

## OFFICIAL RECORD

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District Superintendent ----- Rev. B. O. Shattuck, Owosso, Mich.  
Assistant Superintendent ----- Rev. C. E. Cliff, Detroit, Mich.  
Secretary ----- Rev. L. W. Sturk, Flint, Mich.  
Treasurer ----- Rev. A. T. Harris, Flint, Mich.  
Advisory Members of the Council: Rev. W. E. Posey, Battle Creek;  
Rev. A. M. Frink, Lansing, and Rev. P. F. Elliott, Owosso.  
Board of Examiners: B. O. Shattuck, (1928-1933) C. E. Cliff, (1927-  
1932); S. I. Emery, (1926-1931); P. F. Elliott, (1925-1930); E. F.  
Ewers, 1924-1929).  
District Trustees: Geo. Lounds, (1928-1933); J. R. Walker, (1927-  
1932); E. F. Ewers, (1926-1931); J. E. Strong, (1925-1930); R.  
Woodcock, (1924-1929).  
Trustees of Rest Cottage: J. E. Strong, (1928-1933); P. F. Elliott,  
(1927-1932); C. E. Cliff, (1926-1931); S. I. Emery, (1925-1930);  
R. Woodcock, (1924-1929).  
Trustees of Bible Holiness Seminary:  
1928-1931—J. E. Strong, L. W. Sturk, Howard Mills.  
1927-1930—C. E. Cliff, A. M. Frink, P. F. Elliott.  
1926-1929—B. O. Shattuck, George B. Kulp, S. I. Emery.  
Standing Auditing Committee: Mrs. Geo. Dafoe, Mr. Howard Mills;  
Carl Hightower.  
District Statistician: Rev. A. T. Harris.

# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The twenty-eighth session of the Annual Assembly of the Pilgrim Holiness Churches of Michigan District convened in the First Pilgrim Holiness Church, Flint, Michigan, April 4th, to 8th, 1928.

## FIRST SITTING

Wednesday Morning, April 4, 1928, at 9:00 o'clock

The first sitting opened with appropriate songs and prayer by Rev. George Lounds, after which the District Superintendent, Rev. B. O. Shattuck, read a scripture lesson from John, fourteenth chapter.

Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent, addressed the assembly briefly on an appropriate subject.

The roll was called as listed with the District Secretary.

It was moved and supported that the first seven seats in the front of the church constitute the conference bar. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that Merrill Bassett, licensed minister from the Kentucky District, be granted a place within the conference bar. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that the morning sessions convene at 9:00 A. M. and adjourn at 12:00 noon, and that the afternoon sessions convene at 2:00 and adjourn at 5:00. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that the District Council nominate the various committees subject to the approval of the Assembly. Motion carried.

The members of the District Council were excused in order to nominate the committees.

Rev. B. E. Manker was appointed secretary pro tem in the absence of the regular secretary.

It was then moved and supported that all of the District officers be elected by secret ballot by those present at the time of the election. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that the election of officers take place at 9:30 A. M. Friday. Motion carried.

While waiting for the District Council, Rev. Boone sang by request "When Jesus Took Me In."

Then followed some testimonies.

The District Council returned and recommended the following persons to serve on the various committees:

**Committee on Worship**—L. W. Sturk, A. M. Frink, B. O. Shattuck.

**Committee on Resolutions**—C. E. Cliff, P. F. Elliott, W. E. Posey, Edwin Boone, T. H. Hoos.

**Committee on Home Missions**—B. O. Shattuck, E. F. Ewers, S. I. Emery.

**Committee on Ordination**—To consist of the District Council with the General Superintendent, W. R. Cox and Rev. George B. Kulp.

**Committee on Welcoming**—H. N. Dafoe.

**Committee on Ministerial Convention**—A. M. Frink, B. O. Shattuck, L. W. Sturk, George Lounds, B. E. Manker.

Upon motion, the report of the District Council was accepted without alteration.

It was then moved and supported that the reports be limited to five minutes. Motion carried.

Reports were then taken up.

Rev. E. Boone, Pastor of the Hastings City Mission, reported, report accepted.

Mrs. Hammond, acting as delegate from the Alma Church, reported—report accepted.

Rev. E. F. Ewers, Pastor of the Detroit Second Church, reported, report accepted.

Mrs. E. F. Ewers, Assistant Pastor of the Detroit Second Church, reported—report accepted.

She also gave her report as an ordained minister of the District and as delegate of the Second Detroit Church—report accepted.

It was then moved and supported that Rev. W. O. Nease be brought forward and introduced to the Assembly and that he give a speech.

Rev. Nease came forward and addressed the Assembly briefly.

It was moved and supported that Rev. Nease be granted an honorary seat within the conference bar. Motion carried.

Rev. A. M. Frink, Pastor of Lansing Church, reported—report accepted.

Mrs. Ralph Heines, delegate from the Lansing Church, reported—report accepted.

Mrs. A. M. Frink, licensed minister, reported—report accepted.

Rev. Albert Kridler, Pastor of the Muskegon Church, reported—report accepted.

Mrs. Eunice E. Russell, acting as delegate from the Muskegon Church, reported—report accepted.

Rev. A. T. Harris then offered his resignation as member of the Auditing Committee.

It was moved and supported that Brother Harris' resignation be accepted. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that B. E. Manker be elected as Assistant Secretary to act during this Assembly.

Rev. G. A. Lounds, Pastor of the Croswell and Jeddo Churches, reported—report accepted.

Mrs. Cora Smith, delegate from the Croswell Church, reported—report accepted.

Arthur Brown, delegate from the Jeddo Church, reported—report accepted.

Brother Williams, acting as delegate from the Port Huron Church reported—report accepted.

The first sitting adjourned by expiration of time.

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## SECOND SITTING

Wednesday Afternoon, April 4, 1928, at 2 o'clock

The second sitting opened with songs, and prayer by Rev. George Lounds.

Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent made some appropriate remarks regarding efficient pastoral work.

The minutes of the previous sessions were read and approved.

Rev. Kreider, of the Ohio District, was invited to have a place within the conference bar.

It was moved and supported that Rev. C. E. Cliff, Assistant District Superintendent, take a place on the platform. Motion carried.

Rev. B. O. Shattuck, District Superintendent, gave his annual report and speech.

## THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S SPEECH

To the Annual Assembly—

"Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you; and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world, (or age)."—Jesus.

The language of the statement at the head of this address fell from the lips of our divine, resurrected, and glorified Lord, just before His ascension. This last and great commission has been placed in the hands of the Christian Church to be carried out to the letter in every detail. The content of the sacred and Holy Scriptures contained in the old and new Testaments beginning with the opening of Genesis, and continuing to the close of Revelation, is to be carried to the nations by the Christian Church.

Missionary effort of every kind and character springs spontaneously from the heart life of the Church of the living God.

The primary cause for which the Lord has raised up the modern holiness movement, (I am now speaking in general terms), is not to give a classical education to the rising generation, manage reform bureaus, dabble with politics, or build stately buildings for places of public worship. Our task is to carry the gospel of the Divine Christ to all nations, spreading Scriptural Holiness to the ends of the earth. Giving to the nations a gospel that will save men from sin in this life; pointing them to the fact of the soon coming of Christ, and the necessity of a special preparation for a blissful eternity.

Someone has said, "This is the mission of the church—not civilization, but salvation—not better laws, purer legislation, social salvation, human equality and liberty, but first, "The kingdom of God and His righteousness," regenerated hearts, and all other things will follow."

We as a church must stay close to the task of helping to evangelize the nations with the everlasting, imperishable Gospel of Christ, or die spiritually. If the hour ever arrives when the Pilgrim Holiness church no longer has vital interest in world-wide evangelism, in that hour she will forever forfeit the right to carry her name.

At our threshold, as a church in this great state, without being ill-mannerly or violating Christian etiquette by taking the advantage of the disadvantage of some of our brethren at home or abroad, in other Holiness churches, there are scores of golden opportunities for the Pilgrim Holiness Church, with her gospel message of full and eternal salvation.

George Whitefield said, "O, that I could fly from pole to pole, preaching the everlasting gospel, Fain would I die preaching."

May the same desire that burned in the heart of this mighty man of God penetrate into the vital heart life of the Pilgrim Holiness Church! May her ministry, old and young, be possessed with an all consuming passion for the salvation of lost men.

### Aggressiveness

He who becomes aggressive in his activities proves by his action that he is not satisfied with his present attainment. The normal man is possessed by an aggressive spirit; and whatever may be his field of action, there is an inborn desire to march in the vanguard. He loves the field of conquest. "Think not that I am come to send peace, but a sword."

The sword of God's eternal truth brings strife, discord and conflict between two deadly and eternally hostile principles. Righteous-

ness means death to sin, and sin means death to righteousness. Henry says, "Christ came to give the sword of the world with which his disciples fight against the world, and conquering work this sword has done." The Holy Scriptures are the weapon of our warfare.

As a church at home or abroad, we are not satisfied with our present attainment, we are planning to enlarge our borders.

During the year one new church has been organized at Traverse City and church property purchased. There are three other new fields in the process of development toward organization as our Assembly comes to a close.

Some months ago I received a letter from Sr. Knapp, through Cincinnati, written by a woman from one of our up-state towns. I thought from the tone of the letter that the people of the place were without spiritual help. At my earliest convenience I made the place a little visit and found a nice little northern town of about 800 population, with a good Free Methodist Church and pastor, also an annual camp meeting.

I turned from the place feeling that our Free Methodist Brethren could take care of the spiritual needs of that community. If to take the advantages of the disadvantages of our Free Methodist Brethren, our Nazarene Brethren, our Mennonite Brethren, or any other group of people who are working along full salvation lines, and laboring to spread scriptural holiness to build up a Pilgrim Holiness Church on their ruins, is what we mean when we talk about being aggressive, I want to frankly admit that I don not have the spirit of aggressiveness. Let us urge, encourage and court an aggressive spirit without wounding to destruction our Brethren in other Holiness Churches.

#### Opening New Fields

It is a comparatively easy task to stand up in the Assembly or sit in our homes and talk about opening new fields. It is quite another task to make the necessary sacrifice for the opening of new fields.

The opening of new fields takes time, strength, patience, perseverance and finances. Ten or fifteen day meetings are of little value in new fields, and in many of the older fields.

This year has been largely an experimental year to me in District work, having been my first experience in active District work. There is much yet for me to learn about handling District work. However, out of my short experience I have reached some conclusions. First, as a rule to open a new field, it will mean the investment of not less than \$200.00 in cash. In some communities the investment will of necessity be greater.

After our work as a church has been anchored in a new field, it will return to our various institutions many times over the amount invested.

Second, it will take workers who are well saved and possessed with a good degree of that commodity known as good common sense. Workers who love God with all their redeemed powers and long to see revivals where men and women are born of the Holy Spirit and sanctified wholly, who believe the Bible and have no time or disposition to apologize for any content which the grand old book contains. Workers who are willing to make any sacrifice necessary for the cause of God in the spreading scriptural holiness, who are ready to enter new fields and stay one month, six months or one year if providential necessity demands it. No others need apply.

Third, a series of tent meetings during the summer months is one of the best, if not the best, way to open up new fields. If we had the workers and the finances many new fields on the District could be opened within the next twelve months.

## Our Financial Plan

While our financial plan is not perfect, it is workable. Although it may not reach the highest point of efficiency it has during the year of 1927 with every branch of industry slowed up, hundreds of men out of work and the flow of finances in every branch of the business world at a low ebb, brought into the Church various purposes, an offering averaging \$57.00 for each member of the Pilgrim Holiness Church on the District.

Until such time as a better plan can be devised, let us as Pastors, Evangelists and Laymen, push the plan that we have energetically. With industrial conditions normal, the tide of our finances would rise in proportion to our increased prosperity.

Proverbs 3:9-10: "Honor the Lord with thy substance (thy money) and with the first fruits of all thine increase; so shall thy barns be filled with plenty and thy presses shall burst out with new wine."

"We give Thee but Thine own,  
Whate'er the gift may be;  
All that we have is Thine alone,  
A trust, O Lord, from Thee."

## Our District Institutions

Bible Holiness Seminary, our District School, is turning out some good products. While this school is not accredited, her credits are received by our State Normal Schools. In scholarship this school is up to standard from the primary grades on up through the first two years of college work.

The Bible and theological department of this school, pressing upon the mind of the student the necessity of deep spirituality in every walk of life, are the outstanding features of this school. Some splendid young people are now passing through this school, headed for the ministry and other walks of life.

A goodly number have passed through this school and are now in the ministry, on the mission fields and teaching in Bible and public schools, making good in these responsible places of trust.

Bible Holiness Seminary is worthy of the confidence and support of every member of the Pilgrim Holiness Church on the Michigan District, and throughout our entire connection. Our people, though it means profound sacrifice, must rise up together and strike the shackle of debt from this worthy institution and free it for larger fields of usefulness in the training of our young people for the various walks of life.

If two hundred and fifty people would give \$100.00 each, or five hundred would give \$50.00 each, the embarrassing debt would be lifted from this school. The task can be performed, are you ready to share the burden with us? Talk will never lift the burden, but united action will.

Rest Cottage is a District institution needing no introduction to our people. This home has been a blessing to hundreds of erring women and girls who strayed from the path of virtue out into the wild wastes of sin. These under the direction of godly workers have been pointed to a pardoning Christ, and the greater percentage came back to lives of purity and went out from the home to live righteous lives.

"Jesus hath given rest by His sorrow, and life by His death."

This institution is worthy of, and must have, our continued support.

## Our Pastor and People

My work during the past year as District Superintendent has been largely experimental, being my first experience in work of this kind. Although an apprentice at the task, making some mistakes, our pas-

tor and people have borne patiently with me. While I have tried to do my best for each department of our work, it seems like my best efforts have been largely a failure. If I am asked to continue the task for another year, I am sure that it will not be because my work has merited such a request. I feel that if I am rewarded according to merit, the Assembly will retire me to the private, quiet life of a pastor.

Our pastor and people have loyally co-operated during the year in the work of the District. There has been a warm, congenial spirit of fellowship as we have labored together for the advancement of Christ's kingdom in the spreading of scriptural holiness.

I am concerned about the welfare of our pastors and people. I am pleased to note the gifts of our pastors, the loyalty of our people, the growth of our congregations and the general prosperity of our church. However, if our general prosperity is going to bank our spiritual fire, the prayer of my heart is, "Oh Lord, give us less of the earthly and more of the heavenly."

The future success of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, at home or abroad, depends upon our depth of spirituality. Culture, oratory, wealth or prestige can never take the place of deep spirituality revealed to the world through pious character.

May we, as pastors, delegates and people in this Assembly, covenant together that we will at any cost maintain a high standard of deep spirituality.

### Our Preachers

The hour has arrived when a fund should be created within the Pilgrim Holiness Church for the purpose of aiding in a systematic way our preachers who are forced out of active service because of old age or broken health.

If each one of our preachers, ordained or licensed, throughout our entire connection, would pay \$5.00 each year into such a fund, we would at once have a fund out of which we could aid each other in the hour of need. This fund, I am sure, could be built up by our preachers themselves, however, if others desired to help this would be appreciated.

Personally, I am not in favor of building up a great investment fund, and only use its earnings but would draw directly from the funds that that were replenished each year by the amount given by each preacher and their friends.

If an amount equal to ten, fifteen or twenty dollars per month could be provided for those of our number in the trying hour of need, I am sure that the Lord would look upon the act with divine favor.

"Charity, like the sun, brightens every object on which it shines."

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Rev. A. T. Harris, District Statistician, reported. Report accepted.

The matter of quarterly reports was discussed at length, after which the General Superintendent explained the manual relative to the matter.

Rev. Leon Brown, Pastor of the Chief Church, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Leon Brown, acting as delegate from the Chief Church, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Catherine Bailey, acting as delegate from the Jackson Church. Report accepted.

Rev. C. E. Cliff, Pastor of the First Church of Detroit, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. C. E. Cliff, acting as delegate from the Detroit First Church reported. Report accepted.

It was then moved and supported that inasmuch as the pastor of this church has a funeral scheduled for tomorrow, we rescind the former action regarding the time for the election of officers and that 9:30 a. m., Thursday be set apart for this work instead of Friday a. m.

This motion was amended to read: "The election of officers shall take place at 10:00 Thursday a. m., instead of 9:00 Friday.

The motion carried as amended.

Rev. A. T. Harris, Pastor of the Applegate Circuit, reported. Report accepted.

Mr. Howard Mills, acting as delegate from the Applegate charge reported. Report accepted.

Rev. Bernard Kraatz, Evangelist, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Rilla Kridler, Deaconess, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. W. E. Posey favored the Assembly with a special song by request, after which the Assembly engaged in a refreshing season of prayer led by Rev. W. O. Nease.

The Sitting adjourned by expiration of time.

### THIRD SITTING

Thursday Morning, April 5, 1928, at 9:00 o'clock.

The third sitting opened with appropriate scripture reading and brief address by the General Superintendent, Rev. Cox. Prayer was offered by Rev. Slater.

Rev. Cox, General Superintendent, took the chair and the minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

By motion, the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

It was moved and supported that Rev. George B. Kulp take a place on the platform. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that Rev. Ewing and wife and Rev. Chatfield and wife and Rev. Slater be brought forward and introduced to the Assembly and that they have a place within the conference bar. Motion carried.

These brethren and sisters were asked to speak.

The District Treasurer, Rev. A. T. Harris, then gave his annual report. Report accepted.

The hour having arrived for the election of officers, the Assembly proceeded to that work.

The Chairman, Rev. Cox, appointed the following persons to act as tellers: Rev. Lounds, Clements and Paul Elliott.

It was then moved and supported that the blackboard be used to determine the result of the balloting.

Rev. B. O. Shattuck was elected on the first ballot to serve as District Superintendent.

The balloting for Assistant Superintendent resulted in the election of Rev. C. E. Cliff.

Rev. L. W. Sturk was elected to serve in the office of District Secretary.

Rev. A. T. Harris was elected District Treasurer.

The three advisory members of the District Council were elected, the following persons receiving office: Rev. A. M. Frink, P. F. Elliott and W. E. Posey.

Rev. A. T. Harris was elected District Statistician.

By request, Rev. Edwin Boone favored the Assembly with a special song.

The following men were nominated for the office of Trustees of Bible Holiness Seminary by the District Council: J. E. Strong, L. W. Sturk, Howard Mills, E. F. Ewers, August Doehring and George Lounds.



Out of the six nominees named by the District Council, the following men were elected to serve in above named office: J. E. Strong, L. W. Sturk, Howard Mills.

The Assembly then proceeded to elect one person to serve on the Board of Examiners; term of office, 1928-1933.

Rev. B. O. Shattuck was elected to this office.

J. E. Strong was elected to serve on the Board of Trustees of Rest Cottage Rescue Home.

The Assembly then proceeded to elect one person to serve on the District Board of Trustees.

The first balloting resulted in no election.

By motion, the two persons receiving the highest number of votes were to serve as nominees.

The second balloting resulted in the election of George Lounds.

By motion the time was extended ten minutes.

It was moved and supported that the Auditing Committee consist of three persons. Motion carried.

The Assembly proceeded to elect three persons to serve in said office.

The time having expired, the sitting adjourned.

#### FOURTH SITTING

Thursday Afternoon, April 5, 1928, at 2 O'clock.

The fourth sitting opened with songs and prayer by Rev. Frink. Rev. Kulp addressed the Assembly briefly, after which Rev. W. R. Ccx, General Superintendent, took the chair.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

By motion the roll call was dispensed with.

The Assembly then proceeded to finish the election of the Auditing Committee.

By motion the five persons receiving the highest number of ballots were declared the nominees for said election.

The second balloting resulted in the election of Mrs. George Dafoe, Howard Mills and Carl Hightower.

Brother Slater was requested to sing "Speak, my Lord."

The Committee on Resolutions was then called upon for a report. Said committee offered the following:

##### Resolution No. 1.

We recommend that the newly elected District Superintendent enter upon the duties of his office thirty days after the adjournment of the District Assembly, and that his term of office continue for one year.

##### Resolution No. 2.

We recommend that our District Superintendent be paid the sum of \$35.00 per week and \$25.00 per month for his traveling expenses.

We further recommend that the District Superintendent turn in all of his offerings to the District Treasurer to apply on his salary, the balance to be raised as follows:

Each pastor is to subscribe at this time the amount for which his church will be responsible, the same to be paid in quarterly installments.

We further recommend that the Chairman take these subscriptions immediately and that the District Secretary take up the matter with churches not represented here.

### Resolution No. 3.

Be it resolved that the sum of \$1.00 per member be raised over the District for home missions, said money to be used in the District under the direction of the District Council.

Resolutions number 1 and 2 were accepted without discussion.

Resolution number 3 was laid on the table for the present by motion.

It was moved and supported that the Assembly have a recess of five minutes so as to enable each church delegate to decide with their pastor the amount that shall be given by their church for the District Superintendent's support.

The Committee on Ministerial Convention reported as follows:

We, the members of the Committee on Ministerial Convention, do hereby recommend that the Ministerial Convention become a permanent organization in our District and that at least one meeting be held each year.

We do further recommend that the time and place of said convention be determined by the District Assembly.

We do further recommend that the matter of arranging subjects be placed in the hands of a committee of five persons who shall be named from year to year by the District Council. Signed by A. M. Frink, L. W. Sturk, George Lounds, B. O. Shattuck, B. E. Manker.

This recommendation was accepted in its entirety.

The place for the coming Ministerial Convention was determined by secret ballot to be Ellsworth, Michigan, and the time June 19, 20 and 21.

The place for the next Annual Assembly was also determined by secret ballot to be Owosso, Michigan.

Reports were then taken up.

Rev. P. F. Elliott, Pastor of the Owosso Church, reported. Report accepted.

D. B. Curtis, acting as delegate from the Owosso Church, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. L. W. Sturk, Pastor First Church at Flint, reported. Report accepted.

Nellie M. Dafee, acting as delegate from the First Church at Flint, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. P. F. Elliott, Deaconess, reported. Report accepted.

The sitting adjourned by expiration of time.

### FIFTH SITTING

Friday Morning, April 6, 1928, at 9:00 O'clock.

The fifth sitting opened with songs and prayer.

Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent, addressed the Assembly on the subject "Christian Courtesy."

Rev. Cox then took the chair and the minutes of the previous session were read by the District Secretary.

By motion the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

Reports were then taken up.

Ruth Bowman reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. William Lotter, acting as delegate from Pigeon Church, reported. Report accepted.

It was then moved and supported that Brother Arlie Osborne be given a place within the conference bar. Motion carried.

Rev. W. E. Posey, Pastor Battle Creek Church, reported. Report accepted.

J. W. Partridge, acting as delegate from the Battle Creek Church reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. W. E. Posey, Assistant Pastor of the Battle Creek Church, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. T. H. Hoos, Pastor Sault Ste. Marie Charge, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. Hoos also read the report of Mrs. T. H. Hoos, Assistant Pastor of the Sault Ste Marie Church. Report accepted.

Rev. S. I. Emery, Pastor Burnips Church, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. Goodman, acting as delegate from the Burnips Church, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. C. B. Greenman, Pastor Third Church at Flint, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. May Breakey, delegate from the Third Church at Flint, reported. Report accepted.

It was then moved and supported that Rev. S. D. Cox, Superintendent of the Nazarene Church of the Michigan District, be brought forward and introduced to the Assembly. Motion carried.

A speech was called for from Rev. Cox.

It was moved and supported that we change the order of the day and hear from some of the committees. Motion carried.

The Committee on Home Missions submitted the following recommendations:

We, the Committee on Home Missions, recommend that a fund be created to consist of a fee of \$1.50 per member of all assessable members of our church in the District and that \$1.00 per member be used for Home Missions, \$.25 per member for the General Superintendent's support, using the remaining \$.25 per member to pay the District Secretary and District Treasurer \$50.00 each for service rendered throughout the year; all sums left over to be used for incidentals by the District Council.

#### Recommendation No. 2.

We further recommend that since the work and need of Home Missions are so important to the growth of the District in spreading the Gospel to those who have not had its privileges, each pastor, where it is possible, shall donate ten days out of the year for revival effort in new places with the purpose of opening up new work near his pasorate and the church which he serves will donate the support which he will have received toward the same cause.

#### Recommendation No. 3.

We do further recommend that the Board of Trustees of the District shall meet at least once each year and that said Board shall report the results of their meeting to the District Council.

These recommendations were discussed and passed by the Assembly.

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#### The Auditing Committee then reported as follows:

We, the Auditing Committee, hereby state that the following books have been audited and found found to be correct:

State Treasurer, Treasurer of Bible Holiness Seminary, and District Superintendent. Signed by Mrs. George Dafeo, H. T. Mills and Carl Hightower.

It was moved and supported that Brother Howard Mills address the Assembly on "Proper Methods of Bookkeeping." Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that Rev. Charles Slater favor the Assembly with a special song. Motion carried.

The fifth session adjourned by expiration of time.

## SIXTH SITTING

Friday Afternoon, April 6, 1928 at 2:00 O'clock.

The sixth sitting opened with songs and prayer.

Rev. W. R. Cox, General Superintendent, addressed the Assembly on "Efficient Pastoral Work."

Rev. Cox then took the chair and the minutes of the previous session were read and accepted.

By motion, the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

The matter of the propriety of individuals presenting resolutions was discussed at length, after which Rev. Cox informed the Assembly regarding said matter.

After some discussion on the above said subject, the Secretary of the Committee on Resolutions submitted the following:

### Resolution Number 1.

Be it resolved that an offering be taken at this time for the printing of the Assembly minutes.

The matter of the proper method of supplying the minutes to the various churches was considered and discussed at length.

Resolution number 1 was laid on the table by motion.

### Resolution Number 2.

Be it resolved that the work of the District Superintendent be subject to the approval of the District Council.

It was moved and supported that the above resolution be returned to the Committee for redrafting. Motion carried.

### Resolution Number 3.

Be it resolved that the matter of the deficiency in the District Superintendent's support be considered at this time.

This matter was taken up and discussed at length. It was then moved and supported that the Assembly approve of the action of the District Council to take \$100.00 out of the Home Mission funds and apply it toward the deficiency in the District Superintendent's support for the past year. After some discussion, this motion carried.

### Resolution Number 4.

Be it resolved that where there is more than one church under one pastor, they report as circuits instead of individual classes. By motion the above resolution was adopted.

Rev. Charles Slater, Assistant Superintendent of Foreign Missions, asked the privilege of speaking ten minutes on Foreign Missions. This permission was granted by the Chairman.

Brothers Emery, Boone and Shattuck also spoke briefly on the benefits of foreign missionary conventions.

Reports were again taken up.

Rev. George B. Kulp, evangelist, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. James Thompson, Pastor Merrill Church, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Cora Sigman, delegate from the Merrill Church, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. B. E. Manker, Pastor Phelps, Ellsworth and East Jordan Churches reported. Report accepted.

Ruth Alexander, acting as delegate from the Ellsworth Charge, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. J. E. Strong, Evangelist, reported. Report accepted.

It was moved and supported that we adjourn.

## SEVENTH SITTING

Saturday Morning, April 7, 1928, at 9:00 O'clock.

The seventh sitting opened with songs and prayer by B. E. Manker.

Rev. Cox, General Superintendent, addressed the Assembly on the subject, "Prayer and the Ministry", after which Rev. Cox took the chair.

The roll call was dispensed with by motion.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Reports were then taken up.

Rev. Wilbur Thorpe, Pastor from the Monroe Church, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Thrope, acting as delegate from the Monroe Church, reported. Report accepted.

It was then moved and supported that the Monroe Church, having been organized during the past year, be recognized as a church of the district. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that we take an offering at this time to help Rev. Fast, who has received meagre support for his ministry during the year. Motion carried.

This matter was considered at length, after which the following motion was presented:

Inasmuch as there are several other brethren deserving of our help, the action just taken be rescinded, that the way may be clear for further action concerning this need.

This motion was carried.

The matter of furnishing help to the pastors of the weaker churches of the district was considered and discussed by several, after which it was moved and supported that an offering be taken at once to aid these brethren.

This motion was amended to read, "that we also take an offering in our home churches for the same purpose within thirty days, same to be forwarded to the District Treasurer and distributed by the District Council.

Sophia Doebling reported. Report accepted.

The District Council presented the following recommendation:

The members of the District Council do hereby recommend that the following persons be granted license to preach the Gospel: Arlie Osborne, Morton Goodman, Lester Nelson, Moodey Ballmer, Catherine Hazewinkle, A. W. Cripps, Perry Arnold, Mrs. T. M. Fast, Mr. Clements, Goy Miller.

The above recommendation was accepted by vote of the Assembly.

Rev. Robert Woodcock reported verbally.

It was moved and supported that the account of Brother Woodcock's ten days' experience in the Hurley Hospital at Flint be published in the minutes.

Motion carried.

By motion, Brother Woodcock's report was accepted.

Rev. Emma E. Brown, Matron of Rest Cottage Rescue Home, reported. Report accepted.

Rev. William Berines, Pastor Flint Second Church, reported. Report accepted.

Mrs. Ernest Smith, acting as delegate for the Flint Second Church, reported. Report accepted.

It was moved and supported that the Assembly adjourn. Motion carried.

## EIGHTH SITTING

Saturday Afternoon, April 7, 1928, at 2:00 O'clock.

The eighth sitting opened with devotional services.

Rev. Cox took the chair and the Assembly immediately proceeded to business.

By motion the roll call we dispensed with.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The Committee on Resolutions offered the following:

Resolution number 1 adopted after considerable discussion.

1. We, the Committee on Resolutions, recommend that the newly elected District Superintendent enter upon the duties of his office thirty days after the adjournment of the District Assembly, and that his term of office continue for one year.

Report accepted.

The report of the Treasurer of Bible Holiness Seminary was read.

Paul Elliott, Jr., Bookkeeper for Bible Holiness Seminary, reported—report accepted.

The Auditing Committee also reported they had examined the books of Paul Elliott, bookkeeper of Bible Holiness Seminary, and found them to be correct. Also that they had found the books of Rest Cottage Rescue Home to be correct.

It was moved and supported that the District Secretary have charge of the publication of the minutes. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the Board of Trustees of the District meet at 5:00 P. M. today. Motion carried.

By special request, Mrs. Heins sang a song entitled, "I Have a Friend."

It was then moved and supported that the next Annual District Assembly be held the second full week in April. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that at our next Assembly each pastor and delegate give two reports, one covering the first quarter of the calendar year and the other covering the conference year.

An amendment was offered to the above that these two reports be combined into one report covering a period of fifteen months. The amendment was rejected. The main motion was adopted.

Rev. William Clark, Pastor Third Church of Detroit, reported—report accepted.

Claudia Forshee, licensed preacher, reported—report accepted.

Paul Elliott reported—report accepted.

Arlie Osborne, Pastor Detroit Mission, reported—report accepted.

Bertha Keinbaum reported—report accepted.

Cora McCormack, Deaconess, reported—report accepted.

Eunice E. Russell, reported—report accepted.

Mrs. George A. Lounds, reported—report accepted.

The matter of deficit in the District Superintendent's salary for past year was considered.

Mrs. Alldaffer, Pastor Jackson Church, reported—report accepted.

It was moved and supported that a definite statement be inserted in the minutes explaining the matter of proper method of reporting for the coming year. Motion carried.

By motion, the Assembly adjourned.

L. W. STURK,  
District Secretary.

## RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED THE ASSEMBLY

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1. We, the committee on resolutions, recommend that the newly elected District Superintendent enter upon the duties of his office thirty days after the adjournment of the District Assembly, and that his term of office continue for a period of one year.

2. We recommend that our District Superintendent be paid the sum of thirty five dollars per week, and twenty-five dollars per month for traveling expenses. We further recommend that the District Superintendent turn in all offerings to the District Treasurer to apply on his salary, the balance of salary to be raised as follows: Each pastor is to subscribe, at this time, the amount for which his church shall be responsible, the same to be paid in quarterly installments. We further recommend that the chairman take these subscriptions immediately, and that the District Secretary take the matter up with the churches not represented here.

3. We, the committee on Ministerial Convention, do hereby recommend that the ministerial convention become a permanent organization in our District and that at least one meeting be held each year.

We do further recommend that the time and place of said convention be determined by the District Assembly.

We do further recommend that the matter of arranging subjects be placed in the hands of a committee of five persons who shall be selected from year to year by the District Council.

4. We, the committee on Home Missions do hereby recommend that there be a fund created by an assessment of \$1.50 of all assessable members of the District and that out of this fund \$1.00 per member be paid for Home Missions. The sum of twenty-five cents per member shall be used to pay the District Secretary and the District Treasurer \$50.00 each for their services. Twenty-five cents per member shall be paid to the General Superintendent. All overage to be used under the direction of the District Council.

5. Since the work and need of Home Missions are so important to the growth of the District work in getting the Gospel to those who do not have it, be it resolved that each pastor, where it is possible, shall donate ten days out of the year of his time in revival effort in a new place with the view of opening up new work near his pastorate, and the church which he serves shall donate the support he would have received toward the same cause.

6. The resolution committee offered the following:

1. Be it resolved that the Board of Trustees of the District meet at least once each year. Said Board shall report same at the District Assembly.

2. We recommend that where there is more than one church under one pastor, reports be given under the heading "Circuit" instead of individual classes.

3. We recommend that hereafter all reports cover the conference year (that is from April 1st to March 31st) instead of the calendar year (January 1st to December 31st).

NOTE: In order to make the above resolution effective it will be necessary for each minister, delegate and deaconess to bring two reports to the next Assembly, the one covering the first quarter of the year 1928 and the other covering the conference year from April 1st to March 31st. Let everyone give diligence to this matter that confusion may be avoided in our next Assembly reports. Blanks for all reports are in the hands of the District Secretary and will be furnished to all upon request.

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

1927-1928

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Sermons -----	235
Communion Services -----	48
Business Meetings -----	36
Amount pledged by District -----	\$1820.00
For traveling expenses -----	\$300.00
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Total -----	\$2120.00
Received -----	\$1929.36
Expenses -----	\$313.21

B. O. SHATTUCK, District Superintendent.





# MINISTERS AND DEACONESSES OF THE MICHIGAN DISTRICT

## ORDAINED MINISTERS

Berines, William	812 Pingree Ave., Flint, Mich.
Bowman, Ruth	Owosso, Mich.
Boone, E.	Hastings, Mich.
Brown, Emma E.	1041 East Fulton St., Grand Rapids, Mich.
Cliff, Chas. E.	15365 Ohio Ave., Detroit, Mich.
Churchford, Nellie	Holland, Mich.
Dafoe, H. N.	Croswell, Mich.
Doehring, A. C.	Pigeon, Mich.
Doehring, Sophia	Merrill, Mich.
Ewers, E. F.	29230 Albany St., Detroit, Mich.
Ewers, Ella	Detroit, Mich.
Elliott, P. F.	709 South Park St., Owosso, Mich.
Evans, G. F.	
Emery, S. I.	Dorr, Mich.
Frink, A. M.	412 West Kilborne St., Lansing, Mich.
Forshee, Claudia	Owosso, Mich.
Fast, T.	Schomberg, Mich.
<del>Greenman, C. D.</del>	<del>Applegate, Mich.</del>
Harmon, F. H.	
Hoos, T. H.	Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
Hoos, Mrs. T. H.	Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
Hendrickson, Ford	South America
Hendrickson, Mrs. Ford	South America
Harris, A. F.	Flint, Mich.
Haines, Paul E.	Seoul, Korea
Kulp, George B.	41 University Ave., Battle Creek, Mich.
Kraatz, Bernard	Merrill, Mich.
Kridler, A.	817 W. Southern Ave., Muskegon, Mich.
Keinbaum, Bertha	Owosso, Mich.
Lounds, George	Port Huron, Mich.
Lounds, Mrs. George	Port Huron, Mich.
Lamb, Grace	Frankfurt, Ind.
Morningstar, J. H.	411 Fountain St., Ann Arbor, Mich.
Manker, B. E.	Ellsworth, Mich.
Posay, W. E.	36 Corwin St., Battle Creek, Mich.
Posay, Madge S.	36 Corwin St., Battle Creek, Mich.
Reed, Wm. E.	Natal, South Africa
Rice, Chas.	
Sturk, L. W.	1506 Bennett Ave., Flint, Mich.
Shattuck, B. O.	907 South Shiawassee St., Owosso, Mich.
Strong, J. E.	Battle Creek, Mich.
Strong, Mrs. J. E.	Battle Creek, Mich.
Smith, J. W.	Lansing, Mich.
Summerill, J. J.	Three Oaks, Mich.
Thompson, James	Merrill, Mich.
Woodcock, Robert	R. F. D., Owosso, Mich.
Woods, Mrs. Harry	Seoul, Korea
Osborne, Arlie	Detroit, Mich.
Balmer, Moody	Battle Creek, Mich.
Hazewinkle, Catherine	Owosso, Mich.
Cripps, A. W.	Saginaw, Mich.
Arnold, Perry	Owosso, Mich.

## LICENSED MINISTERS

<del>Alldaffer, T. G.</del>	<del>Jackson, Mich.</del>
<del>Alldaffer, Mrs. T. G.</del>	<del>Jackson, Mich.</del>
<del>Brown, Leon F.</del>	<del>Chief, Mich.</del>
Clark, William	15008 Parkside Ave., Detroit, Mich. ✓
Cliff, Marshall	<del>Owosso, Mich.</del>
<del>Dotson, Allen</del>	<del>Cheboygan, Mich.</del>
Elliott, Paul	Owosso, Mich. ✓
Frink, Mrs. A. M.	412 West Kilborne St., Lansing, Mich. ✓
Fast, Mrs. T. M.	Maple City, Mich.
Clements	Alma, Mich.
Miller, Goy	Owosso, Mich.
Strohl, Florence	
Loew, Mary	Dorr, Mich. ✓
Morningstar, Etta	411 Fountain St., Ann Arbor, Mich.
<del>Morse, F. G.</del>	
Swanson, James	Schomberg, Mich. ✓
Thomas, Geo. F.	Flint, Mich. ✓
Thorpe, Wilbur	<del>Monroe, Mich.</del>
<del>Van Note, Emmett</del>	<del>Ashley, Mich.</del>
Van Sickle, Edmund	Owosso, Mich. ✓
Wickstrom, Odin	Fence, Wis.

## ORDAINED DEACONESSSES

Elliott, Mrs. P. F.	Owosso, Mich. ✓
Haines, Mrs. Paul E.	Seoul, Korea ✓
Reed, Mrs. William	South Africa ✓
Kridler, Rilla	Muskegon, Mich.

## LICENSED DEACONESSSES

Davidson, Mrs. William	Lansing, Mich.
Elliott, Mrs. Frank	Lansing, Mich.
<del>Doehring, Mrs. A.</del>	<del>Pigeon, Mich.</del>
Ferle, Caroline	Lansing, Mich. ✓
Russell, Eunice	Muskegon, Mich.
McCormack, Cora	Muskegon, Mich.



# FINANCIAL REPORT, 1927

NAME OF CHURCH	Ant. Brought Forward	Offerings Received	Total Cash Received	Paid to Pastor	In Cash	In Donations	Received off Charge	Paid to General Superintendent	Paid to District Superintendent	Paid to Evangelists	Paid to District Home Missions	Paid to Charity	Paid to Foreign Missions	Paid to Orphan Homes	Paid to Rescue Homes	Paid to Bible Schools	Paid to General Church Pub. Interests	Paid on Property	Paid on Improvements
Owosso	27.17	3,743.35	3,770.52	1,820.69	1,715.69	5.00	100.00	22.50	90.12	450.00	62.78		38.00	74.21	124.60	25.00	10.43		
Lansing	35.90	5,580.70	5,616.60	2,036.55	1,710.00	202.93	123.52	25.00	150.00	150.00	60.00	10.74	932.21	71.00	65.00	130.00	30.00		111.75
Chief	14.55	521.10	535.65	444.31	293.02	151.29		2.50	20.68	77.85	10.00	1.00	35.24	14.00	12.50				31.05
Flint 2nd		2,362.41	2,362.41	959.51	959.51			9.75	38.15	275.00	25.50	20.00	82.25	19.80	60.00				91.61
Detroit 2nd	24.82	2,038.65	2,063.47	754.82		134.92		5.50	57.30	146.00	41.00	16.00	87.42	42.17	17.63	34.60	5.00	547.93	55.00
Merrill	291.18	2,249.73	2,540.91	1,089.22	1,067.02	22.55	6.75	36.45	128.61		23.25		55.11	101.63		40.00	14.41		
(Jeddo)	.11	396.70		396.70	336.16				5.50				6.20	6.00		15.00	3.10		
(Crowell)	31.74		913.17	450.51		32.00		2.26	21.95	77.85			7.56	53.21	30.00	30.00	3.58		
(Port Huron)		408.57	1,213.32	408.57				5.85	9.00	50.00							3.54	492.00	
(Washington)	1.35	1,246.99	1,246.99	557.19		150.00	256.54	3.40	61.25	167.00	21.14		88.56	47.40	36.00	15.00	7.00	219.10	
Ridge	5.52	186.49	186.49		123.33				31.25				3.53						
Ola				217.42					9.40	12.31		1.99		48.66	3.00				32.00
Alma			1,747.25	521.34	317.77	205.57	40.00	6.00	15.00	200.00	8.00		1,331.94			5.35		128.00	
Battle Creek			2,899.13					33.00	304.77				879.02	109.07		67.25	152.52		575.05
Burnips	7.21	2,402.36	2,409.57	1,013.86				1.50	70.25	431.53	5.00			10.87		7.50			
Three Oaks	71.05	388.09	459.04	234.85					64.00	76.42	5.00			31.53		4.80			
Monroe		520.74	520.74	133.24	106.07	27.17			10.84	70.77				28.60	15.00	76.00	7.25	1,231.49	
Muskegon	276.92	2,976.70	3,253.62	1,168.11	1,168.11		137.57	6.25	55.70	35.44		5.00	136.34	20.94		76.00	5.25	202.73	
Detroit 3rd	40.59	574.06	614.65	198.87					4.75	104.88						2.40			
(Traverse City)		214.97		75.32					4.75										
(Maple City)		148.26	148.26	96.93	75.13	21.80		.25	4.93	26.00	1.00						1.00		
(Good Harbor)		628.80	628.80	376.20	266.71	59.49	88.00	.50	12.45	215.00	2.00		22.65			25.00	3.00		
Pigeon	61.00	1,454.69	1,323.18	850.87	715.36	131.51	110.24	12.60	22.22	24.00			25.00				5.00		
South Ovid		138.01	33.31	127.41	81.71	44.70			9.80										
(Phelps)	8.44	777.10	785.54	353.02				3.85	30.45	65.19	11.00	23.50	68.50			10.96			55.33
(Ellsworth)		469.40	469.40	357.67	298.92	58.75		2.50	23.61	19.25	8.50		10.17		12.00	8.20			3.00
(East Jordan)		499.62	499.62	201.31				2.70	20.39	36.00	6.00		8.75			9.77			
Flint 1st	53.19	7,506.78	8,721.97	2,080.00		50.00		44.00	200.00	480.00	360.40	102.18	1,003.35	70.00	193.15	360.50	15.00	160.00	1,564.31
Sault Ste. Marie Mission	7.34	702.70	710.04	226.90					29.74		5.00					10.16		355.50	7.60
Sault Ste. Marie Bruce	.82	1,930.00	1,930.00	268.25				6.50	30.41							8.60		1,542.91	
Jackson	16.03	998.40	2,398.40	334.98					14.45	28.70				6.14			455.68	1,364.89	
Ann Arbor	16.50	1,350.22	1,366.72	217.50				5.50	30.00	165.84	2.00	2.00	20.00			25.00		616.60	114.57
Detroit 1st	110.72	5,558.03	8,078.75	1,440.00				10.00	25.00	43.00			11.00			55.00		5,289.74	
Flint 3rd	37.27	151.29	188.56	98.68					6.25										
TOTALS	1,139.42	47,934.91	57,415.62	22,552.67	8,775.02	1,285.36	862.62	248.36	1,633.27	3,508.78	668.32	190.91	4,828.56	776.47	510.38	1,037.99	265.98	10,647.75	5,239.65

# FINANCIAL REPORT, 1927—Continued

NAME OF CHURCH	Paid for Rent	Paid to General Home Missions	Paid for Incidentals		Paid on Indebtedness	Total Paid Out	Balance in Treasury	Number of Church Buildings	Value of Church Buildings	Number of Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Total Valuation of All Property	Total Indebtedness
Owosso			591.13		497.76	3,802.22	68.30	1	7,500.00			7,500.00	1,177.24
Lansing	480.00	198.42	472.52		840.66	5,579.00	1.70	1	8,000.00			14,000.00	8,458.07
Chief			22.97			529.71	5.94	1	1,500.00			1,500.00	
Flint 2nd	32.00		308.08		366.95	2,288.60	73.81	1	3,000.00	1		3,000.00	
Detroit 2nd			93.99			2,038.65	24.46	1	6,000.00	1	5,000.00	11,000.00	2,839.00
Merrill			290.90		298.00	2,100.69	440.20	1	2,500.00	1	2,500.00	5,000.00	550.00
(Jeddo)			5.61			396.70		1	1,500.00			1,500.00	
(Croswell)			91.37	185.22		923.51	21.40	1	2,500.00			2,500.00	1,100.00
(Port Huron)			152.15			1,106.26	199.41	1	2,500.00			3,500.00	3,088.47
(Washington)			52.32			1,396.99		1	1,500.00	1	1,800.00	3,300.00	376.00
(Ridge)			11.78			169.89	10.00	1	1,200.00			1,200.00	
Ola			17.87			858.65		1	1,400.00	1		1,400.00	
Alma	249.00		270.00		529.21	1,728.33	18.92	1	5,000.00			5,300.00	1,634.79
Battle Creek		2,072.54	794.10		254.00	8,923.18		1	50,000.00	1	6,000.00	56,000.00	950.00
Burnins			240.47		642.00	2,409.57		1	1,200.00	1	700.00	1,900.00	750.00
Three Oaks			28.70			426.83	33.21	1	1,000.00			1,000.00	
Monroe	225.00		36.31			512.49	8.25	1					
Muskegon			149.36	58.00		3,139.50	114.12	1	5,500.00			6,000.00	2,649.21
Detroit 3rd		20.00	36.54	202.73		622.12	17.86	1	2,000.00			2,000.00	669.55
(Traverse City)			11.10			93.27	121.40	1	2,000.00			2,000.00	
(Maple City)			18.25			148.26		1		1	500.00	500.00	
(Good Harbor)			22.00			628.80		1	1,000.00			1,000.00	
Pigeon		25.00	22.00	401.00		1,453.69	1.00	1	1,500.00	1	1,500.00	3,000.00	2,000.00
South Ovid			1.80			138.01		1	1,200.00			1,200.00	
Phelps			143.68			775.48	20.06	1				1,500.00	
Ellsworth			24.50			469.40		1	1,400.00	1	400.00	1,800.00	
East Jordan			50.80			495.63	3.99	1				1,200.00	
Flint 1st		210.10	1,174.91			8,551.46	223.70	1		1		20,000.00	2,693.97
Sault St. Marie Mission			80.14			710.04		1	2,000.00	1	Same Bldg.	2,000.00	570.00
Sault Ste. Marie Bruce			61.96			1,918.63	11.37	1	2,000.00	1	1,000.00	3,000.00	
Jackson			124.62			2,356.36	58.07	1	3,500.00			3,625.00	1,435.00
Ann Arbor			136.64			1,335.65	20.54	1	6,200.00			6,200.00	3,017.02
Detroit 1st	134.00		2,050.04	4,659.74		8,044.08	34.67	1	11,000.00	1	9,000.00	20,000.00	12,000.00
Flint 3rd			16.35			147.33	6.52					250.00	89.00
TOTALS	1,120.00	2,526.06	7,585.36		8,935.27	65,789.28	1,538.90	32	135,600.00	15	34,400.00	257,175.00	46,047.32

# STATISTICAL REPORT

PASTOR	LOCATION	Members on Roll Last Report	Number Dropped	Transferred by Letter	Number Deaths	Total Removal	Additions by Faith	Additions by Letters	Total Additions	Present Membership	Number Revivals	Number Regenerated	Number Sanctified	Number Ministers	Ordained	Licensed	Local	Number Deaconesses	No. Preaching Services	No. Church Prayer Meetings	No. Cottage Prayer Meetings	Total Number Services
P. F. Elliott, Sr.	Owosso	93	16	10	0	26	26	0	26	93	3											
A. M. Frink	Lansing	82	6	0	0	6	16	10	26	112	1	50	45	8	3	4	1	1	96	44	46	186
Leon Brown	Chief	12	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	17	2	8						2	116	52	40	208
Wm. Biernes	Flint 2nd Ch.	37	0	0	1	1	7	0	7	43	3							1	114	21	14	149
E. F. Ewers	Detroit 2nd Ch.	34	7	0	0	7	2	0	2	29	1	62	43					2	117	43	44	204
Jas. Thompson	Merrill	43	0	2	0	2	7	0	7	48	2	5						2	116	80	63	317
George Lounds	Croswell	14	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	13	1							4	123	43	94	260
George Lounds	Jeddo	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22		1						0	71	31	19	121
George Lounds	Port Huron	14	5	0	0	5	3	1	4	13	3							1	47	38		85
A. T. Harris	Applegate Wash. Ch.	33	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	41	1	47							144	64	28	236
A. T. Harris	Kidge Ch.	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8		3						1	92	47	29	168
H. D. Clements	Alma	18	10	0	0	10	9	0	9	17	2								33	18	8	59
W. E. Posey	Battle Creek	136	5	3	1	9	13	6	19	146	4	102	61	11	7			1	127	52	50	229
S. I. Emery	Burnips	39	0	0	0	0	11	0	11	50	2								144	43	77	264
H. A. Dunkelberger	Three Oaks	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	1	1	2	2				115	36	8	159
Willer M. Thorpe	Detroit 3rd									10	2	18	4	1					62	65		127
Wm. H. Clark	Monroe	25								25	1	12		1					60	36	30	126
Telle Fast	Traverse City	13								13	1	1	1	1					111	63	43	217
Telle Fast	Maple City	7								10	1								25	50		50
Telle Fast	Good Harbor	18	2	4	1	7	0		3	10	1								46	40		86
A. C. Doehring	Pigeon	42	5	0	2	7	4	0	0	11	1	6	2	4	2			1	50	50		100
Wm. H. Davison	So. Ovid	12	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	9									50	22	29	101
Albert Kridler	Muskegon	74	4	2	0	6	3	0	3	71	1	25	23	1	1	1		3	43	41		84
B. E. Manker	Phelps	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1	6	4		1				182	59	9	228
B. E. Manker	Ellsworth	9	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	9									64	50		114
B. E. Manker	East Jordan	25	13	0	1	14	5		5	16	1	17	5						120	38	12	170
L. W. Sturk	Flint 1st Church	179	2	0	3	5	30	5	35	209	2	425		8	3			1	66	82	10	158
Thos. H. Hoos	Soo Mission	19								19	1	9	11	3					134	51	130	315
Thos. H. Hoos	Soo Bruce	29	13	3		16				13									92	51		143
F. E. Alldaffer	Jackson	40	15			15	3		3	28		49	22	6					60	27		87
J. H. Morningstar	Ann Arbor	21	3	0	0	3	10	0	7	28	2	100	75	3	1	2			130	80	10	220
C. E. Cliff	Detroit 1st	46	3	0	1	4	0	0	0	42	2	9							124	45	40	209
C. B. Greenman	Flint 3rd	16	1	0	0	1	8	0	8	23								2	140	43	10	193
		1174	116	24	10	150	165	24	184	1251	43	963	311	86	46	16	30	11	3002	1430	936	5368

9-7 Deland  
Flint, Mich.

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NAME	ADDRESS	Sermons Preached	Church Prayer Meetings	Cottage Prayer Meetings	Calls	Revivals in P. H. Church	Revivals Elsewhere	Total Revivals	Number Regenerated	Number Sanctified	Baptisms	Children Dedicated	Anointed for Healing	Marriages	Funerals	No. Subscriptions to Advocate	Amt. Received for Support	Amt. Gifts and Donations	Total Support
A. F. Osborn	1508 Davison, Detroit	93	40	1	40	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	6	..	..	12.00
Ruth Bowman	B. H. S., Owosso	35	2	0	25	..	..	..	10	2	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	25.00
Catherine Hazewinkel	B. H. S., Owosso	32	4	2	12	..	1	1	86	26	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..
J. W. Smith	Lansing	51	9	0	60	.. 1	.. 1	.. 2	25	4	.. 0	.. 0	3	.. 0	.. 0	..	..	..	81.00
Mrs. A. M. Frink	Lansing	1	15	2	322	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23.75
J. E. Strong	14 Grand View Court	84	7	..	100	4	..	4	60	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	31.00	6.00	37.00
Mrs. J. E. Strong	Battle Creek, Mich.	15	2	4	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mary J. Loew	Burnips, Mich.	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
Edw. Van Sickle	B. H. S., Owosso	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bertha Keinbaum	B. H. S., Owosso	21	6	0	20	0	1	1	10	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	28.00	5.00	33.00
Claudia Forshee	B. H. S., Owosso	12	2	5	20	0	1	1	7	2	0	0	5	0	0	..	18.00	5.00	23.00
Sophia E. Doehring	Merrill	2	3	2	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	..	..	..	..
Bernard A. Kraatz	Merrill	57	0	1	26	4	1	5	18	16	0	0	10	0	0	..	213.17	1.35	214.52
Mrs. Madge S. Posey	Battle Creek	10	6	2	364	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	20	..	3	..	10.00	..	10.00
Mrs. Geo. A. Lounds	Croswell	10	..	..	200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Robt. Woodcock	Owosso R. R.	35	0	6	50	0	2	2	35	20	0	0	250	0	0	0	..	..	..
B. O. Shattuck	Dist. Supt. Owosso	209	34	..	151	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	2255.60	..	..
Geo. B. Kulp	Battle Creek	146	..	..	..	5	6	11	1017	..	1	6	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Morton L. Goodman	Burnips, Mich.	52	5	..	..	2	..	2	103	25	..	..	7	0	..	..	191.00	..	191.00
C. Alex Hoos	Sault Ste. Marie	43	38	1	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	93.71	..	93.71
Edw. Boone	Hastings	95	84	54	700	..	..	2	..	..	15	..	18	6	9	15	1200.00	162.00	1462.00
Jas. Swanson	Schomberg	20	5	4	10	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	25.10	30.00	55.10
		1020	265	84	2182	16	14	33	1372	95	16	7	374	6	13	21	209.35	2261.08	

# DEACONESS' REPORT, 1927

NAME	WHAT CHURCH	Are you supported by the P. H. Church	Number Homes Visited	Number Sick Visited	Number Poor Helped	Number Garments Distributed	Number Prayer Meetings held	Are you taking course of study?	What Reading Outside of Course?	Do you subscribe for Advocate?
Mrs. P. F. Elliott	Owosso	NO	175	30			2			
Caroline Ferle	Lansing	NO	37	13	2	6	75			
Cora McCormick	Muskegon	NO	141	76	39	41	6	NO	Christian Literature	NO
Mrs. Rilla Kridler	Muskegon		51	8			1	NO	Bible	
Mrs. A. C. Doehring	Pigeon							NO	Church Paper and Bible	
			404	122	41	47	88			

# SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT, 1927

Location	Number Pupils Enrolled	Number Officers and Teachers	Total Number Enrolled	Average Attendance	Number of Sessions	Amount Cash Brought Forward	Amount Offerings	Regular Offerings	Birthday Offerings	Special Offerings	Total Offerings	Amount Paid for S. S. Literature	Amount Paid to Home Missions	Amount Paid to Foreign Missions	Amount Paid to Orphanage	Amount Paid to Special Donations	Amount Paid for Incidentals	Total Amount Paid Out	Balance Cash in Treasury	Superintendent
Owosso	100	14	114	120	50		270.41	102.62	...	167.79	270.41	113.12	70.78	...	...	31.74	22.95	238.59	31.82	P. F. Elliott, Jr.
Lansing	110	10	120	68	51	18.26	288.26	266.45	21.81	...	288.26	83.86	...	129.76	...	73.50	3.50	290.62	15.90	L. D. Rehklan
Chief	28	8	36	30	52	8.85	...	57.02	8.02	15.88	60.67	21.56	...	...	5.00	9.31	...	47.90	12.77	Mrs. Jennie Hanes
Detroit 2nd	85	10	95	62	52	2.00	82.62	31.13	12.38	16.16	144.38	136.08	5.00	55.50	20.00	...	178.09	394.67	1.44	...
Flint, 2nd.	137	15	152	98	52	47.73	348.38	242.75	19.21	86.42	348.29	82.03	...	11.46	29.74	21.06	...	144.29	0.00	...
Merrill	80	6	86	22	48	10.12	88.77	...	...	8.02	93.89	48.08	...	...	...	...	37.65	85.73	8.16	Milton Foster
(Port Huron	44	6	50	29	40	23.05	18.94	...	1.44	8.02	9.46	9.07	...	...	...	20.00	...	29.07	22.38	Thos. H. Hornby
(Croswell	55	7	62	32	52	5.15	78.76	48.46	9.84	25.46	78.76	35.06	...	21.00	10.00	...	2.37	68.43	15.48	Mrs. Geo. Lounds
(Jeddo	19	5	24	17	41	...	...	28.98	3.31	...	75.53	26.58	...	43.24	4.59	...	1.10	75.51	1.28	Lewis Brown
(Wash'ton	70	8	78	51	50	20.33	136.99	60.93	11.99	64.07	157.32	48.92	...	67.40	47.40	...	12.10	175.82	28.90	Wm. Phipps
(Ridge	15	7	22	15	19	2.34	...	11.73	...	3.53	17.60	9.17	...	...	...	...	...	12.70	490	B. Dickison
Bat. Creek	214	12	226	178	52	82.40	1403.46	466.47	54.76	942.33	1403.46	249.34	32.86	795.41	10.00	82.29	174.70	1344.60	141.26	E. S. Tuttle
Muskegon	65	9	74	40	52	3.82	...	96.05	...	5.02	108.38	91.77	...	29.28	...	4.37	...	127.88	.50	Mrs. Rilla Kridler
Burnips	74	8	82	68	42	22.42	239.42	...	...	...	261.88	55.71	...	66.93	106.17	11.46	5.78	246.05	27.29	J. P. U. Nelson
Three Oaks	12	6	18	14	51	4.33	49.59	...	...	...	49.59	18.00	...	15.33	3.00	...	8.96	45.29	4.30	Mrs. Delle Godfrey
Monroe	40	6	46	30	40	...	24.50	23.23	1.27	...	24.70	9.60	...	...	...	...	12.68	22.28	2.22	...
Detroit 3rd	44	8	52	32	52	18.94	...	95.11	5.54	...	119.59	74.02	...	...	5.00	...	35.66	109.68	5.37	Fred Weeks
(Traverse	15	4	19	10	24	...	...	14.56	.63	...	15.19	10.48	...	...	...	...	...	10.48	4.71	Peter Swanson
(Maple City	16	6	22	15	42	1.57	11.24	11.24	...	...	11.24	9.06	...	...	...	...	...	9.06	2.18	Evelyn Hulbert
(Good Har.	35	4	39	29	51	...	35.49	...	...	...	35.49	25.02	...	...	...	...	...	25.02	9.50	Edw. Swanson
Alma	18	5	23	16	50	...	34.22	...	...	...	34.22	26.90	...	...	...	...	...	26.90	7.32	Geo. Northrup
Pigeon	46	7	53	32	52	41.64	113.95	79.37	12.54	22.04	155.59	35.47	...	56.54	...	...	51.04	143.05	12.54	Frank Smith
South Ovid	17	3	20	...	50	...	...	13.84	6.52	4.81	33.83	16.50	8.66	8.84	5.32	...	.66	31.32	2.51	Lewis Woodhull
Phelps	40	5	45	43	50	1.76	...	95.77	10.28	...	107.81	48.09	...	32.68	...	...	10.07	90.84	16.97	...
Ellsworth	20	5	25	14	48	6.49	38.55	...	1.84	...	46.88	20.12	...	14.70	...	...	...	34.82	12.06	Mrs. F. H. Skow
East Jordan	23	7	30	20	51	1.89	34.45	32.52	1.93	...	34.45	16.84	...	...	...	...	10.75	27.59	1.42	...
Flint 1st.	352	24	376	180	52	167.33	702.16	538.86	98.30	65.00	869.49	287.39	147.35	147.35	105.00	40.00	57.00	784.09	85.40	Geo. W. Dafeo
(Mis. 'Soo'	...	9	...	34	52	3.64	...	64.10	2.04	...	69.78	36.82	...	18.12	...	...	8.13	63.07	3.07	Mrs. T. H. Hoos
(Bruce 'Soo'	...	4	...	15	40	19.81	...	20.31	2.63	29.66	52.60	21.80	...	14.46	...	...	...	36.26	16.34	Mrs. W. Turner
Jackson	58	9	67	49	52	1.72	93.48	85.00	8.48	...	93.48	52.35	...	...	...	10.00	29.41	91.76	1.72	F. E. Alldaffer
Bethel 'Soo'	...	4	...	13	40	...	...	12.36	1.40	...	13.76	12.14	...	2.62	...	...	...	14.76	...	Mrs. T. Weir
Ann Arbor	51	8	59	27	49	1.25	60.88	...	...	...	60.88	42.12	...	...	...	...	5.34	47.46	13.42	Howard Guthrie
Ola	25	5	30	22	46	.92	27.28	...	...	...	28.20	27.48	...	...	...	...	.28	27.76	.44	Oscar Mills
Detroit 1st	104	11	115	90	52	10.78	303.63	293.05	8.33	2.25	314.41	160.33	...	...	41.32	2.25	15.75	319.65	5.24	Vern Smith
Flint 3rd	126	15	141	78	51	9.50	78.88	...	...	...	78.88	75.10	...	...	10.37	3.37	13.74	88.84	4.78	Walter Williams
TOTALS	2118	280	2401	1593	298	538.25	1549.34	2696.91	303.39	1455.84	5565.35	2035.88	264.65	1546.18	401.91	319.35	697.71	5311.84	533.49	