



MINUTES

— of the —

Fifth Annual Assembly

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Pilgrim Holiness Church

NEW YORK ASSEMBLY DISTRICT



ONEONTA, NEW YORK

April 20-26, 1926



OFFICIAL RECORD

OFFICERS

District Superintendent.....REV. A. H. WILSON
Assistant District Superintendent.....REV. A. E. BLANN
District Secretary.....REV. ALVIN YOUNG
District Treasurer.....REV. S. S. TOMPKINS

ADVISORY MEMBERS OF DISTRICT COUNCIL

Rev. W. J. C. Vanoss, Rev. S. N. Bennett
Rev. W. A. Shoemaker

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Rev. W. J. C. Vanoss Three years
Rev. S. N. Bennett Two years
Rev. A. H. Wilson One year

BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Rev. W. J. C. Vanoss Three years
Rev. A. H. Wilson Two years
Rev. A. E. Blann One year

AUDITORS

Augusta Engwer, Helena Shafer and Mrs. George L. Payne

DISTRICT HOME MISSIONARY BOARD

For Two Years

Rev. A. H. Wilson, Rev. A. E. Blann, Rev. W. A. Shoemaker

For One Year

Rev. Alvin Young, Rev. S. S. Tompkins

Rev. A. E. Blann, Secretary-Treasurer

DISTRICT FOREIGN MISSIONARY BOARD

Rev. A. E. Blann, Augusta Engwer
Verna Hamlin, District Foreign Missionary

Secretary and Treasurer

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MINUTES PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

NEW YORK DISTRICT

The fifth annual assembly of the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church was held at Oneonta, N. Y., April 20-26, 1926.

District Superintendent A. H. Wilson, presiding. First session opened at 9 A. M., April 20. After devotional exercises Rev. A. E. Blann of Northville, read the 133rd Psalm and after a brief comment in which he emphasized the importance of unity, the following delegates responded to roll call.

ALBANY—August Gilli

AMSTERDAM—Jessie Williams

BINGHAMTON—William Pierpoint

BROOKDALE—George La Sure

BROADALBIN—Oscar Lawrence

BROOKY HOLLOW—Dorothy Posson

CONESVILLE—Mrs. Alvah Martin

EAST DICKINSON—Mrs. D. E. Wilson

FINCH HOLLOW—W. E. Twining

GROSVENOR'S CORNERS—No delegate

GLOVERSVILLE—Oscar Lawrence

KEYSERKILL—Mrs. Grov Ellis

LAKE PLACID—Merritt Williams

MONTICELLO—Mrs. Earl Reed

MASSENA—No delegate

NORTH TROY—Carroll Bailey

ONEONTA—Elizabeth Foster

RED FALLS—Mrs. Howard Christian

SOUTH COLTON—No delegate

SCHENECTADY—Mrs. George L. Payne

SCOTTS PATENT—Smith Haskins

UNION VALLEY—Mrs. George Becker

Moved and carried that the District Superintendent appoint an Assistant Secretary for this Assembly.

Special prayer was offered at this time for Sister Elva Wilson of Northville, who is critically ill.

Moved and carried that Bro. Lee Lawrence be accepted as a member of this Conference, being transferred from the Penna. N. J., District.

Voted that the first four rows of seats constitute the Conference bar.

On motion the following were granted seats in Conference bar: Loren Wilson, Wallace Sweeney and Mrs. Emma Purdy.

Moved and carried that the time for opening and closing sessions be as follows: 9 A. M. to 12 M. and 2 to 4 P. M.

Voted to adopt the rules of order as given in the Manual.

Moved and carried that a committee of publicity be appointed by the Chair.

District Superintendent appointed the following: Augusta Engwer and S. N. Bennett.

The following committees were appointed by the District Superintendent:

Resolution—H. J. Felter, S. W. Simmons, Jasper Hamm.

Statistical—D. E. Wilson, M. R. Blann, Arthur Shafer, Delbert Frasier.

Pulpit—S. S. Tompkins, A. E. Blann, S. N. Bernett.

Revision of Manual—C. P. Pridgen, George Becker, George M. Sellers.

Minutes—Alvin Young, Harry Twining, W. J. C. Vanoss.

Reception—S. S. Tompkins, George L. Payne.

Auditing—Augusta Engwer, Helena Shafer, Mrs. George L. Payne.

Adjourned to 2 P. M.

TUESDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional exercises, A. H. Wilson, presiding.

Roll call.

Minutes of last session read and accepted.

Rev. A. E. Blann was appointed Assistant Secretary for this Assembly.

Reading and Passing on Reports

Moved and carried that the report of the Binghamton church be returned for correction.

Bro. H. A. Saneholtz, District Superintendent of Pennsylvania and New Jersey District, and Bro. Dieter were introduced and after responding briefly were voted seats in Conference bar.

Motion made and carried that the report of the East Dickinson church be returned to delegate for correction.

Adjourned to 9 A. M.

WEDNESDAY, 9 A. M.

Devotional exercises, A. H. Wilson presiding.

Roll call.

Minutes of last session read and accepted.

Bro. F. H. Termohlen, business manager of the Bible School at Greensboro, N. C., was introduced and after speaking briefly was voted seat in Conference bar.

Rev. Floyd Baker, Assistant Superintendent of Pennsylvania and New Jersey District, of Stroudsburg, Pa., was introduced and was voted seat in Conference.

Sister Baker was also introduced and voted seat in Conference.

On recommendation of the District Council the following names were presented to the Assembly and accepted as members of the Assembly: C. H. Bailey, Loren Wilson, Mrs. Lee Lawrence and W. H. Sweeney.

Reading and Passing on Reports

Moved and carried that the Keyserkill report be returned to delegate for correction.

Moved and carried that the Lake Placid report be returned for correction.

Moved and carried that the Lake Placid report for four months be read and the fact of its being incomplete be noted by the Statistical Committee. Report accepted.

It was decided that question "36" of Pastors' Report Blank, referring to ordained preachers, should not include local Pastor of church, as this is covered by question "77."

Moved and seconded that we dispense with the reading of the Pastors' Reports. Motion lost.

Reading and passing on reports of pastors and workers.

Adjourned to 2 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional exercises, A. H. Wilson presiding.

Voted to dispense with roll call at this session.

Minutes of last session read and accepted.

Word was received of the serious illness of Bro. Arthur Mattison, pastor of the Nazarene Church at Canastota, N. Y.

Special prayer was offered by the Assembly in his behalf led by Rev. A. E. Blann of Northville.

The report of Rev. Delbert Frasier was returned for correction.

After reading his report the Rev. George M. Sellers of the Keyserkill Church expressed the appreciation of himself and family for the help and sympathy extended to them from the different Churches of the District during the illness and death of their daughter.

The reports of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Shoemaker, missionaries to Alaska, were read and accepted. Voted that the Secretary write Brother and Sister Shoemaker extending greetings from the Assembly.

The Treasurer's report of Binghamton Camp Meeting read and accepted.

Report of the Treasurer of the Home Missionary Board read and accepted.

Voted to extend the time of this session to 4:10 P. M.

Adjourned to 9 A. M.

THURSDAY, 9 A. M.

Devotional exercises, A. H. Wilson presiding.

Voted to dispense with roll call.

Minutes of last session read, corrected and approved.

Rev. F. H. Termohlen, business manager of the Bible School at Greensboro, N. C., was introduced and spoke at the morning session in the interest of the school.

A telegram was received stating the condition of Mrs. Elva Wilson of Northville. The Assembly was called to prayer for her recovery led by Rev. Floyd Baker.

A telegram was sent to the family expressing the interest and sympathy of the Assembly.

The itemized report of the Home Missionary was read and approved.

The Foreign Missionary report was read and accepted.

The report of the Auditors was read and accepted.

The report of the District Treasurer was read and accepted.

The oral report of Sister Cora Hill was accepted.

The Resolution Committee presented the following resolution to be passed upon by the Assembly:

Resolved, that a good used adding machine for the use of the Statistical and Auditing Committee and also general district use be purchased in time to be used at this Assembly, same to be the property of the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church. Adopted.

Resolved, that the man elected to the office of District Superintendent be one who shall devote his entire time to the work of the District, engaging in quarterly meetings, etc., and that adequate provisions be made for his support that he may be free to engage in this work. After much discussion the resolution was defeated.

Resolved, that we lower our present assessment rate of \$2.00 per member to \$1.00 per member, 25 cents of which shall be disbursed toward the support of the General Superintendent and the remaining 75 cents to the support of the general work of the New York District, etc. Resolution adopted.

Resolved, that the Pilgrim Holiness Churches of the New York District establish a rescue home at a suitable location, same to meet all requirements of the laws of the State of New York.

Adjourned to 2 P. M.

THURSDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional exercises, A. H. Wilson presiding.

Moved and carried that we dispense with the roll call.

Minutes read and approved.

Rev. H. A. Saneholtz, District Superintendent of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey District, was introduced and spoke in the interest of Beulah Park Bible School at Allentown, Pa. Bro. Saneholtz introduced Bros. Baker, Little, Dieter and Lawrence, each speaking briefly in the interest of the school.

Voted to refer the resolution concerning the rescue home to the Resolution Committee for redrafting.

Resolved, that the first business of Friday morning session be the election of officers. Adopted.

Resolved. That, whereas, the Manual does not provide that pastors hold their membership in the local church which they serve, we therefore request the General Assembly to make provision in the Manual for the same.

Voted to refer this resolution to Committee on Revision of Manual.

Resolved, That whereas in the use of the report blanks provided by our general church, it would seem that an unnecessary burden has been placed upon our pastors in that they are required to report on matter that is covered by other church reports and that they are confusing and cumbersome, therefore be it

Resolved, that the New York District respectfully request the General Assembly that the said report blanks be rearranged and simplified so as to exclude matter which is already covered by other church reports. Adopted.

Resolved, that we accept the invitation to hold the next annual Assembly in Binghamton. Adopted.

Report of the Committee on Revision of Manual:

No. 1, page 43. We recommend that provision be made for a letter from one P. H. C. to another. Adopted.

No. 2, page 20, paragraph 24. We recommend that the Manual be corrected to read according to the ruling of last General Assembly concerning the date of the Assembly.

No. 3, page 20, paragraph 34. Provision is made for the calling of a special session of the General Assembly. We recommend that provision be made for a special session of the District Assembly in order to arrange for the Special General Assembly. Adopted.

No. 6, page 37, paragraph 87. Sub. 1 be made to read "to nominate pastors" according to par. 79, sub. 1, and strike out "to make all changes in pastors," so that said paragraph should read "to provide a place of worship, to recommend pastor and assistant pastor to the annual church meeting." (Par. 79.)

No. 7, page 35, par. 79. Sub. 2 should be changed to conform to the action of the last General Assembly—Minutes, page 55.

No. 8, page 20, par. 33. We recommend that all General church officers be members of the General Assembly.

No. 9, page 22, par. 38. We recommend that the missionary problems of the District be referred to the General Missionary Board rather than the General Council. Adopted.

No. 10, page 74, par. 201. We recommend that one Assistant General Superintendent be for the foreign work and that he be on the General Board of Foreign Missions. Adopted.

No. 11. Resolved, That the Pastor become a member of the church or one of the churches which he serves and that such membership move automatically when he moves to another charge. Adopted.

No. 12, page 35, par. 78. We recommend that the delegate to the District Assembly be elected by ballot at the annual church meeting. Adopted.

No. 13, page 25, par. 51. The reference par. 148 should be 155. Adopted.

No. 14, page 27. Under duties of District Assembly we recommend that a paragraph be inserted providing that the list of delegates elected to the General Assembly be sent to the General Secretary at least ten days before the General Assembly. Adopted.

No. 15, page 28, par. 58. We recommend that the District Council shall also by three fourth vote have power to exclude any unworthy member. Adopted.

No. 16, page 28, par. 59. We recommend that the reference 145 be made to read 152. Adopted.

No. 17, page 30, par. 66. We recommend that the first word "other" be stricken out. Adopted.

No. 18. Resolved, that our General Assembly convene quadrennially instead of biennially as at present. Page 20, par. 34. Adopted.

No. 19, page 35, par. 72 changed to read District Superintendent instead of General Superintendent.

No. 20, page 33, par. 73, sub. sec. 5. The reference 117 should be 124.

No. 21, page 34, par. 73, sub. 11. Ref. 95 should be 102.

No. 22, page 34, par. 73, sub. 12. Ref. 117 should be 124.

No. 23, page 34, par. 74. Ref. 125 should be 131.

No. 24, page 25, par. 50. The fourth point is not the duty of the District Assembly. Therefore we recommend this part be stricken out. Adopted.

No. 25, page 45, par. 121. Business meeting refers to appendix G. Nos. 7 and 9 are not matters for that meeting to attend to.

No. 26, page 33, par. 73, sec. 6. And a number of the local Advisory Board may be discharged from office for cause by a two third vote of Board.

No. 27. We recommend that a competent committee be appointed by the General Assembly to carefully study the Manual, correcting all errors in print and spelling and carefully arrange all subject matter in order in the Manual and so arrange index.

Voted to extend the time of this session to 4:10.

Adjourned to 9 A. M. Friday.

FRIDAY, 9 A. M.

Devotional exercises. A. H. Wilson presiding.

Moved and carried that we dispense with the roll call at each session during this Assembly.

Minutes of last session read and approved.

Moved and carried that we suspend the rules regarding the election of officers and proceed to vote on the resolution concerning the rescue home.

The following statement was presented by the District Council. In considering the case of C. W. Schuyler we feel that the requirements in the case have been met. We therefore unanimously vote to restore Bro. Schuyler to our fellowship and re-issue his credentials. Signed, District Council.

Bro. Schuyler spoke briefly after reading the above statement, asking forgiveness of the Assembly for any wrong doing on his part in times past.

The following resolution was presented by the Resolution Committee:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to obtain legal information as to State requirements for a rescue home, and that they report to this Assembly, this committee to be appointed by the Chair. Adopted.

Committee appointed, C. P. Pridgen, Carroll Bailey and H. J. Felter.

The Assembly proceeded to the election of officers.

On first ballot for District Superintendent A. H. Wilson received 43; A. E. Blann 2; S. N. Bennett 1. 47 votes cast. Bro. Wilson declared elected.

On first ballot for Assistant District Superintendent 47 votes cast. A. E. Blann 35; S. N. Bennett 5; S. S. Tompkins 1; Alvin Young 2; W. J. C. Vanoss 1; S. W. Simmons 1. A. E. Blann declared elected.

On first ballot for District Secretary 47 votes cast. Alvin Young 44, S. S. Tompkins 1, D. E. Wilson 1, Jasper Hamm 1. Alvin Young declared elected.

On first ballot for District Treasurer 47 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 25, Loren Wilson 1, D. E. Wilson 2, W. J. C. Vanoss 9, S. N. Bennett 1, S. W. Simmons 1, C. P. Pridgen 1, H. J. Felter 1, M. R. Blann 5, Jasper Hamm 1. S. S. Tompkins was declared elected.

Moved and carried that we vote for one member of the Advisory Board on each ballot.

First ballot for member of Advisory Board, three members to be elected, 47 votes cast. W. J. C. Vanoss 23, S. N. Bennett 10, C. P. Pridgen 2, Jasper Hamm 2, D. E. Wilson 2, W. A. Shoemaker 4, M. R. Blann 1, H. J. Felter 3. No election.

Moved and carried that we suspend the rules and vote for the three highest.

Second ballot for member of District Council, 48 votes cast. W. J. C. Vanoss 34, S. N. Bennett 11, W. A. Shoemaker 3. W. J. C. Vanoss declared elected.

Next ballot for member of Advisory Board, 47 votes cast. S. N. Bennett 18, C. P. Pridgen 6, W. A. Shoemaker 17, H. J. Felter 2, Loren Wilson 1, M. R. Blann 2, S. S. Tompkins 1. Vote for Bro. Tompkins declared void as Bro. Tompkins was already a member of Advisory Board. No election.

Second ballott, 48 votes cast. C. P. Pridgen 7, S. N. Bennett 17, W. A. Shoemaker 24. No election.

Third ballot, 48 votes cast. S. N. Bennett 21, W. A. Shoemaker 26, C. P. Pridgen 1. W. A. Shoemaker elected.

Next ballot for member of Advisory Board, 48 votes cast. M. R. Blann 5, C. P. Pridgen 10, S. N. Bennett 28, Jasper Hamm 1, D. E. Wilson 2, H. J. Felter 2. S. N. Bennett elected.

First ballot for Trustee for three years, 48 votes cast. W. J. C. Vanoss 25, S. S. Tompkins 5, Jasper Hamm 4, Alvin Young 3, S. W. Simmons 1, Augusta Engwer 1, A. E. Blann 2, M. R. Blann 3, D. E. Wilson 1, C. P. Pridgen 3. W. J. C. Vanoss was declared elected.

First Ballot for member of Examining Board, 47 votes cast. W. J. C. Vanoss 18, S. S. Tompkins 8, Mrs. D. E. Wilson 1, C. P. Pridgen 8, H. J. Felter 5, S. N. Bennett 3, M. R. Blann 1, D. E. Wilson 1, Augusta Engwer 1, Cora Hill 1. No election.

Second ballot, 48 votes cast. W. J. C. Vanoss 28, S. S. Tompkins 8, C. P. Pridgen 12. W. J. C. Vanoss declared elected.

First ballot for four members of the Home Missionary Board, one to be elected on each ballot.

Moved and carried that A. H. Wilson be declared a member of the Home Missionary Board by virtue of his office.

Moved and carried that we suspend the rules with reference to the election of Home Missionary Board.

Moved and carried that the Home Missionary Board be elected two for two years and two for one year.

First ballot for member of Home Missionary Board, 48 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 12, A. E. Blann 15, Mary Berg 2, W. A. Shoemaker 6, H. J. Felter 5, Jasper Hamm 2, Alvin Young 2, C. P. Pridgen 1, Loren Wilson 1, S. N. Bennett 1, M. R. Blann 1. No election.

Second ballot for member of Missionary Board, 47 votes cast. A. E. Blann 28, S. S. Tompkins 11, W. A. Shoemaker 8. A. E. Blann declared elected for two years.

Ballot for second member of Home Missionary Board for two years, 49 votes cast. Loren Wilson 1, Harry Twining 1, W. J. C. Vanoss 1, C. P. Pridgen 1, S. S. Tompkins 16, W. A. Shoemaker 15, S. N. Bennett 1, Alvin Young 6, Mary Berg 2, H. J. Felter 3, M. R. Blann 1. No election.

Next ballot, 48 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 15, W. A. Shoemaker 20, Alvin Young 13. No election.

Next ballot, 48 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 14, W. A. Shoemaker 33, S. N. Bennett 1. W. A. Shoemaker declared elected for two years.

Adjourned to 2 P. M.

FRIDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional exercises. A. H. Wilson presiding.

Minutes of last session read, corrected and approved.

Assembly proceeded to ballot for member of Home Missionary Board, member to be elected for one year.

First ballot, 47 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 14, Loren Wilson 2, C. P. Pridgen 2, Alvin Young 21, S. W. Simmons 1, H. J. Felter 2, D. E. Wilson 2, M. R. Blann 1, S. N. Bennett 1, Mary Berg 1. No election.

Second ballot for member of Home Missionary Board, 47 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 12, Alvin Young 35. Alvin Young elected.

First ballot for second one year member of Home Missionary Board, 49 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 24, Loren Wilson 4, C. P. Pridgen 3, S. W. Simmons 1, S. N. Bennett 2, H. J. Felter 13, Jasper Hamlin 2. No election.

Second ballot, 49 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 22, Loren Wilson 8, H. J. Felter 19. No election.

Third ballot, 49 votes cast. S. S. Tompkins 21, H. J. Felter 28. H. J. Felter declared elected.

Moved and carried that the rules be suspended regarding the election of Foreign Missionary Board.

Moved and carried that the District Superintendent appoint the Foreign Missionary Board. The following board was appointed: A. E. Blann, Augusta Engwer and Verna Hamlin.

The Assembly proceeded to elect seven ministerial delegates to General Assembly to convene in Frankfort, Indiana, September 8th.

Motion made and carried that the rules be suspended at this time to allow committees to report.

Following is the report: We recommend that a committee of three be appointed to find out from the State Board of Charities what are its requirements and to report to the District Council and to act according to their rules.

Moved and carried that the report of the committee on purchasing adding machine be accepted and committee discharged.

Moved and carried that the time of this afternoon session be extended 30 minutes.

The following ministerial members were elected delegates to General Assembly on first ballot: S. S. Tompkins 37, H. J. Felter 35, C. P. Pridgen 34, Jasper Hamm 30, M. R. Blann 29, D. E. Wilson 29.

Second ballot, 49 votes cast. S. W. Simmons 19, Shoemaker 13, Vanoss 17. No election

Third ballot, 49 votes cast. S. W. Simmons 23, W. J. C. Vanoss 26. W. J. C. Vanoss elected.

S. W. Simmons 23, W. A. Shoemaker 14, Loren Wilson 18, were elected alternate delegates.

It was ruled by the Chair that a minister not engaged in active work was eligible to serve as lay delegate.

The Assembly proceeded to vote for three lay delegates to General Assembly.

Adjourned to 9 A. M. Saturday.

SATURDAY, 9 A. M.

Devotional exercises. A. H. Wilson presiding.

Minutes of last session read and approved.

Moved and carried that the Assembly proceed to vote for lay delegates to General Assembly.

Previous motion ruled out of order by the Chair.

Motion made and carried that a list of names be submitted to the Assembly by the District Council to be voted upon as lay delegates to General Assembly.

Report of the Statistical Committee read and accepted, notation to be made of its being incomplete.

The following resolutions presented by the Resolution Committee:

Resolved, Recognizing that missionary interest is vital to the deepest spirituality of a Church, we recommend and urgently

request that each Pastor see that a free will offering be taken once each month, and that the congregation be notified a week in advance that said offering will be taken. The day and date of offering to be determined by local Church. This offering to be sent before the end of each month with the report to the District Secretary of the Mission Board, Miss Verna Hamlin, 14 Clifford Street, Binghamton, N. Y. This offering shall not be taken from the Pastor's support.

We further request that each Pastor instruct the local congregation concerning the benefit of regular and systematic giving to foreign missions, and that the Pastor preach at least one each year definitely on foreign missions. Also that the Missionary Secretary notify each delinquent Church regarding its obligation relative to this resolution and compliance thereto. Adopted.

Resolved, That the New York District be so subdivided as to include small groups of Churches, which shall meet together for quarterly meetings, same to be in charge of District Superintendent or his Assistant as Manual provides or some one appointed by them.

Amendment: That the District Council subdivide the District.

Resolved, That an amount equal to 75 cents per capita be raised in public offerings or otherwise throughout the Churches of the New York District, same to be used to help defray expenses of ministerial and lay delegates to the 1926 General Assembly at Frankfort, Indiana. Adopted.

Resolved, That 500 copies of Minutes of this Assembly be printed and distributed by our Pastors among the people without charge. Adopted.

Inasmuch as W. E. Reid and wife in Swaziland, South Africa, W. H. Shoemaker and wife in Alaska, have for several years past been supported by this District in their respective fields of Missionary activities, be it

Resolved, That we continue our support of these worthy missionaries for another year.

Ruled out of order by the Chair.

Resolved, That we, as a District, are opposed to persons divorced and remarried becoming members of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, and that we respectfully request our General Assembly convening at Frankfort, Indiana, in September this year, to pass such legislation as shall prohibit such persons from becoming members and that a properly worded memorial from this District be presented to the General Assembly. Adopted.

SATURDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional exercises. A. H. Wilson presiding.

Minutes of last session read, corrected and approved.

Chair appointed Rev. C. H. Bailey, Dan Gunsalus, Augusta Engwer a committee to investigate with reference to the establishing a rescue home, in accordance with a previous recommendation. The committee to confer with the State Board of Charities.

The following names were submitted by the District Council to the District Assembly to be voted upon as lay delegates to General Assembly:

Bert Whitman, William Twining, W. W. Merrill, Oscar Lawrence, William Pierpoint and Merritt Williams.

Bert Whitman 30, Oscar Lawrence 33, and William Twining 29, were elected.

Moved and carried that the two receiving next highest votes declared elected alternate.

W. W. Merrill 20, William Pierpoint 20.

The following resolution presented by the Resolution Committee:

That inasmuch as our Home Missionary work proved a real blessing last year,

Resolved, That some steps may be taken by this Assembly regarding support of same this year. Adopted.

Resolved, That our District Missionary Board be instructed to send all Foreign Missionary funds of this District through the General Foreign Missionary Board.

Ruled out of order by Chair.

In view of the fact that the time of the sessions of the annual Assembly are drawing to a close, therefore be it

Resolved, That we express our heartfelt gratitude and thanks for the generous and hospitable entertainment accorded to us at the Assembly. We feel that not only the Pastor and his very estimable wife, but the people of the Oneonta branch and also a large number of friends outside of the Church, are to be included in those to whom this token of appreciation should be extended. We desire to emphasize the fact that we consider your hospitality has been very ample and satisfactory and may the Lord richly repay you for your labor and sacrifice.

We also desire that the daily press of Oneonta be given notice of our appreciation of their generous use of their columns in advertising our services.

Moved and carried that the yearly pledge system be continued for raising funds for the Home Missionary work.

Next annual Assembly April 19-24, 1927, at Binghamton, N. Y.
First session at 9 A. M., April 19th.

Moved and carried that 100 separate copies of the resolutions presented by the Committee on Revision of Manual.

Motion made and seconded that we express our appreciation by a rising vote of thanks to our presiding officer for his faithful services.

Voted that we express our appreciation by a rising vote of thanks to our Secretary and his assistant for their faithful services, and that an offering be taken for the District Secretary.

At the close of the afternoon session the District Superintendent spoke briefly admonishing all to continue the splendid spirit which has prevailed throughout the Assembly.

Sister Emma Purdy also spoke expressing her appreciation of the interest shown in the missionary work in the San Blas Islands.

No further business, Assembly adjourned.

ALVIN YOUNG, District Secretary

APPOINTMENTS

Albany—Rev. A. H. Wilson.

Amsterdam—Rev. S. W. Simmons.

Afton—Rev. William A. Shoemaker.

Binghamton—Rev. C. P. Pridgen.

Brookdale—Rev. George M. Sellers.

Brooky Hollow—Lee Lawrence.

Brushton—Rev. H. J. Felter.

Red Falls and Conesville—Harry Twining.

Keyserkill—Oscar Sharp.

Finch Hollow—Rev. M. R. Blann.

Grosvenor Corners—Lee Lawrence.

Gloversville and Broadalbin—Rev. W. J. C. Vanoss.

Lake Placid—Loren Wilson.

Monticello—Arthur and Helena Shafer.

North Troy—Augusta Engwer.

Northville (Ind.)—Rev. A. E. Blann.

Oneonta—Jasper Hamm.

South Colton—To be supplied.

APPOINTMENTS—Continued

Schenectady—Rev. George L. Payne.
Union Valley—George Becker.
Wells (Ind.)—Rev. Delbert Frasier.
Massena (unorganized)—Lott Shoemaker.
Scotts Patent—Oscar Sharp.

GENERAL EVANGELISTS

Rev. D. E. Wilson and Rev. Alvin Young

HOME MISSIONARIES

Rev. S. S. Tompkins and John London

FOREIGN MISSIONARIES

Rev. Henry Shoemaker and Irene Shoemaker

WITHOUT APPOINTMENT SUBJECT TO CALL

Rev. S. N. Bennett, Rev. Walter Grady, C. W. Schuyler, W. H. Sweeney, Verna Hamlin, Mary Berg, Ethel Wilson
Mrs. C. P. Pridgen.

DEACONESSSES

Mrs. Lee Lawrence, Cora Hill and Verna Hamlin.

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Blann, Rev. A. E., Northville, N. Y.
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Bennett, Rev. S. N., 115 Union Street, Johnson City, N. Y.
Becker, George J., Athens, Pa., R. D. 3.
Engwer, Augusta, 622 Fourth Avenue, Troy, N. Y.
Felter, Rev. H. J., Brushton, N. Y.
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Hill, Cora, Pine Street, Binghamton, N. Y.
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Lawrence, Lee, Mr. and Mrs., Central Bridge, N. Y., R. D. 1.
Palmatier, Grace, 134 Second Street, Albany, N. Y.
Payne, George L., 67 Euclid Avenue, Schenectady, N. Y.
Pridgen, Rev. and Mrs. C. P., 529 State Street, Binghamton, N. Y.
Roy, Lena M., Netcong, N. J.
Sellers, Rev. Geo. M., Hallstead, Pa., R. D.
Shafer, Arthur and Helena, 10 Oakley Avenue, Monticello, N. Y.
Simmons, Rev. S. W., 120 Division Street, Amsterdam, N. Y.
Shoemaker, Rev. W. A., Afton, N. Y.
Shoemaker, Rev. Henry, and Irene, Valdez, Alaska.
Sweeney, W. H., Vermontville, N. Y.
Sharp, Oscar, Middleburg, N. Y., R. D.
Schuyler, Charles W., Central Bridge, N. Y.
Tompkins, Rev. S. S., Afton, N. Y., R. D.
Twining, Harry, Prattsville, N. Y., R. D.
Vanoss, Rev. W. J. C., 12 Academy Place, Gloversville, N. Y.
Wilson, Rev. A. H., 1746 Fourth Street, Rensselaer, N. Y.
Wilson, Rev. D. E., Bangor, N. Y.
Wilson, Ethel, Bangor, N. Y.
Wilson, Loren, Newman, N. Y.
Young, Rev. Alvin, Northville, N. Y.

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 20, 1926

To the Annual Assembly of the New York District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church:

The following is my report as District Superintendent for the year ending April 20, 1926.

I have visited nearly all of the Churches twice during the year. Conditions have arisen at Massena, N. Y., which made it necessary to close temporarily, but we expect to open again in the near future.

A new building has been purchased at Brushton, N. Y., and made over into a comfortable Church with living rooms up stairs. The building at Amsterdam has been remodeled, enlarging the chapel room. At Brookdale, Pa., much needed repairs have been made, which have added to the looks and value of the property. At Monticello, N. Y., concrete walks have been laid around the Church and new seats purchased which has added much to the appearance of the Church. The Churches at Troy and Albany have opened up Missions in the down town districts, and some have already found God. I believe that great good will be done through these works.

Nearly all of the Churches have had revivals during the past year and report very good meetings. The camp meetings throughout the District were owned of God and were a great blessing to many.

Our Home Missionary has had some very discouraging things to labor against, mainly the indifference of this evil age, but God has given victory, for which we are thankful. May the dear Lord help us to keep this work on our hearts. Great opportunities are before us.

The Foreign Missionary work has been looked after very well by most of our Pastors. One thing that has added greatly to Missionary interest in our District, is the two Missionary conventions held at Binghamton and Albany. I am sure that if all of our Churches could have one of these conventions or get in touch with them, that our people would get a greater vision than we have ever had. I trust that the District may have more of these conventions this coming year.

I had charge of the camps at Victory Grove, Binghamton, and did part of the preaching at Vermontville camp. Also preached at

Kingswood, Ky., camp and also held revival meetings at Lake Placid, N. Y.

I received for my services as District Superintendent \$184.37, as evangelist \$370.00.

A. H. WILSON, District Superintendent

LETTER FROM REV. W. H. SHOEMAKER, VALDEZ, ALASKA

To the Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church:

Dear brethren and co-laborers in the vineyard of Christ Jesus.

Greetings and love to all the saints of the Most High, who have gathered at the Annual Assembly. We would certainly enjoy being there and answering the roll call, listen to the reports and Gospel sermons and songs and see the faces of some familiar and some strange, all trying to comprehend the breadth and length and depth and height of the love of Christ which passeth knowledge and grips the heart.

I feel the fire of Pentecost burning as I begin to write, and wish to testify to His goodness, mercy and love, for I have learned that "all things" work together for good and furthermore, that God has supplied, and will supply, all my needs (both temporal and spiritual) according to His riches in glory. I have no particular hard luck story, but I am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed into His keeping, until the sounding of the glorious trumpet and the great summons "Behold the Bridegroom cometh, go ye forth to meet Him."

Considering the past year with the work, pleasure, blessings, disappointments, failures, I feel that we are gaining ground for King Emmanuel, so we feel like saying with Paul "Let us not be weary in well doing for in due season we shall reap if we faint not." Forgetting those things which are behind we press forward to the mark and the prize of the High calling to Christ Jesus. Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, Who for the joy that was set before Him, endured the cross, despising the shame and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

We feel like thanking each of you for the co-operation, the prayers, the gifts and the love that prompted the same; all of which I hope will bring forth one hundred fold in the upbuilding of the kingdom of our God.

We are encouraged somewhat and are believing for greater things, but above all things we are looking for the soon coming of King Jesus, when the saints come marching home. I can say with David, "I shall be satisfied when I awake in Thy likeness."

God bless you and continue His blessing until we meet at Jesus' feet.

Yours in His service,

REV. W. H. SHOEMAKER

Statistical Report

Preaching services, two on Sunday; Sunday School and jail services, every Sunday. Prayer meetings, one or two a week. One revival. Sold over \$300 worth of Bibles and literature. Three funerals. One marriage. Calls, no record.

Mr. Shoemaker

Financial Report from March, 1925 to March, 1926

Received through the Board of Kingswood	\$740 00
(This is the \$60 a month from New York plus \$20 that was sent in during the year from other sources)	
Birthday and Christmas money received	80 25
Money received from Valdez Church	129 00
Money received direct from persons in the United States	25 00
Money received from Skagway people.....	20 00
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Total	\$994 25

There was also about \$20 or \$25 extra given by different ones to help pay Mr. Shoemaker's traveling expenses this last summer. This, with his profit from book selling just about covered his expenses. His extra expense and the expense of Mrs. Shoemaker and children and freight from Skagway to Valdez was paid out of our savings. This was around or above \$100.00. And as usual we paid the taxes on the Skagway Mission. We keep an account of our tithe, but not of extra offerings, so cannot tell you exactly what we have given this past year. Also \$20 or \$30 has been given us to forward to other places, as Africa or Japan, etc.

Finances kept account of and reported by

Mrs. Shoemaker

LETTER FROM MRS. W. H. SHOEMAKER, ALASKA

Dear Friends: You are wondering many things about us away off in Alaska. There are many things I want to say but shall have to confine myself to the more important ones. Last July Mr. Shoemaker left Skagway for a missionary trip along the coast as far west as Kodiak. Intending to settle wherever he found a promising place. In September he wired me to pack and come to Valdez. I sold what chickens I could and secured Rev. Bolland from Douglas Alaska, to take charge of the Skagway mission temporarily. He belongs to a different church, and we can only send him a small sum of money each month. But he thought it was a call from the Lord for bigger service at that time and so accepted gladly. He works at the hotel there for his meals, so we know he does not suffer. We left him several chickens and I expect he profits a little from them. We always did. He is past middle age, a widower; devout and energetic in the Lord's work. Pray for him. Also pray that God will send someone to keep open that mission after he leaves.

I and the two babies all enjoyed (?) a small dose of seasickness on our trip across the Gulf of Alaska. We traveled three days and nights.

We are temporarily in the Congregational church here, as Valdez has had no resident Protestant minister for years. This is more on the order of a community or union church. Especially the Sunday School which is well attended by the children. We live in the parsonage, a one and a half story house of five rooms, and also boasts a bath. Every room and closet is wired for electricity and there are many electrical conveniences here. We have a small portable electric heater and it is on account of it that I can say that this is the first winter in my life that I haven't had to get up in the morning in a cold house, at least most of the time.

Our winter has been very mild this year. We have about three feet of snow now. Have only had a few days of below zero weather. Has been 20 to 30 degrees above zero most of the time.

Mr. Shoemaker made his report of meetings, etc. You perhaps may wonder what I have had to do. During Mr. Shoemaker's absence last summer I had charge of the mission service, and rather enjoyed it. Also had some meetings in Juneau last fall. I teach a class of Sunday School girls. Also have a sewing class for them. Preach occasionally, or play the organ, or do whatever I can in helping out in the regular services. I do most of

the corresponding and send monthly reports to Kingswood, Ky. Do all my own housework and sewing, etc. Make quite a few calls every month and entertain others in our home often. During February we saw two of our Sunday School children converted. We like to plan great things for our Alaska Christian young folks. I pray that some of them may get the vision of greater things and of glorious service in the King's work.

God is in our midst and we hope for great things from Him. We praise Him for health and the blessing of friends. And we thank you for all gifts of money and prayer or otherwise.

God bless you, every one.

MRS. W. H. SHOEMAKER.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

The following is the report of the Auditing Committee:

We have audited the following books: Missionary, correct; Camp Meeting, correct; Conference Branch, correct; Home Missionary, correct.

The District Treasurer's book has the following mistakes: On page 75, a mistake of 20 cents in addition; on page 76, a mistake of \$40.10 in addition; on page 77, a mistake of \$3 in addition. We find two checks which have not been listed, one of \$3.56 and another of \$11.46. On page 76 the Monticello claims should be \$28 instead of \$24, and the Conesville \$20 instead of \$22. Page 77, item of \$6 should be \$7.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUSTA ENGWER
MAUDE PAYNE
HELENA SHAFER

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE NEW YORK DISTRICT PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

District Treasurer's Report

Assets

Victory Grove camp meeting grounds and equipment..	\$ 10,000 00
Port Dickinson camp meeting ground and equipment..	9,000 00
Building lot No. 111, Hillcrest	750 00
Cemetery lot, Chenango Valley Cemetery	175 00
Total assets	\$ 19,929 00

Liabilities

Mortgage Victory Grove camp ground.....	\$ 2,825 00
Mortgage Port Dickinson camp ground.....	1,200 00
	<u>4,025 00</u>
Total assets	\$ 15,904 00

Receipts

Balance from former Treasurer, April 1, 1925.....	\$ 661 00
Conference offerings, Lake Placid	448 29
Conference claims	752 00
Total receipts	\$ 1,861 29

Disbursements

Expense District Assembly	\$ 314 07
District Council expense, traveling, etc.....	293 06
To general work	323 24
General Superintendent	107 75
Paid interest and indebtedness.....	297 66
Printing Minutes of Assembly.....	70 00
	<u>1,439 03</u>
Balance on hand	\$ 422 26

BINGHAMTON CAMP MEETING REPORT

April 1, 1925, to March 31, 1926

Receipts

Balance from last year	\$ 2 89
Offerings and dining room box during camp	1,394 32
Pledges turned in	617 50
Rents from tents, etc.....	254 72
Total receipts	\$ 2,269 43
Total disbursements	2,061 21
Balance on hand	\$ 208 22

Disbursements

To interest	\$ 72 00
To insurance	34 18
Work on camp ground and bridge	43 25
Rent for tents and hauling.....	179 00
Cook and helpers	99 00
Missionary work	174 02
Rescue work	254 00
Lumber for seats	79 24
Windows for tabernacle	8 00
To preachers	465 00
Provisions and camp expenses...	653 22
Total disbursements	\$ 2,061 21

M. R. BLANN, Secretary-Treasurer

FINANCIAL REPORT SEC.-TREAS. FOR HOME MISSIONS

Cash Received by Secretary-Treasurer for Home Missions

Albany	\$100 00	D. Stuart	\$ 5 00
Amsterdam	69 50	Sr. Kibler	9 00
Binghamton	47 45	A. Young	12 00
Conesville	10 04	Mrs. Preston	1 00
E. Dickinson	153 00	W. R. Cox	10 09
Finch Hollow	62 46	A. E. Blann	12 00
Gloversville	41 00	D. Frasier	12 00
Keyserkill	3 00	H. J. Felter	24 00
Monticello	45 68		
North Troy	41 50	Total	\$ 85 00
Oneonta	16 00		
Red Falls	13 67		
Scott's Patent	13 00		
Union Valley	18 50		
Total	\$634 80		

Conference Bro. Treasurer

\$ 50 00
100 00
100 00
100 00
100 00

Total..\$450 00

Meetings

Wells	\$ 5 00
Blenheim	37 32
Broadalbin	40 00
Wells	29 81
Broadalbin	2 00
Brushton	55 92
Lakewood	1 63
Afton	33 46
Total	\$205 14

Grand Total\$1,374 94

Disbursement of Money by Home Missionary Treasurer

To H. J. Felter	\$ 1,081 60
For expenses	189 54
To Alvin Young	50 00
Total	\$ 1,321 14
Total money received	\$ 1,374 94
Total disbursements	1,321 14
Balance on hand	\$ 53 80

A. E. BLANN, Sec.-Treas.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY REPORT

For Year Beginning April 1, 1925, Ending March 31, 1926

On hand beginning of the year	\$ 245 31
Received during the year	5,077 67
Total for the year	\$ 5,323 98
Disbursed during the year	3,933 84
Balance on hand	\$ 1,389 14

Disbursements

Africa—

To W. E. Reed	\$ 875 00
To W. A. Grunberg	380 00
To Piet	90 00
To Hezekiah	120 00
To Anna, native teacher	119 00
To girls' dormitory	28 80
	\$ 1,613 79

West Indies—

To J. Baker	\$ 180 00
To George Surbrook	121 63
To O. L. King	187 69
To Alice Coone	11 00
To Paul Ford	171 68
	672 00

India—

To A. H. Howard	\$ 120 00
To F. Young, for child	36 00
Not designated	13 00
	169 00

Oriental Missionary Society—

To China	\$ 50 00
To Japan	20 00
To Korea	25 00
Not designated	35 00
	130 00

Alaska—

To W. H. Shoemaker	760 00
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Missionaries on furlough—

To Lena M. Roy	31 00
To E. Purdy	45 00

General Missionary Board—

Not designated	511 65
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VERNA HAMLIN, Sec. Treas.

EVANGELISTIC WORKERS

	Sermons	Prayer Meetings	Calls	No. Revivals	Regenerations	Sanctifications	Annointed	Marriage
D. E. Wilson	312		68	19	1,185		30	
Alvin Young	125			22	92		10	
H. J. Felton	250	12	85	15	200			1
Ethel E. Wilson	38		30	5	34			
Lena Roy	11		3					
Verna Hamlin	6	18	127					
Mary Berg	50		75					
Walter Grady	25			1				
A. E. Blann	142	52	153	4				
Delbert Frasier	104	52	355	2				
Totals	1,073	134	899	68	1,511		40	1

EVANGELISTIC WORKERS—Continued

	Funerals	Books read	Subs. to Adv.	Cash Support	Donations	Totals	Expenses	Miles Traveled	Tithes in Churches
D. E. Wilson		26	52	\$2,445 37		\$2,445 37	\$448 77	16,000	Yes
Alvin Young				1,611 90		1,611 90	125 00		Yes
H. J. Felton	3			1,300 00	60 00	1,360 00		5,000	Yes
Ethel E. Wilson		2	10	116 75		116 75	25 00		Yes
Lena Roy				50 00	93 90	143 90			Yes
Verna Hamlin		11			25 00	25 00			Yes
Mary Berg					64 00	64 00			Yes
Walter Grady	1			80 00		80 00			Yes
A. E. Blann	4		4	1,487 44	334 41	1,821 85		12,000	Yes
Delbert Frasier	2			674 39		674 39			Yes
Totals	12	47	56	\$7,765 85	\$577 31	\$8,343 16	\$598 77	22,200	

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

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Church Names	Pastors	No. Churches	Church Buildings	Under Construction	This Year Organized	Parsonages	Preaching Services	Church Prayer Meetings	Cottage Prayer Meetings	Total Number Services	Dropped Members	Members Transferred	Deaths
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	1	1	0	0	1	156	52		208	8	0	1
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	1	1	0	0	1	92	39	4	135	2	0	0
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....	1	1	0	0	1	132	88		220	4	0	0
Brooky Hollow...	G. L. Payne.....	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	1	0
Broadalbin.....	W. J. C. Vanoss..	1	0	0	0	0	56	50	24	130	4	0	0
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	1	1	0	0	0	60		8	68	1	2	0
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	1	1	0	0	0	32		6	38	0	0	0
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	1	3	1	0	1	116	25	16	157	8	0	0
Finch Hollow...	M. R. Biann.....	1	1	0	0	1	100	40	1	141	1	2	0
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss..	1	0	0	0	0	100	50	24	174	2	1	0
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....	1	1	0	0	1	99	45	0	144	4	1	0
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	1	1	0	0	1	60	0	17	77	6	0	0
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....						37	27	7	71			
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....	1	1	0	0	1	66	33	21	120	1	0	1
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	1	1	0	0	1	260	96	48	464	1	1	0
Ononta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	1	1	0	0	1	104	52	30	186	2	1	0
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	1	1	0	0	0	78	40	33	151	9	0	0
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	1	1	0	0	1	98	32	12	132	4	5	1
Scotts Patent...	Geo. Sellers.....	1	1	0	0	1	27			27	1	0	0
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	1	1	0	0		45	25	14	84	0	0	0
		19	18	1	0	12	1,738	694	265	2,687	58	14	3
South Colton...		1	1	0	0	1							
Grosvenor Cors		1	1	0	0	0							
		21	20	1		13							

* This report is incomplete.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Church Names	Pastors	Total Removals	Additions by Profession of Faith	Additions by Letter	Net Gain	Net Loss	Members	Sermons Preached By Pastors	Pastoral Calls On Members	Pastoral Calls On Others	Total Calls	Revivals On Charge	Revivals Off Charge
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	9	7	0		2	60	125	75		75	2	0
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	2	1	1			26	92	106		106	1	
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen.....	4	11	3	10		54	88	229	172	401	2	1
Brooky Hollow..	G. L. Payne.....	1	0	0		1	10	20					
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss...	4	0	0		4	3	40	32			2	
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	3	0	0		3	11	48	56	14	70	1	3
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	0	0	0			9	35	20	2	22	0	0
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	8	7	0		1	23	80	90		90	1	1
Finch Hollow...	M. R. Blann.....	3	6	0	3		25	107	66	37	103	1	0
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss...	3	0	2		1	19	45	32			0	
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....	5	0	1		4	14	99	50			1	1
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	6	1	1		4	27	47	50	10	60	1	0
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....						5	37	13		13		
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....	2	6	0	4		30	66	75		75	1	
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	2	4	0	6		26	107	121		121	1	
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	3	2	2	1		35	150				1	
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	9	6	1		2	9	88	12	57	69	1	
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	10	0	2		8	12	64	202		202		
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers...	1	0	0		1	12	27					
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	0	3	1	4		18	45	60	29	89	1	
		75	54	17	28	31	428	1,410	1,289	321	1,610	17	6
South Corton...							9						
Grosvenor Cors							8						

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Church Names	Pastors	Professed Regeneration On Charge	Regeneration Off Charge	Professed Sanctification On Charge	Off Charge	Annointed or Prayed with for Healing	Baptisms	Marriages	Funerals	Children Dedicated	Subscriptions to Advocate	Members Taking the Advocate	Number of Tithers	No. Tithing in P. H. Church	Tithers placing part elsewhere
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson					12	12	1	1	3					
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	31				6	0	0	3	0					
Binghamton...	C. P. Bridgen....	221				61	0	4	5	0	23				
Brookly Hollow..	G. L. Payne.....											5	10	8	2
Broadalbin.....	W. J. C. Vanoss..														
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker..	10	10	10	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	2	0
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	2				2	0	0	0	0		2	4	4	0
East Dickinson..	J. Hamm.....	80	23			10	7	0	2	0	0	7			
Finch Hollow...	M. R. Blann.....	16	0	3	0	9	0	0	1	0	7				
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss..														
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....						12	0	6	0	3				
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	90				15	0	0		1	4				
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....	3		2								1			
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....	14		7		15		1	1	0	1	6			
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	57		37		20	1	0	0	0	8				
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	55				5	10	0	0	0					
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	66										1	2	2	
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	1				12	5	0	0	0		5	8	6	2
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers.....						5								
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	2		3		1	0	0	3		6	9	6		2
		648	33	62	4	173	52	6	25	4	57	38	32	22	6

South Coiton...
Grosvenor Cors

* This report is incomplete.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Church Names	Pastors	Tithing Pastors	Pastors Tithing in P. H. Church	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deaconesses	Local Preachers	Training for Ministry	Training for Missions	Sunday Schools	Sunday School Enrollment	S. S. Officers and Teachers
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	1	1			1			1	1		5
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	1	1				2			1	29	2
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	74	10
Brook Hollow...	G. L. Payne.....	1	1									
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss..	1	1							1	14	5
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	1	1	0	0		3	1		1	31	3
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	1	1	0	0					1	17	3
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	1	1							1		4
Finch Hollow..	M. R. Biann.....	1	1							1	59	8
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss..	1	1	2			2	1		1	45	6
Keyserkill....	Geo. Sellers.....			1						1		4
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	1	1							1	63	7
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence....	1	1									
Monticello....	H. Shafer.....	2	2							1	27	8
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	1	1	1		1	1	1	1	2	59	7
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	1	1							1	36	7
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	1	1							1	17	6
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	1	1		1					1	12	6
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers.....			1						1	12	3
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	1	1							1	46	9
		19	19	6	5	3	10	4	3	19	541	112

Grosvenor Cors
South Coiton...

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH

Church Names	Pastors	Average S. S. Attendance	Young People's Societies	Y. P. S. Enrollment	Y. P. S. Meetings	Pastor's Support In Cash	Pastor's Support In Donations	Church Budgets
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	30	1		12	\$1,640 00		
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	21				1,411 61	\$54 46	
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....	43	1		45	1,475 12	197 45	
Brooky Hollow.	G. L. Payne.....					282 57	9 25	
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss...	11				270 86	13 10	
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	23	1		33	501 23	57 23	
Conesville....	H. Twining.....	12				141 52	50 45	
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	20	1	15	12	504 98	105 73	
Finch Hollow..	M. R. Biann.....	27	1		40	1,038 38		
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss...	30			98	571 00		
Keyserkill....	Geo. Sellers.....	20				388 92	84 50	
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	31				200 59	104 56	
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....					45 00	15 00	
Monticello....	H. Shafer.....	15				722 48	113 89	
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	40	1	30	51	1,113 48	84 28	
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tempkins...	25				846 57		
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	16				205 81	78 51	\$9 81
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	10				442 02	228 38	
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers.....	12				129 68	245 32	
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	23				533 09	96 13	
		409	6	45	291	\$12,524 91	\$1,638 24	\$9 81

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Church Names	Pastors	District Superintendent's Support	General Supt. and General Church Work	Evangelists' Support	Paid on Indebtedness	Paid on Improvements
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson		\$15 50	\$389 63		
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	10 00	6 50	31 00	160 00	
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....	26 43	10 50	293 07	376 95	205 81
Brooky Hollow.	G. L. Payne.....		2 75			
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss..	1 77	1 25			
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	6 65	3 50	29 10	67 00	60 20
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	1 50	2 25			
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	13 45	6 00	87 25		
Finch Hollow..	M. R. Biann.....	14 16	5 50	75 00	100 00	63 98
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss..	6 75	5 00			
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....	15 00	4 00	150 00	130 00	10 76
Lake Placid*..	L. F. Wilson.....	9 82	6 75	121 41		27 00
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....	7 00		9 75		
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....	20 53	13 00	68 13	272 88	382 99
North Troy.....	A. Engwer.....	5 79	5 00	150 00	200 00	20 00
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	18 12	8 75	127 36		
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	6 73	50	77 74		48 87
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....		4 50			47 30
Scotts Patent.	Geo. Sellers.....	20 55	3 25		50 00	
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	10 00	3 50	116 75		29 00
		\$194 25	\$108 00	\$1,726 19	\$1,356 83	\$895 91

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Church Names	Pastors	Paid on Erecting New Buildings	Paid to Home Missions	Paid to Foreign Missions	Paid to Bible Schools	Paid to Rescue Homes
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	\$228 16	\$171 00	\$1,012 98	\$7 75	\$15 75
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...		69 50	145 41	6 50	3 25
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....		290 46	588 13	51 45	33 50
Brooky Hollow..	G. L. Payne.....			42 25	1 38	7 75
Broadalbin.....	W. J. C. Vanoss..		109 10	60 00	63	1 25
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker..			102 65	1 75	2 50
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....		9 58	22 28	1 08	2 25
East Dickinson..	J. Hamm.....		154 00	126 00	3 00	6 00
Finch Hollow...	M. R. Blann.....		62 33	315 79	290 75	5 50
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss...		37 00	186 46	2 50	5 00
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....		13 00	41 36	2 00	4 00
Lake Placid*....	L. F. Wilson.....			9 59	3 37	6 75
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....					
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....		45 68	140 88		6 50
North Troy.....	A. Engwer.....		489 45	634 17	2 50	535 00
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...			83 82	4 37	8 75
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....		12 37	31 78	25	50
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....			29 95	2 25	4 50
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers.....		73 00	5 00	1 63	3 25
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....		13 50	61 83	1 75	3 50
		\$228 16	\$1,489 97	\$3,645 33	\$384 91	\$656 50

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Church Names	Pastors	Paid to Orphanages	To Gen. Church Publishing Interests	Paid Rent	Paid for Incidentals	Paid for Expenses	Regular Offerings by S. S.
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	\$68 50	\$44 50		\$491 77		\$103 23
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...	16 60	25 00		\$571 70	\$44 34	\$171 08
Binghamton...	C. P. Bridgen.....	42 65	5 25		1,925 17	52 08	145 97
Brooky Hollow.	G. L. Payne.....	18 75	4 37		11 80		
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss...	1 25	62	145 00	88 34	59 52	59 83
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.	11 10	2 75	48 00	40 48	23 05	26 64
Conesville....	H. Twining.....	5 25	1 17	31 86	65 11	6 20	5 75
East Dickinson.	J. Hamm.....	6 00	3 00	70 00	24 00	18 13	23 97
Finch Hollow..	M. R. Biann.....	32 25	2 75		372 27	46 97	174 93
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss...	5 00	2 50	622 50	58 68	34 32	63 22
Keyserkill....	Geo. Sellers.....	18 36	2 00		24 28	4 98	5 62
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	6 75	3 38		645 99		19 15
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....			90 73			
Monticello....	H. Shafer.....	24 25	6 50		492 76	21 14	21 98
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	91 00	11 50		514 98	48 66	50 18
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	8 75	4 38		335 27	30 95	41 48
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	6 68	25	25 00	31 01	10 50	22 08
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	13 50	5 25		745 36	16 23	19 27
Scotts Patent.	Geo. Sellers.....	19 06	15 62		155 90	1 10	4 27
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	3 50	1 75		3 70	22 03	56 96
		\$399 20	\$142 54	\$1,033 09	\$6,599 18	\$440 20	\$1,015 61

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Church Names	Pastors	Birthday Offerings by S. S.	Special Offerings by S. S.	Amt. Received By Y. P. Soc.	Amt. Received By Church	Total Receipts
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	\$	97	\$786 53	\$4,085 54	\$4,970 30
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons...					2,655 57
Binghamton...	C. P. Pridgen....	\$15 12	51 50		4,068 46	5,863 17
Brooky Hollow...	G. L. Payne.....				391 87	391 87
Broadalbin....	W. J. C. Vanoss..					695 22
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker.				867 28	913 69
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....				283 85	291 48
East Dickinson..	J. Hamm.....				1,222 00	1,328 34
Finch Hollow... M. R. Biann.....			12 27		990 02	2,333 33
Gloversville... W. J. C. Vanoss..					1,539 32	1,581 37
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....				622 64	898 18
Lake Placid*... L. F. Wilson.....					876 71	1,231 37
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....					167 48
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....				2,057 67	2,057 67
North Troy.....	A. Engwer.....	12 77	288 73		3,292 72	1,466 59
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins...	26	16 39		1,611 71	1,615 63
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....				433 34	480 42
Schenectady... G. L. Payne.....					884 67	1,329 43
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers....				129 68	514 79
Union Valley... Geo. Becker.....					827 14	927 57
		\$28 15	\$369 86	\$781 53	\$24,094 62	\$34,749 87

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Church Names	Pastors	Total Paid Out	Balance On Hand	Value Church Property	Total Indebtedness
Albany.....	Rev. A. H. Wilson	\$4,967 42	\$2 88	18,000 00	\$1,650 00
Amsterdam....	S. W. Simmons....	2,357 90	297 67	15,000 00	2,324 00
Binghamton...	C. P. Bridgen....	5,890 90	2 27	28,400 00	5,530 41
Brooky Hollow..	G. L. Payne.....	391 87	0		
Broadalbin.....	W. J. C. Vanoss....	693 17	2 05	700 00	
Brookdale.....	W. A. Shoemaker..	910 11	2 98	2,000 00	35 00
Conesville.....	H. Twining.....	262 77	21 71	950 00	
East Dickinson..	J. Hamm.....	1,328 34	0	2,200 00	1,500 00
Finch Hollow...	M. R. Biann.....	2,329 74	5 59	5,800 00	585 00
Gloversville...	W. J. C. Vanoss....	1,502 39	79 48	100 00	
Keyserkill.....	Geo. Sellers.....	898 18	0	2,000 00	425 00
Lake Placid*...	L. F. Wilson.....	1,054 04	177 33	10,000 00	3,025 00
Massena*.....	L. Lawrence.....	167 48			
Monticello.....	H. Shafer.....	2,025 41	32 26	11,000 00	2,525 00
North Troy....	A. Engwer.....	4,208 83	207 76	7,000 00	1,000 00
Oneonta.....	S. S. Tompkins....	1,610 87	13 74	6,000 00	2,350 00
Red Falls.....	H. Twining.....	470 28	10 14	800 00	
Schenectady...	G. L. Payne.....	1,406 06		9,000 00	2,700 00
Scotts Patent..	Geo. Sellers.....		42 75	1,000 00	200 00
Union Valley...	Geo. Becker.....	923 27	6 30	2,000 00	
		\$32,399 03	\$904 91	\$122,050 00	\$23,859 41
		Binghamton Camp		9,000 00	1,200 00
		Victory Grove Camp		10,000 00	2,750 00

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RECAPITULATION

Total Receipts	Total Disbursements	Balance	Valuation	Debt
\$34,749 87	\$33,399 03	\$904 91	\$122,050 00	\$23,859 41
2,269 43	2,061 21	208 22	10,000 00	1,200 00
8,343 16	598 77	53 80	9,000 00	2,750 00
\$45,362 46	\$36,059 01	\$2,556 07	\$141,050 00	\$27,809 41

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