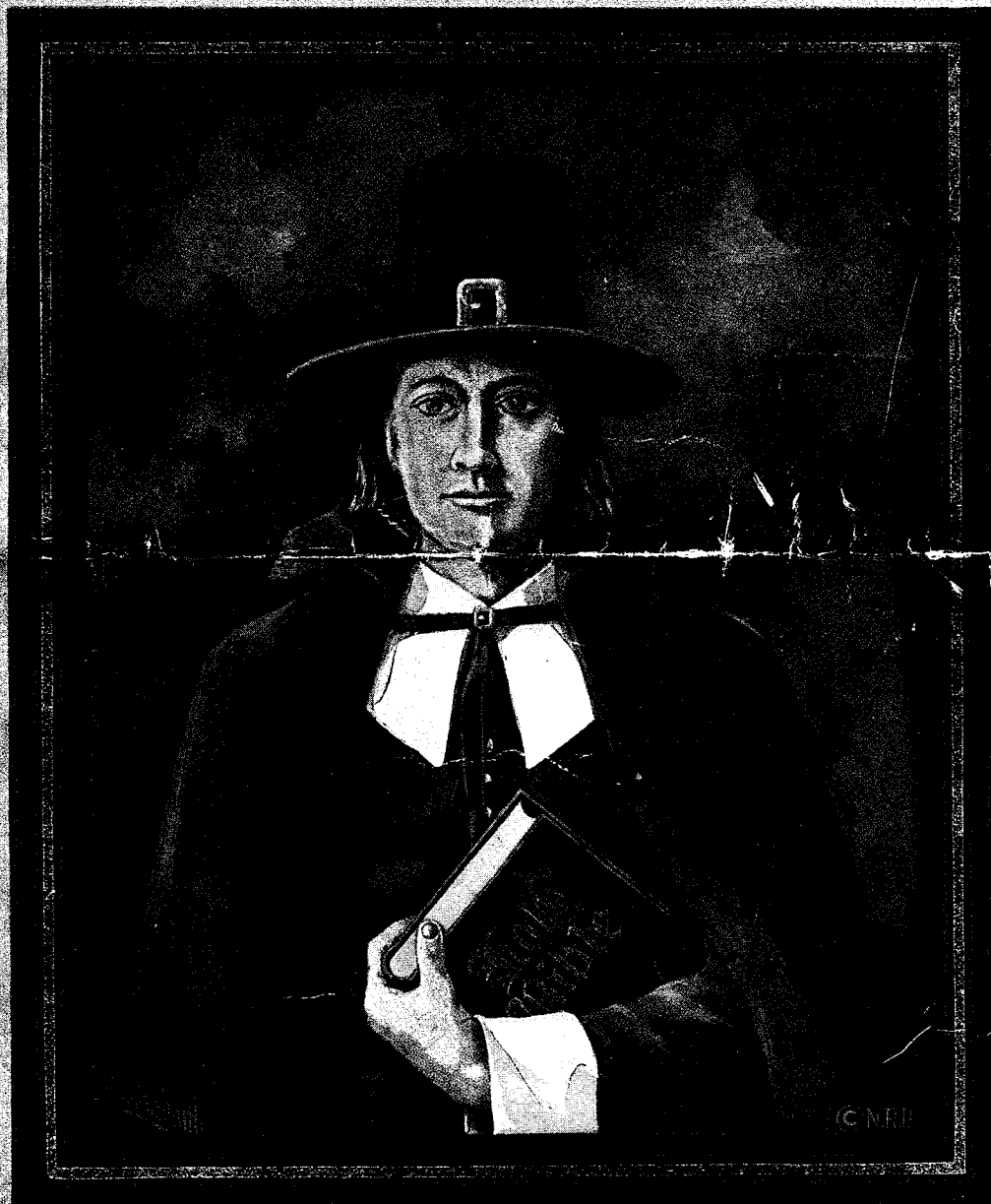


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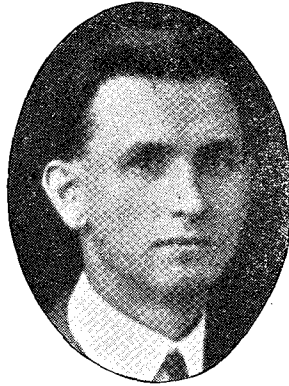


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OBITUARY



REV. JAMES FLOYD CARROLL,
Soldier, Ky.

We honor our noble dead, and cherish their memory while their life of FAITHFULNESS lives on in the lives of others after they have quit the walks of life.

Rev. James Floyd Carroll, was born September 29th, 1893, and departed this life December 9th, 1927, age 33 years, 2 months, and 20 days. "A SINNER SAVED BY GRACE," he called himself. He was wild and reckless in his youth, and met with an accident which made him a cripple for life, having to wear a cork limb.

He was gloriously converted under the ministry of Rev. Warren Posey, and was soon after called to preach the Gospel. A few years later he was Sanctified wholly in a cottage prayer meeting in the home of Bro. and Sr. Vincent at Soldier.

He was a barber by trade, but soon after he was Sanctified he quit his trade and went into the ministry. God wonderfully blessed his labors in the salvation of many souls. While he was pastor at Inez, he lost his wife, leaving him with three small children. His wife's maiden name was Roberta Wescott. They were united in marriage in 1919. He afterward married Miss Sherly Dalton, Cassie, Post Office, West Virginia, and a few months later he died of Tuberculosis in his home at Soldier, Ky.

His eldest child, Jenny V., is in Bethel Orphan Home at Kingswood; Margie is with her aunt at Soldier; little Raymond is with his grandmother, at

Soldier, and Infant Floyd Justine is with her mother at Cassie, W. Va.

In his last hours he admonished his friends and all that came to see him, to get right with God. Truly he was a marvel of Divine GRACE, A GOD called Preacher. He had so lived as to win the confidence of the town and surrounding community. We as a church, cherish his memory. His last message to us was from Phillipians 3:13-14.—Jenny V. Vincent, Soldier, Ky.

We as a district, lovingly dedicate this page to the memory of our deceased brothers. May their lives live on and in the lives of those they have helped and blessed, and be passed on down through the generations until the PERFECT DAY.

OUR HONORED DEAD.

Rev. James Floyd Carroll

Rev. H. N. Brown

Rev. Orth F. McCune

"They shall grow not old
As we that left grow old.
Age shall not weary them
Nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun
And in the morning
We will remember them."

J. Thos. Johnson,

Kingswood, Ky.

FORWORD.

To the Kentucky Pilgrims: Greetings:

Another District Assembly has come and gone. At this Assembly there was some good business transacted, which, if carried out, will certainly advance the work of the Pilgrim Holiness Church in the Kentucky District.

The great field in which you have to labor for the Master, and the splendid impression which our church has made upon the citizens of your State, should furnish sufficient grounds for you to be sufficiently encouraged to do more this year than any previous year.

To do this, like accomplishing any other noble task, will require work—hard work, but there should be no task that is a Christian one, that should be considered too hard. Therefore it should be hoped that both the ministry and the laity will work harder that the work of the Lord in your hands may prosper more than it ever has in the past.

Merely doing the same things over, or being satisfied with the present accomplishments is not the spirit of a New Testament Christian. While we should use our knees and our money, let us not fail to engage the best ability we possess and thus adopt the most constructive methods that are available in carrying on the work. God has given us judgment and He wants us to use it.

The Pilgrim Holiness Church is a long way from the danger of getting heady. In fact we do not use our brains as much as we should. It is a proved fact that in most instances where Satan gets into the Lord's work, is at the breach of failure in doing good business. All that is necessary to convince one of this fact is to refer to the best churches and the ones getting along with the most progress and victory, and you will find that they give attention to the business side of their work.

With all of our necessities there is scarcely anything needed more than real revivals in all of our churches. It will come more nearly settling all of our difficulties than any other one thing that can come. A church should have at least two revivals a year, and four would not hurt any of them.

Each church should not fail to take good care of its pastor. If this is well done it not only honors the Lord, but gives the under shepherd of the flock the opportunity to devote his entire time to the care of the flock. The laity should not forget its individual duty to the support of the pastor nor to the church itself. Loyalty to the church is a requirement of each member and he should not feel free to attend services at other churches when his own has services at the same hour. Neither should he feel at liberty to place his money to the support of other causes to the neglect of his own church. It is not necessary to carry the relationship to the extent of becoming ecclesiastical, but we are a long way from that point of danger. We should therefore keep well in mind the vow which we made when we united with the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Our young people should be kept well in mind and every constructive method adopted to win them for the church and the service of the Lord. The church which fails to win young people to its membership is too nearly a failure. The cause of Christ proper-

Andrew Qualls, Edna Mae Franklyn, George Conley, ly represented to our young people will appeal to them.

It would be a great victory at our next Annual Assembly for every church in the Kentucky District to have a young people's society represented.

Let us study the work of the Lord and plan to make our efforts more fruitful than ever before.

W. R. COX,

Gen. Supt. P. H. Church.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

District Superintendent—Rev. Raymond Simpson, Olive Hill, Ky.

Assistant Superintendent—Rev. Elwood P. Qualls, Ashland, Ky.

District Secretary—Miss Jenny V. Vincent, Soldier, Ky.

District Treasurer—Mrs. Bettie Foster, Olive Hill, Ky.

Advisory Members—Rev. Earl DuLaney, Ashland, Ky.; Rev. P. Williams, Covington, Ky.; Rev. J. Thos. Johnson, Kingswood, Ky.

Examining Board—Rev. J. Orvan Keller (Term three years); Rev. J. Thos. Johnson, (Term two years); Rev. S. M. Stikeleather, (Term one year).

District Foreign Mission Secretary—Jenny V. Vincent, Soldier, Ky.

Board of Home Missions—Rev. Raymond Simpson, Olive Hill, Ky.; Rev. Elwood, P. Qualls, Ashland, Ky.; Miss Jenny V. Vincent, Soldier, Ky.; Rev. C. C. Brown, Kingswood, Ky.; Rev. B. H. Lucas, Hitchens, Ky.

Board of Education—Rev. Walter Sirbrook, Rev. W. D. Foster, Rev. Chas. L. Slater.

Resolution Committee—Rev. P. Williams, Rev. T. R. Powell, Rev. Raymond Simpson.

Statistical Committee—Rev. L. A. Williams, Miss Mary Ellen Collins, Mr. Chas. Youmans.

Reception Committee—Rev. Floyd Howell, Rev. J. Lennie Estes, Chas. Youmans.

Auditing Committee—Miss Jennie V. Vincent, Rev. Mrs. L. A. Williams, Mrs. Ruth Forsythe.

DELEGATES IN ATTENDANCE AT THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY, CONVENED AT KINGSWOOD, KY., AUG. 29, SEPT. 2, 1927.

Ordained Ministers.

R. G. Finch, J. Thos. Johnson, J. Orvan Keller, B. H. Lucas, Raymond Simpson, S. M. Stikeleather, Plennie Williams, Mrs. P. Williams, L. A. Williams, John Butler, Earl DuLaney, S. R. Maddox, W. H. Biller, C. L. Wireman, E. P. Qualls, John McNurlin.

Licensed Ministers.

L. S. Adams, C. W. Dugins, J. Lennie Estes, Mrs. Elmer Hanna, Everett Leadingham, Mrs. Gussie Simpson, Mrs. L. A. Williams, J. A. Wisner, W. D. Foster, Floyd Howell, Denver Musser, B. P. Lowe.

Local Ministers.

Thomas Alexander, Preston Hunnicut, William Marksberry, Corda Alice May, Mollie May, Charles Kells, Lawrence Steel, Cecil H. Glass, Glenn Van-Hook, Boyd Allen.

Church Delegates.

Ida Jones, Anna Bell Hubbard, Mrs. Verni Craig, Mrs. J. F. Yarbrough, Mrs. Ruth Forsythe, Mrs.

Harlis Day, Charles Youmans, Edna Mae Meadows, W. R. Baynum, Mary Ellen Collins, Margie Stanley, Mrs. Martha Keaton, C. L. Renfroe, Mrs. Carrie Clark.

S. S. Delegates.

Gertie Vincent, Carrie Hubbard, Bettie Foster, Mary Qualls, Lola Emmons, Mrs. Harlis Day, Mrs. D. J. Harrington, Mrs. C. E. Posey, Eunice List, Mrs. Bessie McLaughlin, Mrs. Susan Alexander, Paul Finch, Mrs. C. L. Renfroe, T. S. Wamsley.

Deaconesses.

Mrs. J. Thos. Johnson, Mrs. Josie Wamsley, Mrs. Zelma Keller, Miss Mary Qualls, Miss Minnie Weaver, Myrtle Prewton.

LICENSED MINISTERS.

First Year Course of Study.

Alexander Thomas, Rush, Ky.
Brown, Frank, Frankfort, Ind.
Bassett, Murrill, Martinsville, Ill.
Creamer, C. C., Frankfort, Ind.
Dawn, Mrs. Kennie, Clinton, Tenn.
Duggins, C. W., Kingswood, Ky.
Estes, Lennie, Soldier, Ky.
Hamilton, J. D., Inez, Ky.
Holbrook, O. C., Gregoryville, Ky.
Hanna, Mrs. Elmor, Kingswood, Ky.
Jesse, J. W., Wesleyville, Ky.
Kelly, Harve, Jariel, Ky.
Layne, John, Sta. A., Williamson, W. Va.
Lowe, B. P., Unity, Ky.
Leadingham, Everett, Rush, Ky.
McBrayer, Luther, Rush, Ky.
Posey, Curtis, Rush, Ky.
May, Mollie, R. 1., Box 119, Ashland, Ky.
May Corda, Alice, R. 1, Box 119, Ashland, Ky.
Perry, E. A., Warfield, Ky.
Pack, J. M., Ashland, Ky.
Qualls, Andrew, Ashland, Ky.
Simpson, Gussie, Olive Hill, Ky.
Tucker, James, Maysville, Ky.
Van Hook, Glen, 16 W. 36th street, Latonia, Ky.

Second Year.

Adams, L. S., Kingswood, Ky.
Bishop, Thomas, 17 Alberta street, Ludlow, Ky.
Glass, Cecil H., Rockdale, Ky.
Koon, Mary, Glendale, Ky.
McCune, Mrs. O. F., Kingswood, Ky.
Williams, Mrs. L. A., R. 3, Covington, Ky.

Third Year.

Buntain, Clara, Kingswood, Ky.
Fowler, Bertha, Kingswood, Ky.
Foster, W. D., Kingswood, Ky.

PREACHERS TRANSFERED.

Anthony, Carey A., to the Southern District.
Baynum, J. C., to the West Virginia District.
Isam, Ira, to the Church of the Nazarene.
McCune, O. F., to the Indiana District.
Price, A. A., to the Maryland District.
Smith, J. A., to the Rocky Mountain District.
Wade, L. R., to the Church of the Nazarene.

PREACHERS RECEIVED.

Allen, Henderson, licensed.
Biller, W. H., from the Virginia District.
Buntain, Clara, from the Wesleyan Church.

Bassett, licensed.

Elkins, T. A., licensed.

Fowler, Bertha, from M. E. Church.

May Mollie, licensed.

May Corda Alice, licensed.

Murphy, E. M., from the Church of the Nazarene.

Spivey Millard, licensed.

Steel, Lawrence, licensed.

Stephensen, W. A., from the Church of the Nazarene.

Weaver, Minnie, from the Indiana District.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE KENTUCKY DISTRICT ASSEMBLY, KINGSWOOD, KY., AUGUST 29th TO SEPTEMBER 2nd, 1927.

Tuesday Morning Session, August 30th.

The Eighteenth Annual Assembly of the Kentucky District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church convened on the above date with District Superintendent Rev. J. Thomas Johnson, in chair.

The Session opened with song entitled, "With Banners Waving," and with handkerchiefs waving and shouts of victory, filled the tabernacle. Invocation by Rev. J. H. Lucas, Hitchens, Ky. Rev. Raymond Simpson of Olive Hill, Ky., read the ninety-first Psalm, which was a blessing to the entire Assembly. An introductory talk was given by Rev. J. Thomas Johnson and the slogan adopted for the Assembly was "God Bless You."

After the roll call, the minutes of last Assembly were sketched over by our secretary, Rev. J. Orvan Keller and on motion was adopted as read.

Moved and seconded that the first six rows of seats were to constitute the Conference Bar. Motion carried.

On motion, the time for Assembly Sessions was from 9:00 to 12:00 o'clock, morning session; and from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock for the afternoon session.

Moved, seconded and carried, that the election of officers should be held Thursday afternoon.

By unanimous vote, Rev. James Blankenship and wife of Ohio were given a seat in the Conference Bar.

Moved, seconded and carried, that all the laymembers present be admitted in the right wing of the Tabernacle in the limits of the Conference Bar.

REPORTS.

The report of Rev. Everett Leadingham, unstationed minister, was read and on motion was accepted. Report of Rush Church was given by Rev. Thomas Alexandria, pastor. Accepted. S. S. report of the Rush church was read by Mrs. Thomas Alexandria. On motion accepted. The Statistical Report of the Carrollton Church was read by Mrs. Verni Craig. On motion accepted. The financial report of the Carrollton Church and S. S. report were read and accepted. The report of J. Orvan Keller, pastor of Carrollton Church, was read and on motion accepted. Rev. Keller was given a few minutes in which to explain his Parish Paper the (Pilgrim Messenger). Rev. Keller explained how the little paper going into the homes of practically three hundred families had been a great blessing in raising his finance and church debt and also in church attendance.

The Statistical Report of Rush Church was read by Mary Ellen Collins. Report accepted. The finan-

cial report of Rush Church was also read and accepted.

Owing to the heavy responsibility of the secretary, Miss Jenny V. Vincent was appointed assistant secretary.

The time appointed for the close of the morning session having arrived, motion was made to adjourn. Closing song, "In the Sweet By and By." Dismissed by prayer by Rev. Earl Delaney.

Tuesday Afternoon Session, August 30th.

Session opened by song and the scripture lesson read by Rev. Theo. R. Powell. The thirty-fourth Psalm was read and the comments blest the Assembly. Prayer was offered by Rev. Chas. Kells of Elliston, Ky., and concluded by Rev. T. R. Powell of Hitchens, Ky.

On motion, the Rules of Order of the General Assembly were adopted to govern our District Assembly.

The minutes of previous session were read and approved.

Roll call and registration of delegates completed.

The following committees were appointed by the District Superintendent, Rev. J. Thos. Johnson:

Auditing Committee: Miss Jenny V. Vincent, Mrs. L. A. Williams, Mrs. Ruth Forsythe.

Statistical Committee: Rev. L. A. Williams, Miss Mary Ellen Collins, and Chas. Youmans.

Reception Committee: Rev. Floyd Howell, Rev. Lennie Estes, and Chas. Youmans.

Committee On Resolutions: Rev. P. Williams, Rev. T. R. Powell, and Rev. Raymond Simpson.

REPORTS.

The Statistical report of the Soldier church was read by Harlis Day, and on motion was accepted. Financial report of the Soldier church was accepted. A Sunday School report was read by Mrs. Harlis Day, and on motion was accepted. The Statistical and Financial report of the Cynthiana church was read by Mrs. Annabelle Hubbard and on motion was accepted as read. The Sunday School report from Cynthiana church was read by Mrs. Harry Hubbard, on motion accepted. The verbal report of Rev. Earl Delaney, evangelist, was given and written report to follow. Rev. Lawrence Steele of Covington, Ky., sang an old-time song that blest the entire Assembly. The Statistical and Financial reports of the Maysville church were read by Edna May Franklin. On motion was accepted. Sunday School report of the Maysville church was read by Lola Emmons. Report accepted. Moved and seconded that Rev. Noah Douthat, minister from the Nazarene church be admitted in the Conference Bar. Motion carried. Moved and carried that Rev. Noah Douthat give his testimony, which was a blessing to all. The Statistical and Financial reports of the Fairview church were read by C. L. Renfroe. Reports accepted as read. Report of Rev. J. Bryan Edmond, pastor of the Fairview church was accepted. The Sunday School report of the Fairview church was read by Mrs. C. L. Renfroe. On motion accepted. The Statistical and Financial reports of Latonia church were read by Chas. V. Youmans. On motion accepted. Sunday School report of Latonia church was accepted as read. The Statistical and Financial reports of the Falmouth church were

read by Mrs. Ruth Forsythe, but before reading her reports she gave her testimony of how the Lord had saved, sanctified, and healed her, which was a great blessing to the entire Assembly. The above reports unanimously accepted. Sunday School report of the Falmouth church also accepted. The pastor's report of Falmouth church was read by Rev. Harry Howell. On motion accepted. Moved and seconded that Rev. Lawrence Steele sing "You Will Shine." This song brought the Assembly to tears, shouts, and praise. Report of Rev. Corda Alice May was read and on motion accepted. Report of Mrs. Elmer Hanna, unstationed minister, was read and accepted. Report of Rev. Andrew Qualls, unstationed minister, accepted as read. Report of Lennie Estes, unstationed minister, read and accepted. The Sunday School report of Stewart Chapel church was read by Rev. Andrew Qualls. After reading his report he sang, "Oh, Glory to God," which was a blessing to all. On motion the report was accepted. The report of Rev. S. M. Stikeleather, unstationed minister, was read and on motion was accepted. Report of Rev. R. G. Finch, General Superintendent of Foreign Missions, was read and on motion accepted. The announcements for the day were made by Rev. J. Thos. Johnson, after which the motion was made to adjourn. Conference adjourned after song, prayer, by Rev. C. L. Wireman. The night services were devoted entirely to Evangelistic services. The message on Tuesday night was delivered by Rev. J. L. Delaney of Ashland, Ky. A wonderful message on "Pentecost."

Wednesday Morning August 31st, 1927.

Session opened by singing "My Savior First of All," and "The Lily of the Valley." Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. L. A. Williams of Latonia. The 103rd Psalm was read and commented on, which was a great blessing and uplift to all present. Rev. Raymond Simpson lifted us to a throne of grace in a word of prayer. Minutes of previous session were read and accepted. Roll call and absentees noted. While the roll of delegates was being completed several spiritual testimonies were given and shouts of victory swept the tabernacle. At 10:15 o'clock, Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent, arrived. Moved and accepted that the Assembly give a rising vote of welcome to our Superintendent as he took the chair. Rev. Cox responded by giving us an encouraging talk and a little history of his summer's labors. The Statistical and Financial reports of the Kingswood Church were read by Mrs. J. F. Yarbrough. Reports accepted. Sunday School report of the Kingswood church was read by Paul Finch. On motion accepted. The Statistical, Financial, and Sunday School reports of the Toler church were read by Rev. Boyd Allen. Accepted as read. Report of pastor of the Toler church, Rev. Boyd Allen, read and accepted. The Statistical, Financial, and Sunday School reports of the Hitchens church were read by Ida Jones. On motion was accepted. Rev. B. H. Lucas, pastor of the Hitchens church, read his report and on motion was accepted. The Statistical, Financial, and Sunday School reports of the Normal church were read by Marjorie Stanley. On motion accepted. The pastor's report of the Normal church was read by

Bennie P. Lowe; first half of the year, and Rev. W. H. Biller for the remainder of the year. Reports accepted. Rev. Raymond Simpson, pastor of the Olive Hill church, read his report and on motion was accepted. A Statistical, Financial, and Sunday School report of the Olive Hill church was read by Mrs. Bettie Foster. Accepted as read. After announcements were made, moved and seconded that we adjourn. Dismissed by prayer by Rev. S. M. Stikeleather.

Wednesday Afternoon Session, August 31st, 1927.

Session opened by singing, "The Sanctifying Power." Rev. John Butler lifted us to a throne of Grace in a word of prayer. Rev. W. R. Cox in chair spoke to us "On the importance of being one." Oneness in the spirit. A very helpful message to all. Roll call, minutes of previous session read and Statistical and Financial reports of the Rockdale church were read by Cecil Glass. On motion were accepted. The Financial and Sunday School reports of the Covington church were read by Rev. Lawrence Steele. Accepted as read. Rev. Plennie Williams and wife, pastors of the Covington church, read their reports and on motion accepted. The Statistical, Financial and Sunday School reports of the Dalesburg church were read by Eunice List. On motion were accepted. Rev. R. S. Maddox, pastor of the Dalesburg church, read his report. On motion report was accepted. The Statistical, Financial, and Sunday School reports of the Liberty church were read by Delegate Rev. Chas. Kells. On motion accepted. Rev. Floyd Howell, pastor of the Liberty church, read his report. Report accepted. Report of Rev. Glen VanHook, an Evangelist and Student in God's Bible School, read his report and on motion was accepted. The Financial and Statistical reports of the Stewart Chapel church were read by Miss Roxie Qualls. On motion were accepted. Rev. Mollie May, pastor of the Stewart Chapel church, gave her report. On motion was accepted. Report of Rev. J. P. Hunnicutt, unstationed minister, read and on motion accepted. Rev. Denver Musser, pastor of the Soldier church, read his report. On motion report was accepted. Evangelist Rev. C. L. Wireman gave his report. On motion report was accepted. Report of Rev. L. A. Williams, pastor of Latonia church, was read and accepted. A number of good letters were received from the following preachers that could not attend the Assembly: Rev. G. W. Rose, Prestonburg; Rev. J. C. Cassidy of Ingalls, Indiana; Rev. C. L. and Maud Slater, Kingswood, Ky.; Rev. John Lane, Williamson, W. Va. These letters were read to the Assembly and a vote of appreciation was taken for the interest these absent members had in the Assembly. Rev. W. R. Cox gave the Assembly an encouraging talk on "The Need of Our Ministers Pushing the Advocate." The Assembly responded by pledging themselves to raise our quota of five hundred subscriptions to the Advocate the coming Conference year. Announcement was given for an all-night of prayer. Moved and seconded that we adjourn. Dismissed in prayer by Rev. P. Williams.

Night services being devoted to evangelistic services, General Superintendent Rev. W. R. Cox delivered a wonderful message on "Except a Corn of Wheat Fall Into the Ground and Die, it Abideth

Alone." Quite a number of seekers were at the altar.

Thursday Morning Session, September 1st.

Session opened by Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent, in chair. Song, "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart." Prayer was offered by Rev. Bennie Lowe. An inspiring address was given by Rev. Cox on "The Relation Between the Local Church and the General Church." Moved and seconded that roll call be suspended. Motion carried. Minutes of the previous business session read, and on motion, accepted. Report of the District Superintendent, Rev. J. Thos. Johnson, was read. He also mentioned in his report of the death of our dear Bro. J. F. Carroll. Our loss is his eternal gain. Rev. Raymond Simpson, who was intimately acquainted with Bro. Carroll, spoke of his influence and his life which had been a great blessing to the town of Soldier. The name of Rev. Orth McCune, one of our former pastors, who was lately transferred to the Indiana District and departed this life during the Indiana State Assembly, was spoken of in the highest terms. Truly these warriors have fallen at the front of the battle, while we as an assembly shall greatly miss their fellowship and labors among us, but we expect to meet them again in the great Assembly above. Another of our fellow laborers of the Kentucky District, one of the oldest in our rank, Rev. H. N. Brown of Williamstown, went to his reward five days before the Assembly convened. The report of the District Superintendent, accepted as read. Rev. John McNurlin, Assistant District Superintendent, gave his report and mentioned about Rev. W. W. Hankins, giving the Fourth Street Bldg., Ashland, Ky., to the Pilgrim Holiness Church. Moved and seconded that Rev. W. W. Hankins be recorded a rising vote of thanks for the transfer of the building. Motion carried. On motion the report of Rev. John McNurlin was accepted as read. It was moved and seconded that the Assembly give a rising vote of thanks to James Stewart of Princess for the gift of the Stewart Chapel church to the Kentucky District. Motion carried. The report of the Ashland Mission was read by Martha Keaton. On motion report was accepted. The Sunday School report of the Ashland Heights church was read and accepted.

Report of Resolution Committee.

Resolution Nos. 1, 2 and 3 were accepted. (See Resolutions)

Announcements were made and on motion Assembly adjourned. Dismissed by prayer by Rev. R. G. Finch.

Thursday Afternoon Session, September 1st.

Rev. W. R. Cox in chair. Session opened by singing, "He Brought Me Out." Lead in prayer by Rev. D. H. Lucas. On motion roll call was dispensed with. Minutes of previous session was read and on motion approved. The order of the day was the election of officers for the coming year. Several minutes were given in silent prayer. Election by ballot for the District Superintendent. Moved and seconded that the rules be suspended; that the four names receiving the highest number of votes be voted on the second time as there was on election on the first ballot. Rev. Raymond Simpson of Olive Hill was elected District Superinten-

dent on the second ballot. Moved and seconded that a rising vote of thanks be given Rev. J. Thos. Johnson, the retiring District Superintendent, for his faithful labor on the Kentucky District for the past four years. The entire Assembly rose to their feet. Ballots were prepared for the election of Assistant Superintendent. There being no election on the first ballot, it was moved and seconded that the two highest names be voted on. Rev. John McNurlin and Rev. E. P. Qualls were voted on which resulted in the election of Rev. E. P. Qualls as Assistant District Superintendent. Ballots were prepared for the election of a District Secretary. Miss Jenny V. Vincent of Soldier was elected District Secretary on the first ballot. Next in order was the election of a District Treasurer. Mrs. Bettie Foster of Olive Hill was elected District Treasurer. Ballots were then prepared for the election of three members to the District Council. While the ballots were being counted, Rev. W. D. Foster gave a verbal report of Kingswood College and its needs of a larger Library and several hundred books were pledged to be given to the Library by various members of the Assembly. Report of the tellers resulted in the election of Rev. Earl DeLaney of Ashland, and Rev. P. Williams of Covington, and Rev. J. Thos. Johnson of Kingswood, as the three members of the District Council. A motion was made that the new Board appoint the following committees needed to complete the Official Directory. Motion carried.

Next in order was a selection of a place of meeting of the Assembly for 1928. Kingswood receiving the highest number of votes, was declared the place of meeting for our next Annual Assembly.

Kingswood, Ky.,

Sept. 1st, 1927.

To the Eighteenth Annual Assembly of the Kentucky District, of the Pilgrim Holiness Church: Gospel Greetings:

Dear Pilgrims, and Co-Laborers: Another milestone is passed, and the battles and victories of the past Conference year is but history so far as this world is concerned, but the stern realities we shall see again in the world to come.

In many respects, the past year has been the best year of my life, as I have had the privilege of laboring shoulder to shoulders with the self-sacrificing pastors and workers of the District. We have not grown by leaps and bounds, but the reports will show that we have made substantial gains on all lines. God has given us some wonderful revivals and a goodly number added to the church.

There has been two churches and one mission added to the District this year, and the strange thing connected with it is, that each one of them brought the building and equipment with it free of debt. The church at Summit, and the mission at Ashland, came through the efforts of our Asst. Supt. Rev. John McNurlin, and the church at Princess (Known as Stewarts Chapel) came as the results of the untiring labors of Rev. Mollie May. The building was in bad condition, but has been repaired and painted inside and out and was dedicated free of debt during an all-day meeting Sunday, August 14th.



J. Thos. Johnson, Kingswood, Ky.

The church at Olive Hill has experienced a wonderful advance under the leadership of Rev. Raymond Simpson, inside of one short year, with only about \$500 in cash, and a membership of about a dozen. They stepped out of a little rented concrete-block building into a beautiful commodious, fire-proof, brick building, valued at \$10,000, and as a result of the first revival held in the new building, by our General Superintendent, Rev. W. R. Cox, cash and subscriptions were raised to cover all the indebtedness, and the building was dedicated by Bro. Cox, Sunday, June 19th.

The Carrollton church is experiencing prosperity under the efficient leadership of Rev. J. Orvan Keller. The beautiful concrete block building, and six-room parsonage combined, is expected to be freed from debt and dedicated in the near future. They have on a financial drive in which more than \$2,000 has been raised, and the balance is expected by Thanksgiving, and the building is not three years old yet.

Many of the other buildings have been repaired and seats and pianos placed in them that space would not permit to enumerate. The reports will show that there has been substantial gains in membership in most all the churches.

While we are mentioning the things that gladden our hearts, we should not forget the crepe on the Assembly door. One of our number, Rev. J. F. Carroll, was called to his reward December 9th. He lived a victorious life, and died a triumphant death. Our loss is his eternal gain.

We should also leave a MEMORIAL here to the memory of our dear Brother and Friend, Rev. O. F. McCune, whom we had just transferred to the Indiana District. He was called to the General Assembly in the skies, while attending the Camp at Frankfort, Ind.

Our hearts have been made sad by the news of the death of another of our Kentucky warriors, who

passed away since our Assembly convened, Rev. H. N. Brown of Williamstown, Ky. These MEMORIALS remind us that we are going down the valley one by one.

We have been privileged to visit all of the churches, twice, and most all of them three times and many of them four or five times. Have made six special trips on the District on business; have held 96 business meetings, and two revivals, and helped in several others; have preached 110 times, and have seen a number of souls saved or sanctified, which have already been reported by the churches. Have traveled about 7,000 miles at an expense of approximately \$400; have received as support: from revivals, \$61; from the churches, \$758.34; from the preachers, \$493.50; for traveling expense, \$291.69. Total received, \$1,604.53.

Faithfully submitted,

J. Thos. Johnson.

Superintendent, Kentucky District.
P. H. Church, Kingswood, Ky.

DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1st, 1927.

Rec'd from Church Assessment	\$1,166.67
Rec'd from Preachers' Assessment	493.50
Rec'd from Traveling Expense of Dist. Supt.	291.69
Rec'd from Evangelistic Work of Dist. Supt.	61.00
Rec'd from Check on J. V. Coleman for Gen. Supt.	2.62
Rec'd from Check on P. W. Waters, on Account	3.00
Total Receipts	\$2,018.48

Disbursements.

Paid to Gen. Supt. 5% of Church Assessment	\$ 58.33
Paid to Gen. Supt. Check on J. V. Coleman	2.62 \$ 60.95
Paid to Dist. Supt. 65% Church Assessment	\$758.34
Paid to Dist. Supt. Preachers As- sessment	493.50
Paid to Dist. Supt. Traveling Ex- pense	291.69
Paid to Dist. Supt. Evangelistic Work	61.00 1,604.53

Deducted from Church Assess- ment, 30% for District Expense, \$350.00 Check of P. W. Waters, \$3.00	\$353.00
Paid to P. W. Waters, District Sec'y.	74.97
Paid to James Waddell, Dist. Sec'y. Protem	59.10
Paid to J. Orvan Keller, Dist. Sec'y. Protem	33.77
Paid to Mary K. Price, Dist. Treas. Paid to J. Thos. Johnson, Dist. Treas. Protem	30.34 11.82
Paid to Council Meeting Expense ..	34.00
Paid to Incidentals	24.44

Paid to God's Bible School, on Minutes	23.22
Paid to Special Home Missions	61.34 353.00
Total Disbursements	\$2,018.48
Total Receipts	\$2,018.48
Total Disbursements	2,018.48

J. Thos. Johnson, Dist. Treas. Protem.

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT FOREIGN MISSIONARY SECRETARY.

Rec'd from Latonia Church	\$ 49.42
Rec'd from Soldier Church	47.28
Rec'd from Hitchins Church	36.00
Rec'd from Covington Church	28.46
Rec'd from Stewarts Chapel	16.87
Rec'd from Rockdale Church	16.35
Rec'd from Dalesburg Church	13.56
Rec'd from Prestonsburg Church	7.20
Rec'd from Olive Hill Church	4.65
Rec'd from Maysville Church	2.00
Rec'd from Turkey Creek Church	2.00
Rec'd from Rush Church	1.77
Amount sent direct to Missionary Office	634.61
Total	\$860.17
Paid for Stamps	1.74
Total for Year	\$858.43

Respectfully submitted,

Jenny V. Vincent.

District Foreign Missionary Secretary.

ASPIN GROVE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Annual Report of the Pilgrim Holiness Mission-
ary Society of Aspin Grove, Ky.:

Total Collections from Sept. 1st, 1926, to Sept. 1st, 1927	\$24.39
Total Expended from Sept. 1st, 1926, to Sept. 1st, 1927	15.62
Balance	\$ 8.77
Paid to Bethel Orphan Home at Kingswood	5.00
Balance in Treasury	\$ 3.77

Mrs. S. A. Maddox, Sec'y.

DEACONESS REPORTS.

Homes visited, five; number sick visited, 16;
number of poor helped, eight; number garments dis-
tributed, 14.—Mary E. Hill and Lizzie Ethington.

Homes visited, seven; number sick visited, two;
number of garments distributed, 82. Wish to testi-
fy, that GOD through PRAYER raised me from the
jaws of death. BLESS HIS NAME.—Mrs. J. Thos.
Johnson.

Number homes visited, 50; number of sick visited
and healed, four; number of poor helped, 60; num-
ber of garments distributed, 200; number of prayer
meetings conducted, six.—Martha Fanning.

RESOLUTIONS RETAINED FROM FORMER MINUTES.

Resolved, that the District Secretary receive a salary of \$150 per year for faithful service rendered.

Resolved, that the Treasurer be paid \$50 per year for the faithful performance of service rendered.

Resolution No. 3: Resolved, that we as a district raise \$1,700 for the support of our district superintendent, to be raised as follows: Each licensed and ordained minister in the district be assessed \$12 per annum, the balance to be raised by the assessable membership of each local church. (See resolution No. 4, Act of 1926.) Should there be a delinquency on the part of either preachers or churches in paying their assessments, the deficiency shall be raised on the assembly floor. We further recommend that a free will offering be taken by each church for the district superintendent, to defray his traveling expenses on his quarterly visits to the churches. All monies raised for the superintendent to be forwarded to the district treasurer.

Resolved further, that the District Superintendent credit all cash received from Evangelistic service, or traveling expenses to his support.

Resolution No. 4: Be it resolved, that whereas the Manual has provided for a monthly business meeting to be held in every local church, Be it further resolved each member of the church pay into the treasury 25 cents at or previous to this meeting, and if for any reason there be those who cannot pay this amount, the pastor in charge raise the deficiency by special offerings, the amount raised to be distributed as follows: 65 per cent to the support of the district superintendent, 30 per cent to Home Missions, and the remaining 5 per cent to our general superintendent.

Resolution No. 2: Be it resolved that Bethel Orphan Home be requested to report to our annual assembly approximately what percentage of the money given by the Kentucky district goes to the support of the children and workers, and what percentage goes for overhead expenses.

Resolution No. 1: Resolved, that each Sunday School throughout the district adopt the birthday offering plan, said offering to go toward the support of Bethel Orphan Home, located at Kingswood.

Resolution No. 2: That each church and Sunday School in the district take an offering on the first Sunday of each month for Foreign Missions.

Resolution No. 6: Resolved, that in order to keep our state work going, so as not to work a hardship on our officers, that all our preachers and churches pay their assessments quarterly and in advance.

Resolution No. 8: That when an ordained or licensed minister fails to attend district assembly, or to pay the required assessments without assigning a reasonable excuse, that an explanation will be required by the district council, and if no reasonable excuse be given after two offenses, that their credentials be revoked.

Resolution No. 9: Resolved, that no pastor take more than two revivals outside of his own charge during the assembly year without the consent of his local church, providing his church is giving him adequate support.

Resolution No. 10: Resolved, that no person be granted license to preach or renewal of credentials

who does not believe in and practice the Bible doctrine of tithing.

Resolution No. 11: Resolved, that this assembly provide a way to help to evangelize the colored population of the Kentucky district.

Resolution No. 12: Resolved, that all resolutions be retained from year to year, unless revoked, or revised by special act of the assembly.

Resolution No. 13: Resolved, that on the second Sunday of each quarter, that each local church take up a free will offering for the support of Bethel Orphan Home, offering to be forwarded to our district treasurer, said treasurer to forward quarterly to Bethel Orphan Home at Kingswood, Ky.

Resolution No. 14: Resolved, that whereas in times past, certain candidates have been passed upon by the assembly for credentials, who could not afterwards be located. Therefore, be it resolved, that all persons applying for license or ordination apply in person to the examining board, unless applicant is sick or otherwise unable to apply in person, and that in such case some member of the assembly certify as to their character and location.

Resolution No. 15: Resolved, that each old and disabled minister be exempt from all assessments.

Resolution No. 16: Resolved, that the district superintendent urge each church to set the minimum amount of support the pastor should receive, as required by our Manual (Page 35, Par. 79; Art. 3).

Resolution No. 17: Resolved, that the district council meet at least once a year between assemblies for council.

Resolution No. 18: Resolved, that each pastor read all resolutions of this assembly to his congregation at a time best suited for the occasion, in order that our people may be informed and made acquainted with our plans and rules governing the churches of the Kentucky district.

Resolution No. 19: Resolved, that for the protection of our churches, that no church or pastor shall call an evangelist without the indorsement of the district superintendent.

Moved and supported that the district superintendent appoint a committee from the district to meet with the Camp Meeting Board of Kingswood to institute plans to make it a permanent district camp. Committee appointed as follows:

Rev. Raymond Simpons Rev. H. B. Lucas

Rev. Thomas Alexander.

Moved and seconded that the evening session be made a business session. Motion lost. It was moved and seconded that the Friday morning session convene at eight o'clock instead of nine. Motion carried. Announcements were made.

Moved and seconded that this session adjourn. Dismissed by prayer by Rev. H. E. Qualls.

Friday Morning Session, September 2nd.

Session opened by singing, "Speak My Lord." Rev. C. L. Wireman led in prayer. After some corrections the minutes were accepted as read. The corrections were these: First, Bro. Foster desired that the Kentucky District get credit for the liberal donation of books. Second, Mention was made that the time of the Assembly was to be set by the committee, meeting with the Camp Meeting Board.

Report of the Committee on Resolutions:
Resolution No. 1: In order to aid the district superintendent to render the most profitable and desirable service to the district, be it therefore resolved that the District Council outline the duty of the district superintendent.

Resolution No. 2: Resolved that this Assembly request our district officials to take immediate action according to the Manual, section 74, paragraph 6, as there are many rumors to the effect that some of our churches retain in their membership men who use or raise tobacco.

Resolution No. 3—Resolved that all lady preachers who are on the same charge with their husbands be released from their assessment of \$12 per year for district superintendent as the two only receive one salary.

Resolution No. 4—In order to help in the expense of the district, be it therefore resolved that each local preachers report be accepted as unstated preachers and spread on the minutes, and each pay an assessment of \$6 per year to the support of the district superintendent.

Resolution No. 5—Resolved that all resolutions of each year be carried forward unless rescinded by a majority vote of the Assembly.

Moved and seconded that the date of our next Assembly be governed by the date of the Kingswood Holiness Camp, Assembly to immediately precede the Camp.

Moved and seconded that two members of the District Council acting in conjunction with the Executive Committee with the School Board constitute the Camp Meeting Board. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that Rev. W. R. Cox give a demonstration of his Financial Plan. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the Financial Plan as explained by Bro. Cox to us be adopted. Motion carried.

On motion that the District Council be instructed to place the Financial Plan in the hands of the pastor of the districts. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the District's Financial Report be read. Motion carried and the report was read and accepted.

Moved and supported that the finance of the district to carry forward the work of the district be under the heading of Incidentals instead of Home Missions. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the amount in the treasury under the heading of Home Missions and the amount which Rev. P. W. Waters is to pay the district be paid to God's Bible School to apply on the printing of the minutes. Motion carried.

The Ordination service was conducted on Thursday evening by General Superintendent Rev. W. R. Cox. A very impressive service was rendered, profitable to all. Rev. Denver Musser, Rev. Frank Buffington, Rev. J. A. Wisner were ordained.

All business at hand being transacted motion was in order to adjourn.

After song and prayer the benediction was pronounced, closing the best and most spiritual Assembly of the Kentucky District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

NOTICE!

Your editing committee has compiled these

minutes as best we can from your reports sent in. We acknowledge many errors, mistakes and omissions, but they are not intentional. Should your report contain an error, or may be omitted entirely, you will please bear with us that we will promise to try and be more careful hereafter.—Respectfully submitted, Your Committee.

COURSE OF STUDY.

This is a day of specialists. The world is demanding men who are specialists in their various lines. The day of the "Jack of all trades" is past. So far as genuine success is concerned, shall we as ministers of the gospel fall below the standard set by the world in its demands? No wonder Jesus said, "The children of this world are wiser in their generation than the children of light." In order to help those called to the work of the Lord to specialize in their respective lines of work, Kingswood Holiness College has prepared a mail course of study equivalent, if not superior, to our manual course of study, which can be obtained for a small amount. For information, address Rev. C. G. Taylor, President, Kingswood, Ky.

For those who cannot avail themselves of the mail course, the following course prescribed by our manual may be had for the amount specified for each book, and one book at a time may be purchased by applying to Rev. W. C. Stone, 15th and Elm streets, Cincinnati, O., and the chairman of the examining board will be glad to give you examination on each book through the mail at your request, and present your credits to the board at our next Assembly. —J. Thos. Johnson, Chairman Examining Board.

PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS.

Aspin Grove—(To be supplied).
Ashland Heights—Rev. H. B. Lucas.
Barterville—Rev. H. C. Snapp.
Carrollton—Rev. J. Orvan Keller.
Covington—Rev. P. Williams and wife.
Dalesburg—Rev. S. R. Maddox.
Erlanger—Rev. J. R. Loomis.
Fairview—Rev. Wm. Duncan.
Falmouth—Rev. Glen VanHook.
Grahn—Rev. Harve Kelly.
Hitchins—Rev. Frank Buffington.
Inez—Rev. Everett Leadingham.
Kingswood—Rev. John Butler.
Kings Chapel—(To be supplied).
Latonia—Rev. L. A. Williams.
Liberty—Rev. Glen VanHook.
Maysville—Rev. W. A. Stephenson.
Music—(To be supplied).
Normal—Rev. W. H. Biller.
Olive Hill—Rev. David Greene.
Prestonsburg—Rev. George Rose.
Rockdale—(To be supplied).
Rush—Rev. Thomas Alexander.
Soldier—Rev. Denver Musser.
Stewarts Chapel—Rev. Mollie May.
Toler—Rev. Boyd Allen.
Trace—Rev. J. Bryan Edmond.
Turkey Creek—Rev. Everett Leadingham.
Willard—Rev. Harve Kelly.
Ashland Mission—Rev. John McNurlin.

The Pilgrim Holiness Church—District Superintendent

Sermons
Preached

Pastoral Reviews
Calls

Church Names	Pastors	No. Churches	Church Buildings	Organized This Year	Parsonages	Preaching Services	Church Prayer Meetings	Cottage Prayer Meetings	Total Number Services	Members Dropped	Members Transferred	Deaths	Total Removals	Additions by Profession of Faith	Additions by Letter	Net Gain	Net Loss	Members	By Regular Pastors	By Others	On Members	On Others	Total Calls	
Aspin Grove—F. Buffington...		1	1			102	57	5	164										26	25	34	25	10	35
Aspland Heights—E. P. Qualk...		1	1			114	52	15	181										62	55	30	35	15	50
Barterville—H. C. Snapp...		1	1			52	52	20	124										7	62	52	30	15	50
Covington—P. Williams...		1	1			140	54	25	219										64	52	18	15	10	25
Cynthiana—Jas. Waddell...		1	1			125	54	15	194	97		2		15					52	112	55	25	10	80
Carrollton—J. O. Keller...		1	1			200	55		255	3		2		7					22	190	100	40	15	48
Dalesburg—S. R. Maddox...		1	1			99	63	2	164					1					22	190	10	90	15	105
Donathan...		1	1			25			25										27	94	5	5	15	15
Dunlenger—J. R. Loomis...		1	1			52	52	15	119										27	40	12	20	10	30
Fairview—J. B. Edmond...		1	1			121	50	2	173	21				3					27	68	41	68	10	68
Grain—Floyd Howell...		1	1			76	48	16	150					3					35	61	15	30	5	40
Graham—Harry Phillips...		1	1			30	24	18	72	4		2		1	1				7	13	17	15	5	40
Hitchell—H. B. Lucas...		1	1			164	104	21	289	4				3					38	120	44	82	82	82
Hopewell...		1	1																					
Inez—Ovada Phillips...		1	1			44	52	15	111										26	44	8	40	15	55
Kingswood—John Butter...		1	1			185	55	50	290	7		25		9	9				79	14	175	15	15	18
Kings Chapel—H. Kelly...		1	1			13	2		15			2		3					13	4	13	5	5	15
Latonia—L. A. Williams...		1	1			141	75	31	247	9		6		7					47	114	15	212	15	227
Liberty—Floyd Howell...		1	1			65	37		102	1		1		3					24	67	13	15	20	20
Marysville—Jas. Tucker...		1	1			142	53	31	226	7		5		1	1				69	127	16	61	15	75
Music—E. Ledingham...		1	1			21	30	5	36										9	15	5	10	5	16
Normal—W. H. Biller...		1	1			121	57	15	213			5							30	20	101	17	5	22
Olive Hill—R. Simpson...		1	1			135	47	30	258	2				2	2				31	104	31	40	22	62
Prestonsburg—L. Bowling...		1	1			160	94	29	283	1		1		2					22	150	15	25	25	20
Rockdale...		1	1			47	33	3	83					10					19	15	32	20	5	20
Rush—Thos. Alexander...		1	1			225	50	65	340			5		3	3				32	75	150	50	5	55
Soldier—Denver Musser...		1	1			151	53	63	267	2		1		14	14				35	128	23	25	5	50
Stewarts Chapel—Mollie May...		1	1			95	40	15	150	1				6	8				32	95	15	30	6	36
Summit—J. M. Pack...		1	1			101	5		15										12				5	5
Poler—Boyd Allen...		1	1			94	47	13	154	3		3		11	5				19	19	10	40		20
Trace—Luther McBrayer...		1	1			47	52	1	80					4					13	4	4	42		42
Turkey Creek—Ovada Phillips		1	1			64	16	11	91						1				21	20	20	20	35	35
Versailles...		1	1			40	52	30	122	17														
Vanceburg...		1	1																					
Willard—Harve Kelly...		1	1			35	40	15	85															
Warfield—E. Perry...		1	1							7											7			
Aspland Miss. John McNutlin...		1	1																					
Smoke Valley...		1	1																					
Miscellaneous		31	31	3	5	3,135	1,557	576	5,201	180	55	14	104	117	44	86	198	894	1,878	1,066	1,169	216	1,248	

Church Name	Average S. S. Attendance	Pastor's Support												Paid to Missions	
		In Cash	In Donations	District Superintendent's Support	General Supt. and General Church Work	Evangelists' Support	Paid on Indebtedness	Paid on Improvements	Paid on Erecting New Buildings	On hand for New Church	Home	Foreign	Paid to Bible Schools		
Aspin Grove.....	18	\$ 197.63	\$ 148.20	\$ 34.88	\$	\$565.90	\$	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00	\$	\$ 15.00	\$ 137.14	\$ 10.00	\$ 100	
Ashland Heights.....	30	650.90		17.80		189.00					8.00	50.00	40.00	20	
Bartleyville.....	40			17.85		50.00					8.00	88.92		65	
Covington.....	75	850.00	24.67	98.50		255.80	500.00	240.00			145.60	88.92		32	
Cynthiana.....	65	476.91		32.20		158.59	94.95				10.55	12.53			
Carrollton.....	44	426.91	372.49	57.00		260.04		581.23			90.00		13.60	8	
Dalesburg.....	38	252.28	125.19	94.19		112.86		122.93			45.80	15.06		114	
Donathan.....						25.00									
Englemer.....	30	285.00		12.00		85.40			300.00					6	
Fairview.....	47	798.89		10.20		171.00		48.00			11.08	15.00	3.05	6	
Falmouth.....	20	180.82		11.11		55.00		40.00			13.00	5.00		9	
Graham.....	25	80.00		14.00		92.29					8.90	6.50	45.00	9	
Hitchins.....	65	734.60		43.68	\$ 2.75	127.65	247.60	57.00			12.00	5.00		75	
Hopewell.....						20.00									
Inez.....	60	416.80	40.00	27.00		160.00	25.00	82.14			15.00	18.00		8	
Kingswood.....	165	549.06		130.00	207.73	300.00					80.36	50.37		125	
Kings Chapel.....		21.35		4.22	2.62	40.00					1.06			4	
Latomia.....	55	865.00	276.20	81.06		239.75	2,432.65	68.95	778.01		126.45	40.00	3.85	36	
Liberty.....	16	177.99	29.45	10.47	29.25	94.00		30.00			16.50	36.42		20	
Mayville.....	60	1,030.00	50.00	32.95	1.45	182.00		13.50			8.70	2.00		70	
Music.....		40.00		7.95		65.00									
Normal.....	43	350.00	60.35	8.25		98.75	168.00	289.40			30.00	4.65		41	
Olive Hill.....	58	639.52		63.70		225.00	450.00				30.00	16.87		14	
Prestonsburg.....	62	319.45	350.00	69.86	2.62	216.00	300.00	125.00	6,971.15		17.85	7.20		19	
Rockdale.....	63	113.25	3.00	8.25	19.25	153.37		10.00			40.60	21.23		6	
Soldier.....	67	583.47	146.85	19.40	63.00	143.65	25.00	15.00			95.00	8.32		9	
Stewards Chapel.....	95	165.02	260.00	14.75		124.24		12.98				47.28	37.00	38	
Summit.....								180.20				16.87		5	
Toler.....	38					45.00									
Trace.....	42	70.75		14.95		91.95	166.60	366.60			20.00		4.27	22	
Turkey Creek.....	36	112.70	2.00	5.16		22.00	52.00	50.00			25.00			4	
Versailles.....	30	150.00		7.41		58.75		40.00			18.00		2.00	4	
Vaneburg.....		3.00		15.90		140.00					15.00				
Willard.....	25	180.00		3.00											
Ashland Mission.....				17.00		65.00					14.00	11.97			
Smokey Valley.....				6.50		150.00								4	
Deaconess Support and Church Budget—	1,552	\$10,718.00	\$ 2,394.30	\$ 981.02	\$ 328.67	\$ 5,013.85	\$ 4,461.80	\$ 2,547.93	\$ 7,824.16	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,005.63	\$ 1,100.60	\$ 154.50	\$ 883.20	

Annual Report for the Year Ending 1927

J. Thos. Johnson, District Superintendent

Professed
Generation Sanctification

Generation Sanmination																							
	Off Charge	On Charge	Off Charge	On Charge	Off Charge	Anointed or Prayed with for Healing	Baptisms	Marriages	Funerals	Children Dedicated	Subscriptions to the Advocate	Members Taking the Advocate	Number of Others	No. Tithing in P. H. Church	Pastors Tithing in P. H. Church	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deaconesses	Licensed Deaconesses	Local Preachers	Sunday Schools	S. S. Enrollment	S. S. Officers and Teachers
50	15	65	10	8	20	22					15	6	10	10	1	1	1	1	2		1	40	5
3	15											5			1	1	1	1			1	100	8
16	25	14	15									15			1	1	1	1			1	113	9
3	15											6			1	1	1	1			1	87	7
20	15	6	3								4	10	10		1	1	1	1	1		1	85	5
5	23	8	14				1	3	10			5			1	1	1	1			1		
15	15											9			1	1	1	4			1	35	5
1	18	12	5									8			1	1	1	1			1	114	8
1	1	1	1									4			1	1	1	1			1	36	4
5	29	11	8									15			1	1	1	1	1		1	60	6
1	15	6	8									7			1	1	1	1			1	50	5
1	80	40	15									20			1	1	13		2		1	130	10
3	27	42	11									30			1	1	1	1			1	75	6
1	27	7	3									1			1	1	1	1			1	32	4
2	5	15	3									8			1	1	1	1			1	104	10
1	38	23	8									14			1	1	1	1			1	67	6
2	56	2	1									6			1	1	1	1			1	109	6
4	225	100	2									2			1	1	1	1			1	89	8
2	24	2	2									11			1	1	1	1			1	125	7
6	29	37	10									2			1	1	1	1			1	155	8
2	34	45	36									3			1	1	1	1			1	60	5
0	13		5									4			1	1	1	1			1	50	4
3	4		1									2			1	1	1	1			1	63	4
1	1	3	10									1			1	1	1	1			1	30	4
6		5	3									1			1	1	1	1			1	100	8
			1									2			1	1	1	1			1	50	5
			1									1			1	1	1	1			1	100	8
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56	612	523	288	242	169	96	18	45	10	134	188	135	16	27	28	31	29	4	33	22	31	2,019	141
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By Sunday School Amounts Received

To Gen. Church Pub. Interests	Paid Rent	Paid for Incidentals	Paid for S. S. Expenses	Regular Offering	Birthday Offerings	Special Offerings	By the Church	Total Receipts	Total Paid Out	Balance on Hand	Value Church Property	Total Indebtedness
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\$ 15.00	\$ 446.26	\$ 147.22	\$ 29.45	\$ 21.63	\$ 4.46	\$ 33.90	\$ 1,402.48	\$ 1,427.70	\$ 1,175.95	\$ 251.75	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
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	154.30	132.50	108.55	181.62	65.00	15.00	1,631.67	1,547.45	1,517.58	29.77	8,500.00	1,000.00
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PERSONAL LETTER.

Dear Kentucky-Pilgrims:

Greetings in JESUS' name. Now that some time has passed since our Assembly, no doubt, you are back at your post of duty, starting another year of service. My PRAYER is that this may be the very best year of your life.

As you know, we had the best Assembly SPIRITUALLY, and in attendance, and fellowship that was ever held in the district of Kentucky, for which we give GOD all the GLORY; and following on the heels of the Assembly, the greatest CAMP ever held in the history of Kingswood. At the close of the ten days the tide was so high we felt it should not close and continued on another week, and folks PRAYED through in the old-fashioned way to be saved, or SANCTIFIED.

Whereas I will not be on the district this year in the capacity of superintendent. I am writing you this, my last letter, to the district to express to you my gratitude for your PRAYERS, FELLOWSHIP and Co-operation. in the past four years we have labored together, the success of the district has been because of your FAITHFULNESS and INTERCESSION, and together with you we will GIVE GOD ALL THE GLORY. Amen. I can only ask that you give my successor in office the same fellowship and co-operation you have given me.

According as we had planned some months ago, to deal with the Cynthiana Church, concerning their insubordination, we took with us our general superintendent, Rev. W. R. Cox, our newly elected district superintendent, Rev. Raymond Simpson, and Rev. J. Orvan Keller, through whom the church was organized, and met with the church Saturday night and Sunday, September 3rd and 4th, and after Bro. Cox had made every concession that was possible to make, the Cynthiana Church voted to withdraw from the Kentucky District, Pilgrim Holiness Church, by a vote of 26 to 13. Therefore the Cyn-

thiana Church is no more a part of the Kentucky District Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Although we may not be with you in person, yet we are together in SPIRIT, and ask that you keep us on your PRAYER list, until we meet in that GREAT ASSEMBLY OF THE SAINTS ABOVE.

HIS AND YOURS for OTHERS.

J. Thos. Johnson,
Kingswood, Ky.

KENTUCKY PILGRIM'S PROGRESS.

From 1923 to 1927.

The following is a summary of the progress of the District of Kentucky in the past four years. There has been a substantial increase on all lines as the general report will show. The following is a short statistical table of the financial and numerical growth of the work. The progress has not been spontaneous, but a gradual, substantial growth, that has laid a solid foundation for the future.

	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
Number					
Churches	24	26	28	30	32
No. Church Bldgs.	16	17	19	24	31
Valuation of Bldgs.	\$24,700	\$30,700	\$56,000	\$77,800	\$99,200
Number Parsonages	1	2	3	4	5
Valu. of Parsonages	\$ 3,000	\$ 4,500	\$ 6,000	\$ 9,000	\$14,000
No. Members Reported	461	651	862	999	894
No. Preachers and Deaconesses	88	105	109	145	154
Pastor's Salary	\$8,570.09	\$9,593.17	\$10,336.29	\$13,062.30	

All Praise to the Triune God and the Faithful Pastors and Workers of the Kentucky District.



PILGRIM HOLINESS PARSONAGE, LATONIA, KY.

As we only have the picture of one of our five parsonages, we will give it first. The above picture is the beautiful six-room parsonage of the Latonia Pilgrim Holiness Church. This was brought about through the leadership of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Wil-

son. This parsonage was made possible by the gift of a beautiful \$1,000 lot by Bro. E. N. Handy, and the planning and workmanship of Bro. Chas. T. Youmans and his fellow-laborers. May the dear Lord give us a number of such buildings in which to house our pastors while they preach the Gospel of FULL SALVATION. This parsonage is valued at \$5,000.

1924.

CYNTHIANA CHURCH.

During the year 1924, there were four new church buildings, one parsonage received into the District. The splendid church Cynthiana was brought about by the efforts of Rev. B. H. Waddell, and Rev. J. Orvan Keller. Following a wonderful revival in which more than 400 professed to pray through, a large church was organized with nearly 100 members, and in a short time they had a splendid building costing about \$3,500. Unfortunately, some tobacco raisers gained admission into the church which finally resulted in the church withdrawing from the Kentucky District September 5th by a vote of 26 to 13.

TOLER CHURCH.

This beautiful little church on Pond Creek near the W. Va. line, in the mountains of Kentucky, was erected by the faith of a little handful of pilgrims led by Rev. P. Williams and wife, pastors. Mention should be made here of Rev. Boyd Allen and wife, who so nobly stood by the pastor and backed up the building project. At a quarterly business meeting it was decided to erect a place of worship and the following day the pastor, Rev. Allen, and the district superintendent went to the lumber plant and laid the plans before them, and with only a small amount to pay down the lumber company said: "Come and get what you want, and we will give you plenty of time in which to pay." The material was soon on the ground, and now the splendid building, well-equipped with good seats, and electric lights, and nearly paid for, stands there as a monument of FAITH.

TRACE CHURCH.

In a country place, below Ashland, Ky., a little frail woman, got a vision of the possibility of a Pilgrim Holiness organization, and a church building in which to worship; and after a splendid revival an organization was perfected. Soon the little band was unanimous in putting up a building, and in consultation with the district superintendent plans were made and the building soon erected, and is now practically paid for, and is standing there as a monument to the labors of Rev. Mrs. Mattie Pope and her co-laborers.

LATONIA CHURCH.

This splendid church was the outgrowth of a mission organized some time ago by the Holiness people, and a commodious building erected and flourished as a mission until the time came when the need of a church was apparent. Under the direction of Rev. C. L. Wireman, who was the pastor of Pike Str. Pilgrim Holiness Church; by vote of the mission workers a Pilgrim Holiness Church was organized, and the building was turned over to them, valued at \$4,000 with a debt of about \$1,300. The Church is now prospering under the ministry of Rev. L. A. Williams and wife and have now the best parsonage on the district.

HITCHINS PARSONAGE.

While the district superintendent was holding a meeting at Hitchins the pastor, Rev. H. B. Lucas, with a large family was huddled up in two little rooms in the house with another family, and had to stand the scent of tobacco and endure other obnoxious things. The LORD laid it on the heart of the church to purchase a home for the pastor, and after a night of prayer, a member of the church made an offer to sell his house, which was yet unfinished, for a parsonage, and made such liberal terms that the church immediately closed the deal, and soon the pastor was in the cozy little cottage, and since has been extensively improved, and is now paid for. "Oh, for real homes for all our pastors."

1925

ASPIN GROVE.

Aspin Grove has long been known because of the Annual Camp Meeting which has been kept going by the Holiness people, and has grown to be a large camp, having its cottages and dining room, and kitchen, and a splendid tabernacle, which is kept un-denominational, but in order to take care of the results of the camp meetings, a Holiness Church was necessary, and a Pilgrim Holiness Church was organized, and in 1925 erected a splendid church building, along side of the Tabernacle, which is a great factor in conserving the work. The little band is making splendid progress in paying for the new building. The Tabernacle, and church is built on a portion of the farm of Bro. Henry Bachman, a staunch supporter of the work.

PRESTONSBURG CHURCH.

This church nestled among the hills of Kentucky, in the clean and beautiful little town of Prestonsburg, is surely a marvel of the grace of GOD. Holiness could not get a foothold, until two Holiness men and their families moved from Hitchins to Prestonsburg, and began holding cottage prayer meetings in their homes, and then began holding tent campaigns, and revivals in the Court House, and then through the labors of Rev. Leonard Bowling and other workers, an organization was effected. Finding it difficult to secure a place to preach Holiness, Bro. George Rose and Bro. James Roark, the men who fostered the work, purchased a lot at a lot sale, and in a short time a splendid commodious house was built, well-seated and well-lighted, and is now nearly paid for, and stands as a reward to the faithfulness of these self-sacrificing families who stood four square for the four-fold GOSPEL of our LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST.

FALMOUTH CHURCH.

Through the efforts of the Keller-Waddell evangelistic party this church was organized and soon purchased a building formerly used as an ice cream factory, and after being remodeled was converted into a very cozy Pilgrim Holiness Church. The building is located in a very desirable section of the town, easy of access and has bright prospect for the future; there are some loyal and true Pilgrims there standing by the work.



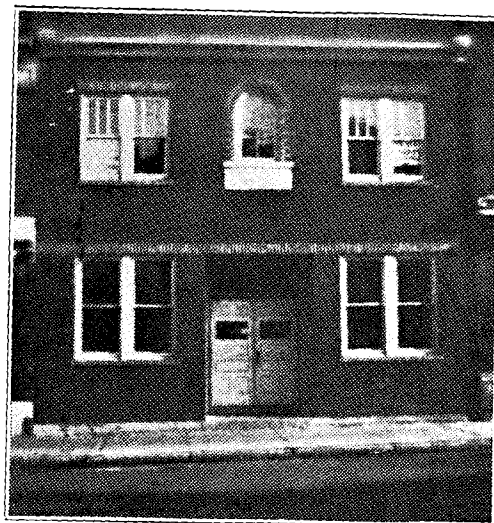
REV. A. A. PRICE, Denton, Md.

1926

PIKE STREET CHURCH, COVINGTON.

This is a church with a history. Some years ago GOD'S Bible School had what was known as "THE LIFE BOAT MISSION"—a boat on the river where the students from the school carried on soul-saving services; the meetings grew to such proportions until larger, more commodious quarters were necessary, and a building was purchased on Pike Street in the business section of the city, which was for years called "PIKE STREET MISSION," and is known far and wide because of the scores and hundreds of souls that prayed through to victory. The work advanced until it ran its course as many missions do, and Rev. L. R. Wade was the instrument through which it was converted from a mission into a Pilgrim Holiness Church.

Rev. C. L. Wireman was called as pastor in 1924, and under his administration the work progressed rapidly and plans were made to pull down the old building that had so nobly fulfilled its purpose and



PIKE STREET CHURCH, COVINGTON, KY.

erect a new one on the same spot. Accordingly they set about to raise a fund for that purpose and \$500 was placed in the treasury to start on and Rev. Wireman being called to another field of labor the task then was to find another man that could complete the well begun job. After much prayer and consideration Rev. A. A. Price of Denton, Md., was called as pastor, and proved to be the man for the place. With the planning and co-operation of the Official Board, soon the contract was placed in the hands of Bro. A. L. Reel and by his splendid workmanship and help of his co-laborers there stands one of the best buildings on the district. The cut you see in connection with this article does not do justice to the building, as it is difficult to get a good picture of it. Along with it is the cut of Rev. A. A. Price of Denton, Md., who has been a great blessing to the district.

Bro. A. L. Reel is finishing a splendid parsonage upstairs over this building and will soon be ready to house the pastor. It is in the form of a flat and is a valuable asset to the church.

SUMMIT CHURCH AND FOURTH STREET MISSION.

We mention these two together because they both came into the district through the efforts and influence of the assistant district superintendent, Rev. John McNurlin. The Summit Church was another of the waste places that at one time was a flame of fire, but through the confusion of "TONGUES" and other isms and scisms, the fires were extinguished, and for a time became the habitation of bats and owls, so to speak. But through the persistent efforts of Bro. McNurlin, the tide was somewhat turned, and he succeeded in getting the building leased to the Pilgrim Holiness Church, and is now being cared for by Rev. J. M. Pack.

The Fourth Street Mission in Ashland was the product of the labors of Rev. W. W. Hankes some years ago, and for some years was used as a clear-

ing house for Holiness people of all denominations, but as in most cases of mission work there came a time when it seemed best to have a Denominational head, and Rev. Hankes made the proposition to donate the entire equipment to the Pilgrim Holiness Church through Rev. John McNurlin, which donation was accepted at our last Assembly, and note of it spread on our minutes. The place is still held as a Pilgrim Holiness Mission and Rev. John McNurlin is the efficient pastor.

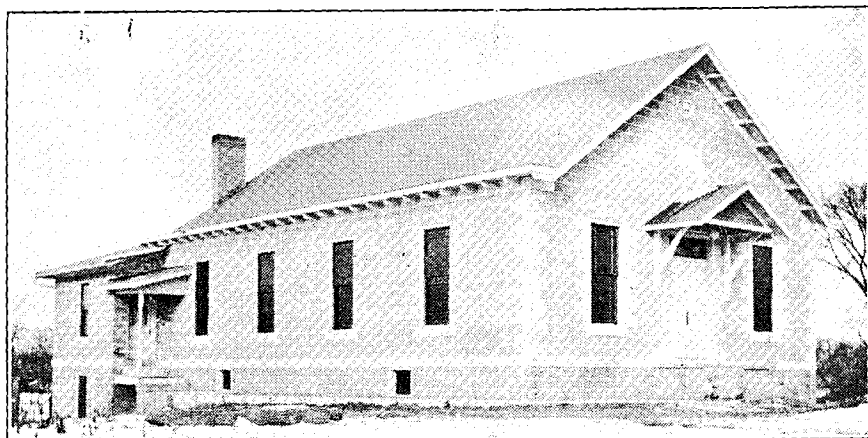
NOTE. The foregoing mention of buildings and accomplishments is given for the encouragement of the workers, and others interested and is now a matter of history which may be filed away and serve as a means of identification of the places mentioned in future years.

J. Thos. Johnson,

Retiring District Superintendent, Kingswood, Ky.



Rev. J. Orvan Keller,
Carrollton, Ky.



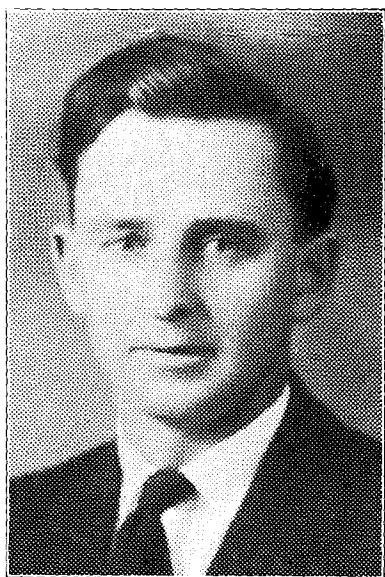
CARROLLTON CHURCH

CARROLLTON CHURCH.

A few years ago the O. A. Morgan evangelistic party held a tent meeting in Carrollton in which the seed for the present church was sown. As a result of the meeting a mission was organized and a member of the party, Rev. W. T. Martin, was placed in charge of the work, and through his faithful labors and the sacrifice of himself and wife, barriers to Holiness were burned away. Hearts were opened to the preaching of the gospel of full salvation.

Rev. J. Orvan Keller and wife of Kingswood College were sent to take charge of the work and soon a church was organized which met with much opposition, but instead of being discouraged the oppo-

sition seemed to strengthen the faith of Bro. Keller and some good substantial folk came to his rescue, and said we must have a Pilgrim Holiness Church building in which to worship, and a man of means, Perry Oak, by name, offered to loan the money sufficient to put up the building. The generous offer was accepted and Bro. Keller, being both architect and builder, with the assistance of his Official Board, and co-laborers, the splendid concrete block building, combining a splendid church, and six-room parsonage was finished, the cut of which accompanies this article. Bro. Keller is still their progressive pastor and is editor of a splendid parish paper, which is proving a great blessing to the church.



REV. RAYMON SIMPSON,
Superintendent Kentucky District

1927

OLIVE HILL CHURCH.

Among the first churches of the district was what was known as the Ben's Run Church and the Clark's Hill Church, one at either end of the town of Olive Hill. Both of them in their earlier years were flames of Holy Fire, but the time came when they had served out their usefulness, and each of them went down

to a mere struggling handful, and the idea was conceived of uniting the two little bands into one church and secure a central location, and after two years of persuasion and planning the feat was accomplished. Rev. J. C. Cassidy of Ingalls, Ind., was called to hold a revival in the Holiness Tabernacle, which resulted in the uniting of the two churches, and Rev. J. F. Carroll, (now deceased), was called as pastor. The church prospered under his ministry, and Rev. Raymond Simpson and wife of Soldier was called to pastor the new church, which was worshipping in a small concrete block building. Plans for a new building was soon on foot and through the efficient leadership of the Bro. Simpson and his faithful Official Board and workers a splendid brick building, the best of its kind on the district, stands as a monument of their faith and labors. The two brick yards of the town of Olive Hill, should be given the honor due them for the gift of the brick for the entire building.

Honorable mention should be made of a revival held by our general superintendent, Rev. W. R. Cox, in which the town was stirred, and souls prayed through to victory, and the last day of the revival. Subscription was taken to cover the entire amount of indebtedness, all this was done in much less than one year.

Wish we could present you here with a cut of the beautiful church building, but we are pleased to present to you the likeness of Rev. Raymond Simpson, who was elected at our last Assembly as superintendent of the Kentucky District.



REV. W. L. SURBROOK
President Kingswood Holiness College,
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STEWART'S CHAPEL CHURCH.

Reviving the waste places is many times commendably spoken of in the Bible, and truly deserves worthy mention today. There are so many places that could soon be fanned into a flame if the right person would be willing to make the sacrifice. Years ago this church was a real salvation coaling station, but for some reason her candlestick was removed. About a year ago, a young lady by the name of Mollie May, felt deeply impressed to hold a revival in the almost deserted church and GOD came on the scene in a remarkable way and gave her an old time Holy Ghost revival that stirred the community for miles around, which resulted in the reviving of the church. A splendid class was organized and Sister May was called as pastor. The district su-

perintendent was called and the church accepted into the Kentucky District.

The building was built on the farm of a man by the name of Stewart, and when it ceased to be used for religious purposes, reverted to the original owner of the land. But when Mr. Stewart saw what marvelous things the LORD had done, through the ministry of the faithful pastor he proposed to deed the entire building and contents to the Pilgrim Holiness Church, free of debt, which was graciously accepted, and a motion was made and unanimously carried to call the church, "STEWART'S CHAPEL." Rev. Mollie May is still the efficient pastor, and the work is prospering under her ministry.



REV. J. A. WISNER
Superintendent Bethel Orphan Home,
Kingswood, Ky.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND NEEDS OF BETHEL ORPHAN HOME, KINGSWOOD, KY.

By. Rev. J. A. Wisner, Superintendent.

We are deeply impressed with the way GOD has wrought for us during the past year. We also are very conscious of the things; perhaps of great consequence, we have failed to accomplish.

Our hearts go out to GOD in thanksgiving and praise for HIS protecting power and GRACE for the privilege of reporting again that there was not one serious case of illness among the children during the past year. "Truly he hath done great things for us whereof we are glad."

We also praise the LORD for the Spirit of PRAYER, and revival fire that is so manifest among the workers and children, and the definite progress that some of the children have made in deeper spiritual life and growth, a number of them testify to a definite call to gospel work both in the neglected mountain sections of the home land, and to the foreign fields.

The all Compassionate Christ, has in marvelous way undertook for the boys since the loss of their home last winter by fire, and has provided for them a much more desirable one, both for location, and all practical purposes, including a large full bearing orchard.

There has been fifty-eight children in the home for some months, and others are coming soon. About 90 per cent of these are taking music on the piano, mandolin, guitar and clarinet, and we are praying that GOD will lay it on the hearts of some of our dear friends to send in some wind instruments, such as cornet, saxophone, or any band instruments for both boys and girls, that we may be able to represent the

HOME with a complete orchestra. "PRAISE THE LORD."

There are only four in the Home under school age. The Home is represented in the entire schools from the Primary to College work.

When we consider the condition from which some have come and the opportunity that is now afforded them, and the splendid progress that some are making, and the vision on their hearts of a lost world, and their burning passion for perishing souls, we are constrained to say, "TRULY THIS IS A WORK WROUGHT OF GOD" and our hearts are encouraged to press forward, bearing the CROSS in the interest of HIS KINGDOM for HELPLESS, HOMELESS, ORPHANS.

The above achievements have been made possible by the GRACE OF GOD, and your help, and the help of other friends, but our hearts are made sad when we think of the long list of several hundred children who have knocked at the door of the Home for admission during the past year, to whom we were compelled to say "NO" for lack of room.

Recently, about 50 applications were received in the short period of ten days, to read their appeals for admission, and the description of their sad lot in life; makes it extremely difficult to turn them away, yet we are obliged to conform to the requirements of law, while we are conscious that opportunity has passed our way; adding to our responsibility. We are compelled to look upon this stream of struggling childhood—ill-clad, half-fed, bearing burdens, in the depths of sorrow, to whom shall they look: If not to those that follow him who said, "FORBID THEM NOT" of such is the KINGDOM.

Just at this time when we are receiving more applications than ever before in the history of the orphanage, and winter coming on, our treasury empty, our coal supply to be paid for, and other running expenses to be met. Should we not in the face of what GOD is doing for us, take the welfare of the ORPHANS on our hearts, and PRAY EARNESTLY, until GOD hears and moves on the hearts of all concerned, that we all get under the burden and privilege of financing this great work of the LORD. Pure and undefiled religion is to visit the FATHERLESS, and keep yourselves unspotted from the world.

The responsibility is with the LORD, and YOU. We, the workers in the Home, are your servants for JESUS' SAKE.

Thanking you in advance for your liberal contribution send all offerings to Rev. C. C. Brown, secretary-treasurer, Kingswood, Ky.

Greeting to our many friends and supporters from the Foreign Missionary work of the Pilgrim Holiness Church:—

You will be glad to know that in answer to prayer, that the past year has been the very best in the history of the Foreign Missionary work in our church. Many new stations have been opened up, new churches and missions have been built with a very splendid increase in membership, on most of the different fields. We have not had to retrench a single missionary but, on the other hand, new workers have been taken on, and new missionaries have been sent out and are being sent out soon, which will



REV. S. M. STIKELEATHER
General Secretary-Treasurer Foreign Missions.

greatly add to our fighting force on the front ranks of the battle. Our indebtedness has been decreased very substantially and today, November 16th, \$3,100 would pay off all that we owe, including about \$600 on the Missionary Office in Kingswood.

Our work is growing until we must have more funds and more workers in order to take care of what God has given us already, saying nothing of the great opportunities that we have of entering wide, open doors on the different fields. We can only enter these open doors, however, as our friends and supporters at home make it possible for us to do so.

Within the past twelve months there has been a going down into God by our missionaries and workers as never before. Great out-pourings of the spirit are being reported from India especially and also Africa, and the West Indian Islands. Wide, open doors are presenting themselves in some of the hardest fields that we have, such as, Central America and Mexico where the hand of Romanism has held a tight grip on the people for centuries. Instead of slowing up our activities as a Foreign Missionary Board, as some would have us do, we must increase our pace to OBEY the blessed HOLY GHOST. Not only must we increase our pace on spiritual lines but on financial lines. A brother said to me recently, "Don't you think you have been pushing the missionary work a little too hard?" My answer to this question was, "Brother, if you could only read the heart-breaking appeals that we receive, you would push it harder than we are."

We actually need \$6,000 a month to meet the demands that are upon us at the present time and, by FAITH in GOD and the GRACE which HE SUPPLIES, through the co-operation of the saints, and friends of the PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH, he has been and is going to supply our every need, for which we give him all the praise. "Let us not be weary in well doing; for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

Trusting you will pray for the FOREIGN MISSIONARY WORK as you have never done before, and give every dollar that you can spare for this great work, I am

Your obedient servant for JESUS' sake,
S. M. STIKELEATHER,
General Secretary-Treasurer of the Foreign Missionary Board of the Pilgrim Holiness Church.

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