat at the Prince Georges Plaza. Miss Eubanks of the Foreign Missionary Department was the engaged worker. The work of the various Societies was displayed and new emphasis was focused on the importance of the Missionary Society in the Local Church. The ladies are to be congratulated on this new venture.

Rev. Clifton Berg spent two weeks on the Capital District in the interest of Foreign Missions. He visited each of the Churches with very satisfying results.

### BUILDING PROGRAMS

This has been a busy year in Church construction. On Sunday August 23, 1959 the very beautiful North College Park was dedicated and on the same Sunday afternoon the National Church broke ground for their new Church. The National Church is nearing completion and will be dedicated in the early summer. The Yorkshire Church began work on the completion of their Church (the erection of the sanctuary on the basement) on December 11, 1959. With the blessings of God, good workmen and favorable weather this 43'x60' sanctuary was under roof by December 24, 1959. This new sanctuary was dedicated on April 24, 1960. These new buildings give adequate room for future Church and Sunday School expansion. We thank God for these material gains.

### THE CAPITAL DISTRICT WORLD OUTREACH

It is time for all Evangelical Holiness people to stand high in the saddle, leave their place of "ease in Zion" and ride forth into the heat of the battle to tell a lost and dying world that Jesus Saves. There are several imminent reasons why the call to muster forces should be sounded and all Christians respond to that call.

1. The National nonchalant attitude toward definite spirituality, moral insincerity, and a political philosophy which could result in the election of a Roman Catholic President.

2. The predicted population explosion which will result in an increase in population in the Washington, D. C. Metropolitan Area from 2,133,000 people in 1960 to 2,875,000 people by 1970 ( a 10 year period).

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3. The general upheaval of International affairs and the "Brink of War" tactics now in practice.

4. The last is by no means the least important for Christ who by His death on the Cross provided salvation for the "who-so-ever-will" has commissioned us to, "Go ye therefore into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature".

The Great Commission is not specifically a Foreign Missionary Commission, but is a commission to all Christians to reach all unsaved people with the "Gospel the power of God unto salvation". "They, (the Christians) went forth and preached every where, the Lord working with them..." Mark 16:20.

In your hand is a diagram of the mechanics, ways and means of activating this grand Church of ours to carry out the Great Commission of Christ. It calls for consecrated ministers and laymen dedicated to the cause of Christ and the salvation of souls to give sacrificially of their time and interest and to cheerfully bring their tithes and offerings into the "storehouse". (Malachi 3:10).

The Gospel is to flow from God to the minister, over the pulpit, across the altar, course in between the pews to each one in Divine presence, carried forth from the entrance of the Church by dedicated Christians, conveyed to the surrounding community by lives that exemplify Christ, with an earnest desire and interest to reach the souls of men with the Saving Message of the Gospel through the "Victorious Lay Visitation Evangelism" Program. The dedicated cooperation of ministers and laymen to the Cause of Christ and Souls in the Local Church will result in a definite outreach at the District Conference level.

All of the District Departments will be activated as never before. The District Camp Meeting, the Youth Camp and the Indoor Camp meeting will have a greater impact. Bigger, better and more effective Missionary retreats, conventions, District Youth Rallies, Sunday School conventions and work shops and a stronger more effective District Home Missionary Program will be the results. If we prayerfully plan and cooperate it will be possible to gain a 60% increase in Church Membership, a 60% increase in Sunday School Attendance, reopen the Pimmit Hills Work, organize one of the unorganized Churches, start two new churches, support Eastern Pilgrim College and extend our service to God and man far beyond the bounds of our Conference through the General Church Departments.

By systematically supporting the United Stewardship Fund, (17 cents per member per week put in the Church envelope and designated for USF will pay the Fund, buy an envelope and pay the postage to mail the monthly USF offering to the Treasurer), and prayerfully and sacrificially giving to the November Self-Denial Offering, the Easter Offering and the Rally Day Offering the Capital District will have a World Wide Outreach that will resound to the Glory of God and the salvation of souls at home and abroad.

Fullfill the Great Commission, participate 100% in the Capital District World Outreach.

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My personal report:

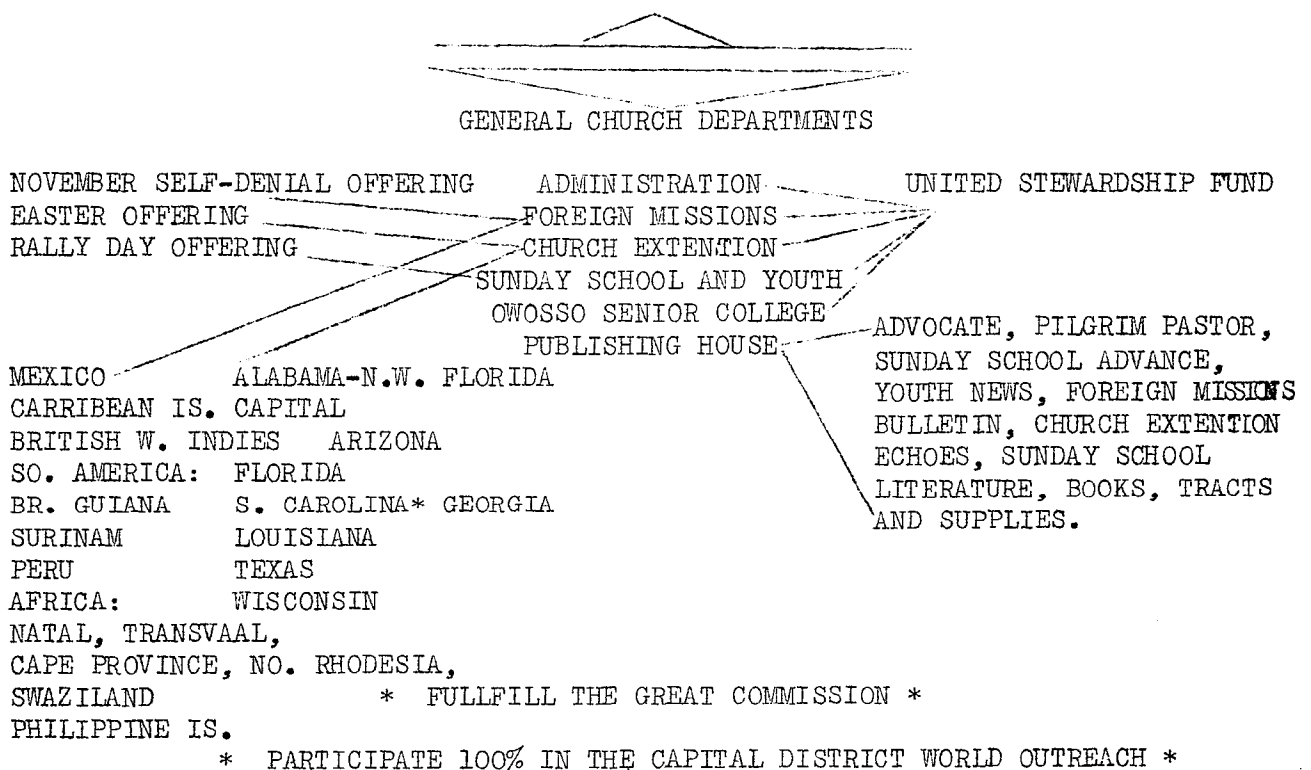
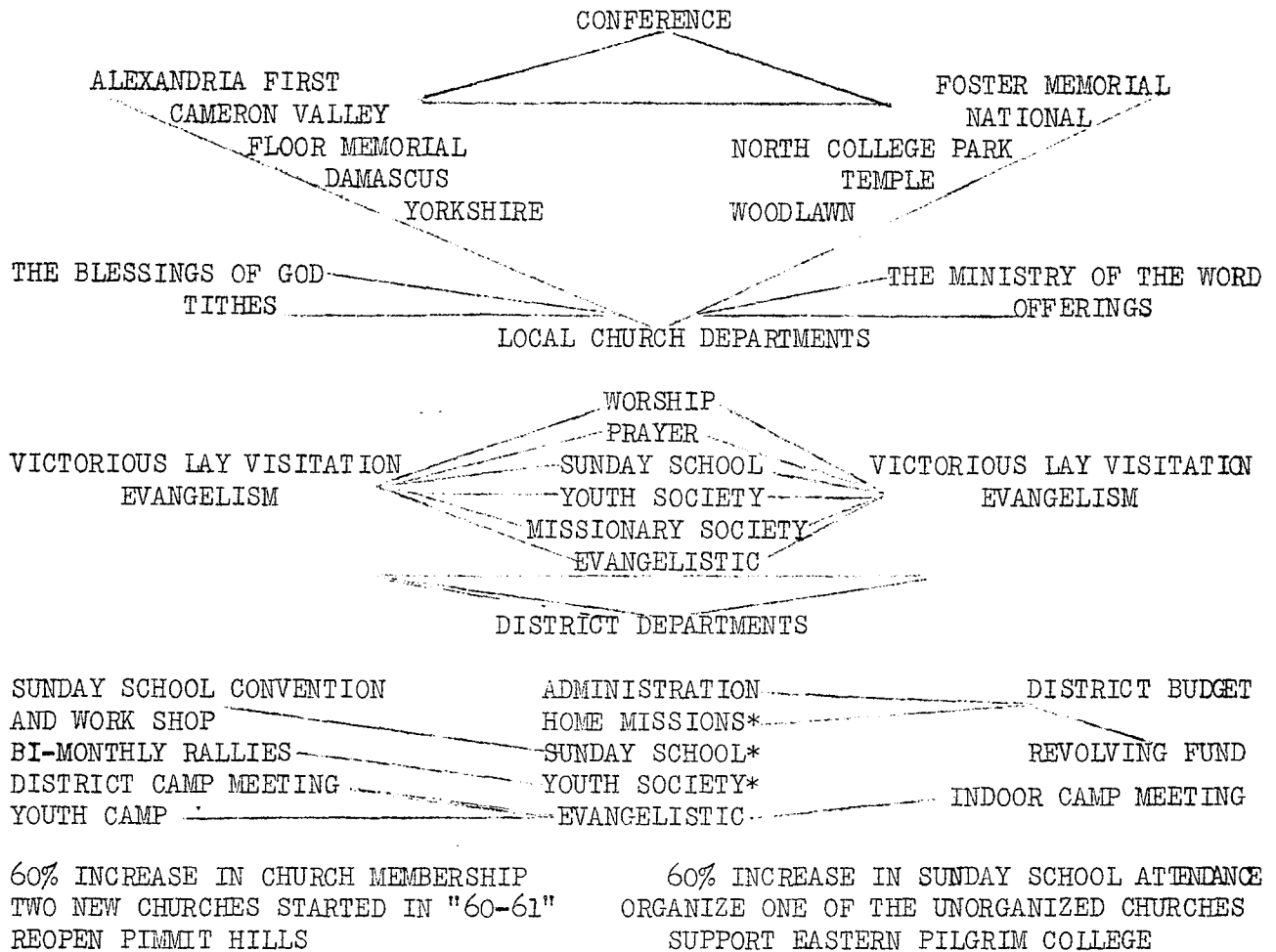
I have traveled 22,000 miles in the discharge of my duties, preached 104 sermons, visited all of the Churches at least two times this year, spoke in each Church in the interest of the United Stewardship Fund and distributed coin cards to assist in the raising of the Fund, supplied the pulpits at College Park and Damascus during the change of pastors. I have assisted in the deputation work and conventions for the Department of Church Extension. This work has taken me into New York, Ohio and Indiana. I have assisted in the District Camp Meeting, the Youth Camp and Indoor Camp Meeting. I have attended two Eastern Pilgrim College Board of Directors Meetings, the Church Leaders Conference and the Remembrance Week Lecture Series at the Eastern Pilgrim College. This Spring I have conducted 7 Annual Church Meetings and six board meetings. It was my pleasure to conduct an eight day revival meeting at Covington, Virginia with Rev. Ira Dunn. I have conducted an eight day revival meeting at the Woodlawn Church with Rev. Lester Parks. I have assisted in the building programs at the Yorkshire and National Churches. With a multiplicity of routine and detail matters I have managed to keep busy in the past Conference Year 1959 - 1960. I have performed one wedding ceremony, conducted 5 funerals and made 75 ministerial calls in homes and hospitals.

Respectfully submitted

William R. Dudley  
District Superintendent

"GO YE THEREFORE INTO ALL THE WORLD AND PREACH  
THE GOSPEL TO EVERY CREATURE"

# CAPITAL DISTRICT WORLD OUTREACH





## REPORT OF COMMITTEES

### Report of Auditing Committee

To the members of the Annual Capital District Conference:

Gentlemen:

We, the members of the Auditing Committee, have audited the District Treasurer's books, and have found them to be carefully kept, and properly in order. We would like to take this opportunity to say how much we have appreciated working with Bro. Howard our Treasurer; and for the outstanding job he has done in this capacity. Many thanks to this fine man for a job well done.

Respectfully Submitted:

/s/ D. B. Godsey  
Rev. D. B. Godsey, Chairman

### The Resolution Committee Report

#### Resolution #1

Whereas the month of July and part of August is a particularly busy period for District officials and church pastors, due to the District Camp Meeting over the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of July, followed by at least two weeks of Youth Camp, and

Whereas, personal vacation plans of many people probably conflict with the mid-July camp time, and

Whereas, during the period of the District Camp this area has had heavy and continuous rains following comparatively nice weather in late June consistently for several years past, which probably hinders camp to some extent, therefore

Be it resolved to amend Standing Rule No. 1 of the Conference Rules to read as follows:

"Be it resolved that the annual District Camp Meeting be held over a ten-day period beginning the third Friday of June 1961 being the first year."

### Report of Ways and Means Committee

The Ways and Means presents the following Resolution and recommends its adoption: Resolution #1

Whereas the 1958 General Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church adopted legislation giving the Capital District Conference fully

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organized status by 1962, and requiring this district to begin paying the United Stewardship Fund at the rate of \$2.00 per member the first year (1958-59 Conference year) and increasing \$2.00 per member each year until the full amount of \$8.00 per member to be paid beginning with the fourth year, and

Whereas, a goal of eight (8) new churches during this quadrennium has been established for the Capital District, and

Whereas, although the objectives of Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules are still valid, it seems desirable to adjust the amount of the assessment in view of paragraph 1, above, so that the total amount due from each church will not be unreasonable.

Therefore, be it resolved that the following be substituted for Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules.

Whereas, the Capital District is now required by General Church action to pay the United Stewardship Fund, which will be \$8.00 per member per year after two more years, and

Whereas, new churches must be established on the Capital District and young churches strengthened, and

Whereas, preparation for assuming full responsibilities of an organized district is desirable and will be gained in this manner,

Therefore, be it resolved that each church of the Capital District shall pay \$8.00 per member per year to be designated as the United Stewardship Fund offering. Be it resolved, also, that the District Treasurer shall use these funds, first, to pay the annual United Stewardship Fund assessment to the General Church Headquarters, and then shall credit the remainder, if any, to the District Church Extension Fund for use in furthering Home Mission projects in the Capital District, and

Be it further resolved that 50% of the United Stewardship Fund be forwarded by each church treasurer to the District Treasurer within the first 90 days after Conference and that the balance be due and payable six months after the Conference date. In any event, the full amount of this offering to be paid in full by January 30th of each Conference year, and

Be it resolved further that a semi-annual conference meeting be held each fall to review District progress and arrange plans for the future gains of our Church.

The Ways and Means Committee presents the following resolutions and recommends their adoption: Resolution #2

Whereas the churches of this district, with the exception of the National Pilgrim Church, have not adopted the Eastern Pilgrim College school budget as recommended in Ways and Means Resolution No. VI of the Conference Rules, and

Report of Ways and Means Committee (Cont'd)

Whereas, during the visit of the Eastern Pilgrim College choir in April members of the various congregations individually pledged an equivalent amount (approximately \$800 to \$1000) to be paid to the college for furnishing student dormitories, which indicates a desire to support the college and an acceptable method of supporting it, therefore

Be it resolved that the following be substituted for the last three (3) paragraphs of Ways and Means Resolution No. VI of the Conference Rules:

"Be it resolved that the Capital District Conference include in its annual budget an item of \$800.00 for the support of Eastern Pilgrim College.

Be it further resolved that this item is to be met by voluntary pledges made by individuals or by groups in the churches of the District during two (2) visits by the Choir of Eastern Pilgrim College to this District during the year, said visits to be at times and places arranged by the Capital District Council and the officials of Eastern Pilgrim College."

Resolution #3

Whereas the estimated budget for the new conference year, which was included as part of the Treasurer's report, has shown that the District administration fund will have a deficit of about \$500.00 during the next year in addition to the present deficit of \$1545 unless additional funds are provided, therefore

Be it resolved that Ways and Means Resolution No. IV of the Conference Rules be revised to read as follows:

"Be it resolved that 50% of the tithe of each minister of the Capital District Conference, either ordained or licensed, shall be sent by his church treasurer or by the minister himself to the district treasurer each month for use in defraying expenses of district administration."

Ways and Means Committee

/s/ E. L. Howard, Chairman  
E. L. Howard, Chairman

Report of the Educational and Examining Committee

To our Distinguished General Superintendent, our beloved General Secretary, and the Conference of 1960.

Greetings in the Name of Christ.

Report of the Educational and Examining Committee (Cont'd)

The Educational and Examination Board of the Capital District Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church is as follows:

Candidated for Ordination

Rev. Miles Bennett  
Rev. Dennis Godsey

Candidates to receive first year District License

Rev. Elmer Drury  
Rev. J. P. Lape  
Rev. Arthur Knowles

Re-issue of District License

Rev. C. J. O'Donnell  
Rev. J. D. Pence  
Rev. Lee Pickett  
Rev. Norman Wilson  
Rev. J. P. York

Ordained Deaconesses

Mrs. Mary Dudley  
Mrs. Ruth Evans  
Mrs. Mabel Weir

DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT  
11 May 1959 - 10 May 1960

Cash balance brought forward:

Dist. Administration Fund (overdraft)	\$ 560.49
Dist. Revolving Fund	1105.12
Dist. Camp Fund	9.77
Dist. Church Extension Fund	257.05
Superintendent's Account	49.37
McLean Account (overdraft)	16.70

Net Cash Balance

\$ 844.12

RECEIPTS:

Offerings and Pledges:

Dist. Budget	2295.49
Pastor's Tithe Offering	1004.95
Dist. Camp Pledges	1138.20
Dist. Camp Receipts	696.14

Other Receipts:

Rent from Camp Property & Refunds	444.03
Rent from McLean Property	1027.76
Offerings from District Meetings	517.40
Dist. Allocation from Headquarters	11200.00
Reimbursed Items	562.83
Miscellaneous	21.00
Loan for Yorkshire Church	5400.00
Loan Payments	2682.03

26,145.71

Designated Funds:

United Stewardship Fund	732.00
Church Extension, General	983.90
Church Extension, District	380.00
Foreign Missions, General	1013.90
Sunday School and Youth, General	72.84
Eastern Pilgrim College	202.45
Owosso College Choir	47.66
Love Offering for T. M. Weir	123.50

3556.25

Total Cash Available

\$ 31390.20

# DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CON'T.

## EXPENDITURES

### District Expenditures:

Superintendent's support	\$ 3427.95
" auto expense	550.00
District Parsonage, Rent	1635.00
Utilities, Dist. Parsonage	740.01
Office Supplies, Equip. & Services	1117.40
Moving Expenses	254.05
Dist. Camp Property, Payments	1235.52
Dist. Camp Expenses	676.74
Indoor Camp Expenses	319.05
Other Dist. Meeting Expenses	149.44
Miscellaneous	157.85
Property (lot) for Dist. Parsonage	1500.00
Payments on Loans and Interest	1650.00

\$ 13413.01

### Other Expenditures:

Foreign Missions Dept. (Headquarters)	1013.90
Church Extension Dept. "	983.90
United Stewardship Fund "	1124.04
S. S. & Youth Dept. "	72.84
Eastern Pilgrim College	202.45
Owosso College Choir	47.66
Love Offering for Rev. & Mrs. T. M. Weir	123.50
McLean Property Payments & Maint.	1161.45
Reimbursed Bills	834.25

5563.99

### Loans:

Yorkshire	6400.00
National	2500.00
N. College Park	574.11
Damascus	260.94

9735.05

Total Expenditures

28712.05

## CASH BALANCES:

Administration Fund (overdraft)	1544.90
District Revolving Fund	3177.69
District Camp Fund	375.88
District Church Extension Fund	1732.85
McLean Account (overdraft)	150.39
<i>Designated Offering Overdraft</i>	<u>392.60</u>

Net Cash Balance

\$ 3199.09

## NOTE OUTSTANDING:

\$ 2500.00

## LOANS OUTSTANDING:(Dist. Church Exten. Fund)

Damascus	5256.71
National	2500.00
N. College Park	4442.08
Yorkshire	1000.00

Total Loans

\$ 13198.79

# DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CON'T.

## Receipts from Churches

District Budget	Alex.	Fl.Mem.	Foster	Nat'l.	N.Col.Pk.	Woodln.	York.	Cm.Vly.	T.T.V.	D.Supt. &Others	Totals
May	61.83	37.62	19.17	64.67	28.22		29.15				
June	53.48	26.05	18.11	31.00	21.49		19.21				
July	47.61	21.85	14.14	48.54	19.98		20.05				
Aug.	53.14	25.73	18.85	63.75	19.14		25.00				
Sept.	35.51	29.07	15.09	44.46	17.61		23.90				
Oct.	38.55	24.57	19.16	46.58	24.17		25.45				
Nov.	53.92	31.53	25.01	62.12	25.53		31.68				
Dec.	47.38	30.23	20.84	51.58	21.82		33.74				
Jan.	59.76	30.44	19.54	76.09	22.95		29.00				
Feb.	28.15	25.16	10.23	60.97	14.90		24.55				
Mar.	39.06	22.72	10.49	56.13	15.93		23.87				
Apr.	20.00	22.77	16.23	42.65	12.88		43.74				
	538.39	327.74	206.86	648.54	244.62		329.34				2295.49
Pastor's Offering	52.50	48.20	25.00	87.50	10.00		83.75	69.00	165.00	464.00	1004.95
United St. Fund	135.00	108.00	50.00	220.00	52.00	37.00	120.00	10.00			732.00
Dist.Ch.Exten.		108.00		220.00	52.00						380.00
Ch.Exten.Dept.	20.50	76.03	50.00	290.00	18.35	35.00		28.00	373.42	92.60	983.90
F. Mission Dept.	204.46	370.07		168.32	104.49	63.69	38.62			64.25	1013.90
S.S.&Youth Dept.	29.84	20.42		22.58							72.84
E. P. College	15.30	4.15		158.00			25.00				202.45
Totals	995.99	1062.61	331.86	1814.94	481.46	135.69	596.71	107.00	538.42	620.85	6685.53

DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CON'T.

REPORT ON DISTRICT REVOLVING FUND:

Cash balance 11 May 1959		\$ 1105.12
Loans outstanding 11 May 1959	\$ 1295.77	
Receipts during year:		
District Budget	655.86	
Loan Payments	1295.77	
Interest on Loan	120.94	
	<hr/>	2072.57
Cash balance 11 May 1960		3177.69

REPORT ON DISTRICT CAMP FUND:

Balance, 11 May 1959		9.77
<u>Receipts during year:</u>		
District Camp Receipts	696.14	
Camp Pledges	1138.20	
Rent from Camp Property	355.00	
Refunds (tax, insurance, etc.)	89.03	
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Total Receipts		2278.37
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Cash Available		2288.14
<u>Expenditures during year:</u>		
Payments on property	1235.52	
Camp expenses	676.74	
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Total Expenditures		1912.26
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<u>Cash balance</u>		375.88
<u>Balance due on mortgage</u>		5417.47



# DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CON'T.

Estimated District Budget, 1960-61 Conf. Year

## Expenditures:

### From District Receipts:

Dist. Parsonage rent or payments	\$ 1800.00	
Superintendent's auto expense	600.00	
Utilities	750.00	
Office Expense	200.00	
Moving Costs (Supt.)	150.00	
Indoor Camp & other Dist. Meet. Exp.	400.00	
District Camp Payments	1235.00	
Camp Expense	500.00	
McLean Property Payments & Maint.	1100.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses	150.00	
Revolving Fund	<u>700.00</u>	
		\$ 7585.00

### Designated Funds:

United Stewardship Fund	1800.00	
District Church Extension	600.00	
Church Extension	1000.00	
Foreign Missions	1000.00	
Eastern Pilgrim College	800.00	
Sunday School & Youth	<u>150.00</u>	
		5350.00
		<u>12935.00</u>

### From District Allocation:

Superintendent's Support	3600.00	
Dist. Parsonage, Down Payment	3000.00	
Dist. Church Extension	<u>5400.00</u>	
		12000.00
Total Budget		24935.00

## Sources of Income:

### District Receipts:

District Budget	\$ 2500.00	
Pastors' Offerings	1250.00	
Offerings from Dist. Meetings	500.00	
Camp Offerings	500.00	
Camp Pledges	1235.00	
Rent from McLean Property	<u>1116.00</u>	
		7581.00
United Stewardship Fund	2400.00	
Church Extension Offerings	1000.00	
Foreign Missions Offerings	1000.00	
S. S. & Youth (Rally Day Offerings)	150.00	
Eastern Pilgrim College	<u>800.00</u>	
		5350.00
Total District Receipts		12931.00

Allocation to District, from Headquarters 12000.00

Total Income, Estimated 24931.00

## REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY

The District Superintendent is very close to the true picture of our Sunday Schools and has made reference to the favorable gains made by our Sunday Schools. All pastors, Sunday School superintendents, teachers, and other workers are to be commended for their part in making this a year that has brought God glory and put blessings in the hearts of adults and children alike for now and eternity.

In February, a workshop was held. Rev. Kraus and his workers presented ideas, materials, and techniques that they had gained from their attendance at the N. S. S. A. Convention in Atlanta, Georgia. The workshop was attended by a good number of Sunday School workers from across the district who returned to their churches determined to meet the challenge as made dear at the meeting.

The Capital District is in one of the world's richest harvest fields. Unprecedented population growth is taking place within the district. Everywhere, opportunities are presenting themselves for Sunday School growth. Our future has never appeared more challenging.

## DISTRICT CAMP REPORT

The 1959 District Camp was held July 10th through July 19th at the District Camp Grounds at Franconia, Virginia.

The Evangelist was Rev. W. A. Massey, Superintendent of Virginia District of Pilgrim Holiness Church. Our Song Evangelist was Rev. J. W. Kraus.

Night after night souls sought Christ for regeneration and sanctification. Many others moved closer to Christ in their Christian experience.

The song service and special singing was a real inspiration and a blessing to those in attendance. We had the best attendance since the founding of the Camp and some nights many stood on the outside for lack of room in the sanctuary.

We enjoyed the fullest cooperation of the officers, Pastors, and Laymen of the District. I count it a privilege to have such an excellent group to work with.

God helped us with the finances, and once again we have been able to meet all obligation. To God be all the praise.

We are now studying the possibility of erecting a permanent sanctuary in the near future.

The 1960 Camp will be held at the Camp grounds July 8th through July 17th with Dr. Otho Jennings as Evangelist. Rev. Kraus will be the song evangelist.

Dates to remember: Camp planning meeting, Alexandria First Church June 21st, 8:00 P.M. All pastors.

Work day will be June 25th, 8:00 A.M., pastors and laymen.

Tent will be erected, July 6th.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles W. Beach  
Camp President

## CAPITAL DISTRICT PILGRIM YOUTH REPORT - 1960

During this past year we have experienced one of the most rewarding years in the youth department of our district.

The year opened with the Youth Camp at Lake Sherando, a great success in both attendance and finance. We had three weeks of camp;

Junior attendance - 125  
Senior attendance - 82  
Family attendance - 27

This gave a total of 234. Our total receipts were \$3,267.87 with expenditures of \$2,827.77 leaving a balance of \$440.10. This balance has enabled us to repair our buses and sponsor district Youth programs throughout the year. These expenses have amounted to \$426.76 leaving a present balance of \$13.34.

We have had bi-monthly rallies with Rev. J. R. Mitchell, Rev. & Mrs. Kenneth Masterman, and Mr. Wallace Jones the gospel ventriloquist and the Eastern Pilgrim College Choir. We had a New Year's Banquet and Watch Night Service with Rev. Carl Hall as speaker and the Sheets duet as special singers. The average attendance for each of these rallies and banquet was 300. The Temple Trailer church is to be commended for her fine attendance with the Yorkshire church taking second place honors.

A Junior-Senior banquet was held at Evans Restaurant honoring the Juniors and Seniors of our district.

We feel that this has been a wonderful year for youth and trust that God will continue to add His blessing on our young people this coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

Don Pence  
Dennis Godsey  
Youth Directors

SUNDAY SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley (Unorganized)	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
Cash brought forward	55.48		462.99		12.12	107.72
Total offerings	965.96		412.45	116.14	654.22	345.68
Total cash available	1,020.44		875.44	116.14	666.43	453.40
Utilities	449.37					34.30
Improvements	86.82		146.80			
Maintenance			2.70			
Advertising	30.00		9.45			49.70
Promotional Activities (supplies)	367.46		208.39	49.48	212.73	117.65
Miscellaneous Items	77.71		139.07	39.00		
Benevolence						63.34
Transfers	8.44				453.70	
Total local expenditures	1,019.80		506.41	88.48	666.43	264.99
District Budget			26.05			
Total District Expenditures			26.05			
Foreign Missions Special			20.27			
Youth & S. S. Special			20.42			
Total General Expenditures			40.69			
Grand Total all expenditures	1,019.80		573.15	88.48	666.43	264.99
Balance on Hand	1.64		302.29	27.66		188.41

SUNDAY SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Temple Trailer (Unorganized)	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
Cash brought forward		34.76	144.74		817.81
Total offerings		410.55	995.46	685.64	4,586.10
Total cash available		445.31	1,140.20	685.64	5,403.00
Utilities					483.67
Improvements			386.11		619.73
Maintenance					2.70
Advertising			28.18		117.33
Promotional		332.10	259.36	407.15	1,954.32
Activities (supplies)					
Miscellaneous Items			143.78		399.56
Benevolence			10.25		73.59
Transfers		113.21		278.49	853.84
Total local expenditures		445.31	827.68	685.64	4,504.74
District Budget			67.79		93.84
Total District Expenditures			67.79		93.84
Foreign Missions					20.27
Special					
Youth & S. S.					
Special			22.58		43.00
Total General Expenditures			22.58		63.27
Grand Total all Expenditures		445.31	918.05	685.64	4,661.85
Balance on Hand			222.15		742.15

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
Teachers and Officers	13	9	12	5	11	8
Active Enrollments	152	72	74	43	72	50
Cradle Roll	10		12			
Home Departments	21					
Average Weekly Attendance						
Last Report	88	80	74	38	73	56
This Report	126	63	65	33	70	55
Gain	38					
Loss		17	11	5	3	1
Number of Sessions	51	51	51	51	51	49
Number of Scholars						1
Joined Church						
D.V.B.S. Sessions						5
Enrollment						60
Average Attendance						43

YOUNG PEOPLE SOCIETY STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

Membership Last Report	51
Present Membership	
Active	13
Associate	26
Honorary	9
Total Membership	48
Gain	2
Loss	5
Number of Meetings Held	41
Average Attendance	26

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Temple Trailer	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
Teachers and Officers	14	10	12	12	103
Active Enrollments	125	62	90	138	878
Cradle Roll		1	13		36
Home Departments					21
Average Weekly Attendance					
Last Report	102	56	58	96	721
This Report	110	46	70	125	763
Gain	8		12	29	87
Loss		10			47
Number of Sessions		51	51	50	456
Number of Scholars			5	10	16
Joined Church					
D.V.B.S. Sessions		8		10	23
Enrollment		80		170	310
Average Attendance		77		121	241

YOUNG PEOPLE SOCIETY STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

Membership Last Report	28	79
Present Membership		
Active	13	26
Associate		26
Honorary		9
Total Membership	13	61
Gain		2
Loss	5	10
Number of Meetings Held		41
Average Attendance	12	38



YOUNG PEOPLES SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Floor Memorial	Total
Cash brought forward	23.89	23.89
Total offerings	54.84	54.84
Total cash available	78.73	78.73
Miscellaneous Items	20.54	20.54
Total local expenditures	20.54	20.54
District Budget	3.85	3.85
Total District expenditures	3.85	3.85
Grand Total all expenditures	24.39	24.39
Balance on Hand	54.34	54.34

There is no Young Peoples Society Financial Report for the following churches: Alexandria, Cameron Valley, Damascus, College Park, Franconia, Temple Trailer, Woodlawn, National, and Yorkshire.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Floor Memorial	College Park	Franconia	Wood- lawn	National	Total
Membership	18		12	12	16	13	71
Last Report							
Active Members	20	22		15	11	23	91
Associate	4	3					7
Members							
Total Member-	24	25	12	15	11	23	110
ship							
Gain	6	25		3		10	44
Loss					5		5
Number Meetings	11	11	7	10	12	12	63
Held							
Average Attend-	11	11	6	9	9	16	62
ance							

MISSIONARY SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

Cash brought	31.04		21.56		52.60
forward					
Total offer-	299.09	240.66	107.50		647.25
ings					
Total cash	330.13	240.66	129.06		699.85
available					
Evangelist &			60.76		60.76
other workers					
Promotional			22.00		22.00
activities					
Miscellaneous		69.42	22.65		92.07
Items					
Total local ex-		69.42	105.41		174.83
penditures					
Foreign	304.66	142.10			446.76
Missions Special					
Total General	304.66	142.10			446.76
expenditures					
Grand Total	304.66	211.52	105.41		621.59
all expenditures					
Balance on	25.47	29.14	23.65		78.26
Hand					

There is no Missionary Society Statistical and Financial Reports for the following churches: Cameron Valley, Damascus, Temple Trailer and Yorkshire.

CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley (Unorganized)	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
Cash brought forward	106.75		1,551.78	-39.42	585.37	671.58
Total Offerings	8,040.20		5,078.80	1,319.44	5,368.33	2,813.72
Other income						288.42
Receipts by Loan	5,016.53					
Transfers	699.30				453.70	
Total cash available	13,862.78		6,630.58	1,280.02	6,407.40	3,773.72
Utilities	499.40		852.00		768.77	605.31
Pastors Salary	2,185.00		1,325.00			1,040.00
Rents				470.00	247.50	1,111.00
Interest						
Indebtedness (Notes & Mort.)	8,527.75		1,728.00	700.00	4,044.77	
Improvements	401.59		578.34			12.00
Maintenance	340.67		24.55		173.78	
Evangelist & other workers	180.00				30.00	140.00
Advertising	36.82				93.73	17.12
Insurance & Taxes				204.03	344.78	77.00
Miscellaneous Items	690.10		542.27	7.38	29.19	25.00
Benevolence			113.46		54.95	98.42
Transfers	22.00					
Total Local expenditures	12,883.24		5,164.48	1,381.41	5,787.47	3,125.85
District Budget	527.83		297.85		251.34	147.83
District Home Missions						
Pastors Assessment	56.35		48.20			
E. P. C.	15.30		14.22			
Total District Expenditures	599.48		360.27		251.34	147.83
United Stewardship Fund	135.00		216.00			50.00
Church Extension Special	20.50		76.03			50.00
Foreign Missions Special	204.46		280.30		104.49	
Youth & S. S. Special						
Total General Ex- penditures	359.96		572.33		104.49	100.00
Grand Total All Expenditures	13,842.68		6,097.08	1,381.41	6,143.30	3,373.68
Balance on Hand	20.10		533.50	-101.39	264.10	400.04

CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Temple Trailer (Unorganized)	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
Cash brought forward	31.38	2,479.65	223.81	5,610.90	
Total Offerings	3,248.45	9,257.45	4,230.04	39,356.43	
Other Income	86.19	3,070.94	736.57	4,182.12	
Receipts by Loan		24,383.25		29,399.78	
Transfers	113.21		278.49	1,544.70	
Total Cash available	3,416.47	39,191.29	5,468.91	80,031.17	
Utilities	702.12	734.90		4,162.50	
Pastors Salary		3,640.00	1,905.00	10,095.00	
Rents		565.00		2,393.50	
Interest					
Indebtedness (Notes & Mort.)	2,223.40	28,546.36	1,269.80	47,040.08	
Improvements	14.28	254.30		1,260.51	
Maintenance		260.00	536.33	1,335.33	
Evangelist & other workers	25.00	40.00	335.75	750.70	
Advertising		19.48	191.30	358.45	
Insurance & Taxes	72.22	161.88		859.91	
Miscellaneous Items	195.38	393.16	474.05	2,356.53	
Benevolence		45.00		311.83	
Transfers				22.00	
Total Local Expenditures	3,232.40	34,660.08	4,712.23	70,947.16	
District Budget		581.37	402.97	2,209.19	
District Home Missions	155.00	208.00		363.00	
Pastors Assessment	165.00	84.00		353.55	
E. P. C.	5.00	160.00	25.00	219.52	
Total District Expenditures	325.00	1,033.37	427.97	3,145.26	
United Stewardship Fund		37.00	208.00	766.00	
Church Extension Special	373.42	260.00		779.95	
Foreign Missions Special	57.69	176.38		823.32	
Youth & S. S. Special					
Total General Expenditures	373.42	94.69	644.38	2,517.10	
Grand Total all Expenditures	778.42	3,327.09	36,337.83	5,260.20	
Balance on Hand		89.38	2,853.46	208.71	
				4,267.90	

CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley (Unorganized)	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
Members on Roll	78		27		13	25
Last Report						
Additions by Pro- fession of Faith	20		12		4	1
Additions by Trans- fer	5					
Total Additions	25		12		4	
Removals by Letter	27				1	3
Removals by Transfer	5					
Removals by Death	1		1			
Total Removals	34				1	3
Present Membership						
Ordained Ministers	1		3		1	1
Licensed Ministers	1		2			1
Local Ministers					1	
Deaconesses						
Non-assessable Members	8		3			
Total Membership	70		38		16	23
Gain			12		3	
Loss	9		1			2
Probationary Members						
Net Gain			11		3	
Preaching Services	99		102	60	100	102
Church Prayer Meetings	49		51	12	48	41
Cottage Prayer Meetings						
Other Services	14				2	
Total Services	162		153	72	150	143
Number of Revivals	1					1
Number of Advocate Subscriptions	15		23			

CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Temple Trailer	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
Members on Roll Last Report		30	55	42	267
Additions by Profession of Faith			2	10	49
Additions by Transfer			5		10
Total Additions			7	10	58
Removals by Letter		2	5		38
Removals by Transfer		2	6		13
Removals by Death		1	1		4
Total Removals		5	12		55
Present Membership					
Ordained Ministers		2	2		10
Licensed Ministers			1	1	6
Local Ministers					1
Deaconesses		1			1
Non-assessable Members		2			13
Total Membership		25	50	52	274
Gain				10	25
Loss		5	5		22
Probationary Members					
Net Gain				10	24
Preaching Services	101	105	102	98	869
Church Prayer Meetings	50	48	50	48	396
Cottage Prayer Meetings			4		4
Other Services	4	3	4	10	37
Total Services	155	156	160	156	1,307
Number of Revivals		2		1	5
Number of Advocate Subscriptions	4		24		66

SUMMARY OF TOTALS BY DEPARTMENTS  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley (Unorganized)	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
<u>RECEIPTS</u>						
Regular Church	13,862.78		6,630.58	1,280.02	6,407.40	3,773.72
Sunday School	1,020.44		875.44	116.14	660.43	453.40
Youth Society			78.73			
Foreign Missions Society	330.13		240.66			129.06
Grand Total	15,214.35		7,825.41	1,396.16	7,073.83	4,356.18

<u>EXPENDITURES</u>						
Regular Church	13,842.68		6,097.08	1,381.41	6,143.30	3,373.68
Sunday School	1,019.80		517.15	88.48	666.43	264.99
Youth Society			24.39			
Foreign Missions Society	304.66		211.52			105.41
Grand Total	15,167.14		6,906.14	1,469.89	6,809.73	3,844.08

<u>CASH ON HAND</u>						
Regular Church	20.10		533.50	-101.39	264.10	404.04
Sunday School	1.64		302.29	27.66		188.41
Youth Society			54.34			
Foreign Missions Society	25.40		29.14			23.65
Grand Total	47.21		919.27	-73.73	264.10	612.10

	Temple Trailer (Unorganized)	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
<u>RECEIPTS</u>					
Regular Church		3,416.47	39,191.29	5,468.91	80,031.17
Sunday School		445.31	1,140.20	685.64	5,397.00
Youth Society					
Foreign Missions Society					699.85
Grand Total		3,861.78	40,331.49	6,154.55	86,213.75

<u>EXPENDITURES</u>					
Regular Church		3,327.09	36,337.83	5,260.20	75,763.27
Sunday School		445.31	918.05	685.64	4,605.85
Youth Society					24.39
Foreign Missions Society					621.59
Grand Total		3,772.40	37,255.88	5,945.84	81,171.10

<u>CASH ON HAND</u>					
Regular Church		89.38	2,853.46	208.71	4,271.90
Sunday School			222.15		742.15
Youth Society					54.34
Foreign Missions Society					78.19
Grand Total		89.38	3,075.61	208.71	5,196.99

PROPERTY STATEMENT - FISCAL YEAR  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

<u>CHURCHES</u>	<u>VALUE</u>	<u>DEBT</u>	<u>EQUITY</u>
Alexandria			
Church	55,000.00	34,000.00	
Parsonage	30,000.00		
Total	85,000.00	34,000.00	51,000.00
Floor Memorial			
Church	75,000.00	16,650.00	
Total	75,000.00	16,650.00	58,350.00
Damascus			
Parsonage	14,000.00	7,000.00	
Lots			
Total	14,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
College Park			
Church	69,000.00	35,000.00	34,000.00
Parsonage	13,500.00	10,000.00	3,500.00
Lots			
Total	82,500.00	45,000.00	37,500.00
Franconia			
Church	9,000.00		9,000.00
Total	9,000.00		9,000.00
Woodlawn			
Other	2,000.00		2,000.00
Church	23,000.00	12,237.50	10,762.50
Parsonage	15,350.00	12,219.75	3,130.25
Totals	40,350.00	24,457.25	15,892.75
National			
Parsonage	25,000.00	18,000.00	7,000.00
Lots	20,000.00		20,000.00
Other Holdings	24,000.00		24,000.00
Total	69,000.00	18,000.00	51,000.00
Yorkshire			
Church	38,300.00	27,000.00	11,700.00
Parsonage	12,000.00	5,000.00	7,000.00
Total	50,300.00	32,000.00	18,700.00
District Property and Holdings (Pimmit Hills)	15,350.00	10,850.00	4,500.00
District Camp Grounds	10,000.00	5,500.00	4,500.00
Youth Camp Equipment Etc.	1,200.00		1,200.00
Other Holdings	3,500.00		3,500.00
Totals	30,050.00	16,350.00	13,700.00



PASTORS REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Alexandria	Cameron Valley	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
Time on Present Field						
Years					2	2
Months	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	10	9	
Licensed			Yes			Yes
Ordained	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	
Number of Sermons Preached	76	71	71	60	100	75
Number of Prayer Meetings	39	33	38	12	48	41
Number of Com- munion Services	2	1	2		9	2
Number of Funeral Services	2	1	3			
Other Services	3	4				26
Total Services	122	110	114	72	148	143
Pastoral Calls on Members	169				50	75
Pastoral Calls on Non-members	206			100	190	115
Total Pastoral Calls	375	45	175	100	240	190
Revivals Preached Off Field					1	
Number Seeking Re- generation	20	5	5		15	24
Number Seeking Sanctification	21		1			1
Number Decisions by Personal Work	12			1		1
Total Decisions	53	5	6	1	15	26
Number Children Dedicated	1	1	3	2	3	1
Number of Marriages				2		
Pastors Support	2,185.00	450.00	537.50	None	None	1,040.00
Total Cash from Church	2,185.00	450.00	1,075.00			1,040.00
Total Support	2,185.00	450.00	1,075.00			1,040.00
Parsonage Supplied	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Utilities Supplied	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Auto Expense Supplied	No	No	537.50	No	No	No

PASTORS REPORT  
May 1, 1959 to April 30, 1960

	Temple Trailer	Woodlawn	National	Yorkshire	Total
Time on Present Field					
Years	4		4	2	14
Months	7	6	11	1	73½
Licensed				Yes	3
Ordained	Yes	Yes	Yes		7
Number of Sermons Preached	86	60	99	98	796
Number of Prayer Meetings	46	20	50	48	375
Number of Com- munion Services	6	6	11	6	45
Number of Funeral Services	3	1	1	1	12
Other Services	5			3	41
Total Services	144	85	161	156	1,255
Pastoral Calls on Members		5	150		449
Pastoral Calls on Non-members	273	21	105		1,010
Total Pastoral Calls	273	26	255	430	2,109
Revivals Preached off Field					1
Number Seeking re- generation	23	3		138	233
Number Seeking Sanctification	1			42	66
Number Decisions by Personal Work	1	2			17
Total Decisions	25	5		180	316
Number Children Dedicated	9		4	2	26
Number of Marriages	5			9	16
Pastors Support			3,640.00	1,905.00	9,750.50
Total Cash from Church	1,560.00		3,640.00	1,905.00	14,497.75
Total Support			3,640.00	1,905.00	12,937.75
Parsonage Supplied	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Utilities Supplied	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Auto Expense Supplied	1,560.00	No	No	No	2,097.50

GRAND TOTAL

	<u>VALUE</u>	<u>DEBT</u>	<u>EQUITY</u>
Churches	269,300.00	124,887.50	144,412.50
Parsonages	109,850.00	52,219.75	57,630.25
Camp Grounds	10,000.00	5,500.00	4,500.00
Other Holdings	44,850.00	10,850.00	34,000.00
Lots	20,000.00		20,000.00
Youth Camp Equipment	1,200.00		1,200.00
Grand Total	455,200.00	193,457.25	261,742.75

COMPARATIVE GRAND TOTALS FOR YEARS 1957, 1958, 1959 and 1960

	<u>VALUE</u>	<u>DEBT</u>	<u>EQUITY</u>	<u>VALUE</u>	<u>DEBT</u>	<u>EQUITY</u>
1957	243,500.00	126,159.09	117,340.91			
1958	327,150.00	163,675.22	193,474.78	83,650.00	37,516.13	76,133.87
1959	406,900.00	164,807.25	242,092.75	79,750.00	1,132.03	48,617.97
1960	455,200.00	193,457.25	261,742.75	48,300.00	28,650.00	19,650.00

## CONFERENCE RULES

### Ways and Means Resolutions

#### I

Be it resolved that the District Budget be raised as follows:

1. Each church in the District shall pay to the District Treasurer 7% of all offerings received by the church except those offerings designated for a specific purpose or activity (other than local church) such as: Missions, Church Extension, S. S. Extension (Rally Day), Colleges, and District projects.
2. All regular offerings of the church such as: tithes, building fund, S. S. and young people's offerings shall be subject to this assessment.
3. Two sevenths (2/7) of this budget shall be credited by the District Treasurer to the District Resolving Fund.
4. The remainder of the budget shall be credited to the District Administration Fund for use as required for District Administration.
5. All offerings received at District Rallies, Conferences and other meetings shall be credited to the District Administration Fund unless otherwise specifically designated or directed by the District Council.
6. The District Budget shall be paid to the District Treasurer by the 10th day of the following month.

#### II

Be it resolved that all loans made to individual churches from the District Revolving Fund shall be repaid with interest at the rate of 6% per annum. The interest shall be due and payable annually on the anniversary date of the loan.

#### III

Whereas, the Manual of the Pilgrim Holiness Church provides for bi-annual visits by the District Superintendent to each church, Be it resolved that at these visits to the churches a plate offering shall be taken and given to the District Superintendent as a love offering.

#### IV

Be it resolved that 50% of the tithe of each minister of the Capital District Conference, either ordained or licensed, shall be sent by his church treasurer or by the minister himself to the district treasurer each month for use in defraying expenses of district administration.

#### V

The Ways and Means Committee presents the following resolutions and recommends their adoption:

Conference Rules (Cont'd)

Whereas, the 1958 General Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church adopted legislation giving the Capital District Conference fully organized status by 1962, and requiring this district to begin paying the United Stewardship Fund at the rate of \$2.00 per member the first year (1958-59 Conference year) and increasing \$2.00 per member each year until the full amount of \$8.00 per member to be paid beginning with the fourth year, and

Whereas, a goal of eight (8) new churches during this quadrennium has been established for the Capital District, and

Whereas, although the objectives of Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules are still valid, it seems desirable to adjust the amount of the assessment in view of paragraph 1; above, so that the total amount due from each church will not be unreasonable.

Therefore, be it resolved that the following be substituted for Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules.

Whereas, the Capital District is now required by General Church action to pay the United Stewardship Fund, which will be \$8.00 per member per year after two more years, and

Whereas, new churches must be established on the Capital District and young churches strengthened, and

Whereas, preparation for assuming full responsibilities of an organized district is desirable and will be gained in this manner,

Therefore, be it resolved that each church of the Capital District shall pay \$8.00 per member per year to be designated as the United Stewardship Fund Offering.

Be it resolved, also, that the District Treasurer shall use these funds, first, to pay the annual United Stewardship Fund assessment to the General Church Headquarters, and then shall credit the remainder, if any, to the District Church Extension Fund for use in furthering Home Mission projects in the Capital District, and

Be it further resolved that 50% of the United Stewardship Fund be forwarded by each church treasurer to the District Treasurer within the first 90 days after Conference and that the balance be due and payable six months after the Conference date. In any event, the full amount of this offering to be paid in full by January 30th of each Conference year, and

Be it resolved further that a semi-annual conference meeting be held each fall to review District progress and arrange plans for the future gains of our Church.

VI

Whereas christian education, with the facilities therefor, is one of the most important foundation stones of a free and democratic nation, exemplified by our United States of America, and

Conference Rules (Cont'd)

Whereas, the Capital District is part of the Eastern School Zone (of the Pilgrim Church) which is charged with the responsibility for supporting and promoting the interests and well-being of E.P.C. in return for the privilege of having our children and Pilgrim young people given a guarded christian education there, and

Whereas, E.P.C. merits the wholehearted support and prayers of every christian in the Eastern School Zone in consideration of (a) the self-sacrificing devotion to God's work and to the Pilgrim work of the College President and his administrative and teaching staffs, (b) the high educational and christian standards of the college (c) the great building program presently ~~underway~~ at the College to enable it to meet the demands of additional students in the next few years, and (d) the efforts of the E.P.C. Administration to continue to give the best education at the least possible cost to the student and

Whereas, other districts of the Eastern School Zone under Resolutions adopted by the individual districts now support E.P.C. by means of a small levy of 25¢ per member per month.

Be it resolved that the Capital District Conference include in its annual budget an item of \$800.00 for the support of Eastern Pilgrim College.

Be it further resolved that this item is to be met by voluntary pledges made by individuals or by groups in the churches of the District during two (2) visits by the Choir of E.P.C. to this District during the year, said visits to be at times and places arranged by the Capital District Council and the officials of Eastern Pilgrim College.

## STANDING RULES

### TIME OF DISTRICT CAMP

Whereas the month of July and part of August is a particularly busy period for District officials and church pastors, due to the District Camp Meeting over the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of July, followed by at least two weeks of Youth Camp, and

Whereas personal vacation plans of many people probably conflict with the mid-July camp time, and

Whereas, during the period of the District Camp this area has had heavy and continuous rains following comparatively nice weather in late June consistently for several years past, which probably hinders camp to some extent, therefore

Be it resolved to amend Standing Rule No. 1 of the Conference Rules to read as follows:

Be it resolved that the annual District Camp Meeting be held over a ten-day period beginning the third Friday of June 1961 being the first year.

### PASTOR'S VACATION

Each church is encouraged to give their pastor a two-week vacation.

### WORK PROGRAM FOR DISTRICT CAMP GROUNDS

The District Council shall determine the number of man hours required to prepare the grounds for camp meeting and that each year the Council requests each church to supply an equal share of man hours to complete the work.

### DISTRICT YOUTH PROGRAM

Whereas the Youth Program of the Capital District is rapidly growing in size and importance, be it therefore resolved that upon the calling of the Superintendent, each pastor will make himself available for service during Youth Camp and that every pastor arrange his schedule so as to be available during the week of Pilgrim Youth Camp. The date of the Youth Camp is to be set one year in advance.

## GENERAL RESOLUTIONS

### TIME OF DISTRICT YOUTH MEETINGS

Whereas the local church program many times conflicts with the District Program and whereas each pastor is urged to support and promote every District function: Be it therefore, resolved that the third Friday of every other month, starting in September, be reserved for District Youth Rallies and functions. This is subject to change if conflicts should arise.

### DISTRICT MINUTES

Be it resolved that the Editing Committee meet and have its work completed by June 30th of each year.

## General Resolutions (Cont'd)

### EDUCATIONAL AND EXAMINING BOARD

Be it resolved that the third year appointee of said Board be and hereby is appointed Chairman of said Board.

### PILGRIM PENSION PLAN, INC.

Whereas the General Board of the Pilgrim Holiness Church as authorized the Pilgrim Pension Plan, Inc. to make loans of Pension Funds to local P. H. Churches under such conditions as require active participation on the part of P. H. Districts, therefore, Be it resolved by the annual Conference of this District that the District Council, District Trustees and all District officials be, and they are hereby, authorized to do and perform any and all acts required of them in the consumation of authorized loans to local P. H. Churches of this District, subject, however, to the limitation and conditions set out in said Resolution of the General Board of the P. H. Church authorizing said loans.  
(Adopted)

### REPORT OF THE RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Whereas complete recognition is a good thing for work done in our District, therefore, be it resolved that the holders of local Preachers License be listed in the District Directory under the heading of Local Ministers.

Whereas the month of July and part of August is a particularly busy period for District officials and church pastors, due to the District Camp Meeting over the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of July, followed by at least two weeks of Youth Camp, and

Whereas personal vacation plans of many people probably conflict with the mid-July camp time, and

Whereas, during the period of the District Camp this area has had heavy and continuous rains following comparatively nice weather in late June consistently for several years past, which probably hinders camp to some extent, therefore

Be it resolved to amend Standing Rule No. 1 of the Conference Rules to read as follows:

Be it resolved that the annual District Camp Meeting be held over a ten-day period beginning the third Friday of June 1961 being the first year.

### REPORT OF THE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The Ways and Means Committee presents the following resolutions and recommends their adoption:

#### Resolution #1

Whereas the 1958 General Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church adopted legislation giving the Capital District Conference fully organized status by 1962, and requiring this district to begin paying



General Resolutions (Cont'd)

the United Stewardship Fund at the rate of \$2.00 per member the first year (1958-59 Conference year) and increasing \$2.00 per member each year until the full amount of \$8.00 per member to be paid beginning with the fourth year, and

Whereas, a goal of eight (8) new churches during this quadrennium has been established for the Capital District; and

Whereas, although the objectives of Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules are still valid, it seems desirable to adjust the amount of the assessment in view of paragraph 1, above, so that the total amount due from each church will not be unreasonable.

Therefore, be it resolved that the following be substituted for Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules.

Whereas, the Capital District is now required by General Church action to pay the United Stewardship Fund, which will be \$8.00 per member per year after two more years; and

Whereas, new churches must be established on the Capital District and young churches strengthened; and

Whereas, preparation for assuming full responsibilities of an organized district is desirable and will be gained in this manner,

Therefore, be it resolved that each church of the Capital District shall pay \$8.00 per member per year to be designated as the United Stewardship Fund Offering.

Be it resolved, also, that the District Treasurer shall use these funds, first, to pay the annual United Stewardship Fund assessment to the General Church Headquarters, and then shall credit the remainder, if any, to the District Church Extension Fund for use in furthering Home Mission projects in the Capital District, and

Be it further resolved that 50% of the United Stewardship Fund be forwarded by each church treasurer to the District Treasurer within the first 90 days after Conference and that the balance be due and payable six months after the Conference date. In any event, the full amount of this offering to be paid in full by January 30th of each Conference year, and

Be it resolved further that a semi-annual conference meeting be held each fall to review District progress and arrange plans for the future gains of our Church.

Resolution #2

Whereas the churches of this district, with the exception of the National Pilgrim Church, have not adopted the Eastern Pilgrim College school budget as recommended in Ways and Means Resolution No. VI of the Conference Rules, and

General Resolutions (Cont'd)

Whereas, during the visit of the Eastern Pilgrim College Choir in April members of the various congregations individually pledged an equivalent amount (approximately \$800 to \$1000) to be paid to the college for furnishing student dormitories, which indicates a desire to support the college and an acceptable method of supporting it, therefore

Be it resolved that the following be substituted for the last three (3) paragraphs of Ways and Means Resolution No. VI of the Conference Rules:

Be it resolved that the Capital District Conference include in its annual budget an item of \$800.00 for the support of Eastern Pilgrim College.

Be it further resolved that this item is to be met by voluntary pledges made by individuals or by groups in the churches of the District during two (2) visits by the Choir of E.P.C. to this District during the year, said visits to be at times and places arranged by the Capital District Council and the officials of Eastern Pilgrim College.

Resolution #3

Whereas the estimated budget for the new conference year, which was included as part of the treasurer's report, has shown that the District administration fund will have a deficit of about \$500.00 during the next year in addition to the present deficit of \$1,545.00 unless additional funds are provided, therefore

Be it resolved that Ways and Means Resolution No. IV of the Conference Rules be revised to read as follows:

Be it resolved that 50% of the tithe of each minister of the Capital District Conference, either ordained or licensed, shall be sent by his church treasurer or by the minister himself to the district treasurer each month for use in defraying expenses of district administration.