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MAY 30, 1961

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REV. J. W. KRAUS - DISTRICT SECRETARY

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### DISTRICT CALENDAR

District ConferenceMay 30th - 31stDistrict CampJune 16th - 25thSr. Youth CampJuly 24th - 29thJr. Youth CampJuly 31st - August 5th

7004 Catlett St., Springfield, Va.

# CAPITAL DISTRICT CAMP COMMITTEE

C. W. Beach, President J. D. Pence, Secretary E. L. Howard, Treasurer Dennis Godsey, Promotion

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CHURCHES	PASTOR	ADDRESS
Braddock Hills Pilgrim	R. L. Adams	6704 Braddock Rd., Annandale, Va.
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.
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.
Pimmit Hills (Unorganized)	A, P. Lape	504 Lisle Ave. Falls Church, Va.
Temple (Unorganized)	C. W. Beach	Temple Trailer Court, Alexandria, Va.
Woodlawn Pilgrim	Lester Parks	69th & Greenvale Pkwy. Hyattsville, Md.
Yorkshire Pilgrim	Dennis Godsey	East Rugby Rd., Yorkshire Acres, Va.

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Rev. R. C. Hawkins

Mr. R. Evans

DISTRICT COUNCIL

District SuperintendentRev. W. R. BudleyDistrict SecretaryRev. J. W. KrausDistrict TreasurerMr. R. L. CampbellAdvisory MemberMr. E. L. HowardAdvisory MemberRev. C. W. Beach

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Rev.	C.	W.	Beach		2	years
Rev.	J.	W.	Kraus		1	year

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Rev. C. W. Beach	2 years
Mr. R. L. Campbell	l year

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. C. J. O'Donnell

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD

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

YOUTH DIRECTOR

Rev. Elmer Drury

# COMMITTEES

Rev. H. V. Mellott Rev. E. Drury	Rev. Lee Pickett	Ways and Means Rev. W. R. Dudley Mr. E. L. Howard
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### JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The ninth Annual Conference of the Capital District Pilgrim Holiness Church met for its first session at 9:00 A. M., in the new National Pilgrim Church, Hyattsville, Maryland.

The session was called to order by Rev. W. R. <sup>D</sup>udley. Rev. J. D. Pence led the congregation in singing, "I Gave My Life For Thee", and Rev. E. L. Foot lead in the opening prayer. This was followed by a special song, Rev. J. W. Kraus singing "Great is Thy Faithfulness". Rev. Dudley introduced Rev. R. C. Hawkins as the presiding officer of the Conference and he responded with a very inspirational message prior to Communion.

Rev. Hawkins read Matt. 26:26 - 29 and drew for a text, "In Remembrance of Me". The Feast as described in this passage was an observance of the old Passover, but now the Lord institutes a change by saying, as you come to this occasion, "Remember Me".

- I. Remember Me In Retrospection.
  - A. At my suffering and death.
    - 1. It was our sins that crucified Him.
    - 2. He went into eterna 1 night that we might have eternal Day.
    - 3. He became sin that we might become righteousness.
  - B. As willingly giving my life.
    - 1. Nothing of our own merit will win His gift.
    - 2. The best we can do is to fling ourselves at His feet for the use of His will.
- II. Remember Me In Prospection.

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Come to this Communion looking forward.

- A. The purifying hope that is within us of His return.
  - 1. His gathering to drink of the fruit of the vine new with them.
  - 2. Live for the future fulfillment of that hope.
    - a. Our rewards.

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- B. Remember His death and sufferings and live for the present in the anticipation of His return and glories but - - .
- III. Occupy till I come. (Luke 17:19) (Introspection).
  - A... Our business is to keep ourselves fit so that we can do His business until He comes.
  - B. While we live this life, we are the housekeepers of His house. Nothing else is worth while.
  - C. The command to do something until He returns. Come to this Communion pledging yourself to "Occupy until He comes."

Rev. Hawkins a sked Rev. Dudley to assist him with the Communion administration. The entire Conference gathered and knelt together as a united body and the Spirit's visitation was keenly felt as the sacraments were served.

Closing the service, Rev. Dudley reported to Rev. Hawkins as to the readiness of the Conference to proceed with business. Rev. Hawkins accepted the chair, and gave a personal word of thanks to the Conference for its concern and prayer, plus the positive statement of such in a telegram to him, for the serious illness of his wife, and also a recent set-back in his personal health. The report is that both are now on the road to recovery and are trusting God for complete restoration to health.

Rev. Hawkins announced the roll call and the secretary responded. The following were registered as present:

Roll Ministerial Delegates

Beach, C. W. (Council Member) Bennett. Miles Drury, Elmer Dudley, W. R. (Dis't. Supt.) Dudley, Mary L. (Deaconess) -5-

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Foot, E. L. Foster, John Godsey, Dennis Knowles, A. E., Jr. Kraus, J. W. (Council Member) Mellott, H. V. Parks, Lester Pence, J. D.

# Lay Delegates

Berry, Moody - Yorkshire Campbell, R. L. - (Council Member) Harris, Edward - Arlington Howard, E. L. - (Council Member) Malloy, Don - Braddock Hills Moroney, Mrs. L. - Alexandria McGehee, Jennie V. - National Pence, Mrs. Carolyn - United Schlegle, Mr. - N. College Park Thornton, Mr. - Woodlawn

# Conference Rules

It was moved that the first 5 rows across the church, plus the platform be considered the Conference bar, and it was adopted.

It was further moved that the hours of the sittings be from 9:00 A. M. until 12:00 noon - with lunch from 12:00 noon until 1:30 P. M., and the second session be from 1:30 P. M. until finished, it was adopted.

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# . New Church and Guest presented

The reception committee, consisting of Rev. Drury and Rev. Bennett, introduced to the presiding officer, Rev. R. L. Adams and a lay delegate Mr. Don Malloy as the pastor and delegate of the newly organized Braddock Hills Pilgrim Church. It was learned that this group was duly organized as a Filgrim Church on April 18, 1961, with 32 adult members. Rev. Hawkins a ccepted them and this report with gratitude and in turn presented them to the Conference, who accepted them and granted the voting seats within the bar.

The reception committee durther presented to the presiding officer and Conference, Mr. Bill Butler. It was noted that he is a ministerial student at Eastern Pilgrim College and also a member of the Yorkshire Pilgrim Church. He gave a word of testimony and was granted an honorary seat within the bar.

# District Superintendent's Report

Rev. Hawkins called for the District Superintendent's report and Rev. W. R. Dudley responded. His report was received with a hearty amen and much Thanksgiving unto God. This report is recorded on page (13) as Report # 1.

The Auditor's report was called for and this committee stated that at the present it was unable to report.

During a time interim the secretary was granted permission to change some printing errors in the minutes.

# Statistician's Report

Rev. Dennis Godsey responded when Rev. Hawkins called for the statisticians report. This report was unanimously accepted with gratitude to God, and may be seen on page (31) as Report # 2.

# Auditor's Report

The auditing committee stated that they were now ready to report, so this was heard and accepted and is known as report # 3 on page ( $l\beta$ ).

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# Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's report was given to the Conference in printed form by Mr. Raymond Ca, pbell, for the Conference to follow as it was read. It appears on page (21) as report # 4. The action of this Conference was to accept the report.

The presiding officer extended the right to the Treasurer to add at a later date the unreported offerings to Eastern Pilgrim College.

# Sunday School Secretary's Report

Due to the absence of Rev. C. J. O'Donnel, the Secretary read the report sent in by Mr. O'Donnel. It appears on page  $(\underline{1}_{2})$  as report # 5.

# Young People's Report

Rev. Hawkins called for the youth report and Rev. J. D. Pence responded, It was received for the records and appears on page (44) as report # 6. Rev. Pence further reported on the coming youth program, July 24th through August 5th., with an appeal to the delegates to help meet the need for teachers and counselors by either volunteering or soliciting other help. Literature for the youth camp was given out with a request to get the registrations in early.

There was no Missionary Report other than what appears in the statistical report.

# Educational & Examining Committee

Rev. Beach read the report of the Educational and Examining Committee on the Re-issue of District Licenses. It appears on page (45) as report # 7.

Due to the close time for adjournment, it was ruled by the chair that we would only hear the resolutions of the Resolution Committee. Rev. Beach read the resolutions. Adjournment of the 1st. session 12:04 P. M.

# Afternoon Session of Business

Rev. Hawkins called the session together promptly at 1:30 P. M., and "R<sub>e</sub>v. J. D. Pence led the Congregation in the hymn, "It Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus." Prayer requests were made for Rev. Foster's mother and Dr. R. G. Flexon.

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Rov. D. B. Godsey led in prayer.

Minutes of the first sitting to be approved by the council.

The Committee on Memoirs reported by Rev. John Foster, that no report was to be made.

Rev. Pence led the Congregation in the singing of "Praise Him, Praise Him." Rev. Hawkins called for the re-reading of the resolutions and for each one to be considered individually. This report is found on page (26) as report # 8.

# Resolutions Report

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Resolutions # 1 - concerned church equipment inventory. This is to become a part of the standing r ules. Adopted.

Resolution # 2 - concerned youth rallies. Move to table for a complete study by a youth council appointed by the District Council to advise on the value of sub-District meetings for alternating months in Maryland one month and Virginia the subsequent month, with a complete District Rally every 6 months. The status quo, however, should exist until replacement is effective. Discussion and final vote held until the Ways and Means <sup>C</sup>ommittee has reported.

# Eastern Pilgrim College

Rev. Melvin Deiter was presented to the presiding officer and Conference by the Reception Committee. Rev. Deiter is the president -elect of Eastern Pilgrim College. <sup>H</sup>e spoke of the position of the school and its program in relationship to the church. <sup>W</sup>ith his word of greeting from the School, he urged us to be an active church in our backing of the School.

Rev. Hawkins had the Conference to stand as a symbol of the acceptance of Rev. Deiter's report, plus a sign of our loyalty and backing to the School and him as he assumes the duties of the Presidency.

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The business of the Resolutions Committee was resumed with the reading of resolution # 3.

This concerned the re-setting of camp dates and was not recommened. It was not adopted.

Resolution # 4 concerned the recess of this Conference and the reconvening on Sept. 29, 1961 at 8:00 P. M., National Pilgrim Church, Hyattsville, Maryland recommended. Adopted.

Resolution # 5 concerned the promptness of ministers monthly reports. Amendment to change the time as stated from six months to two months. Adopted.

Motion to delete this rule and resolution from the printed minutes and insert the policy of the Church Extension Department, Adopted.

# Ways and Means Report

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Rev. Hawkins asked for the report of the Ways and Means Committee and Mr. E. L. Howard responded. It is reported on page (20).

The Ways and Means Committee presents the following resolutions and makes motion for their adoption.

Resolution # 1 concerned the deletion of standing conference rule # 5 - Adopted.

Resolution # 2 concerned the graduated payment of District Budget by newly organized churches. Adopted.

Resolution # 3 concerned the due date and place of payment of District and General funds. Adopted.

Page # 4 of the Treasurer's report and page # 250f the Conference minutes gives the estimated budget. This was discussed and adopted.

# District Camp Report

Rev. Beach gave the camp report of the events of last year and outlines a program of transition, building and progress for the coming year.

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It is recorded on page (28) as report # . It was received with gratitude to God.

It was noted by the chairman of the Conference that provisions for the \$500.00 expense of delegates to the General Conference had no provision and source. So an appeal to each pastor to raise his share was made. However, it was moved that the pro-rating of the expense be referred to the District <sup>C</sup>ouncil and divided according to a church's ability to pay. Adopted.

# Special Privilege:

Motion to have the youth rallies reviewed and that this reviewing be done by the selected youth council, which will also review resolution # 2 as stated in the resolutions report. This report will be ready by August 31, 1961 and reported at the re-convening of the Conference September 29, 1961.

# Election of Officers

Rev. Hawkins announced the elctions and as ballots were being distributed he read the appointments for the coming year:

District Superintendent

W. R. Dudley

District Secretary

J. W. Kraus

District Treasurer

Raymond Campbell

The Conference proceeded to the election of the council advisory members, the results were as follows: Rev. E. L. Howard and Rev. C. W. Beach.

Special Privilege: The following motions were votes by unanimous acclaim-

The motion and second prevailed to re-elect Rev. C. W. Beach to the Board of Education and Examination for a term of two years. Adopted.

The motion and seconded was duly made to re-elect Mr. E. L. Howard to the . District Board of Trustees for a period of 3 years. Adopted. en en site et el site de la constance en la constance en la constance de la constance de la constance de la con

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Ballots were cast for the alternate ministerial delegate it being Rev. Howard  ${}^{\rm M}\!$  ellott.

Prior to voting for the lay delegate, it was moved seconded that the second hightest member be named the alternate lay delegate. Adopted.

Rev. Hawkins asked for announcements and Rev. H. V. Mellott announced that the Alexandria Pilgrim Church will observe its 10th Anniversary on October 22, 1961.

With a few closing remarks by Rev. Hawkins, the meeting was adjour ned with \_prayer by Rev. M. E. Deiter at 4:45 P. M.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. J. W. Kraus (i) A set of the state of t

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TO THE NINTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE CAPITAL DISTRICT CONFERENCE OF THE PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH NOW IN SESSION AT THE NATIONAL PILGRIM CHURCH HYATTSVILLE, MARVLAND, MAY 30, 1961.

Christian greetings:

# IN APPRECIATION

I am sincerely grateful to God for this opportunity afforded me to reflect upon His work in the Capital District! I stand amazed at the wonders God has worked in our midst. Answers to prayer have run in every direction: spiritual, material and physical. All of this has come to pass because faithful ministers and laymen have worked together as a team under the blessing and leadership of God. This causes the clarion notes of the Doxology to swell within my heart for the Father whose good pleasure it is to give the kingdom to His children.

It is our pleasure to have our esteemed General Officrs, and Dr. R. C. Hawkins Secretary of Church Extension with us as the officiating officer of the conference. The ministry of this one man in prayer, timely advise and godly example is greatly appreciated and we look forward with anticipation to His leadership in another year.

I pay special tribute to the retiring President of Eastern Pilgrim College, Dr. R. D. Gunsalus. We appreciate the sacrificial labor of love of the many years of service Dr. Gunsalus has given the school. I find words poor conveyors of the gratitude and appreciation I feel in my heart for this fine man of God. I feel that I speak for us all when I say thank you Dr. Gunsalus for guiding our school through these most important years and doing it so efficiently that the transition in presidents can be made without a hitch.

High on my list of appreciation are the ministers wives. The work that these ladies do is often behind the scene, unobserved and many times just taken for granted. Someone has rightly said, That behind every successful minister there is a good wife. Sincerely ladies we thank you for a job well done.

The ministers of the Capital District are second to none, these men have given sacrificially of themselves. In order to build the house of God these men have taken up the toils of the building trades. They have not only planned with their people for these buildings but have put their hands to the task in the building or construction of these buildings. Ministers of the Capital District I sincerely appreciate your faith, ability, cooperative team work and your determination to stay on the job and see it done, by the help of the Lord, and in spite of the many odds which confront you.

In my visits to the Churches for their annual meetings I have been impressed again with the quality and character of the fine laymen of the Capital District. The sincere concern for the Church expressed by the giving of their means and service to keep it operating is deeply appreciated, My prayer is that God's continued, abundant blessings shall be theirs. We thank you for your interest and cooperation in forwarding God's work.

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## PROGRESS:

The spiritual tone of the Churches is good. This is evident by the lasting results of the efforts put forth by the local church and the District.

The District Camp Meeting at Franconia, Virginia was a time of real spiritual blessing. Dr. Otho Jennings of Wilmore, Kentucky was the evangelist. His timely messages were well received by all and the results were gratifying.

Under the direction of Rev. C. W. Beach the camp president the needs of the camp were supplied. The Camp membership has supplied adequate funds to retire the monthly payments on the camp property.

I just mention the plans for a permanent building on the camp grounds, these plans will be more fully presented later on in the program of the day.

The Indoor Camp Meeting with Rev. Carl N. Hall as the evangelist was a spiritual success. The meeting started in a snow storm but in spite of this the attendance was good and before the week was over the Church was filled to capacity several times. The results around the altar were well worth the effort. In the words of Brother Hall, "this is New Testament work".

The District Youth Meetings have been well attended and have been times of spiritual blessings. Rev. Don Pence, District Youth Director planned and carried out a very profitable program.

As usual the Annual Youth New' Year's Eve Banquet and Watch Night Service was a high spot in the Youth program. It was a delight to have Rev. and Mrs. Weir as our guest. Rev. Weir's message will be remembered along with the scene of so many of our Pilgrims gathered in prayer as the Old Year rang out and the New Year in in our collection of important events.

The District Sunday School Department under the direction of Rev. C. J. O'Donnell has made good progress. The Sunday School in each Church is a real spiritual, teaching arm, and in every case I find that effort is being made to strengthen their forces so as to do a better job at teaching the Gospel.

The Missionary Societies of the District are a thriving spiritual enterprise. Besides being a power in prayer they have ministered to the meeds of the missionary, the native worker, the sick, the lame, the halt, and the spiritually ill of the Foreign Field. When the call has come these societies have rallied to the local and District cause.

The National Church under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. J. W. Kraus have with the erection of their new Church building completed the tremendous task of relocation. Through these tedious times Brother Kraus, who has constantly sought the Will of the Lord, has led his congregation safely along the way and they are now very adequately housed in their new Church home.

A children's choir has been organized under the direction of Rev. C. J. O'Donnell and has added to the effectiveness of the children's department.

The numerical and financial growth and the increase in attendance of the services are graphic illustrations of the spiritual atmosphere of the Church. Brother Kraus and his fine congregation are to be commended for their labor of love.

The Alexandria Church under the direction of their pastor, Rev. H. V. Mellott has enjoyed a year of progress. Besides the regular services of the church a revival was held with Rev. Willis Clock as the evangelist and a Lay Visitation Evangelism Convention was held with Mr. Dick Whipple as the speaker.

In order to increase Sunday School attendance a bus was purchased. Along with the visitation program the bus route has been established and the results have been an increase in attendance.

The statisticians report that this church has made gains in every department; a net gain in Church membership of 11, an average increase in Sunday School attendance of 19, the regular Church offerings were increased by over \$2,000.00. (This places this church in the over \$10,000.00 annual income bracket).

The Church building has been painted on the exterior, the Sunday School class rooms have been redecorated and the parsonage basement has been rearranged to make room for more class room space.

This is the result of pastor and people planning and working as a team with God toward a common goal. Together we commend you.

The Arlington Church under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. Miles Bennett has made goodprogress. Their revival with Rev. Rose Huffman was a time of spiritual blessing. The church has been strengthened by those added to it as a result of this meeting.

The Sunday School rooms have been redecorated and the old part of the building remodeled to make another Sunday School room and a storage room.

The Church has enjoyed a good financial year and there is a good balance in the treasure to begin another year. We commend you for faithfully working at the job.

The Yorkshire Church under the leadership of their pastor Rev. Dennis Godsey were blessed by a good revival with Rev. T. M. Weir as the evangelist. A large number of young people were converted in this meeting and twentyfour of them requested letters to their school that they be excused from the dancing class. Four young men have witnessed to calls to the ministry, and are planning to attend Eastern Pilgrim College. A fine youth choir has been organized.

The Church services have been well attended and the Sunday School attendance has had a phenominal increase.

The Sunday School rooms have been redecorated and asphalt tile has been laid on the floor throughout the Sunday School Department.

We commend you for faithfully working at the job.

The Woodlawn Church under the leadership of Rev. Lester Parks have made a good recovery this year. The Sunday School attendance has been stabilized and an increase in attendance is promising.

The financial picture is most encouraging over a year ago, the year has been finished in the blue with better prospects in the year ahead.

The Woodlawn Church was host to the Indoor Camp Meeting with Rev. Carl N. Hall as the evangelist. This meeting was a blessing to all who attended and we feel that it was a help to the local church. We appreciate the fine hospitality afforded us by Rev. and Mrs. Parks and their congregation.

We commend you for faithfully sticking to the job.

The North College Park Church under the leadership of Rev. Arthur Knowles their pastor have had a year of reorganization. They have not stood still but new plans have been made and they are on the move.

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(4)The Sunday School attendance is up and the teacher methods and materials used are very commendable.

There is a marked interest in the services of the Church and an increase in attendance.

A fine youth choir has been organized and a youth program which meets on Friday evening. This program is in competition with a Teen Club meeting on the same evening. In spite of this the Church Youth meeting has gained in attendance from 4 to 18.

Indicative of the spiritual condition of the Church is the testimony of a man converted in one of the regular services of the Church, "The position I had cherished most and worked for the hardest and had attained suddenly became insignificant when I found Jesus Christ as my Saviour".

We commend you for your faithfulness to God's work.

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The United Church under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. Don Pence has forged ahead in Church and Sunday School attendance. More than once the 72 seats in their church have been filled and people have been standing in the isle and in the back of the church. Sunday School classes have been held out-of-doors when weather has permitted. On Easter Sunday morning there were 150 in attendance. More than 60 people were standing outside the church.

Plans are in hand for the construction of a 60' X 75' Church to house the church and also take care of the District Camp Meetings and other District gatherings.

We commend you for the faithful work you have done for God's work.

I have grouped the unorganized churches together in order to pay special tribute to our Home Missionaries. These ministers and their families have stayed on the job and held the line in the face of overwhelming odds. For many of them the odds have been: lack of funds, inadequate Sunday School Teachers, or total lack of teachers, having to move their place of worship, holding services in the parsonage. Fluctuating Sunday School and Church attendance, no one to play the piano, not to mention loneliness and minor details too numberous to mention here.

Thank God for these dedicated men and their families who out of love for God and His Work have stuck faithfully to the job to make possible the establishing of another lighthouse to point lost humanity to Jesus Christe

Rev. A. P. Lape and his family reopened the Pimmit Hills Church last summer. Mr. John Lucia volunteered his services and took over the Sunday School as its' Superintendant. This new work has averaged between 15 - 20 in its' services.

Rev. Lape is making application for the use of the Pimmit Hills Elementary School for the Sunday morning Sunday School and morning service. The school is located across the street from the parsonage.

We commend these people for faithful service to God and His work.

Rev. John Foster and his congregation have faithfully carried on the work of the Lord at Cameron Valley. They have gathered a good group of people together and their Sunday School had an average attendance of 65 with the Church services well attended. These people worship in a rented hall and Rov. Foster supplies his own parsonage.

We commend these people for their faithful service to the work of God.

Rev. C. W. Beach and his congregation at Temple have consistently done God's work under ever changing conditions. People move in and out of the Village like vacationers and now the Village has been reduced in land area.

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You will notice with interest that the Temple Church has contributed liberally to the District, General Church in Church Extension and Foreign Missions and to Eastern Pigrim College.

Besides financial contributions these people have served on the staff of the Youth Camp, assisted in the preparation of the grounds and erection of the tent for the District Camp Meeting. They have supported the Camp meeting, Youth Rallies and Indoor Camp Meeting in attendance and with their means.

Two of their fine young ladies are attending Eastern Pilgrim College. This Church has influenced a number of families in near by Burghandy Village and it seems possible that a Church can be established there.

We commend this people for their faithfulness to God's work.

Rev. Elmer Drury and his bride took over their duties as pastor of the Damascus Church on June 21, 1960.

In August they were requested to vacate the rented Church in which they held Sunday School and morning worship. This, because there are no available places to rent, made it necessary to hold the services in the parsonage. In spite of this and the severe winter, progress has been made. An average of 34 for Sunday School with the same group for the morning worship service. Plans are in hand and approved for the construction of the first unit of the Church building and work should begin on construction very soon.

We commend this people for their faithful service to the work of the Lord.

It is my happy privilege to welcome into the Conference the new Braddock Hills Pilgrim Church.

Under the guiding hand of Rev. R. Lewis Adams the new Church was organized on the evening of April 18, 1961 with 28 adult members. The charter membership was held open to make it possible for some who could not be present for the organizational meeting to join and now the membership stands at 34.

Rev. Adams was called as their pastor and the following officers were elected: Ray Cadle Sunday School Superintendent, Don. A. Malloy Treasurer, Bob Adams Secretary, Ray Cooper and Randolph Coates Elders, Lester Nicholson and William A. Gaumer Jr. Deacons, and Don Malloy Conference Delegate.

God has given direction and a fine property with one and a half acres of ground and a good house for the parsonage has been found. The asking price for this property was \$23,600.00 Rev. Adams made them an offer of \$22,000.00 for it and the offer was accepted. A loan of \$16,000.00 has been secured from the Perpetual Building Association to make the purchase possible. Rev. and Mrs. Adams should be moving into their parsonage in the next day or so.

Plans are in preparation for the Church to be built on the Braddock Hills property next to the parsonage.

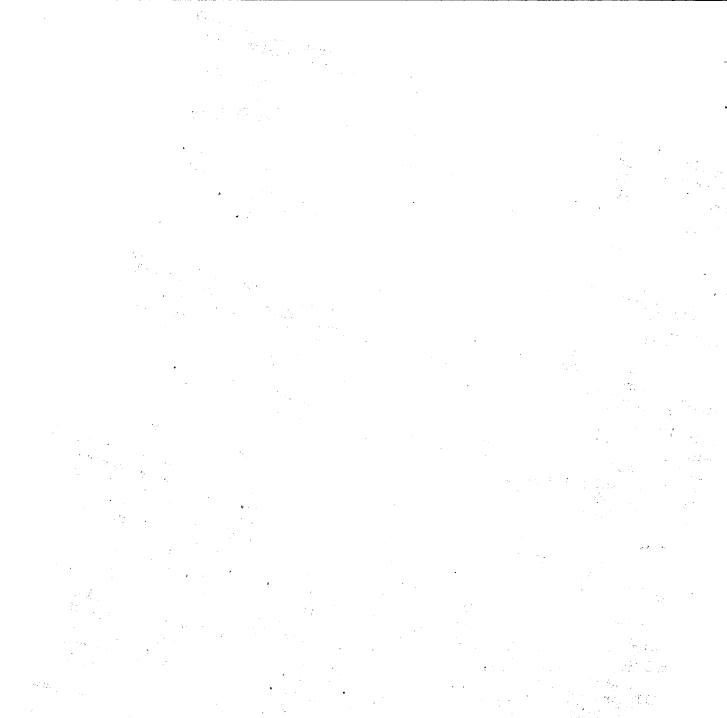
May the rich graces of God attend this new congregation as they take on the task of building a lighthouse for God in this new community.

We welcome you into our fellowship and commend you for your fine spirit and interest in the work of the Lord.

#### PROBLEMS :

Problems are an ever present factor in life, this is so whether you are busily engaged or doing nothing. Someone has said, "the problem of doing nothing is that you never get to take a day off." Where there is an ambitious program going on, as is the case in the Capital District, problems will be present. Problems are never devestating unless we by pass them and thus fail to find a solution to them.

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It is not my purpose to accentuate our problems, or seek out an excuse, nor someone to blame but only that a solution be found that one year hence we will not be found with the same problems.

I do not feel that God's work is a machine and all we need to do is put together the parts and inject the proper chemical and it will work. However, there are methods and systems when well oiled with prayer will serve to forward the work of the new Testament Church.

In a study to find information on Church Finances I have come across a book titled, "Better Church Finances". This book is well illustrated and is a thorough study in: making the offering a matter of spiritual worship, how to estimate the potential income of your Church, how to arrive at the financial need of your Church and how to secure a systematic weekly subscription to balance a Unified Church Budget and thus meet every need of the Church local, District, general and the zone college. This book is available to you along with one on Church Promotion at \$2.00 per copy.

#### PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

I refer you to the "CAPITAL DISTRICT WORLD OUTREACH" ( page 14 in the Journal), will you please turn to it.

The purpose of this organizational diagram is two fold: (1) To show the channel through which each local Church may carry out the "Great Commission of Christ". (2) To show that each local <sup>C</sup>hurch cooperating together constitute the District and through the General Church such Conferences are bound together in <u>One Church</u>. (By God's Grace and help we must bend every effort to cure any sectionalization of our Grand Church.)

In setting the following goals we ask your prayers and cooperation and prayerfully solicit the help of the Lord.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

A 10% participation in the "DECADE OF PROGRESS".

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

100% participation in the "DECADE OF PROGRESS". 10% gain in average attendance.

CHURCHES

Gain one new church organization.

#### BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

Build the 60' x 75' Church at Franconia, Virginia. Build the 30' x 40' first unit of the Church at Damascus, Md. Build the 40' x 70' Church at Braddock Hills, Virginia.

#### SUPPORT EASTERN PILGRIM COLLEGE

Financially Student procurement.

UNITED STEWARDSHIP FUND 100% participation.

#### MISSIONS

Foreign (Self-Denial and Special) Church Extension (Easter Offering and Special) • • • • • •

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People of God, there are two ways to look at such a tremendous task: (1) It is impossible, and we will not tackle it. THIS IS UNBELIEF. (2) I don't see how it can be done, but by God's Grace and help we will do our best. THIS IS FAITH.

"...They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmanent: and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever".

"He that goeth forth and w sepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheeves with him".

#### PERSONAL REPORT

In the pursuit of my duties I have traveled 30,000 miles; preached 86 times; drawn the plans to the first unit of the Damascus Church; served as the general contractor in the construction of the District Parsonage; assisted the District Churches in the securing of necessary finances to carry out their building programs; held seven annual church meetings; visited the churches of the Eastern and Virginia District in the interest of Church Extension; visited all of the churches of the Capital District at least twice during the year; negociated with Brother Adams in regards to the organizing of the Braddock Hills Church; planned with the pastor's of the Damascus, United and Braddock Hills Churches and the Council for their new Church buildings, and negoations are now in process to secure finances to build these buildings. Along with the routine and detail of desk work I have been kept busy.

Respectuflly submitted

William R. Dudley

William R. Dudley, District Superintendent

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30 May 1961

#### Report of the Ways and Means Committee

The Ways and Means Committe presents the following resolutions and makes motion for their adoption.

#### Resolution No. 1

Whereas the Capital District Conference, with the exception of newly organized churches, will be required to pay to the General Church the full amount of 38.00 per member for the United Stewardship <sup>F</sup>und furing the 1961-62 Conference Year, and

Whereas Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules will have served its purpose, and no further funds will accrue to the District Church Extension Fund from its previsions.

Therefore, be it resolved that the present Ways and Means Resolution V be deleted from the Conference Rules.

#### Resolution No. 2

Whereas the Maual of the Pilgrim Holiness Church recognizes the desirability of easing the financial burden of new churches during the first 3 years after their organization, by requiring only 1/4 of the U.S.F. to be paid for the first year, 1/2 the second year, and 3/4 the third year, and

whereas we of the Capital District want to encourage and assist new churches in every way we can,

Be it resolved that the following statement be adopted as a <sup>C</sup>onference Rule:

Each new church organized within the Capital District shall be required to pay District Budget, as defined in paragraph 1 of Ways and Means Resolution i of the Conference Rules, in the amount of only 2% during the first conference year after organization,  $l_{\rm e}$  during the second year, 6% during the third year, and full budget thereafter.

#### Resolution No. 3

Be it resolved that the following statement establishing the due date of District and General Church funds to be sent to the <sup>D</sup>istrict Treasurer be adopted as a <sup>C</sup>onference Rule:

The United Stewardship <sup>F</sup>und and the District Budget are due on a monthly basis. These funds and all other designated funds and special offerings for <sup>D</sup>istrict or for General Church use are to be sent to the <sup>D</sup>istrict Treasurer as soon as praciticable after the end of the month and not later than the 10th day of the following month.

Respectfully submitted,

The Ways and Means Committee

E. L. Howard, Acting Chairman -20-

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#### DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT 11 May 1960 - 10 May 1961

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CASH BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD: Dist. Administration Fund (overdraft) Dist. Revolving Fund Dist. Camp Fund Dist. Church Extension Fund Designated Offering (overdraft) McLean Account (overdraft) Net Cash Balance	<ul> <li>\$ 1,544.90</li> <li>3,177.69</li> <li>375.88</li> <li>1,732.85</li> <li>392.04</li> <li>150.39</li> </ul>	-
Net Cash Balance		\$ 3,199.09
PECE IPTS :		
OFFERNING AND PLEDGES: Dist. Budget Pastor's Tithe Offering Dist. Camp Pledges Dist. Camp Receipts	2,430,45 1,633,25 1,169,00 717,02	
OTHER RECEIPTS: Rent from Ca mp Property Rent from McLean Property & Refunds Offerings from Indoor Camp Dist. Allocation from Headquarters Reimbursed Items Miscellaneous Loan for Yorkshire Church Loan & Interest Payments Loan for Dist. Parsonage	40.0 389.88 214.43 \$ 12,000.00 227.20 203.58 2,600.00 6,400.00 15,150.00	
		\$ 43,174.81
DESIGNATED FUNDS: United Stewardship Fund Church Extension, General Foreign Missions, General Sunday School and Youth, General Eastern Pilgrim College	896.57 979.19 1,627.33 94.83 289.91	
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Total Cash Available

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#### DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CONT'D

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EXPENDITURES		
DISTRICT EXPENDITURES:		
Superintendent's support	\$ 3 <b>,</b> 750.00	
Superintendent's auto expense	600.00	
District Parsonage, Rent	1,350.00	
Utilities, Dist. Parsonage	913.66	
Office Supplies, Equip. & Services	319•57	
Moving Expenses	134.00	
Dist. Camp Property, Payments	1,303.21	
Dist. Camp Expenses	480.35	
Indoor Camp Expenses	198.00	
Miscellaneous	455.85	
Erection of Dist. Parsonage	321,570,149	
Pa yments on Loans and Interest	1,400.00	
Note	2,500.00	
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OTHER EXPENDITURES:	\$ 34 <b>,</b> 97	フ・エク
Foreign Missions Dept. (General)	1,627,33	
Church Extension Dept. (General)	979.19	
United Stewardship Fund (General)	896.57	
Sunday School and Youth Dept. (Gen		
Eastern Pilgrim College	329.91	
McLean Property Payments & Maintena	- ,	
Reimbursed Bills	6.00	
Damascus Account	11.57	
	4,97	1.69
LOANS:		
Yorkshire	2,600.00	
National	5,000.00	
Damascus	70.00	
	7,67	0.00
	l Expenditures \$ 47,61	6.82
CASH BALANCES:		
Administration Fund (overdraft)	1,505.10	
District Revolving Fund	3,872.08	
District Camp Fund District Church Extension Fund	518.34	
District Church Extension Fund	178.66	
McLean Account (overdraft) Damascus Account (overdraft)	417.50	
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LOANS OUTSTANDING: (Dist. Church Ext		-+▼ / <del>+</del>
Damascus	5,326.71	
National	3,500.00	
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Yorkshire	1,000.00	
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Total Loans

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#### DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CONT'D

Estimated District Budget, 1961-1962	Conference	Year
Expenditures:		
From District Receipts:		
	<b>1,295.00</b>	
Superintendent's Auto expense	600.00	
Utilitios	800.00	
Offico Nacitio	400.00	
Carp Duilding Payments	1,270.00	
District Cam Payrents	1,235,00	
Gemp Eryonso	700.00	
Miscellane ous Expenses	200.00	
Revolving Fund	800,00	
Administration Fund Deficit	700.00	
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Derignated Funds:		, , ,
United Stemacohin Fund	2,360.00	
	1,500.00	
Porolyn Vlaslond	1,650.00	
Eastern Pilgrim College	800.00	
Culday School and Youth	150.00	
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		6,460.00
From District Allocation:		
Superintendent's cupport	3,600.00	
Payment en District Comp	<b>.</b> 530 <b>.</b> 00	
District Church Extension	5,120.00	
		9,250.00
Tota 1 Budget		23,710.00
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Sources of Income:		
District Procipts:	0 800 00	
District Budget	2,800.00	
Pasters: Caferinno 20. maio - Caferinno	1,800.00	
Officernings from District Meetings	200.00	
Carp Clerings	1,000.00	
Comp Bloders	2,200.00	
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United Steverschip Fund	2,360.00	0,000.00
Church Extension Offerings	1,500.00	
Foreign Missions Offerings	1,650.00	
Sunday School & Youth (Rally Day Off.)	150.00	
Eastern Pilgrim College	800,00	
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Total District	Receipts	6,460.00
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Allocation to District, from Headquarters		9,250.00
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Total Income,	Estimated	\$23,710.00

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Estimated District Budget, 1961-1962 Conference Year

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#### DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CONT'D

REPORT ON DISTRICT REVOLVING FUND: Cash balance 11 May 1960		\$ 3,177.69
RECEIPTS DURING YEAR: District Ludget	\$ 694∙39	694•39
Cash balance 11 May 1961		3,872.08
REPORT ON DISTRICT CAMP FUND: Cash balance 11 May 1960		375.88
PECEIPTS DURING YEAR: District Camp Receipts Carp Pledges Rent from Camp Property	717.02 1,169.00 40.00	
Total Receipts		1,926.02
Cash Available		2,301.90
EXPENDITURFS DUR ING YEAR: Payments on Property Camp Expenses	1,303.21 480.35	
Total Expenditures		1,783.56
CASH BALANCE		518.34
BALANCE DUE ON MORTGAGE		4,518.07

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#### DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT CON'T

#### RECEIPTS FROM CHURCHES

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May June July Aug. Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec. Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr.	60.64 46.19 68.67 36.00 39.68 58.00 46.23 50.52 7.00 20.00 10.00	32.44 29.62 24.61 26.44 33.83 20.37 29.46 35.65 24.78 26.21	11.95 13.54 14.78 Paid Paid Paid 90.00	68.76 51.44 67.69 59.75 59.71 59.49 618.97 618.97 70.86	26.43 15.09 17.34 23.45 16.53 21.00	21.00 15.00 22.00 21.00 28.00 24.00 16.00 16.00 16.00 15.00 18.00	42.82 26.05 38.06 22.27 26.60 37.35 35.19 36.36 34.01 28.81 16.46 42.27				
	479.26	349.68	130.27	747.15	119.84	218.00	386.25				21,30.45
Pastor's Off. USF Ch.Ext.Gen. F.Miss.Gen. S.S.&Youth E.P.College	205.25 138.57 434.30 20.37 25.00	304.00 146.83 731.24 48.15	50.00	178.00 400.00 175.54 244.40 55.00	10.00	4.00 75.39 13.31 70.00	202.00 32.00 28.c0	15.00	335.00 577.92 110.00 3.00 5.00	447.50 78.90 26.91	1633.25 896.57 979.19 1627.33 84.83 289.91
Totals			255.271			380.70	648.25	15.00	1030.92	553.31	7941.53

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The Resolutions Committee presents the following resolutions.

Resolution # 1

Whereas the present record of church equipment and property is inadequate and that for insurance purposes a listing of all property including an inventory of all equipment is desirable: Therefore, be it resolved that along with the annual report, and becoming an annual event, and that this resolution be made a part of the standing rules; a complete inventory of equipment be submitted and filed in the individual church pakets for s fe deposit peeping.

Resolution's # 2

The official board of the First Pilgrim C hurch of <sup>A</sup>lexandria met <sup>T</sup>uesday evening, May 16, 1961m and adopted the following to be considered in our district conference this May 30, 1961.

Whereas, there has been much confusion as to the number of youth under the ages of 12 in our Youth Rallies; whereas, we feel that the banner of attendance has taken primary importance giving a secondary place to our main objectives, we of the lexandria Church go on record for the following change:

Be it resolved that the age limit in which the count be taken be between the ages of 12 and 35 as prescribed as the ages of Pilgrim youth for youth societies in the <sup>C</sup>hurch Manual. May it be known that we are not against these large numbers, but in the past we have not accomplished much, but that only of deciding who gets the banner.

Resolution #3

Whereas the present date of camp as prescribed in last years minutes, (page 15, Resolution # 1) has a weak foundation for being moved from the oriented time in July as our Annual Ca,p Meeting, and whereas, this new time is already conflicting with the closing of Public Schools, graduation, and times of obligations such as the previous mentioned reasons. and Whereas, the most desirable time to hold Daily Vacation Bible Schools is immeidately succeeding the session of Public School, and to try and run a local program such as DVBS concurrent with a District function such as a camp meeting would be extremely detrimental to both,

Therefore, be it resolved that the dates for the camp meeting of the Capital District shall begin with the second Friday of July and go continuous for ten days to a closing Sunday. Be it further resolved that this date become effective in 1962, and to continue until changed each year thereafter.

Resolution # 4

Whereas there has been little knowledge of the necessity to have memorials to the General Conference, 1962 completed and passed by this conference at this time and

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(Resolutions cont'd)

Whereas the weight of responsibility of the General Church is ours to consider and one in which to participate and

Whereas the time of our next year's conference will be too late to pass on and send any memorials for consideration to this General Conference

Therefore be it resolved that this conference shall re-convene September 29, 1961 (The fifth Friday) at 8:00 p.m. at the National Pilgrim Church for the consideration and passing of memorials to the General Conference, be it further resolved that the District Council shall act as the recipient of all District Memorials and shall present all memorials to the Conference at that time with a recommendation or nonrecommendation.

Resolution #5

A report of each individual church report blanks as supplied by the district, for finances, pastoral, church statistical, sunday school, etc. shall be due the fifth of each month and shall be made out in triplicate. Sending one to the Church Extension Department, one to the District Superintendent, and keep one for the personal files.

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#### DISTRICT CAMP REPORT

The 1960 District Camp was held July 8th through July 17th., at the District Camp Grounds at Franconia, Va.

The Evangelist was Dr. Otho Jennings. Special music was under the direction of Rev. J. W. Kraus.

The results of the meeting was most gratifying. <sup>W</sup>ith the inspirational preaching and singing, we enjoyed God's presence in every service. Many settled the sin question at the altar of prayer. <sup>T</sup>his is the sole purpose of conduction these services.

Once again the attendance exceeded that of all previous years.

The Camps financial obligations have increased the past year, but God has enabled us to meet them.

We praise God for the wonderful way He has helped us. I would also like to express my deep appreciation to the pastors and members of this District for their splendid cooperation.

Due to the lack of sanitation facilities and other situations beyone our control, it will be necessary to have the 1961 Camp in another location.

The 1961 Camp will be held June 16th. through June 25th, at the First Pilgrim Church, <sup>A</sup>lexandria, Va. Rev. <sup>T</sup>ommy Holtzhouser will be the Evangelist. Rev. J. W. Kraus will be the song Evangelist.

Plans are drawn and negotiations are in process to secure the finances for a permanent sanctuary to be erected by camp time next year. The time has come for us to either move forward with our Camp development, or we will be foreced tor etreat. The building program was taken in faith and the blessed assurance that He will never leave or forsake us. This project will need the prayers and support of every pilgrim of this District.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles W. Beach Camp President

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

	ALEXANDRIA	Cameron Valley	Floor Memorial	Damascus	College Park
Cast brought forward			302.29	65.04	174.91
Total Offering Total cash available	S		455.16 757.45	65.04	642.08 816.99
Utilities Improvements Maintenance Advertising			1385.00 1.28 5.32		46.53
PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS	350.77		209.54 118.55	38.30	177.49 45.64
Benevolence			58.43		
TRANSFERS Total local			406.97	38.30	725.00 816 <b>.9</b> 9
EXPENDITURES DISTRICT BUDGE TOTAL DISTRICT EXPENDITURES	т		25.48 25.48		
Foreign Mission	NS		17.92		
Special Youth & S. S. Special Total General			34.65		
EXPENDITURES GRAND TOTAL ALL EXPENDITURES	L		52.57 485.02	38.30	816.99
BALANCE ON HAN	D		272.43	26.74	

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#### SUNDAY SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

	FRANCONIA	Woodlawn	NATIONAL	Yorkshire	TOTAL
Cash brought forward Total offerings	188.41 317.23	69.11 463.61	222.15	856.33	1021.91 3640.60
Total cash Available Utilities Improvements Maintenance	505.64	5 <b>32</b> ⁄72	522.00	856.33	4662.51 1907.00 128.00
ADVERTISING * PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES	44.00 90.00	271.36	* 43.10 226.96	145.64	665.63 1510.06
Miscellaneous Items	179.35		122.69		466.23
Benevolence Transfers Total Local	190.00	152.31		856.33	58.43 1923.64
EXPENDITURES DISTRICT BUDGET TOTAL DISTRICT EXPENDITURES	503.35	423.67	914.75 61.56 61.56	856.33	3960.36 87.04 87.04
FOREIGN MISSIONS SPECIAL	\$				17.92
Youth & S. S. Special					34.65
Total General Expenditures Grand Total all					52.57
EXPENDITURES Balance on Hand	503.35 2.29	423.67 109.05	976.31 152.03	856.33	4099.97 562.54

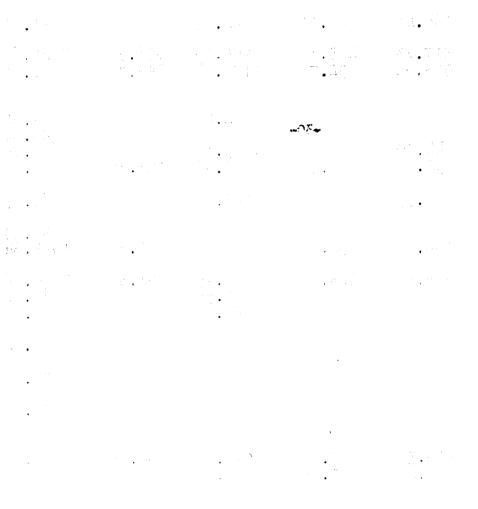
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#### SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

	ALEXANDRIA	Cameron Valley	Floor Memori		College Park	FRANCONIA
Teachers and Office Active Enrollments Cradle Roll Home Departments	181 10 5	10	12 83	74	10 86	8 70
Average Weekly Atte Last Report This Report	NDANCE 126	63	65 64	30 311	69 71	56
GAIN NUMBER OF SESSIONS NUMBER OF SCHOLARS JOINED CHURCH Ø.V.B.S. SESSIONS ENROLLMENT AVERAGE ATTENDANC	21 53 3	3 52	52		53 2	2 <del>3</del> 49

#### YOUNG PEOPLE SOCIETY STATISTICAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

Membership Last Report Present Membership		48		
ACTIVE ASSOCIATE	15 20	13	13	21
Honorary Total Membership Gain	5 40 40		13 13	21 21
Loss Number of Meetings	53	46	28	31
HELD Average Attendance	17	14	15	12

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#### SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

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	TEMPLE Trailer	Woodlawn	NATIONAL	Yorkshire	Pimmit Hills	TOTAL
Teachers and Officers Active Enrollments Cradle Roll Home Departments	130	11 72	2 82  3	15 166	3 29	117 899 23 5
Average Weekly Atten Last Report	dance 110	46	61	125	™s.)	751
THIS REPORT	114	45	65	146	15	845
GAIN	4		24	21	15	97
Loss	5.0		<b>F</b> 1	1.7	70	ELO
NUMBER OF SESSIONS Number of Scholars	52	51	51	4(	30	540
JOINED CHURCH D.V.B.S. Sessions		5				6
Enbollbænt Average Attendance		87 66	60 54			120

#### YOUNG PEOPLE SOCIETY STATISTICAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

Report	48
Present Membership	,
ACTIVE	62
ASSOCIATE	<u>47</u>
HONORARY	13
Total Membership	122
GAIN	74
Loss	. = 0
NUMBER OF MEETINGS HELD	158
AVERAGE ATTENDANCE	58

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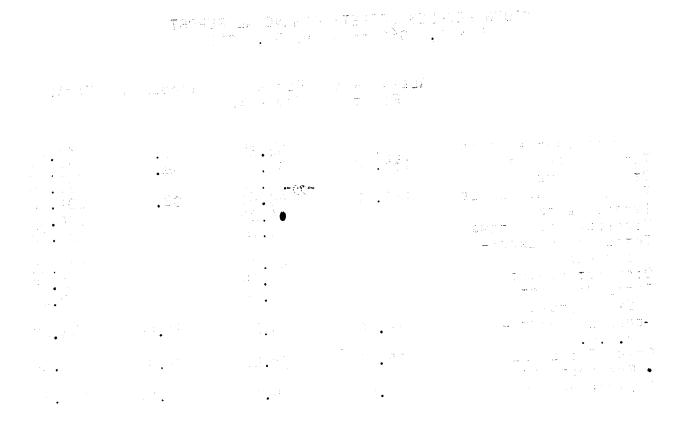
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#### YOUNG PEOPLES SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

	Alexandria First	Floor Memorial	Woodlawn	Total
Cash brought forward Total Offerings Other Income Total Cash Available Improvements Miscellaneous Items Total Local Expen-	135.00	54.34 32.27 77.00 163.61 106.20 20.14	8.16 94.45 102.61	62.50 261.72 77.00 401.22 106.20 20.14
DITURES DISTRICT BUDGET Total District Expenditures		126.34 2.25 2.25		126.34 2.25 2.25
General Budget -	55.00	9.89	81.94	146.83
U.S.F. Grand Total All	55.00	138.48	81.94	275.42
Expenditures Balance on Hand	80.00	25.13	20.67	125.80

THERE IS NO YOUNG PEOPLES SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHURCHES: CAMERON VALLEY, DAMASCUS, COLLEGE PARK, FRANCONIA, TEMPLE TRAILER, NATIONAL AND YORKSHIRE.

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	4LEXANDRIA	Floor Memorial	College Park	Fra <b>n-</b> conta	Wood- Lawn	Nat-	TOTAL
Membership Last Report	17	26	6	15		23	87
ACTIVE MEMBER Associate Members	as 15 2	23 3	11	15		27	102 11
TOTAL MEMBER-	. 17	26	] ]	15	11	33	113
GAIN Loss			5		11	10	26
NUMBER MEETIN Held	IGS II	23	12	12	18	12	88
AVERAGE ATTEN ANCE	10-	12	6	12	9	20	61

MISSIONARY SOCIETY FINANCIAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

Cash brought	14.03	29.14	8.16	51.39
FORWARD TOTAL OFFER- INGS	294.00	641.21	94.45	1029.66
TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE • EVANGELIST & OTHER WORKERS PROMOTIONAL	308.09	670.35	102.61	1081.05
activities Miscellaneous items	31.22	25.52		56.74
TOTAL LOCAL Expenditures	31.22	25.52		56.74
FOREIGN MIS- SIONS SPECIAL	219.33	614.21	81.94	915.48
U.S.F. Total General	55.00 274.33	614.21	81.94	55.00 970.48
EXPENDITURES GRAND TOTAL ALL	306.25	639.73	81.94	1027.92
expenditures Balance on Hand	1.84	30.62	20.67	53.13-

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# CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

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				COLLEGE FRANCONIA
FIRST	VALLEY	MEMORI	AL	Park
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Cash brought forwafd	21.74	533.50		94.69	400.04
Total Offerings Other Income Receipts by Loan transfers	8249.01 1114.84 1410.75	5691.35	684.14	4086.76 874.18 725.00	2556.79 288.55 190.00
TOTAL CASH	10796.34	6224.85	684.14	5780.63	3435.38
AVAILABLE Utilities Pastors Salary Rents	1224.35 2730.00	770.87 1300.00	184.44	796.55 180.00	2072.00
INTEREST INDEBTEDNESS	3150.00	1728.00		3822.60	436.87
(Notes & Mort.) Improvements Maintenance Evangelist & other	39.05 279.31 218.06	122.67 108.42 100.00		269•53 57•00	165.30
WORKERS Advertising	93.63	12.25	48.00	16.00	
Insurance & taxes Miscellaneous	79.65 541.98	145.18	286.00	197.04 55.29	505.80
I TEMS Benevolence		58.38			
Transfers Total Local ex-	801.38 9508.18	4345.77	518.44	5571.50	3179.97
, PENDITURES District Budget District Home	479.26	491.08		151.07	130.27
Missions Pastors Assess- ment Eastern Pilgrim College	205,25				50.00
Total District	684.51	491.08		151.07	187.27
Expenditures United Steward-	138.57	304.00			50.00
SHIP FUND Church Extension	13.00	106.33			
Special Foreign Missions	421.30	347.47			
SPECIAL Youth & S.S.	20.37				
Special Total General	593.24	757.80			50.00
GRAND TOTAL ALL	10785.93	5594.65	518.44	5722.57	3310,24
Expenditures • Balance on Hand	10.41	630.20	165.70	58.06	125.14

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## CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT MAY 1, 1960 TO APRIL 30, 1961

	( (	Temple Trailer Jnorganize	Woodlawn d)	NATIONAL	Yorkshire	Total
	Cash brought forwar Total Offerings Other Income Receipts by Loan Transfers Total Cash Availabl		89.38 3763.33 30.64 148.50 4031.85	2853.46 10736.76 2790.66 43616.75 59997.63	208.71 4328.33 2852.20 856.33 8245.57	4201.52 40096.47 5098.87 46468.95 3330.58
	UTILITIES Pastors Salary Rents Interest	. 6	915.65	993.65 3800.00 60.00	615.76	99196.39 5501.27 11681.23 240.00
	INDEBTEDNESS (NOTES & Mort.)		2388.40	51942.30	1997.50	65465.67
	Improvements Maintenance Evangelist & other			63.93 70.00	2632.36 145.20	3063.61 673.96 533.26
	WORKERS Advertising Insurance & Taxes Miscellaneous Items Benevolence		71.15 51.40	646.22 297.20 16.93	387.52	169.88 994.06 2270.37 75.31
	Transfers Total Local Expendi District Budget		3426.60 218.00	57890.23 657.38	7703.21 424.43	801.38 92143.91 2551.49
-	District Home Missions Pastors Assess-	(Самр) 394.00 310.00	35.00	12.00 179.00		441.00 744.25
•	MENT Eastern Pilgrim	280.00	70.00	13.00	100.00	463.00
	College Total District Expenditures	984.90	323.00	861.38	524.43	4206.74
	UNITED STEWARD- SHIP FUND		4.00	412.99		908.57
	CHURCH EXTENSION Special	617.90		60.00		797.23
	Foreign Missions Special	140.00		284.40		1193.17
	YOUTH & S.S. Special		77.39			97.76
	TOTAL GENERAL Expenditures	757.90	81.39	756.40		2996.73
	GRAND TOTAL ALL EXPENDITURES	1741.90	3830.99	59508.01	8227.64	99240.37
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# CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

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MEMBERS ON ROLL	70	38	15	22
LAST REPORT Additions by Pro-		3	4	3
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TOTAL ADDITIONS REMOVALS BY LETTE	17 R	3	Lt.	3
REMOVALS BY TRANS	SFER Ì	1		2 2 4
REMOVALS BY DEATH Total Removals	5			4
Present Membershi Ordained Minist Licensed Minist	ers I	3	1	1
Local Ministers Deaconesses Non-assessable Members	10	3	2	
Total Membershi		40	19	21
(Full Standin Gain Loss	IG ) 	2	4	1
Probationary Memb Net Gain	ERS	2	4	
Services Preaching Service Church Prayer Meetings	s 81 49		100 52	98 46
Cottage Prayer Me	ET-		2	3
INGS Other Services Total Services Number of Revival Number of Advocat Subscriptions		24		3 154 5

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TEMPLE	WOODLAWN	NATIONAL	YORKSHIRE	TOTAL
TRAILER				

Members on Roll		26	50	52	273
LAST REPORT			-		
ADDITIONS BY PROFES OF FAITH	SION			17	43
ADDITIONS BY TRANSF	ER		7		8
TOTAL ADDITIONS			7 7	17	51
REMOVALS BY LETTER			-	6	10
REMOVALS BY TRANSFE Removals by Death	R	1	5	5	15
TOTAL REMOVALS		1	5	12	51 10 13 28
PRESENT MEMBERSHIP					
ORDAINED MINISTER		2	2	1	10
LICENSED MINISTER	S		1		4
Loca <b>l</b> Ministers Deaconesses		1			3
Non-Assessable Me	MBERS	1			3 14
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP		25	52	56	294
(FULL STANDING)			2	١.	07
Gain Loss		I	2	4	23 2
PROBATIONARY MEMBER	S	I			<u> </u>
NET GAIN					17
SERVICES		9	102	80	651
Preaching Services Church Prayer	101 51	25	50	49	322
MEETINGS	)'		)0	72	-
Cottage Prayer		7	2		14
MEETINGS	1		2		16
OTHER SERVICES	4	122	2 156	135	16 1009
Total Services Number of Revivals	120	1 2 2	190		1007
NUMBER OF ADVOCATE	4	11	31	10	105
SUBSCRIPTIONS	,		-		

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## SUMMARY OF TOTALS BY DEPARTMENTS MAY 1, 1960 TO APRIL 30, 1961

	ALEXANDRIA	Cameron Valley (Unor⇔ ganized)	Memor- Ial	Damascus	College Park	Franconia
RECEIPTS		a, n; 220)				
Regular Church Sunday School Youth Society	10796.34		6224.85 757.45 163.61	684.14 65.04	5780.63 816.99	3435.38 505.64
Foreign Missions Society	308.09		670.35			
GRAND TOTAL	11104.43		7816.26	749.18	6597.62	3941.02
EXPENDI TURES						
Regular Church Sunday School	10785.93		5594.65 485.02	518.44 38.30	5722.57 816.00	3310.24 503.35
Youth Society Foreign Missions Grand Total	55.00 306.25 11147.18		138.48 639.73 6857.88	556.74	6539.56	3813.59
CASH ON HAND						
Regular Church Sunday School	10.41		272.43	165.70 26.74	58.06	125.14 2.29
Youth Society Foreign Missions Grand Total	80.00 1.84 92.25		25.13 30.62 958.38	192.44	58.06	127.43
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RECEIPTS		TRAILER	NOODLAWN	NATIONAL	SHIRE	
Regular Church Sunday School Youth Society		GANIZED	4031.85 ) 532.72	59997.63 1128.34	856.33	99196.39 4662.51 163.61
Foreign Missions Grand Total	Society		102.61 4667.18	61125.97	9101.90	163.61 1081.05 105103.56
EXPENDITURES Regular Church Sunday School Youth Society		1741.90	3830.99 423.67	59508.01 976.31	8227.64 856.33	97498.48 5841.87 193.48 1027.92
Foreign Missions Grand Total	Society		81.94 4336.60	60484.32	9083.97	1027.92
CASH ON HAND Regular Church Sunday School Youth Society			200.86 109.05	489.62 152.03	17.93	1697.92 562.54 105.13
Foreign Missions Grand Total	Society		20.67	641.65	17.93	53.13 2088.14

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	4LEXANDRIA	Cameron Valley	FLOOR	Damascus	College Park	Fran- conta
TIME ON PRESENT	Firid					
YEARS	1	1	1		1	1
Months	10	9	10	11	1	i
LICENSED		-		YES	Yes	Yes
ORDAINED	Yes	YES	YES		- 0	- 0
NUMBER OF SERMON	s 81	98	93	79	98	58
Preached Number of Prayer	49	241	45	18	50	40
MEETINGS	47	44 1	49	10	50	40
NUMBER OF COM-	2		4		8	2
MUNION SERVICE					-	
NUMBER OF FUNERA	L 1	1	3			3
SERVICES		/		-		0
OTHER SERVICES	177	6	1.0	5 1 02		8
Total Services Pastoral Calls	33   78	146	142	102	150 56	111 78
ON MEMBERS	170				90	10
PASTORAL CALLS O	N 239				36	220
Non-Members					2	
TOTAL PASTORAL	417	73	210	318	92	298
CALLS						
REVIVALS PREACHE OFF FIELD	D					
NUMBER SEEKING R	E-	2	7	5	9	6
GENERATION		2	l	)	フ	0
NUMBER SEEKING	25		2		3	2
SANCTIFICATION						
NUMBER DECISIONS	Lμ					
BY PERSONAL WO		2		Г	12	8
Total Decisions Number Children	1+0 3	2	1	5	12	0
DEDICATED	)	Ł	i	I		
NUMBER OF MARRIAN	ses 4		1	1	1	
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Pastors Support	2730.00	600.00	1300.00			1845.00
TOTAL CASH FROM	2730.00	600.00	1300.00			1845.00
Church Total Support	2730.00	600.00	1300.00			1845.00
PARSONAGE	2730.00 Yes	No	YES	Yes		No
SUPPLIED	123	110	120	160		110
UTILITIES	Yes	No	No	No		No
SUPPLIED		• •		•		
Auto Expense Supplied	No	No	Yes	No		No

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# PASTORS REPORT May 1; 1960 to April 30, 1961

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		Temple Trailer	Woodlawn	National	YORKSHIRE	Pimmit Hills	TOTALS
	TIME ON PRESENT FIEL Years Months Licensed Ordained Number of Sermons	D 5 7 Yes 92	! 5 Yes 89	5 11 Yes 156	3 2 Yes 80	8 Yes 27	19 74 951
	Preached Number of Prayer	41	32	48	49		413
	MEETINGS Number of Com- munion Services Number of Funeral	6	8	12 	3		45
	Services Other Services Total Servi <b>ces</b> Pastoral Calls on Members	6 145	   33 20	157 146	135	27	26 1381 478
	Pastoral Calls on Non-members	247	54	129			925,
	TOTAL PASTORAL CALLS Revivals Preached of		74	275 1	430 1	110	2544 2
•	Field Number Seeking re-	43	2		51		136
	GENERATION Number Seeking	2			23		57
*	SANCTIFICATION NUMBER DECISIONS		4				8
	BY PERSONAL WORK Total Decisions Number Children	45	6	3	74		192 25
	Dedicated Number of Marriages	l		2	10		20
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### ANNUAL REPORT, 1960-1961

The Conference year now concluded has been one of vigorous activity in every Capital District Sunday School. National has dedicated a new building containing eight large first floor Sunday School class rooms. In the final months of the year, Yorkshire averaged over 200 in attendance at Sunday School. Attendance at Franconia has left standing room only for many weeks. Alexandria Sunday School has had steady growth for which they have received the Decade of Progress Trophy. Woodlawn, Damascus, Pimmitt Hills, College Park, Temple Trailer, and Arlington Churches have all shown evidences of an evangelical Sunday School outreach that has long been characteristic of the Capital District.

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"Jack "O'Donnell Promotional Secretary Capital District Sunday Schools

## REPORT # 3

### Report of the Auditing Committee

Fo the members of the 1961 Annual Conference, We, the members of the Auditing Committee, have audited the District Treasurer's booksand have found them to be carefully kept, and properly in order. We further take this opportunity to express our gratitude to Mr. Ray Campbell, our Treasurer, for an outstanding job.

Respectfully Submitted

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#### CAPITAL DISTRICT PILGRIM YOUTH REPORT - 1961

This has been a most rewarding year in our Youth Department. Activities got under way when 27 attended the National Youth Convention at Winona Lake, Indiana. Our three weeks of Youth Camp were filled with young people and many received spiritual help every night at the campfire service. The camp was high lighted by the presence of Rev. Tommy Holtshouser and the men's quartet of Eastern Pilgrim College. The result was a greater number of our young people attended EPC from our District than ever before. This, we feel was a spiritual advance for the Capital District. Many other young people who received help in our Youth Camp have taken active parts in the Yough programs of our churches.

Our bi-monthly rallies have proven to be of real interest to most churches. They have responded very well enabling us to average 300 in these rallies.

Rev. T. M. Weir was guest speaker at our New Year's Eve Banquet. The attendance was the largest in the History of our Church.

The Chapel Singers had a hearing of over 500 this Spring. We are very sorry we did not have adequate facilities to take care of the crowd buy pray that we may in the near future.

We are trusting the Lord for a great year for youth.

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To our Distinguished General Secretary of Church Extension.

### To The Entire Conference

Greetings in The Name of Our Soon Coming King. The Report of the Educational and Examination Board of the Capital District Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church is as follows:

### Re-issue of District License

Rev. Elmer Drury Rev. J. P. Lape Rev. Arthur Knowles Rev. C. J. O'Donnell Rev. J. D. Pence Rev. Lee Pickett Rev. J. P. York

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Respectfully Submitted

Charles Beach

# PROPERTY STATEMENT - FISCAL YEAR May 1, 1960 to April 30, 1961

CHURCHES	VALUE	DEBT	EQUITY
Alexandria Church Parsonage Total	55,000.00 30,000.00 85,000.00	32,881.43 32,881.43	52,118.57 52,118.57
Clark Floor Memorial Church Total	75,000.00 75,000.00	15,000.00 15,000.00	60,000.00 60,000.00
Damascus Parsonage Lots Total	14,000.00 14,000.00	6,000.00 6,000.00	8,000.00 8,000.00
College Park Church Parsonage Lots Total	73,000.00 14,000.00 87,000.00	34,232.00 8,715.00 42,947.42	38,768.00 5,284.58 44,052.58
Franconia Church Total	9,000.00 9,000.00		9,000.00 9,000.00
Woodlawn Church Parsonage Other Total	23,000.00. 15,350.00. 2,000.00 40,350.00	10,834.00 11,779.00 22,613.00	12,166.00 3,571.00 2,000.00 17,737.00
National Parsonage Church Other Total	24,000.00 105,000.00 22,000.00 151,000.00	17,000.00 62,000.00 79,000.00	7,000.00 43,000.00 22,000.00 72,000.00
Yorkshire Church Parsonage Total	38,500.00 12,000.00 50,500.00	26,000.00 5,000.00 31,000.00	12,500.00 7,000.00 19,500.00
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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 vaction 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 wather 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 vaction.

#### 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 conflict should arise.

#### DISTRICT MINUTES

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

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General Resolutions (Cont'd)

EDUCATION 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 GeneralBoard of the Pilgrim Holiness Church as authorized the Pilgrim Pension Plan, Inc. to make loans of Pension Funds to local .P. H. Churchés under such conditions as require active participation on the part of F. H. District, 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 GeneralBoard of the P. H. Church authorizing said lonas.

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 <sup>P</sup>reachers 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 <sup>D</sup>istrict officials and church pastors, due to the District Camp Meeting over the 2nd and 3rd Sunday 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

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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 beging 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 arount of \$8.00 per member to be paid beginning with the fourth year, and

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Whereas, although the objectives of Ways and Means Resolution V of the Conference Rules are still valid, it seems lesirable 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 Gneral 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.

STANDING WAYS AND MEANS RESOLUTIONS

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. Extention (Rally Day), <sup>C</sup>olleges, 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.

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(Standing Ways and Means Resolutions Cont'd)

- 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 Co8ncil
- 6. The District Budget shall be paid to the District Treasurer by the 10th day of the following month.

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Be it resolved that all loans made to individual churches from the <sup>D</sup>istrict R volving Fund shall be repaid with interest at the rate of 6% per annum. The interest shall be due and payable annually on the anniversayry date of the loan.

III

Whereas, the Manual of the Pilgrim Holiness Church provided for bi-annual visits by the <sup>D</sup>istrict Superintenddent 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 treasur r or by the minister himself to the district treasurer each month for use in defraying expenses of district administration.

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

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Be it resolved, also, that the <sup>D</sup>istrict 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 <sup>D</sup>istrict Church Extention 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 the churches of this district, with the exception of the National Pilgrim Church, have not a dopted the Eastern Pilgrim College school budget as recommended in Ways and Means Resolution No. VI of the Conference Rules, and

Whereas, during the visit of the Eastern Pilgrim College Choir in April members of the various congregations individually pledged an equivalent amount (approximately 8800 to 81000) to be paid to thecollege for furnishing student dormitories, which indicated 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:

Bo it resolved that the Cgpital District Conference include in its annual budget an item of  $^{\circ}800.00$  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.

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#### SPECIAL SESSION

So as to comply with Resolution # 4 of the Resolution Committee when read and adopted by the Conference on May 30, 1962. The Conference re-convened on Friday, September 29, 1961, at 8:00 P. M., at the National Pilgrim Church, Hyattsville, Maryland, for the singular purpose of considering memorials to the General Conference.

Rev. J. <sup>D</sup>. <sup>P</sup>ence led the group in the Hymn "Praise Him". Rev. Charles Beach led us in prayer. Rev. R. <sup>C</sup>. Hawkins presided and led us in a devotional thought from Luke 12:30-40.

Eight things we must do to be ready.

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Verse 31 - # 1 Seek first the Kingdom
" 32 - # 2 Fear not
" 33 - # 3 Give Alms
" 33 - # 4 Provide for yourselves treasure in Heaven
" 35 - # 5 Have your loins girt about
" 35 - # 6 Have your lights burning
" 36 - # 7 Be like men who wait for their Lord
" 37 - # 8 Watching

After a few brief words of testimony by some of the brethren, Rev. Hawkins explained the reason for our re-convening as a Conference. Our Memorials go from this Conference to the General Policy Committee for study and passing, then on to the General Conference where it becomes a part of the Manual upon 2/3 vote of the General Conference.

The following Memorials were considered and adopted:

I. Be it Resolved, that there be an annual District Superintendent's Conference. This conference shall serve as an administrative seminar. The progress and program of the Church shall be evaluated and refocused with suggested pro-

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cedures to make possible the reaching of the desired goals.

II. Be it Resolved, that no church extension district be received into the general conference as a fully organized didstrict until it has at least 500 members of voting age, or sufficient finance to open one new church a year above locatl, district, and general expenses.

III. Whereas gain in church membership is vital to the life of the church, and whereas the means of securing this desired goal is left to circumstances, Be it Resolved, that a goal of 5000 New Members be set for the 62 to 66 quadrennium, and that a plan to gain these new members be set forth by the General Board to local churches through the medium of a Superintendent's Annual Conference.

IV. Whereas the membership of our General Conference is unusually large, and Whereas it works a financial hardship on many districts to send such a large delegation, and

Whereas the ratio of lay delegates to Ministerial delegates is so small, Where fore be it resolved that we substitute the following for Section 116, Paragraphs 1, 2 and 3.

- Par. 1
- There shall be a General Conference composed of all the general officers and members of the General Board, district superintendents, the presidents of Pilgrim Holiness Church Colleges and other zone or general church educational institutions in the U. S. A. and Canada, members of all standing committees and a ministerial and lay delegation, to be selected at the annual conferences immediately preceding the General Conference. If the district superintendent is a member of the General Board the assistant district superintendent shall be a member of the General Conference.

Par. 2

The delegates to the General Conference shall be selected as follows: one ministerial delegate and one lay delegate to each 300 members or major fraction thereof. Each district shall be entitled to at least one ministerial delegate and one -53-

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lay delegate in addition to the district superintendent. <sup>A</sup>ll lay delegates, to the general conference, must be at least 21 years of age and elected from among nominces selected by the District Council. <sup>The</sup> ministerial delegates must be chosen from the ordained ministers who are actively engaged in full time service in the Pilgrim Holiness Church at the time of the General Conference.

#### Par. 3

In considering the ratio for the ministerial delegation to the General Conference, foreign mission fields shall be represented as follows: All field superintendents shall be memebers of the General Conference. In addition to the field superintendents, one missionary shall be chosen from each mission field area as a delegate, those delegates to be selected by the Council in the area where they serve from among the missionaries on furlough in the U.S.A.

V. Whereas, each of our zone Bible schools and colleges is dependent upon the support received from the churches in its zone; Be it Resolved, that each school zone shall establish a minimum educational budget sufficient to operate such a zone college. Such budget shall be distributed among all the districts comprising the school zone. This shall be in addition to the amount specified in the
General Budget for the support of the Liberal Arts College. Failure on the part of the school zone to provide the above proposed budget or failure of such college to operate within their current expense budget shall constitute sufficient reason for the General Board to restrict the college in their program, or to close the school. Ele cted delegates from the Capital District to the General Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church - Winona Lake, Indiana

> W. R. Dudley - Dist. Supt. 4909 Edgewood Road College Park, Md.

J. W. Kraus - Dist. Sec. 909 Luray Place Hyattsville, Md.

R. L. Campbell, Dist. Treas. 7004 Catlett St. Springfield, Va.

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C. W. Beach - Ministerial Delegate 3620 S. Round Hill Drive Alexandria, Va.

E. L. Howard - Lay Delegate 5714 - 37th. Ave. Hyattsville, Md.

This concluded the meeting by the completion of business. However Rev. Dudley asked permission to make the following announcements:

1. To pay delegate's expenses to the General Conference, the following

assessments will apply to each church:

Alexandria First		\$70.00
Braddock Hills		25.00
Clark Floor Memorial		70.00
Cameron Valley		10.00
Collego Park		25.00
Damascus		10.00
National		70.00
Pimmit Hills		5.00
Temple Trailer		70.00
United Filgrim		50.00
Woodlawn		25.00
Yorkshire		70.00
	TOTAL	\$ 500.00

2. Also May 30, 1962 is the 10th anninversay of the Capital District. To help in this occasion each church is asked to contribute a 30" x 30" pictorial progress chart of their church from the start to the present.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 p. m., September 29, 1962.

Respectfully,

James W. Kraus, Secretary

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