Minutes of the
Official Board of
Reisterstown Methodist Church

April 1, 1957 - April 3, 1961
April 1, 1957

The Official Board of the Reston town
Methodist Church met on the above
date with thirteen members present.
Norman Wetherbee acted as presiding officer
of the meeting. Bob Wright led the group
in prayer. The minutes of the previous
meeting were read and corrected.
The treasurer made the following
report:
Balance March 4/57 $86.53
Receipts
Total $1497.60

Expenditures
Balance April 1/57 $768.16
Set aside for Chimes $100.00
Current Treasury Balance $668.16

The benevolent treasurer reported
the following:
Balance March 7/57 $658.96
Receipts - April 1, 1957 $68.88
Total $727.84
Paid out $476.09
Balance April 1/57 $251.95

The following old business was
heard:
1. It was reported that the gas
meters in the annex have not been
consolidated.
2. A report will be given by Rev. Wright as to the technique and way the painting will be done in the beginners department.

3. The pamphlet, Toward a more effective Church has been given to the four committees and they will report to the Official Board next January.

The following new business was discussed:

1. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to increase the janitors pay from 10 to 12 1/2 per week due to increase in service.

2. The chairman asked the finance committee consisting of Mrs. Geo. Hope Kay, Mrs. E. Neef, and Mrs. Harrell to suggest rules and regulations concerning the work of the Church.

3. The Service for Easter was announced.

Then being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Irene Wright, Secretary.
May 5, 1957

At a special meeting of the Board, it was moved, seconded and passed that the minister’s salary be increased $300.00 and the auto allowance be increased $200.00 per year.

Respectfully submitted,
Jean Myfrie, Sertz
May 6, 1957

The Official Board of the Restorative Methodist Church met on the above date with sixteen members present. The Chairman of the Board, Rev. Allwelt, called the meeting to order after which we were led in prayer by Rev. Wright. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following report was made by the treasurer:

Balance April 1/57 $768.16
Receipts $2270.32
Total $3038.48
Expenditures May 1/57 $1343.58
Balance May 1/57 $1694.90
Set aside for chimes $1000.00
Current Intrust Balance $694.90

The treasurer of the Annex Fund reported:

Balance 1/7/57 $6.24
Receipts 1/7/57 - 5/5/57 $898.30
Total $904.54
Expenses $241.98
Balance 5/6/57 $162.56
Balance due on mortgage $8,880.00
The following old business was
heard:

1. Nothing has been done so regards
to consolidating the gas meters in the
Annex, but it will be taken care
of in the near future.

2. The property committee reported
that the painting in the beginner's
department is not necessary, so it
will not be done at this time.

3. There was no report from the
committee appointed to suggest rules
and regulations for the use of the Church.

New Business:

1. Mr. Duit, property committee
chairman presented two estimates on
the necessary work required in order
to tie into the sewerage when it is
available. The lower bid, which was from
Mr. Luther Snively was accepted. The
motion was made, seconded, and
passed that the work be done, in-
cluding the Parsonage Church or Annex.

2. All of the first floor joists have to
be replaced at the Parsonage, making
it necessary to replace floors, repair
plaster, paint, etc. with others necessary again.
The motion was made, and carried that
the property committee secure estimates
on work to be done and submit report

meeting.

3. Motion was made and carried that Rev. Wright take the month of August for his vacation.

4. Mr. Cherry reported on the budget as it was set up at the Finance committee meeting, the only major change from last year being the $300.00 increase in the Pastor's salary and $200.00 auto expense allowance. A motion was made and carried to accept same. The suggestion was also made by the Finance committee that $400.00 be added to the present mortgage to take care of the necessary work at the garage and the expense of the Beverage work. Motion was made and carried to do so.

5. A motion was made and carried that a member of the Board present the financial standing of the Church to the congregation, and that due to the increase in the pastor's salary other expenses it will be necessary for all to increase their giving.

6. A motion was made and carried that a couple from Dee
Parke Home the Church made available for their wedding on Jan. 8th.

7. Rev. Wright asked that we contribute toward T.V. ministry and extra to help the Conference meet its world service asking. Since we have a Benevolence balance a motion was made and carried to give $25.00 to T.V. ministry and $50.00 to Conference World Service.

8. The chairman appointed the following nominating committee:
   Rev. Wright, chairman John Franklin Earl Charley, Mrs. Edward Shaffer

9. A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to investigate the possibility of the Resistafone Church becoming a station 1958-59 consisting of:
   Donald Allwater, Sherman
   Mary Vonderwist, Rev. Wright
   Earl Charley, John Franklin
   Mrs. Arthur Keist

After being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Daniel Ray Ceterajesty
June 3, 1958

The Official Board of the Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty-four members present. After the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and approved. The following treasurer's report was read and accepted:

Balance May 6/57 $1,694.90
Receipts $899.72
Total $2,594.67

Expenditure
Balance 6/3/57 $2,388.80
Paid bills $205.87

Surplus 6/3/57 $163.00
$42.87

Rev. Wright stated that at least $1,000.00 had been paid on annuity mortgage.

The following old business was discussed:

1. A bill of $937.88 due to Mr. Ether Jenkins was presented. It was decided that it was the duty of the Board of Trustees to acquire the property. The question was raised whether the money could be secured from annuity treasurer. 1st.
2. On June 16th, Mr. Cheek and
report to the congregation the financial status of the Church and ask for increased giving.

3. Chairman of the committee, Don Allwalt reported he had written to Dr. Justice asking procedure in acquiring Rev. Wright as a full time minister and establishing Reidsburg Methodist Church as a station. No answer had been received.

4. Mrs. Watt, as chairman of service committee asked suggestions from the board as to regulations for use of Church.

5. The nominating committee reported the following slate:
   
   Ch. - Donald Allwalt
   Vice Ch. - Norman McElwain
   Treasurer - Mrs. Cheaney
   Secty. - Jane Myers

   The above slate was accepted by the Board. Old business discussed:

6. Rev. Wright reported Mrs. Charles Knight requested to be released as chairman of the music committee. It was moved, seconded and passed that Thelma Cockeal act as chairman of the music committee.
2. The board moved, seconded and passed to renew the oil burner maintenance policies for the annual Church and parsonage from Griffin & Co.

3. It was moved, seconded and passed that a committee be appointed by the chairman to review the records of the Church for the last five years and bring both all motions pertaining and shall pass to procedures of the Church to the Official Board, and further to back their recommendation for form of a set of by laws for procedures and obligations of the Official Board of the Church.

The committee consists of:

Norman McNeela, chairman

Mr. Cross  Mr. Gore

Mr. Kay  Gerald Allsone

Mr. Earl Cherry  Rev. Wright

4. A discussion was held on the discontinuance of junior church. It was decided to hold it as before.

5. A motion was made, seconded and passed that a special meeting of the Official Board shall be called to the discretion of the chairman providing the members as possible be notified and as many as possible
6. A motion was made and carried that the church buy the
officials of the Official Board a
copy of the Discipline of the Church
and that an additional copy be put in
the church library.

These being not further business
to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

*7. Chairman Donald Allworth welcomed
these new members to the Official Board:

Charles Bate
Mr. Edgar Belt

Dr. R. V. McLeod
Charles V. Scellichan Jr.

John Wright
Gordon Tochari
The official board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty-nine members attending. After the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and approved. The following treasurer's report was accepted:

Balance June 3/57       $205.87
Receipts               $475.54
Total                  $681.41

Expenditures          $646.51
Balance July 1/57      34.90
Unpaid Bills           138.32
Deficit July 1/57      $163.42

The benevolence treasurer made the following report:

Balance April 25/57    $410.64
Receipts — June 20/57  $367.48
Total                  $780.12

Paid out May 13/57
(Wood Service)          $75.00
Total                   $855.12

The following old business was discussed:

1. Chairman, Donald Allwardt, read a response which he received from Dr. Justice. No action will be taken

July 1, 1957
on the Restoratron Methodist Church,
becoming a station at present.

2. The property committee presented
a bid from Mr. Clark for alterations
and repairs to be made in the
parsonage. A motion was made,
recorded, and passed that the proposal
of $14,400 for Mr. Clark for alterations
and repairs on the parsonage be
accepted.

3. The service committee report their
discussion thus far on rules and
regulations for our church. The
committee-wishes to revise their report.
The following new business was
heard:

1. It was reported that the
storage place for the cemetery
equipment had been broken into.
The Board passed that all church
property should be moved accordingly.

2. The question was raised whether
homecoming Sunday should be
continued. It was moved, seconded
and passed to disagree with the
Homecoming Service.

3. A motion was made and
passed that the minister at his
discretion designate one Sunday
as "Family Sunday" with no
special service.
4. A motion was made and
passed that the property committee
secure prices for renovations and
report to the next meeting. Rev.
Wright made a report concerning storm
windows and the condition of the bathroom.
5. The property committee was
asked to make suitable arrangements
for turning on and off oil burner.
6. The following ministers will
be present during August:
Rev. John Doe
Rev. Eugene Funk
Rev. Watson Kelly
7. The Board of Trustees were
given permission to install a
fire-fighting system at their expense
for the outside of the cemetery, use.
8. The lay-labor committee chairman,
Norman Mebane, read their report. A
motion was made and passed
that a copy of the lay-labor be
distributed to members of the board
and be discussed at the next
meeting.

Then being no further business to discuss,
the meeting adjourned. Respectfully submitted
John Thompson, Secretary
August 5, 1957

The Official Board of the Dexter Street
Methodist Church met on the above date with eighteen members present. The
meeting was called to order by the
chairman, George Maynard, and the
services opened in prayer. The minutes of the
last meeting were read and approved.

The following treasurer's report
was accepted:
Balance July 1/57 34.90
Receipts
   1264.30
   1299.20
   1096.41
Total
   283.89
Expenditures
Balance Aug. 5/57

The following old business was
discussed:

1. The property committee reported
new bathrooms. It is estimated it will cost
approximately $1,000. It is necessary
to secure more estimates for renovating
rooms if Board decreed to do so. A
motion was made and carried to
wait until the improvements on the
first floor of the passage are completed
before planning future renovations.

2. The front steps contain to the cemetery
are not being installed.

3. After a lengthy discussion of the
In the regulations for the use of the Church, it was moved, seconded and passed that the Regulations for use of Church Buildings and Facilities be adopted as corrected. Rev. Allworth, the Chairman, appointed the following Service Committee:

Mrs. Nancy Kay
Mrs. Edith Shaw, Jr.
Mrs. Arthur Neibert
Mrs. Earl Gour
Rev. Harold Wright

4. The By-laws of the Official Board of the Reinsteinbrook Methodist Church were read and discussed. A motion was made, seconded, and passed that the proposed By-laws be adopted.

The following new business was decided:

1. It was moved and passed that Mr. & Mrs. Further Jackson's daughter be given permission to use the Sanctuary for her wedding, August seventeenth.

2. Norman Weckman suggested that the pasture back lawn be plowed, mowed, and seeded. He asked if the Board would grant permission
to do same. It was moved and
passed that the Official Board will
allow (under supervision of the property
committee) the necessary renovating
of the Parsonage back lawn.

3. Permission was granted to
Carolyn Sayfer and Donald Caplis
for the sale of the Sanctuary for
their wedding on August Twentieth
fifth.

4. The chairman reported that Mr.
Fred Frey has resigned as Choir
Director to accept a similar position
in a Baltimore Church. The Rev.
D pasture Harey, Instrumental Music
Teacher of Franklin High School will be
the Choir Director beginning in September.
There being no other business
the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Sawyer B. K. Harey.
Acting Secretary.
August 18, 1957

The Chairman called a special meeting of the Official Board after worship service on the above date. A quorum of over 15 attended the meeting. Since the first meeting on September 1st or Labor Day, he questioned whether we should hold our meeting on that evening. A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet on Monday, August 26th, one week earlier.

A motion was made, seconded and passed that the Official Board should borrow $500.00 at 3% interest from the Cemetery Fund for the improvements at the parsonage and that Donald Allardt show clear up a note to this effect.

A motion was made, seconded and passed that Paul Kemp, Treasurer of the Improvement Fund, spend what is necessary from the fund to complete the payment for the parsonage renovations.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Juliet B. Cheney
Acting Secretary
August 26, 1957

The Official Board of the Redstone Methodist Church met on the above date with eighteen members present. Mr. Cross led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted. The following treasurer's report was accepted:

- Balance Aug. 5, 1957: $203.09
- Receipt: $3,967.44
- Total: $4,180.83
- Expenditure: $5,113.72
- Balance Aug. 26, 1957: $1,087.11

The following old business was heard:

1. It was stated that the structural work and redecorations at the gymnasium were completed.

The following new business was discussed:

1. A motion was made and carried that the name and cross in the sanctuary be repaired.
2. It was suggested by the chairman that the Planning Committee hold a meeting. John Harden is chairman.
3. It was suggested that someone be responsible for greetings and
introducing a guest minister.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

[Date]
October 7, 1957.

The official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with thirteen members present.

In the absence of the Chairman, Rev. Wright, present. He called the meeting to order and led in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following treasurer's report was read and accepted:

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The following Annas Fund Report was given:

| Balance 5/1/57       | $162.56  |
| Receipts 5/16/57-9/27/57 | 2334.01  |
| Total                | $2496.57 |
| Expenses             | $2482.40 |
| Balance 10/7/57      | $14.17   |

Balance Due on mortgage $30,00.00

"""""Trusted Nov. 15. 10. 00. 00"

The Benevolence Treasurer reported:

| Balance Sept. 1, 5-7 | $1,140.94 |
| Receipts Sept. 1/57-Act. 7/57 | 199.05 |
| Total                | $1,339.99 |
Expenditures

Balance Act. 7/6-7

$1,319.03

$1,960

The only report under old business was that the first free faucet had been installed.

New business:

1. The men were asked to help with the Oyster supper in any way that they could, especially to serve and deliver suppers.

2. At the meeting of the Finance Commission it was decided that the third section of the envelope be used for contributions to the improvement fund. Also that a letter be sent to each member of the Church, informing them of the financial standing.

3. The problem of parking in the rear of the Church might be discussed and Mr. Lee and Mr. Meekins were appointed to investigate the possibilities and report at next meeting.

4. It was agreed to observe Layman's Sunday.

5. Rev. Wright asked that Nov. 3rd be observed as Family Sunday, that families worship together and enjoy as time of fellowship following the morning service.

6. Rev. Wright reported on the
Carroll County Hospital meeting.
Due to the fact that the Hospital will be a convenience to people from this section of the County, if they desire to take advantage of it, organizations are to be asked for donations or pledges to be paid over a three year period. A motion was made and carried that we use one half of the Lenten Offering for three years, to pay a pledge of $300.00.

Other organizations of the Church are to be asked to contribute and if possible to give $500.00, instead of the pledged $300.00.

7. Mr. Meekins reported that nothing had been accomplished in regard to the grading of the parsonage yard.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Nadine Kay, Acting Secty.

P.S. The Chairman of the Board arrived as we were leaving. His Motto: Better late than never.
November 4, 1957

The Official Board of the Reiststown Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and accepted. The following treasurer's report was read by Rev. Wright due to the absence of the treasurer:

Balance Oct. 7, 1957 $795.73
Receipts
12/2, 75
Total
$2066.48
Expenditures
Balance Nov. 4, 1957 $1464.11
Conference Expenses due Nov. 15. $720.00
The annual treasurer reported the following:
Receipts 11/4/57 203.78
Expenses 10/25/57 (interest pay) 80.80
Balance Nov. 4/57 $122.98
Balance due on mortgage $8,080.00
Balance due on trustee note 1500.00
9580.00

The following old business was discussed:
1. The women asked for volunteers to help at their annual oyster supper.
2. It was moved, seconded and
passed that necessary graveling be done in the rear of the Church provided the cost does not exceed $100.00.

New Business:

It was stated that the audit committee should function and report to the Official Board. It is the duty of the finance committee to select an auditing committee.

8. It was requested that a new lock be placed on Ranger Court door. Mr. Gist will also investigate the possibility of securing doors out.

3. Rev. Wright announced that a community Thanksgiving Service will be held here at 10:30 A.M. Dr. Eugene Gilmore will be the guest speaker.

OLD BUSINESS:

3. Family Sunday has been changed until November 24th.

4. Further report on work on parsonage lawn will be given at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

4. A discussion was held on obtaining and making a new nursery sign.

5. Rev. Wright announced that Monday night prayer and meditation service will be held from 7:00 P.M. - 7:45 P.M. during the Advent season.
6. It was announced that a Mission Workshop will be held at the Lyndon Church on December thirtieth.

7. Rev. Wright asked permission to mail literature to congregation concerning the Wesley Theological Seminary Fund.

7. Donald Allwalt reported that he had again spoken to Dr. Justice concerning Quinterston Church becoming a station. The question has been referred to Dr. Ashbee who is studying the problem.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

[Name]
December 2, 1957

The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with eleven members present.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Allanalt, followed with prayer by Rev. Wright.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer gave the following report:

Balance, Nov. 4, 1957

Receipts

Total

Expenditures

Balance, Dec. 2, 1957

The following Amenity Fund Report was given:

Balance 11/14/57

Receipts 11/14/57 - 12/14/57

Total

Expenses 11/29/57 Mortgage payment 670.00

Balance Due on Mortgage

" " " Interest due

The following old business was discussed:

1. Travelling on rear of church and the work on the parsonage yard tabled for the present time.
2. A motion was made and carried to replace the front door at the
Arney Meeting, up to the Primary department,
and to equip with panic hardware.

New Business:

1. A motion was made and carried to advance $27,000, which is our share
of the expenses for Rev. Wright to
attend the Black Hills Fall Retreat.
Deer Park will pay $4 of the amount.

2. Requests for an offering for Board of Child Care will be sent
to the constituency and announced
from the pulpit.

3. Rev. Wright asked for volunteers
to assist him in the preparation of the
Church paper.

4. It was suggested that a secretary
be secured to take care of the clerical
work of the Church. This assistance
would be of great value to the minister
and give him more time for visiting
and the numerous other activities
in which he is expected to participate.
Rev. Wright said he would investigate
and report at next meeting.

5. The Planning Commission met
at the home of the Chairman, Mr. Shanklin,
in order to discuss maps and means of
Coping with the growing need of our Church and the community expanded.

The committee felt that there was not much that could be done to the present sanctuary to give us any long range relief for seating. It was agreed that one solution for the overflowing crowds we expect could be handled better by two services on Sunday.

We are agreed that it would be necessary to build a new Church in the near future if the community grows as expected. We do need a piece of property on which to build this edifice, as we do not already own a good deal of property where we now are. Only one property had discussed as being suitable to our needs, this is the Brecheit property which adjoins our present property.

Therefore recommend that a committee be appointed by the Official Board to contact the Brecheit family and make known to them our desire to obtain this property as a site of our future church.

The Sunday School can possibly function for a time yet with some rearrangement.

It is further recommended that the State Road, School Board, and County Planning Commission be contacted to ascertain the expected growth of Spotswood and surrounding areas.
A motion was made that the Committee be appointed to talk with Mrs. Bruehl, composed of Rev. Wright, Norman Meekins, John Franklin and Naomi Ray.

6. At the suggestion of Rev. Wright it was agreed to again place the small Ymas tree in the vestibule on which to hang the Ymas offering envelopes.

7. The motion was unanimously carried to give bonus gifts to the Choir Director, Organist, and janitor. These being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Naomi Ray
Acting Secretary.
January 6, 1958

The official board of the Protestant Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The following treasurer's report was accepted:

Balance Dec. 21/57 $ 776.25
Receipts
  1,713.49
  Total $ 2,489.74
  $ 218.64

Expenditures
Balance Jan. 6/58 $ 1271.16
  The following annex fund report was read and accepted:
  Balance Dec. 31 4.85
  Balance due on mortgage $ 7410.00
  Balance due on trustee note $ 1500.00
  Total $ 8910.00

Uncounted fund to cover interest note due January twentieth, for $80.00.

Under old business, the following was discussed:

1. It was stated that help was still needed to edit the church paper, especially an editor.

2. Inquiries are being made in order
to try to secure a secretary to take
on clerical work for the Church.

3. Traveling in the near of the Church,
in the discussion again at a future date.

4. The committee appointed to
talk with Mr. Buesch concerning
decision of Planning Commission has
not yet functioned.

The following new business was
heard:

1. It was reported that the back
Sunday School rooms were not being
heated properly. The property committee
will investigate and find proper
repair work done.

2. Rev. Wright asked if there was a
history of the church available.

3. The treasurer presented the phone
bill for telephone service amounting to
$64.00 for a six-month period.

4. Rev. Wright announced that
Rev. Wally Wise will be our
guest speaker on January twelfth.

The meeting not further business
to discuss. The meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
February 3rd, 1958

The Official Board of the Rehoboth Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted. The following treasurer's report was read and accepted:

Balance Jan. 6, 1958
$1271.10

Receipts
$895.53

Total
$2166.63

Expenditures
$1090.75

Balance Feb. 3, 1958
$1075.88

The annuity treasurer reported the following:

Balance 1/6/58
$4.75

Receipts
$243.66 $248.51

Expenditures (Interest payment $80.00 $80.00

Total
$168.57

Balance due on mortgage $7410.00

Tuition rate $500.00

8910.00

The following benevolence treasurer's report was given:

Balance Dec. 6/57
$545.06

Receipts
Feb. 3/58
$374.66

Total
$917.72

Paid Out (World Service) $402.66

Balance
Feb. 3, 1958
$317.72
Under old business, the following was discussed:

1. The resignation of John Tharbsin who was acting as the chairman of the Planning Commission was accepted.

Rev. Wright was appointed to act as chairman of Committee to Contact Mr. Buckh.

2. The Property committee reported that the heating problem in the S. S. rooms had been solved. The board moved and passed that necessary repairs be made around the radiators to the asphalt tile.

3. The following old business was on the agenda but no action was taken:

   a. Grounding in rear of church
   b. Planning commission talking with Mr. Buckh.
   c. Auditing Committee will function.

The following new business was discussed:

1. The Boy Scouts were given permission to hold a dinner at the church on February 20th by Church Service Committee.

2. The Church ladies asked to sponsor a Senior Girl Scout Troop. The board moved, seconded and passed its approval.

3. Rev. Wright announced the Third
National Conference on Family Life in Chicago October 25-1942. It would be to our advantage if it would be possible if one couple from Reisterstown Church could attend.

4. It was also announced that one representative from Reisterstown Methodist Church attend the Shelter Manager Training Course.

5. Rev. Wright was given permission to order religious literature he requested, namely: "Sanctuary", "Christ and Our Pessimism", and "Worship of the Official Board". The first two will be mailed to the congregation.

6. The Board voted to hold Sunday evening services prior to Easter. Two guest ministers will be: June 8:00 P.M. Feb. 23rd Rev. Edwin Bicer
March 2nd Rev. J. J. Riley
March 9th Rev. W. M. Roberts
March 16th Rev. J. B. Ranson
March 23rd Rev. L. D. Churchman
March 30th Easter in Nazareth

During Lent on Monday evening a meditation period will be held from 6:30 until 7:45 P.M.

7. It was announced that the Church of the Community are sponsoring
the Wesley Seminary Singers in the Elementary School Auditorium on March 26th. Admission $1.00.

8. Quarterly Conference will be held Sunday Evening April 28th at 8:00 P.M.

9. The question was raised whether tuition should be paid on sewerage or Annex property. No decision was made.

10. Since Paul Kenny is moving, the nominating committee will need to secure a new Annex treasurer. There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean Rysen, Secretary
March 3, 1958

The Official Board of the District Methodist Church met on the above date with fourteen members present. The meeting was opened with a prayer led by Rev. Wright. The secretary’s report was read and corrected. The treasurer gave the following report:

Balance Feb. 3, 1958 $1,075.58
Receipts $666.39
Total $1,742.27

Expenditures
Balance March 3, 1957 $858.92

The following annual report was presented:

Balance Feb. 3, 1958 $168.51
Receipts $253.86
Total $422.36

Expenditure (mortgage payments) $400.00
Balance 3/3/58 $22.36
Balance due on mortgage $7010.00
" mortgage note 15-00.00
Total $7810.00

Undeposited checks: men’s club $250.00
Receipts 2/3-3/3 undeposited.

Under old business, the following was heard:

1. The planning committee talked with Mrs. Bond. She has been
informed that the Reistetown Methodist Church is interested in her property.
She stated that the Church would be given first option on the property.
2. It was stated that the tap on sewerage on Annex property was included on the bill.
3. The nominating committee submitted the name of Wm. Dijon to serve as annex treasurer. He was unanimously elected.
The following new business was discussed:
1. It was announced that there will be two services on Palm Sunday and Easter at 8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
2. Secretarial help has been secured for the Church. Remuneration for her services is to be referred to the finance commission which will be building on the Official Board.
3. It was questioned whether it would be possible to change annex phone to a separate phone rather than an extension on the parsonage phone.
4. A letter has been received from Smith and Harrison stating that the Reistetown Methodist Church was under trustees of an estate which con-
Concerning Mr. German's property and that no report has been received since our appointment. It was requested that a release and a quick claim deed be executed to clear the title. No decision was made as the board requested more information before taking any action.

5. Donald Allnutt, who had been consulting Dr. Justice about Reistatours becoming a developer, stated that it did not look hopeful in the end of this conference year.

After discussion, it was decided that Fox will attempt to set a date for a meeting either prior or after April 20th.

6. A motion was made and passed that Rev. Wright be given permission to replace spot light used in gush pit. After being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Dave Mykle Testb
April 7, 1958

The Official Board of the Easterbrook Methodist Church met on the above date with twelve members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected. The treasurer gave the following report:

Balance 3/3/58 $858.92
Receipts 3/3/58 $1,080.12
Total $1,939.04
Expenditures $540.17
Balance $398.87

Unpaid bills: 20.22

The Annae treasurer reported the following:

Balance 3/3/58 $22.36
Receipts $3/30/58 $567.14
Total $589.50

Balance due on mortgage $7010.00

The following old business was discussed:

1. It was announced that Dr. Justice will meet on April 20 with committees from Deer Park and Easterbrook after Quarterly Conference.
3. A letter was read from Temple Smith and an explanation made.

4. A motion was made and passed that the board proceed with the release of the mortgage and execution of a quiet title.

5. A motion was made and passed that the secretary be used as long as it is financially possible.

6. A motion was made and passed that church organizations make a contribution to the general treasury of the church.

7. Mrs. Cherry reported the following from the Finance Committee meeting:

   a. It was suggested that an every member canvass be held in May for the benefit of the building fund and the general treasury. It was also suggested that orientation be held on one specific day following a kick-off dinner. Sending out letters of explanation to the congregation prior to the canvass was also suggested.

   A motion was made and passed that an every member canvass be held during week of May 25th.
Mr. Wright will act as chairman with members of Finance Committee as his committee.

5. A motion was made and passed to eliminate the hallway phone. A private phone is to be installed in army office with an extension and a cut-off key to be placed in side room.

The following new business was discussed:

1. It was announced that Quarterly Conference will be at 8:00 P.M. on April 22.
2. Business organizations are asked to have their books ready to be audited.
3. A note of appreciation is to be sent by secretary to Mr. Tracey.

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Thus being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
April 20, 1958

A special meeting of the official Board of the Princeton Methodist Church was called after Church. Twenty-two members were present. The Finance Commission suggested that the minister's salary be increased $200 in order that the recommendation can be brought before Quarterly Conference. A motion was made and passed that the recommendation of increasing the minister's salary $200 be adopted. No further business was discussed.

Respectfully submitted,

John Nash, Secretary.
May 5, 1958

The Official Board of the Restrictive Methodist Church met on the above date with 16 members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and corrected. The following treasurer's report was accepted:

Balance April 7/58 $398.87
Receipts $1769.92
Total $2168.79

Expenditure $1080.94
Balance May 5/58 $1,087.85
Unpaid Bills $830.65
Surplus $257.20

The annuity treasurer made the following report:
Balance April 7/58 $589.50
Receipts, making Total of $1,647.80
Expenses (mortgage payments) $370.72
Balance on hand $277.03

Receipts for May 14 reconciled,
Balance due on mortgage $571.00
on trustee note $1500.00

The Benevolence treasurer reported the following:
Balance April 7/58 $876.19
Receipts - May 1/58 $221.94
Total $1098.13
Expenditures April 388.00
May 457.00
Balance May 1/58 $252.13

Under old business, the following was discussed:

1. Donald Allsward, representative from Reisterstown, and Glen Rock met with Dr. Justes. Reisterstown Church will remain as it is for at least another year unless something unexpected develops.

2. The problem of the German property mortgage release is still under consideration with representatives of the Board of Trustees.

The following new business was heard:

1. A motion was made and passed that one half of the Lenten offering be given to the Building Fund.

2. The Church was asked to sponsor a girl scout troop which will meet on Monday after school. The Board gave its approval.

3. A motion was made and passed to allow Hynden Kindergarten to hold closing exercises on May 29th.
4. A motion was made and passed to contribute $10.00 from Benevolence fund to Hospital fund at Delhi, India, and additional $1.00.

5. A motion was made and passed to contribute $50.00 to world service from Benevolence fund.

6. It was voted and passed to give $25.00 to I. V. Commission of the Methodist Church.

7. Rev. Wright announced Family Day will be observed May 11th with the elder Rev. Wright as guest speaker.

8. A suggestion was made that fans and screens be installed in the sanctuary. The problem is referred to the Property Committee to recommend and bring back estimates as a proposed solution to problem.

9. Rev. Wright expressed his appreciation to the Board for his service in salary.

10. The nominating committee was asked to report before the next meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
June Myrick, Sec'y.
June 2, 1958

The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty one members present. Rev. Knight led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and confirmed.

The treasurer reported the following:

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<th>Balance May 3, 1958</th>
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**Expenditures**

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The church treasurer gave the following report:

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<th>Balance May 3rd</th>
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<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$235.00</td>
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<td>Total June 2nd</td>
<td>$512.03</td>
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Balance due on mortgage $5710.00
Balance due on trustee note 1500.00

The Benevolence treasurer reported the following:

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<th>Balance May 15, 1958</th>
<th>$252.13</th>
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<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$79.26</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>$431.39</td>
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**Expenditures - May 15, 1958**

| $285.00 |

Balance June 2, 1958 $146.39

Under old business the following
was discussed:

1. It was stated that an appointment could be made with a lawyer of the Methodist Conference to settle the discussion on the Hebron property.

2. A motion was made and passed to purchase necessary screens for the sanctuary.

3. A motion was made and passed to do whatever screening is necessary in the annex.

4. The nominating committee presented the following slate:
   
   Chairman - William Diper
   Vice Chairman - George Maynard
   Treasurer -
   Benevolence - Charlie Free
   Building Fund Treasurer - Will Diper
   Secretary - Isaac Myers

   A motion was made and passed that the nominations be closed.
   The secretary is to cast a unanimous ballot.

New business discussed:

1. A motion was made and passed to renew oil burner service agreement.

2. A motion was made and
passed to purchase new vacuum cleaners.

3. A motion was made and passed that the minister be given a full month's vacation.

4. A motion was made and passed that a general housecleaning be made in the Church.

5. The following new members were welcomed to the official board:
   Mr. Tracey Kruistie, Mrs. Anna Welsh, Mrs. Charles Keiss.

6. Rev. Wright stated that he had asked other organizations in the Church to look forward in the new conference year and schedule annual events as far ahead as possible. He urged the official board to do the same.

7. Rev. Wright announced that Rev. Watson Welsh, if available, will be the guest speaker during the vacation.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Myra Lee Seitz
July 7, 1958

The Official Board of the Reistadcnux methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The secretary's report was read and accepted.

The treasurer reported the following:

Balance June 2, 1958
$320.29
Receipts
$933.74

Total
$1,254.03

Expenditures
Balance July 7, 1958
$170.69

The Annex treasurer reported the following:

Balance July 7
$518.05
Receipts
$498.00

Total
$1,016.05

Expenditures (mortgag paid)
$500.00

Balance due trustee's note
$1,500
Balance due mortgage
$5210

Under old business the following was discussed:

1. The nominating committee nominated Charles Sullivan Jr. as treasurer. The Board voted and passed that to be appointed treasurer of the Church.
Under new business the following was discussed:

1. A motion was made and passed that the property committee be granted permission to purchase new blinds for the sanctuary and the hall.

2. A discussion was held on whether the next meeting should be held on Labor Day. No decision was reached.

After no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Frank Myer, Secretary
August 4th, 1958

The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with fourteen members present. Mr. Difon, chairman, opened the meeting with a prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer reported the following:

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<td>Balance July 7, 1958</td>
<td>$170.69</td>
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<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$710.69</td>
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<td>$881.38</td>
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<td>Disbursements</td>
<td>$751.76</td>
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<td>Balance August 2/1958</td>
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<td>$726.86</td>
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<td>Expenditures (mortgage payment)</td>
<td>$500.00</td>
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<td>Balance August 4/5-5</td>
<td>$226.86</td>
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<td>Balance due on mortgage</td>
<td>$4770.00</td>
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The Benevolence Treasurer reported then:

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<td>Receipts June</td>
<td>$421.99</td>
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<td>Total July</td>
<td>$190.57</td>
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<td>Total August 4, 1958</td>
<td>$758.95</td>
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The following old business was heard:

1. A motion was made and passed that the September Official Board meeting be held September 21, 1958.

Under new business the following was discussed:

1. Donald Allworth reported that the Germania estate is in the hands of the attorney of the Baltimore Conference.

2. It was decided that either the Chairman of the Board or the Toy Leader will greet and introduce Rev. Kelly.

3. A motion was made and passed to have the Whelan property appraised. After discussion, it was decided that the Property Committee should investigate and report to the Official Board. $6,500.00 was the price asked.

After being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice Ryck, Secretary
September 8, 1958

The Official Board of the Reisterstown
Methodist Church met on the above
date with eighteen members present.
Rev. Wright led the group in prayer.
The minutes of the previous meeting
were read and corrected. The
treasurer reported the following:

Balance Sept. 1/58

Receipts

Total

Disbursements

9/6/58 Balance Sept. 6, 58

The Benevolent treasurers gave the
following report:

Bal. Aug. 1/58

Receipts

Total Sept. 1/58

The Annex treasurer gave the following
report:

Bal. Aug. 1/58

Receipts

Total

Expenditures

Interest payments

Balance on hand

Balance due on mortgage

Trustee note
The following old business was discussed:

1. A motion was made and passed to pass up the purchase of the Wheeler property. The ballot was unanimous.

The following new business was read:

1. Rev. Wright made the following announcements:
   a. October 5th, World Wide Communion
   b. October 19th, Thanksgiving Day. Laymen will conduct the service.
   c. Sept. 26th - Planning committee meeting for all church organizations.
   d. Sept. 17th - Foreign Quarterly Conference at Reisterstown Church.
   e. Oct 21st - Inter-Board Schola in Towson.

2. A motion was made and passed that $50.00 to contributed toward Foreign Exchange Student Program.
   Now being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue J. Myers, Sec'y.
October 6, 1958
The Official Board of the Distinctive Methodist Church met on the above date with thirteen members present. Members of the Board participated in silent prayer after which, they were led in the Lord's Prayer by Rev. Wright. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected. The treasurer reported the following:

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<td>Bal. Sept. 6/58</td>
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<td>$906.80</td>
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<td>Disbursements</td>
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<td>Bal. Oct 4/58</td>
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The benevolence treasurer reported the following:

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<td>Bal. Sept. 8</td>
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<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$337.33</td>
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<td>Total</td>
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The Annual Treasurer reported the following:

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<td>Balanced Sept. 8/58</td>
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<td>Receipts</td>
<td>$136.00</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>$449.08</td>
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Expenditures (Board of Trustees) $200.00
Bal. on hand Oct. 4/58 $279.08
Balance due on mortgage $710.00
Balance due on trust deed $1300.00

The following old business was read:

1. The following announcements were made:

a. The Planning Committee met. Dates were filled in on calendar for remainder of church year. This is available for all church organizations.

b. Sympathy Day - Dr. Allevol spoke.

c. Inter-board School, Oct. 21st.

d. First Place (General) Family Day - Oct. 26th Fellowship in S. S. Room Folkdancing.

The following new business was read:

1. The 4-H Club asked permission to hold their Family Night Nov. 19th in S. S. Room with demonstrations and refreshments. The request was referred to the Service Committee.

2. Men's Club Meeting was announced for Thursday. There will be a film on Port Authority.

3. Announcements were made about men's calendar for birthdays, etc. Birthdays 25c; Anniversaries, meeting dates, 50c.

4. Rev. Wright asked to have projector
served. Board moved as passed to do so.

5. It was announced that the Commission on Education met monthly. Also, commissions on Membership and Evangelism met last week and will meet regularly. Finance Commission will meet, and the commission on missions will try to organize.

6. Mrs. Stelit asked about having trees on driveway trimmed. A motion was made to let Mrs. Pruell do it in order to get permission to trim trees on side of church. There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Louise Charey, acting secretary.
November 3, 1958

The Official Board of the Distictown Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected. The Treasurer gave the following report:

Balance Oct. 4/1958 $5,477.30
Receipts 2400.63
Total 29,477.93

Disbursements 751.20
Balance Nov. 3, 1958 21,767.73

The Benevolence treasurer reported the:

Receipts 2,344.43
Total 14,077.39

Expenses 13,033.00
Balance Oct. 31, 1958 104.39

The Annex Treasurer reported the following:

Balance Oct. 6/58 $249.08
Receipts 202.70
Total $451.78
Expenses (interest payments) 471.00
Balance Nov. 3/58 $404.78

Balance due on mortgage $4710.00
Trustee note 1300.00
There being no old business to
discuss, the following new business
was heard.
1. The Finance Committee reported
that a meeting had been held. The
following plans were presented as
suggestions of means of obtaining funds
to pay off annuity debt.
2. Publishing need and reports of
annuity fund in Church paper and
weekly bulletin.
3. Mile of dallas campaign.
4. Place monetary receptacles in
Church area.
5. Providing the above succeeded,
have victory dinner April 10, 1959.
The board moved and passed to
adopt the above program to be used
in paying off church fund.
2. A discussion was held on the
possibility of sending Church magazine
"Together" to members at $.60 per
quarter per family.
3. Discussion was held concerning
drapes or balcony railing. No action
was taken.
4. There was a short discussion of a
need for new liturgical clothes. It
was decided to refer discussion to
the ladies of the W. S. C. S.

5. A motion was made and passed to purchase twenty-five new folding chairs. It will be referred to Rev. Robert Deverge.

6. A letter was read from the Mynderse Methodist Church inviting Albertus Town members to attend a meeting discussing the possibility of moving the Asa Bridgome Home.

7. The M. E. S. was given permission to plant and care for spring bulbs around the church.

8. A motion was made and passed to obtain information concerning precise and structure of a fireproof safe for the Annex. The being no other business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
December 1, 1958

The Official Board of the Riverside Methodist Church met on the above date with twelve members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer reported the following:

**Balance 11/3/58**
- Total: $2,196.73
- Receipts: $939.17
- Total: $3,135.90

**Disbursements**
- Total: $1,731.77

**Balance 12/1/58**
- Total: $1,399.13

The Benevolence Treasurer reported the:
- Balance Nov. 1/1958: $47.65
- Balance Dec. 1/1958: $322.09

The Annex Treasurer reported the:
- Balance 11/3/58
- Receipts: $138.60
- Total: $542.68

Balance due on mortgage: $4,710.00
Balance due on trustee note: $1,300.00

The following old business was discussed:
1. Discussion on sending Church magazine together was postponed until January.
2. The matter of replacing the balcony railing with a permanent railing was...
refused to Mr. Steet.

3. Mr. Steet reported on one fire-proof safe but will get more information. Rev. Wright will check into cost of micro-filming old church records to be placed in state office.

New business discussed:

1. Announcement and use of new church calendar was made.

2. A motion was made and passed to have Christmas Tree Offering divided between Health Center and Improvement Fund.

3. Clyndon Vyce Bible Class was given permission to hold Communion and Breakfast on Sunday before Christmas.

4. A motion was made to allow Vyce Club to insulate parsonage attic. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Wyce, Sec'y.
January 5, 1959

The Official Board of the Reinterthan Methodist Church met on the above date with ten members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. Rev. In absence of the chairman, Mr. Difon and Vice Chairman, Mr. Maynard, Rev. Wright presented minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected. Mr. Chase, acting treasurer, gave the following reports in absence of respective treasurers:

Church:

Balance 1/1/58 $1,399.18
Receipts 2,458.44
Total 3,847.62

Disbursements
Balance 1/5/59 997.22
Benevolence:
Balance 12/1/58 $322.09
Receipts 381.46
Total 703.55

Agency
Balance 12/1/58 $421.68
Receipts 533.85
Total 822.53

Mortgage Payment 12/17/58 $1,500.00
Balance 1/5/59 322.53
Balance due on mortgage $3,210.00
Balance due on January 15th $1,300.00
Old Business:

1. With regards to the Church Magazine "Together" and the procedure as to how it would be distributed among the families of the Church after much discussion, a motion was made, seconded, and passed that Rev. Wright make inquiry as to the possibility of one of the organizations of the Church taking over this project for the purpose of making a revenue.

2. The matter of replacing the existing railing with permanent railing will be reported on by Mr. Yost at February meeting.

3. Mr. Yost reported he will continue to look for a fire-proof safe.

4. Rev. Wright reported that he had not yet checked into cost of micro-filming old church records to be placed in state office.

5. Rev. Wright reported that he discussed with ladies of the Women's Society at their last meeting the need for new liturgical clothes and the members agreed that if materials were purchased, they would make the various colored altar clothes
to be used on different occasions during the year.

6. Mr. Allwelt reported that as yet no steps had been taken by the Men's Club to insulate parsonage attic.

New Business:

1. Mr. Cheney, Chairman of Finance Committee, made the following report as a result of matter taken up at the last meeting:

   a. In connection with the Victory Drive which was to be held on the "Mile of Dollars" campaign on April 10, 1959, the Finance Committee agreed to move up that date to May 23, 1959, thus giving more time to the Program and Planning Committee.

2. Finance Committee appointed the following committee to raise funds for the "Mile of Dollars" Campaign:

   Mr. Norman Brebber
   Mr. Donald Allwelt
   Mr. John Horelix
   Mrs. Arthur Kist
   Mr. Harry Vordererth

Also one representative from each of the organizations of the Church:

W. S. C. Q.
Methodist Men's Club
Sunday School
Methodist Youth Fellowship
J. O. Y.

c. Solicitation receptacles will be placed in vestibule of church for voluntary contributions to this campaign. Also small boxes will be distributed among the children of the Sunday school, which boxes should be turned in before the Tissue Boxes and Coin Cards are distributed.

d. Tissue Service -

Finance Committee received approval by the Board to send out Tissue Offering Boxes to each family and also to mail Coin Cards to families of church in order that they might choose which one suited their needs. One of the Tissue Offerings will be used for the Canine County Hospital Fund and the other half for the "Mile of Yellow Campaign."

e. Organist:

Mr. Choney stated that the present salary was $5.00 per week and that he had been offered more by other churches but David did not wish to consider leaving. The Finance
Committee suggested that the Board grant them permission to raise the present salary. Motion made, seconded and passed that salary be raised to $7.50 per week, effective as of Jan. 1, 1957.

Mr. Cheney also reported that the Finance Committee, after discussing same at their last meeting, estimated the cost of maintenance repairs to Annex would be approximately $1,200.00 and cost of repairs to Church would be approximately $3,300.00 totaling $4,500.00. After much discussion, the Board decided that the matter be deferred for future consideration.

Motion made, seconded and passed that the Official Board agree to adopt the matter as presented in report of Finance Committee.

Announcements:

Rev. Wright announced that the 4th Annual Area Ministries Retreat would be held at Buck Hill Falls, Pa. on Jan. 26th, 27th and 28th. He told us that on Sun. Jan. 25th, his brother Malcolm Wright would be a guest in our Sunday morning service on the
day. Expenses for Rev. Wright during the Retreat would be $27.60. Derr O'Farrell advised that they would pay the apposion $6.75. Deijen was made seconded and passed that our Treasurers be authorized to pay the balance or $20.25.

Rev. Wright also announced that Sunday 18th would be Family Day at our Church and urged all families to attend church services together and afterwards refreshments would be served at 1:30 P.M. by one of the organizations. 

As being no further business, meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Olive Halfffer, Secretary

Secretary.
February 2, 1959

The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Wm. Difon and led in prayer by Rev. Wright.

The minutes of last meeting were read and corrected.

The following Treasurer's reports were presented:

Current Treasury
Bal. 1/5/59 $2,850.46
Receipts 790.71
Total 3,641.11
Disbursements 1,331.11
Bal. 2/2/59 $2,310.00

Benevolence Treasury
Bal. 12/31/58 $703.55
Receipts 217.64
Bal. 1/31/59 $921.19

Arms Fund Treasury
Bal. 1/5/59 $322.53
Receipts 485.00
Total $807.53
Disbursements 700.00
Bal. 2/2/59 $107.53

Balance due on mortgage $1510.00
" " Treasurer's Not 1300.00
Rev. Wright reported that samples of the magazine had been given out one Sunday and that several families want subscriptions. There is no provision for profit for the sale of the magazine, so no organization has been approached about it.

Mr. Liist reported he felt a continuous curtain would be best for the Balcony rail. A motion was made, seconded and passed for the purchase of material for the railing and also the materials for new altar cloths. Mr. Covington said he would check to see if he might be able to purchase them at wholesale prices.

Mr. Liist reported a fire proof safe would cost from $25 to $300.00. During a discussion it was decided a Fire Proof Chest would probably be what was most needed. Mr. Chany suggested that they thought the Purchasing Dept. where he is employed.

Rev. Wright has not heard from the state about the microfilming of the records. The Methodist men probably reported the Parsonage Attic has been insulated and some Storm windows have been installed. Rev. Wright said they are very much appreciated by the Parsonage family.

Mrs. Chany reported the Mule of Dollas
Campaign Committee met with full membership.

The Committee felt the Campaign would not be completed by May 23rd. As if we could have a mortgage Burning Banquet at that time, we could look forward to paying all debts and repairs completed with some money saved away for our Future Church by Thanksgiving.

Rev. Wright reported the Lenten loops would be given out next Sunday.

Rev. Wright also reported on the Retreat at Buck Hill Falls. There were three fine speakers and a wonderful time of fellowship with the 400 ministers present.

New Business —

Rev. Wright reported the Paper is being prepared. Mrs. Arlene Porter, the Secretary, now has a full-time job so we are in need of another one. Mrs. Lavanah was suggested as a possibility.

Rev. Wright also reported that through gifts he has been able to secure an Overdressette Machine, also a Slide and Film Strip Projector. The Projector will be available for use of all the Organizations of the Church.

The Council of Churches has a library of Film Strips and Slides. For $1.00 a Year Membership fee these would be
available for our use. A motion was made and passed to take a $10.00 membership in the Film Strip Library thru the Council of Churches.

Lenten Services will be held on Sunday evenings at 8 P.M. as follows:
Feb. 22nd. Rev. Louie Tucker of Royal Heights Church.
March 1st. Rev. Edwin B. Bates of Lynnwood Church.
March 15th. Rev. J. Sheldon Bald of Director of Student Work.
March 22nd. Easter Cantata of Combined Choir.

Periods of Prayer and Meditation will be on Monday evenings at 7:30.

Dinner Bible Study have Wednesday Consecrated Suppers with Special Speakers, speaking informally.

Rev. Wright reported on the possibility of Ristercamps becoming a Station. Dr. Justice is holding a Special meeting of the Official Board of Elder Park Church tomorrow night.

Mrs. Chaney reported that Sister's Bible Class and the J. C. Y. would like to Cooperate.
the stairs from the first to second floor. Although they do not have sufficient funds at this time, they both have projects which will take care of it. Mr. Diet suggested that the Official Board have carpet put on Balcony stairs at the same time. (limit $100.00) A motion was made, seconded and passed that the Official Board reimburse the two organizations on the cost of carpeting the stairs, have the Balcony stairs covered and also to make repairs to the rug in the sanctuary and to clean the spots on rug.

Since being no further business there was a motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

(Acting Secretary)
March 3, 1959

The Official Board of the Reistertown Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty members attending. The group was led in prayer by Rev. Wright. George Reynolds presided, due to the absence of the chairman. The treasurer reported the following:

Balances Feb. 28/59 $2,310.00
Receipts 1,050.20
Total 3,360.20

Disbursements 894.40

Balance Feb. 28/59 2,465.80

The Annex treasurer reported thus:

Balance Feb. 28/59 107.53
Receipts 529.80
Balance 3/2/59 697.30

Balance due on mortgage $2510.00
In trustee's note $1500.00

The Benevolence treasurer reported thus:

Balance 1/31 921.19
Feb. Receipts 407.94
Total 1329.13

Expenditures
Bal. Feb. 28/59 $1,329.13
The following new business was heard:

1. It was reported that the carpet has been installed. The cost of carpeting balcony stairs was $78.00. The spot removal did not remove spots on carpet around the altar. Mr. Grist is going to try using his spot remover. This year a tarpaulin will be placed under the flowers at Easter. It was voted and carried that a letter of thanks be sent to the J.O.G. Club by the secretary.

2. Rev. Wright announced that Miss Elaine Busler is the new part-time secretary.

3. Rev. Wright announced that the subscription list for Together magazine will be sent in before the end of March as prices will increase.

4. Discussion on fire-proof sheet was tabled.

5. Material for altar clothes and railing drapes will be purchased wholesale if possible by Mr. Evington.

6. Rev. Wright asked if anyone knew any information about church membership in baptismal records for period of 1880–1911. He will check with Pleasant Hill ministers and
Glyndon.

1. As a result of Dr. Justice meeting with Deen Park, he talked as if Rectorstown may become a station and Deen Park would be served by a seminary student. This meeting is not final or binding. He will report to the Cabinet, the cabinet will recommend to the Bishop and his recommendation will be final.

New business heard:

1. Rev. Wright announced that a Leadership Training School will be held on six Monday nights, April 6 - May 11 at the Glyndon Church. Such courses as the following will be offered: "Methods of Teaching in Church School," "Use of Bible with Children," "How to read and Study the Bible."
2. Mr. Dist will try to remedy the pigeon situation.
3. Left window of the Church will be replaced by Mr. Mac.
4. Monday, April 25th will be the fourth Quarterly Conference. The Finance committee and the nominating committee should
5. Rev. Wright announced that a scholarship fund is being started in memory of Emmett Spencer. The aim of the fund is $600.00. This will be invested. The interest of $50 will be used to educate a student to prepare for the ministry. The Board voted and passed to give $25.00 to this fund.

6. The hired and cost of a ladder will be investigated and reported to by Mr. Covington.

7. The following Easter services were announced:
   - Palm Sunday - 8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
   - Choir Rehearsal - Palm Sunday Evening
   - Holy Thursday - Communion 8:15 P.M.
   - Good Friday 1:00 A.M. - Afternoon
   - Good Friday Evening - Tylorson Church

8. A letter was read stating that J. Edward Hewer had transferred his insurance business to Mrs. George H. Stewart Jr., Mrs. Virginia B. Erroz and Mr. John Satterly. He hopes the Church will continue to transact their business with the above people.

9. A discussion was held on cost and the plan of reorganizing
the microphone. Charles Post will investigate and recommend best plan for doing so.

The being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Myler, Secty.
April 6, 1959

The Official Board of the Reistinhaus Methodist Church met on the above date with twelve members present. Mr. Chang presided until Rev. Wright arrived. The secretary's report was read and accepted. A letter of thanks was read by the treasurer in which Mrs. Kafe thanked the church for its gift to the Health Center. The treasurer gave the following report:

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The following old business was discussed:

1. It was reported that the altar cloths and robing dresses
material had been purchased and made. A letter of thanks will be sent to Mrs. Geist and Mrs. Grace Knestin.

2. It was reported that the nominating and finance committee had functioned.

3. Mrs. Geist will check into the costs and appropriate kinds of ladders.

4. No information had been obtained on church and baptismal records yet.

5. Nothing has been done to replace microphone.

6. Costs of fireproof safes and files were discussed. Since they are expensive, it was decided that perhaps a reasonable second hand one would solve the problem.

The following new business was heard:

1. Mr. Chang reported on the meeting of the Finance Committee. An explanation of the tentative budget was made. A motion was made, seconded and passed that the Board accept the tentative budget for the coming year.

2. A motion was made and passed to accept the Finance Committee's idea of presenting
the financial needs to the
congregation by means of a
brochure which will be mailed
to members.

3. The Gas and Electric Co.
requested a key to the Annex
in order to be able to read
the meter.

4. Rev. Wright stated the need
for additional communion
storage. One additional one has
already been donated. It was
suggested that a retired minister
be asked to assist Rev. Wright
on Communion Sunday. A motion
was made and passed that this
should be done and that the
retired minister be given a
$10 bonusium for assisting with
the service.

There being no further business to
discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

[Secretary's Name]
May 4, 1959

The Official Board of the Re dostown Methodist Church met on May 4, 1959 at 8:00 P.M. with fifteen members present. The meeting was opened in prayer by Dr. Knight. The Chairman, George Raymond, presided due to the absence of William H. Dittie.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6, 1959 were approved as read.

The report of the treasurer was as follows:

Balance on hand 1/1/59 $29, 27.78

Receipts
Total

Distributions

Balance on hand 7/3/59 $1,479.43

The report of the Benevolence treasurer was as follows:

Balance on hand 1/1/59 $505.16

Receipts
Total

Distributions

Balance on hand 7/3/59 $583.02

The report of the Annex fund was as follows:

Balance on hand 1/1/59 $544.27

Envelopes received 1/5 + 4/19 275.69

U.S.G. 100.00

Total $918.96

Distributions:
Montage Payment $700.00
Insulation Payment $3.57
Balance on hand 7/3/59 $1,752.39

Without receipts of 4/16 & 5/3 included.
The following old business was discussed:

Mr. Arthur Ficht is to continue with his investigation of the kind and cost of ladders.

The matter of adequate microphone equipment is still under consideration.

Under new business, Rev. Wright reported on the "Hike of Dollars Campaign." The Victory Dinner will be held on May 7, 1959, at 6:15 PM at the Hanover Firehouse Hall. Cost will be $2.75 per plate. Guests will include Dr. Justice, the Reverend Binkley, Campuelle and Funk.

Mr. Earl Checy announced "Positive Line" as available and the campaign is on.

It was decided that a short Methodist Men's Meeting immediately following the regular Church Service on May 17, 1959.

A motion was made, seconded and the board approved hiring the Property Committee to the necessary steps to impose the conditions of the "No Parking on this Side" signs now in use and to extend the area to the end of the Sunday School addition.

Rev. Wright is to inquire for prices for materials necessary to build one portable chair rack for use in the Sunday School Room.

Thus being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Respectfully submitted, Tracy Hunt, Acting Sec.
June 1, 1959

The Official Board of the Restinontown Methodist Church met in the above date with nineteen members present. Vice-chairman, George Maynard, presided, due to absence of chairman. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer reported the following:

Balance May 31/59 $1479.43
Receipts 719.94
Total 2199.37

Disbursements
Balance May 31/59 1467.85
Collection 5/21/59 - not counted
Amount found report:
Balance May 4/59 155.39
Receipts
Expenditures making total 2797.31 Total 2665.05

Balance June 1/59 132.26
Envelopes 5/24 - 5/31 not counted.
Check of $66.75 from F. O. T. not included.
Benevolence Treasurer:
Balance April 30 583.02
Receipts 794.92
Total 1377.94
Expenditures 881.75
Balance June 1/59 496.19
All Business:
1. Mr. Kent to make inquiry about ladder.
2. Mr. Porte is getting estimate on cost of proper microphones.
3. Mr. Porte offered to obtain new coat or chair rack which will need some repair. George Maynard offered means of transporting it to church.

Rev. Wright reported that Mr. Lindley would love a shop class making one, material costing less than $10.00. Cost of wheels was not included.

New Business:
1. It was announced that the mortgage and note had been paid in full. Mr. Cheney announced that $4,000 or $5,000 is needed by November. Urged people to use third section of envelopes.
2. Subject of painting was discussed. Question was raised whether it would be advisable to paint wood trim or parsonage at this time.

A motion was made and passed that the property committee obtain estimates of painting and
and other types of permanent siding.

3. Rev. Wright announced the 4-H demonstration day will be June 20th. The Board passed to grant them permission to use facilities.

4. Rev. Donald Allensworth will conduct services on June 21st during Rev. Wright's absence.

5. Rev. Wright announced annual conference to be held June 3 - June 7th at Western Maryland College.

Children's Day service will replace Church Service at 10:30 A.M.

6. Rev. Wright announced Roger Butts, of Pikesville will be the student minister at Deer Park.

7. A motion was made and passed to accept "Plan 1" on all oil burner service jobs costing $22.50.

8. George Oudin was welcomed to the official board.

9. A nominating committee was appointed and will function before the next meeting.

Rev. Wright

Donald Allensworth

Earl Cheney

Harold Katz
10. The Board regretfully accepted the resignation of Dr. Wyllie.
11. Mr. Cherry announced that on the evening of June 26th the people of the Church will honor Mr. Crook at the Church.
12. The question of purchasing a fan or some type of cooling system was discussed. The matter was referred to the property committee. There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Jean Myers, Secretary.
June 19, 1959

At a special meeting of the official Board of Stewards of the Church, the Board voted on foot and passed a motion stating that a scholarship fund be established in honor of Mr. Cross.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen members present. Rev. Wright led the group in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer reported the following:

Church Treasurer:

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The following old business was discussed:

1. The nominating committee presented the following slate:
   
   CHAIRMAN - Henry Vandersmith
   VICE-CHAIRMAN - Wm. X. Lee
   SECRETARY - Tracey Hester
   TREASURER - Charles Sullivan
   BENEFICIAL TREASURER - Charles Fenn
   BUILDING FUND TREASURER - Wm. Dipa

   No nominations were made from the floor. The Board voted to accept the slate.

2. It was reported that a chair rack has been obtained.

3. Mr. Scott reported on estimate of painting and general repairs work to be done in September.
   
   A motion was made and passed that painting be done to the Annex rather than a permanent siding.

4. The suggestion was made to ask Mr. Calhoun to install several window fans without obligation to buy if the how effective they would cool sanctuary.

5. The property Committee was given permission to purchase necessary new signs to complete installation.
of 'no parking' signs.

New business discussed:

1. A check of $7,165.73 was presented to the Women's Society of Christian Service as ordered by will of Alice Elizabeth Davis.

2. Mrs. Dorothy Wellin will take proper care of insurance and mortgage payments.

3. A motion was made and passed that Rev. Wright will select time for his month's vacation. Rev. Kelly will fill the pulpit three Sundays and Rev. Allwalt the other one.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
John W. York, Acting Secretary
July 12, 1959

During a special meeting of the official Board following the regular church service, the Board approved a motion to purchase four 20 inch electrically reversible window fans. At the same time a motion was made and passed to have necessary electrical outlets installed for the fans.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

[Title]
August 8, 1959

The Official Board met on the above date with seventeen members present. 
Mr. Wright opened the meeting with a prayer. Chairman Harry Condronsmith presided. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
The following reports by the treasurer were read and approved:

Church Treasurer Charles Sullivan
Balance on hand 7/1/59 $1,776.57
Receipts 7/5/59 thru 7/28/59 1,855.59
Disbursements 7/11/59 thru 8/1/59 1,148.47
Balance on hand 8/1/59 $1,933.62

Benevolent Treasurer Charles Fuss
Balance on hand 7/1/59 $683.17
Receipts 7/1/59 thru 7/28/59 136.25
No Disbursements
Balance on hand 8/1/59 $819.42

Building Fund Treasurer William Dijon
Balance on hand 7/1/59 $664.21
Exp. Receipts 7/1/59 thru 7/28/59 20.90
No Disbursements
Balance on hand 8/1/59 $873.41

Mr. Arthur Estes presented the two estimates received for painting the church and annex. The lowest bid of $3671.00 was accepted and Mr. Estes was instructed to notify the Church Home of Maryland, Inc. to schedule
painting for the first week in October, 1959.
A motion was made and approved that at the end of the season the board would take under consideration to pay bill presented by the Board of Trustees for the care of the Church lawn. It was noted that grounds have been kept in excellent condition and appreciation should be given the trustees.

The motion was made and approved to pay our organist for two (2) weeks vacation each year, the replacement to also be paid by the church.

It was also decided that whenever the services of a special pasteur is required, the amount of $15.00 be paid for each service held.

Chairman Harry Vonderen with requested Mr. William Dixon to get prices on all types of lawn mowers as a decision could be made on a new one for the church parsonage.

A motion was made and approved to hold our next meeting on the last Thursday in August (31st) instead of first Monday in September. Then being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Kuster, Secretary
August 31, 1959

The official Board met on the above date with fifteen members present. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman followed by prayer by Mr. John Wright.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following reports by the treasurers were read and accepted:

Church Treasurer - Charles Sullivan

Balance on hand 8/31/59 $1,933.62

Receipts 8/2/59 thru 9/23/59 677.72

Disbursements 8/2/59 thru 9/23/59 781.29

Balance on hand 9/30/59 1,830.05

Benevolent Treasurer - Charles F. Price

Balance on hand 7/31/59 $19.42

Aug. Receipts 157.89

No Disbursements

Balance on hand 8/31/59 979.31

Building Fund Treasurer - William Dyer

Balance on hand 5/2/59 863.41

General Receipts 154.21

No Disbursements

Balance on hand 8/31/59 1,027.62

Under old business Mr. Smith reported that the painting would be started about October 5th.

A motion was made and approved to make necessary repairs in the Amner.
including the office, not to exceed $100.00. This was taken from the amount which was set up in the budget for maintenance work. A motion was also made and approved to repair the spouting and roof, the cost not to exceed $250.00.

There was no report on the lawn mower for the Parsonage. Mr. S. Feit was asked to check the old mower to see if it is worth repairing, before further steps are taken to purchase a new one.

The only thing under new business was the Cleaning of the Choir Pits. A motion was made and approved that it should be done and that the Church would pay the bill.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Maude Haf - Acting Secretary
October 5, 1959

The official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty members present. The meeting was called to order by Chairman of the Board, Harry Vonderschmidt, followed by prayer by Rev. Wright.

Minutes of the meeting of August 31, 1959 were approved as read. The following reports of the treasurers were accepted:

Church Treasurer - Charles Sullivan

Balance 8/31/59 $1,950.05
Receipts 1178.65
Disbursements 658.21
Balance on hand 10/5/59 $2,778.69

Benevolence Treasurer - Charles Fauss

Balance 8/31/59 $979.31
Receipts 1154.30
Disbursements 0.00
Balance on hand 9/30/59 $1,093.61

Building Fund Treasurer - William Dison

Balance 8/31/59 $1,077.67
Receipts 784.10
Disbursements 0.00
Balance on hand 8/31/59 $1,311.77

The Property Committee was instructed to examined the lawn mowers at the parsonage, and if necessary, purchase of a
new masonry was authorized by the Board.

Upon motion, the Board approved revising
the estimate to cover the cost of repairing
and painting the church and insurance
increasing the sum to $1,600.00.

Rt. Rev. Knight suggested the Board hold its
meetings one half hour later to enable the
various Commissions to hold meetings
at least each two months previous to the
regular Board meeting. The Board agreed
and henceforth the Official Board will
meet the first Monday of each month
at 8:30 p.m.

Rt. Rev. Knight announced the District Meeting
for Higher Education being held at the
Methodist Memorial Church on Johanneskap Rd
with Bishop J. Browley Oram as speaker
of the evening. Board Members were urged
to attend.

All of the Treasurers of the organizations
of the Church were asked to hand their books
at the Church Office by October 14, 1919 to be
audited by the Auditing Committee.

The Board approved the brochure
"Let’s Talk About Our Church" and it will
be distributed to the membership of the
Church as soon as it is prepared.

There being no further business, the
meeting was adjourned. Respectfully submitted
James Hunter, Sec
November 7, 1959

The Official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on the above date with twelve members present. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mr. Wright.

The minutes of the meeting of Oct. 5, 1959 were read and approved. The following reports of the treasurers were accepted:

**Church Treasurer - Charles Gilliam**
- **Balance 10/5/59** $2,778.69
- **Receipts 10/5 & 6** not counted
- **Disbursements** $465.88
- **Balance on hand 11/5/59** $1,762.81

**Deaconess Treasurer - Charles Furr**
- **Balance 9/30/59** $1,093.61
- **Receipts for October** $43.53
- **Disbursements**
- **Balance on hand 10/31/59** $1,337.14

**Building Fund Treasurer - Melvina Ditson**
- **Balance 10/5/59** $1,311.72
- **Receipts**
- **Eve. 9/27 thru 10/18/59** $737.95
- **M.Y. F.**
- **J. O. Y.**
- **W.S.C.S. (for painting library & office) 310.00**
- **Balance on hand 11/5/59** $1,938.67

Mrs. P. Carl Cheney, Chairman of the Commission on Education, gave a very detailed and interesting report on the progress and future work of the...
Mr. Wright spoke for the Commission on Missions, bringing out that we were cooperating with Hyndon Church to build people more conscious of Missions.

Upon motion of the Board, approved the purchase of a lawnmower by Mr. Wright, cost not to exceed $150.00.

A motion was made and passed to have the floor on the first floor of the church washed and waxed and to have the windows of the church and annex washed.

Mr. Kelii was asked to check into the cost of removing the partition between the two adult classes in the annex and if necessary to call a special meeting of the Board for further action.

Chairman of the Board Harry Condonsmith appointed Dalbert Allenset chairman of plans commission with Arthur Kelii, Morris Kelii serving, other appointments on this committee to be made as necessary.

Mr. Wright commented on the attendance of this meeting of the Board and questioned the advisability of continuing the new meeting time of 8:30 AM. It was decided remembering of the Board to notify of the next meeting by letter instead of postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

燧石, Secretary
Special Meeting

November 15, 1957

Immediately after the worship service on the above date twenty-two (22) members of the Official Board held a short meeting to discuss the following:

Advisability of using two or three pocket envelopes - the Board, upon motion, approved continuing the use of the three (3) pocket type.

The Board approved having the Finance Commission appoint trustees to assist the treasurer count receipts after each church service.

A motion was made and approved to borrow up to $25,000.00 from one of the banks to complete payment of our outstanding bills.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
Tracey [Surname] Secretary
December 7, 1959

The official Board of the Reisteton Methodist Church met on the above date, with 12 members present. Meeting was opened by Rev. Knights, as Chairman was absent, without prayer.

The minutes of the meeting of Nov. 7, 1959 and Special Meeting of Nov. 15, 1959 were read and approved.

The following Reports of the treasurer were read and accepted:

Church Treasurer - Charles Sullivan
Balance 10/25/59 $2,228.69
Receipts 10/24/59 to 11/29/59 $2,269.01
Total $4,497.70
Disbursements 10/25/59-11/29/59 $3,172.80
Balance on Hand 11/29/59 $1,324.90

Benevolence Treasurer - Charles Fuss
Balance 10/31/59 $1,337.14
Receipts for November $428.33
Total $1,765.47
Disbursements for November $1,351.96
Balance on Hand as of 11/30/59 $413.51

Building Fund Treasurer - William Dixon
Balance on Hand 11/2/59 $1,938.65
Envelopes 10/22/59 thru 11/29/59 $466.08
Building Fund Boxes 4.42
Clock - Sunday School 8.43
Clock - Peter Contractors 25.00
Total $2,447.58

Expenses: John Franklin (Wittner's) 87.00
Balance on Hand 12/1/59 $2,255.58
Report of Finance Committee as follows:

As a result of Finance Committee meeting which was held prior to Board meeting, Mr. Charity, Chairman, reported that a deficit of approximately $7,058.00 would be needed right away in order to complete payment on bills for painting job done at Church and Annex buildings, and made the following suggestion.

Inasmuch as the current Treasury showed a sizable balance, namely $1,324.96 as of Dec 5, 1959, he suggested transferring $1,000.00 from the current Treasury to the Building Fund, thus eliminating possibility of having to go to our local bank and borrow the necessary funds. Motion was made, seconded and passed that the Treasurer transfer $1,100.00 from current Treasury to the Building Fund, and refund same as many becomes available.

Inasmuch as a motion was made and approved at our special meeting on Nov 15th to borrow up to 2,500.00 from one of the banks to complete payment of our outstanding bills, another motion was made, seconded and passed that the authority granted at special meeting be vacated.

Old Business:

Rev. Wright reported that the matter of purchasing a new lawn mower for the parish was given due consideration.

Mr. Seitz, Chairman of Property Committee reported as follows in connection with estimate for construction work to be done in the Annex Building:

He submitted an estimate from Lawrence Retz and
Company, which included the following:
Remove stairs and partitions between rooms, replacing floor and securing joints; plastering opening in ceiling and patching spots in walls that are rough and loose; install a pine floor over opening in floor and refinishing floor; install a piece of gray [modern folk] door 5'6" X 8'0" latching together in center; remove all old paper from both rooms and paint walls with 2 coats of rubber base paint in colors as may be selected. Contract price $490.39. (Job to be completed within a week.) After discussion, motion was made, seconded, passed, that the contract be accepted and same to be paid for out of Building and prior to reimbursing the Cement [Cement] and also that the Project Committee get an estimate on the cost of necessary electrical work to be done in connection with this project.

Mr. Allensworth, Chairman of Planning Commission, reported as follows:
Planning Committee had begun to function and representatives from both State Roads & Baltimore County had been contacted and that this Committee wanted to have another meeting prior to next official Board meeting. He also reported that early in January of next year Dr. Gristina and Dr. Stahl [Dr. Stahl?] will meet with Rev. Hughes & himself to acquaint themselves with the layout of the Church Project and make suggestions as to the best approach in our planning.
Mr. Vorderman, Chairman of Board, appointed at our last regular meeting Donald Allsworth as Chairman of the Planning Committee with
Arthur Geist, and Morris Baker serving with Rev. Wright then reported that the original committee, which was appointed on May 7, 1956 was as follows: Donald Allsworth, Chairman; Arthur
Geist, Morris Baker, George Maynard, and
Meekins, Rev. Wright, John Shanks, Linnwood
Cross, Naomi Kay, a representative from WSCS,
J.W.Y., and Sunday School. After discussion, motion
was made, seconded and passed that the above
Committee be reappointed, excluding (by request)
John Shanks and Linnwood Cross, but instead
of representatives from WSCS, J.W.Y., and Sunday
School, that a special person be named from
each organization and these persons be named
as members of this Committee in the future.

New Business:
1) It was suggested that a note of thanks be sent
Lawrence Rent Company for their Contribution
to our Church Building Fund, which donation
was sent to Mr. Geist.
2) Motion was made, seconded and passed that
our Treasurer continue to give Christmas gifts
as follows:
  Janitor $25.00  Choir Director $25.00
  Organist $15.00  Education Fund $15.00  Total $85.00
3) Mr. Allsworth read letter with reference to the
Minister's Retreat which would be held at Buck
Hill Falls on Jan. 25, 26 and 27, 1960, and
that the expense for Rev. Knight to attend this
meeting would be $27.00. Motion made, seconded
and passed that treasurer underwrite this expense
of $27.00 for our minister.

An invoice was submitted from Board of Trustees
for taking care of church lawns from June 1st to October
16th, 1959 for $57.50. Motion made, seconded
and passed that treasurer pay this invoice.

Rev. Knight announced the following:

He reminded us that the beginning of advent
season is rapidly approaching Christmas time.

Sunday, Dec. 13th Jobs Daughter would be our
guests at morning service.

Sunday, Dec. 20th Our choir would present a
program of Christmas music at morning service.

Sunday Evening, Dec. 20th Sunday School would
have a Birthday Party for James. Christmas program
would be held upstairs in Auditorium and afterwards
lights refreshments and social time would be enjoyed by all
in Sunday School Room.

Thursday, Dec. 24th Christmas Eve Service at 11:00 P.M.
This year Candlelight Service would have to be
eliminated on account of letter received from fire
department with regard new ordinance of County
Council prohibiting use of lighted Candles outside
the area of the altar of the church.

Rev. Knight read a letter from the Office of District
Superintendents of the Baltimore Districts of our
Baltimore Conference, announcing the 175th
Anniversary Program of the Christmas Conference, which meetings would be held at the Lovely Lane Church, beginning at 8:00 P.M. on
Dec. 27th – Speaker: Dr. Ralph C. Cockman
Dec. 28th – Bishop Edgar A. Love and Drama
by the Lovely Lane Players
Dec. 29th – The Great Hymn Choir led by
Miss Daniel Pidson
Dec. 30th – Bishop Fred Corson (Speaker)
Dec. 31st – Bishop Ray Short – Stalling Service
Jan. 3rd – Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam
He also announced following:
4 Night Schools of Evangelism for all Pastors
and Chairman of Commissions on membership and
Evangelism would be held at 8:00 P.M. as follows:
Jan. 10, 11, 11th – Lovely Lane Church
Jan. 13, 14th & 15th – Jamestown Church
Jan. 17, 18th & 19th – Pasadena Church
Jan. 20, 21st & 22nd – Reistertown Church
Rev. Knights announced that on either Sunday
Dec. 27th or January 3rd, we would have a
6-Pager Bulletin in connection with the 175th
Anniversary of Methodism.
He also said that Feb. 7th, 1960 would be
the 183rd Anniversary of our Church organization
and plans were being made for a special service.
Rev. Knights said that he and Tracey Hester had
examined contents of Safe Deposit Box at Bank and as
soon as authorized would destroy all expired Insurance
Policies and any other obsolete papers.
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Oliver S. Shaeffer
Acting Secretary
January 4, 1960

The official Board of the Easttown Methodist Church met on the above date with twenty-one (21) members present. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Henry Bidwell at 8:30 P.M., followed by prayer by Rev. Right.

The minutes of the meeting of Dec. 7, 1959 were read and approved. Report of the following treasurer were accepted:

Church treasurer - Charles Srodes

- Cash on hand Nov. 13, 1959: $1,374.90
- Accepts: 378.90
- Disbursements: 7382.55
- Cash on hand 12/1/59: $7773.35

General treasurer - Charles Srodes

- Cash on hand Nov. 11/31/59: $413.57
- Accepts: 403.07
- Disbursements: 137.19
- Cash on hand 12/31/59: $679.39

Building Fund treasurer - William Dison

- Accepts: 2,184.84
- Disbursements: 40 $0.00
- Balance on hand 10/6/60: $400.45

Under old business it was noted that work of remodeling the two rooms in the annex was in progress and should be completed by the following Sunday.

Chairman famed Allenend of the planning
Commission stated the need of having the aid of an architectural engineer to determine what we can do with the present church building. There will be a meeting this Thursday, January 7, 1960, with Dr. Justice and Dr. Biggin to study the present requirements for a new church building program. It was noted the Ecclesiastical Area has grown from a population of 1400 in 1940 to 4700 in 1958 with the estimate of an increase to 7000 within the next twenty years. A motion was made and approved to place Mr. Charles Tuss on the Planning Commission. At the same time the Planning Commission was authorized to obtain the services of an architect for consulting purposes.

A motion was made and approved to replace the palms for the sanctuary.

Mr. Knight was asked to check with the manufacturer in case of our collection plate.

It was announced Mr. Jose Fabro of the Philippine Islands would be with us and take part in the services, Sunday, Jan 17, 1960. Mr. Knight stated he has attended the services of Mrs. Betty Christoff as secretary on Tuesday, Wednesday, and today from 9 AM until 11 AM.

The observance of our Birthday Anniversary will be held Sunday, Feb 7, 1960, Dr. E. Callston.
Lizzie will be guest speaker at the morning
worship service followed by a period of
fellowship in the Social Hall.

The Lord authorized the use of Lenten
devotions and books for the 1960 season.

Reports from the Eminences of Missions
and Membership and Evangelism were heard.

Mrs. Harry Kay stated that starting Monday,
Jan. 9, 1960 at 10:30 by her committee work
begin to get records of church members togethe
so that all records could be in our book. It
was also announced a week of services would
be held in the spring. Teams are to be
organized to visit our membership and it's
also visit prospective members.

This being no further business, the
meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucy Kroll, Sec.
February 1, 1960

The official Board met on the above date with twenty-one (21) members present. The meeting was opened with prayer offered by Dr. Night. Chairman Harry Kendall, after the reading of the minutes of January 1, 1960 was approved, had the following reports of the three treasurers.

Church Treasurer - Charles Sullivan
On hand 1/3/60 $2,733.32
Receipts
   810.41
Disbursements
   1,122.00
Balance on hand 1/31/60 $1,911.33

Building Fund Treasurer - Milburn Davenport
On hand 1/3/60 $400.15
Receipts
   287.06
Expenses
   176.00
Balance on hand 1/31/60 $511.48

Benevolent Treasurer - Charles Dunn
On hand 1/31/60 $679.39
Receipts
   208.45
Disbursements
   166.33
Balance on hand 1/31/60 $721.51

It was reported that Dr. Justice and Dr. Higgins had checked the plagues of the church and location and had brought out that the church should remain at the present location. Any construction, improvements or additions must have the approval of the district
Committee.

The plans for the sanctuary, as approved at our last meeting, have been received and placed in use.

Mr. Wright did not have a report on the use of our collection plates, but will try to have same at our next meeting.

Mr. Wright announced Dr. Ogden issued the message for the morning of February 7, 1960 - our church birthday anniversary - followed by a display of historical records. At the same a motion was made and seconded to have a buffet luncheon after the service without charge.

Mr. E. L. Chaffey, Finance Committee, reported that finances are in good shape with a slight balance to finish the year.

A motion was made and seconded to deposit $1,000.00 in the Glyndon Memorial Building Assn. for future expansion. It was also suggested we raise $10,000.00 a year for four years to place in our building fund.

The Board approved the purchase of 300 copies of "Sanctuary: Daily Devotional Readings" for distribution to Church members.

It was decided we would have Sunday evening Lenten Services - the cantata to be given Palm Sunday evening at the Franklin Elementary School.

Mr. Wright proposed we have a 1/4 hour period
Prayer Vigil during the Easter Season from 8 AM Wednesday through 8 AM Thursday.

A motion was made and seconded to have the Music Committee check the choir rosters and present styles and prices during our next board meeting.

Authorization was granted to spend $1,500 for the repair of our projector.

Mr. Knight was requested to check with dealer about the shipping condition of the coat on the floor.

It was announced the Fourth Quarterly conference would be held on Friday, February 19, 1966, at 8:00 PM.

This being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Sincerely, Hunter, Sec.
March 7, 1960

The official Board met on the above date with nineteen (19) members present. Chairman Harry Wintersmith opened the meeting with prayer by Rev. Wright. The minutes of the meeting of February 1, 1960 were read and approved as corrected. The reports of the Treasurers are as follows:

Church Treasurer - Charles Sullivan
On hand 1/31/60 $1,911.33
Receipts, Enclosed report not made
Disbursements.
Balance on hand 3/7/60 $1,900.62

Building Fund Treasurer - William Dyer
On hand 2/1/60 $511.48
Receipts
Disbursements
Balance on hand 3/7/60 $487.87

Renovation Treasurer - Charles Tuss
On hand 1/31/60 $721.51
Receipts
Disbursements
Balance on hand 3/9/60 $997.08

Rev. Wright suggested that letter of appreciation be sent those that helped with our church anniversary celebration and the board accepted this offer to do this.

Care of the tile floor was discussed and
the use of floor service by a reliable
company. Rev. Wright and Mr. Arthur first
was asked to check into this matter.

A motion was made and approved
to give one half of the quarter lot and
Coln. Card offering to the Library Fund
of Western Maryland College - the other
half to be placed in the Church
Savings Fund.

The Board authorized Rev. Wright to
obtain and have erected at his
discretion any necessary road signs
locating our Church.

Rev. Wright was also asked to inquire
about placing an advertisement in the
local newspaper.

The $100.00 (one hundred dollars) left to
the church by Mr. Samuel Condrowich
was used for the purchase of one (1)
typewriter table and chair for the office and
for a lectern for the Sunday School Room.

Mrs. Mary Kay, Chairman, Commission
on Membership and Evangelism reported
that every member visitation was planned.

After being no further business, the
meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Hulin Sec.
April 4, 1960

The official Board of the Riverside Methodist Church met on the above date with eighteen (18) members present. Charles R. Perry Vondran in his capacity as chairman called the meeting to order at 8:30 p.m. with prayer offered by Rev. Wright. The minutes of the meeting of March 7, 1960 were read and approved. The reports of the treasurers were as follows:

Church Treasurer - Chas. Sullivan
- Balance on hand 1/31/60: $1911.33
- Receipts: $1684.47
- Distributions: $2847.60
- Balance on hand 4/3/60: $748.70

Building Fund Treasurer - William Dwyer
- Off hand 3/7/60: $482.87
- Receipts: $182.71
- Balance on hand 4/4/60: $665.58
- Balance due church treasury: $1100.00

Benevolence Treasurer - Chas. Jones
- Off hand 3/31/60: $997.08
- Receipts: $318.86
- No Distributions
- Balance on hand 3/31/60: $1315.94

Under old business, Rev. Wright reported on having floor service by a specialist company that recommended taxation of cost and size of floors. A motion was made...
to turn back the floor machine.

Mr. Knight also reported he had ordered
three wind chimes for the church, with
the wording “He shall sit in silence.”
A motion was made to have a plate
made to attach to the bottom of
the Bulletin Board on the front yard
of the church. Mr. Arthur Kent was
asked to take care of this matter.

A motion was made and approved
by the Board to insert an ad in
the local newspaper each week at the
cost of $1.50 per notification.

Mr. Knight announced the following
activities for Holy Week.

- Palm Sunday, April 10, 1960 -
  Baptist service in the afternoon and
  Cantata at the elementary school in the
  evening.
- Holy Communion - Thursday evening,
  April 12, 1960.
- Three Holy Week Services:
  - Friday, April 13, 1960,
  - Easter Sunday morning at 8:30, 11:00, and
  - Easter Sunday morning at 8:30, 11:00.

A motion was made and approved to
repair the lead in pipe to the oil burner
and also the newer clean outlet - both being
damaged by snow removal.

Mrs. Whitley asked the board to think over changing our board meeting to start at 8 PM and reschedule the Commission meetings so not to conflict with each other.

The board approved sending Mrs. Nerv a list of flavors upon her return to her home from the hospital. Mrs. Nerv was asked to take one of this.

Mrs. Earl Chaves, Chairman, Finance Commission reported receipts of church envelopes not up to the receipts of the same period last year. He suggested a letter be sent to future membership to consider pledges.

Mrs. Arthur Hoist brought up the matter of duty rugs especially the one in the vestibule, but his letter suggested was offered them to try to keep the one in there as clean as possible.

The meeting was further envisioning the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Name]
Secretary
May 7, 1960

The official Board met on the above date with twenty-one (21) members present. Chairman Harry Underwood called the meeting to order at 8:30 p.m. with prayer offered by Rev. Night. Reports of the treasurers were submitted as follows:

**Church Treasurer - Chas. Sullivan**

- **Due Hand** 5/3/60: $748.70
- **Receipts**: 1,891.70
- **Disbursements**: 1,169.61
- **Balance 5/1/60**: $814.70.29

**Building Fund Treasurer - William Difan**

- **Due Hand** 4/1/60: $665.58
- **Receipts**: 220.98
- **Disbursements**: None
- **Balance 5/1/60**: $886.56

**Balance due to current treasurer**: $1,100.00

**Benevolence Treasurer - Chas. Pasa**

- **Due Hand** 3/31/60: $1,315.91
- **Receipts**: 234.98
- **Disbursements**: None
- **Balance 4/30/60**: $1,550.92

Upon recommendation by Rev. Night, it was decided the Commission could arrange to meet at another time, thereby permitting the regular church meeting of the Board.
to again meet at 8:00 P.M.

 Treasurer has submitted report
approximately $41.00 was received in the
Benton clubs and $75.00 in the Crain
funds.

The Board accepted the Church Budget for
the year '760-61, as presented by Financal
Secretary Earl Chaney, including an increase
in salary for the minister to a total
of $540.00, plus total expenditures of
$600.00.

It was brought out two stands were
needed for the pulpit, and the Secretary
was asked to build them. The finishing
if necessary, to be requested of Mr. Edward
Steele.

A request of the Church Pundus Club
of Baltimore Conference for a Contribution
of $10.00 toward the Tionornia Church
was not granted.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the Board
approved continuing the Clericalence
Treasury with the Church Treasury.

Effective Conference Year 1960.61,

The Secretary was instructed to send a
letter of thanks to the TOY Club for their
contribution of $25.00 for current Church
expenses.

The Board approved contributing
$25.00
to the Clerical Cross Scholarship Fund
June 6, 1960

The official Board met on the above date with twenty (20) members present. Chairman Harry Conklin called the meeting to order with prayer offered by Mr. Wright.

Reports of the treasurer were accepted as follows:

1. Church and Benevolence Treasury - Charles Sullivan, Treasurer

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2. Annex Fund - Mrs. E. Diana, Treasurer

| On hand 5/1/60 | $886.56 |
|                |       |
| Receipts       | 1177.66 |
| Balance on hand 5/6/60 | $2,064.22 |
| Balance due current treasurer | $1,100.00 |

Mr. Wright requested the Board to state its opinion on type of church bulletin for the coming year and it was decided to continue with the present Sunday Church Bulletin.
A motion was made and approved to permit the Kiwanis Club to install a wall plaque of Past Presidents of the Linstontown Kiwanis Club on the wall of the Sunday School room.

The Agency Committee was asked to examine the passageway and to bring back a report for the next Board Meeting.

A motion was made and approved to put on record the official Board unanimously approves the project of the Linstontown Agency Association to locate a library in the Academy Building on Cockey Hill Rd. The Secretary was instructed to write letters to the Board of Education of Baltimore County and the County Executive asking permission to give to the Building for a County Library.

Chairman Harry Vonderheet appointed the following to serve on the nominating committee for officers of the official Board:

- Mr. Harold Wright
- Mrs. Harry Ray
- Mr. Earl Childress

It was decided to change the date of the next Board Meeting from July 1, 1962 to June 27, 1962 at 7:45 o'clock PM.

Mr. Wright announced conference moved convener this Wednesday, June 8, 1962 with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCarthy attending.
Chairman Harry Eadesmith welcomed the following new members of the Church Board:

Mrs. Jacob Frederick, Chester Whitten and

Stelling Hahn.

It was decided that old financial records be stored in the Church annex.

A discussion regarding changing the time of the regular Sunday childcr services
disclosed nothing showed to done at the present time.

This being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucy Miller, Secretary.
June 27, 1960

The official Board of the Acushnet 
Methodist Church met on the above date 
with eighteen (18) members present. The 
meeting was opened by Chairman Frank 
Vandercook, followed by prayer offered 
by Rev. Wright.

The reports of the treasurer were accepted 
as follows:

1. Current and General Fund, Treasurer's Report
   Balance 6-5-60 Current $1,686.61
   Personnel $43.79
   Receipts
   Disbursements $722.09
   Combined Balance on hand 6-26-60 $2,456.79

2. Annex Fund
   Balance 6-6-60 $2,064.22
   Receipts
   Disbursements $72,101.49
   Combined Balance on hand 6-6-60 $2,100.00 due current treasurer

The report of the nominating Committee for 
officers of the official Board for fiscal year 1961-60 
was made, and upon motion, duly seconded, 
the hand unanimously approved the following 
officers: Chairman Frank Vandercook
Vice Chairman Fr. Leo, Jr.
Treasurer Charles Sullivan
Secretary - Roger Yingling

The Building Committee had met and inspected the premises as was discussed during the Board Meeting of June 6, 1965 and it was again agreed a sketch should be submitted at the next Board meeting.

Log, member of the Annual Conference, Irwin McBurney reported he had benefited from the recent Conference Session, and Mr. Knight brought out Bishop John W. Ford would replace Bishop E. Horley Dennis.

Rev. Knight discussed the subject of precautions and plans in the event of fire as outlined by the Council of Churches, and a motion was made to turn the matter over to the Men's Club.

The Board approved to offer the use of our church and annex to the July Conference being held at St. Luke's and Broad Ash, such use to be offered by discretion of Rev. Knight.

It was announced two of the substitute ministers during the absence of Rev. Knight in August will be Rev. Eugene Erickson and Rev. Donald Weir.

The amount of church necessary to replace the draperies in the Annex has been donated, a motion was made and approved by the Church Board to give
the Sunday School permission to install them.

The matter of the disposition of the stuffed furniture in the Annex will be left to the Women's Society until further date.

A motion was made and approved to purchase twenty-five (25) new steel Sunday School chairs.

The Planning Committee was requested to report at next Board Meeting exactly what has been done to date.

A motion was made to start two (2) services the first Sunday in September, the Planning Committee to help make adjustments to handle this more.

Authorization was given by the Board to purchase and install a screen door on the rear entrance of the parsonage.

These being us further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey Winter, Sec.
July 19, 1960

A special Official Board meeting of the Redstone Methodist Church was called after church on the above date to authorize the purchase of office furniture of solid cherry, oak desk, secretary chair, and secretary desk in the amount of $16. 00.

A motion was made and seconded to $16. 00.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Roger Shingling, Sec'y
The Official Board of the Administration Methodist Church met on the above date with fifteen (15) members present. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Tony Vandesmith, and opened with a prayer by Mr. Gregg.

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted as follows:

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Enveloped 7/31 not included in this total.
Old Business:
Moved and Seconded that there was no need of regarding the colored at this time, but Dr. Geist would keep in contact with any needs.

Moved and Seconded that the present Planning Commission be dissolved and a new one appointed composed of:

Ron Allegretti, Chairman
Earle Thomas
Bob Wright.

Progress reported on Church signs.

New Business:
Moved and Seconded to work out the requirements necessary for the 9:30 services for Sunday Morning (as we come to them).

Moved and Seconded to leave to the discretion of the Music Committee to get an organist and choir director at a reasonable salary as possible.

The windows in the front of the church to be taken care of by Rev. Geist.

There being no further business, it was moved and seconded that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert Flisberg, Jr.
The Official Board of the Dieston Methodist Church met on the above date with (8) eighteen members present. The meeting was called to order by Bill Lee, Chairmain. Rev. Wright opened the meeting with a prayer.

Annual Fund Report

Bal. 8/1/60 458.09

Enveloped for 1/31 thru 8/5 275.34

Bal. 9/1/60 753.33

Bill Again 2.00

Enveloped for 9/4/60 not included.

Old Business:

Church sign put up on the Henry, Westminster and Gistston Road. Made and secured to purchased another sign to be put on the British Road.

Windows in the front of the church have been taken care of.

The stained glass windows in the Sanctuary to be taken care of by Mr. Glus.

New Business:

Church Planning Conference second Sunday in October.

The feasibility of having another "Family Day" was discussed.

At a special meeting held on Aug 3rd, it was decided that the Music Committee be allowed to go up to 15 in order to score
an against subject to confirmation of the Official Board. This action confirmed by Official Board. Moved and seconded. I move adjourn.

Respectfully submitted:

[Signature]

[Name]
October 3, 1960.

The official Board of the Quetinster Methodist Church was called to order by the Chairman, Harry Vanderbilt, followed with Prayer by Rev. Wright.

Minutes of the previous were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was given and accepted as follows:

Balance on hand July 31, 1960: $1,301.89
Receipts of $500 from Oct 16: $2,091.65
Total: $3,401.44

Disbursements:
Bal. on Hand - Oct. 3, 1960: $1,521.16

Benevolence Pleaded Report:
Bal. on hand July 31, 1960: $70.76
Receipts of $100 thru Oct 16: $361.99
Total to be Accounted for: $1,331.95

Disbursements:
Bal. on Hand Oct. 3, 1960: $1,331.95

There was at Annual Board Meeting.

Old Business

Rev. Wright announced a planning conference to be held at the Church on the 3rd Sunday in October.

The salary being paid the pastor, as against is $10 per month.

New Business

The Members of the Community are being asked to contribute towards the budget.
the Recreation Council in order to eliminate funds through gambling methods. A motion was made to strive to raise $300 in our church by asking the organizations for contributions. It was adopted and carried.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Yarmi Gay, Acting Secretary
Nov. 7, 1960.

The Official Board of the Reston Methodist Church was called to order by the chairman, Harry B. Smith, followed with prayers by Rev. Wright. Eighteen (18) members were present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

L. E. Thomas's report was given as follows:

Balance on Hand 10/3/60 188.47

Receives thru 10/6/60 121.58

Total to be accounted for 3306.36

Total Disbursements thru 10/6/60 1172.03

Balance on Hand 10/6/60 2134.34

Annex Fund Report

Balance on Hand 10/6/60 3753.33

Envelopes Receipts thru 10/6 695.71

Total 4449.19

Cheque Book 3,000

Vs. etc. 447.19

Benevolence Treasurers Report:

Balance on Hand 10/3/60 1231.75

Receipts thru 10/6/60 365.33

Total to be accounted for 1597.08

No Disbursements - Total 1597.08

It was moved and seconded to give authority to the Building Fund Treasurers to deposit all funds six acres of $15 in savings account.

Eld. Brainerd:

Winded in the practical further wherein
Novel and Seconded for E. F. Ford to purchase
Flag at American Flag and Industrial Flag. Army 1st.

A total of 35 was given to Col. Kelly and
gym fund for their services in August.

Measure funds have been audited.

Ripped and seconded to Roy Adiletta

Elder and Linton Helms

is said to be fought and Clinton

among to be asked to get them

Thanksgiving Service to be held in
this church with Rev. Geyer the speaker.

It was voted to hold a Thanksgiving service
in front of the church.

Rev. William and Mr. Wright reported
for the Planning Commission. It was moved
and seconded that the Planning Commission be

given permission to talk further with

Mr. Williams and to Ed. Cook.

The Commission on Finance made the

following report:

1. Resolved: Recommend to the Board
to purchase 30 1/2 @ 15 making a total
of $45.00 to be reimbursed by organizations
and individuals

2. Labor deductions

Mr. Beeby @ 10 each
Mr. Knob @ 12 each

Youth club @ 5 each

3. Betty cash fund for office @ 25.00

4. Mr. Kelly - check for $10 - for fuel
check for $10 - making 50 per cent.
5. Auditing Committee
   Don Allworth
   Arturo Geist
   Roger Williams

This being further business, adjourn.

Roger Williams
Say.
The official Board of the Antiochian Methodist Church met on the above date with nineteen (19) members present. Chairman, John Tondersmith called the meeting to order and After prayer opened the meeting with prayer. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved. Treasurer reports were made as follows:

Current Treasurer Agent:

Balance on hand 1/1/0 2,134.34
Receipts 1/3/0 thru 1/4/0 1,432.73
Total to be accounted for 3,567.07
Disbursements 1/8/0 thru 1/4/0 2,159.53
Balance on hand 1/4/0 1,407.54

Benevolence Treasurer Agent:

Balance on hand 1/1/0 1,537.58
Receipts 1/3/0 thru 1/4/0 205.91
Total to be accounted for 1,743.49
Disbursements
1/5 Jean Golts Annual Conf. 1,765.59
Balance on hand 1/6/0 266.10

Cemetary Fund Agent:

Balance on hand 1/7/0 3,449.19
Envelope receipts 1/3/0 thru 1/4/0 247.59
Total funds for supplies 2.36
3,699.14

Bldgy. Acre in 1900: checking Act. 699.14

Old Business:

The flag sites were sought, it was unviable and decided to take a dedication of the flag.
at the eleven o'clock giving Dec. 11, 1960.
Mr. Knight reported for the Planning Committee.
I'm glad that I have been at the Church.
Mr. Samuel Bach and Mr. A. Kemal Finke both expressed the need that we must have a new building.
Mr. Alleyn and Mr. Wright had a conference with
Mr. Bulhanser concerning Second Farm project.
Proposed of securing property the second notice given.

New Business:

Moved and seconded to give our chairs back to the Davis Church.
Moved and seconded to grant request that
Mr. Wright attend Washington Area Minister.
Retreat and we hear the expenses of
the Pastor's stay at Bigh Hill Falls.
Moved and seconded we have pianos tuned.
Moved and seconded that we have midnight services - Sunday School - and regular Church services by Christmas Day.
We will plan for the 154th Anniversary

Moved and seconded that we grant permission
to the Youth Evangelical Program to use our
Church and facilities for their meeting.
Being no further business we adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
The District Methodist Church official board met on January 9, 1961. Chairman, Henry V. Smith called the meeting to order and Sir Robert opened with a prayer. Twelve (12) members were present. There was no report from the Planning Committee. Oiva was unable to attend the 8th Anniversary Feb. 5th. Rev. Gifford was to be the speaker. Lunch would be served and there would be a display served and served to all services during the Lenten season on Sunday evening. Banks and Butter would be served to the congregation.

Resolved to give $50 from Lenten funds and funds to the General Benevolence Fund.

Resolved and recorded that Mr. Gifford be given authority to get aluminum storm lites, for the parsonage, and have same installed.

Resolved and recorded, permission be granted the Boards to attend United Session Feb. 12, 13, 14.

Resolved and recorded for Sir Robert to direct company regarding glazed windows and to have them replaced.

Since being no further business, we adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Insurance Agent (cont)
Current Treasurer's Report:
Balance on hand 1/4/61  1407.54
Receipts 1/4/61 to 1/31/60  2391.37
Total to be accounted for  3798.91
Disbursements:
1/1/61 to 1/31/61  1385.35
Balance on hand 1/31/61  2389.66

Pension Treasurer's Report:
Balance on hand 1/4/61  26.60
Receipts:
1/1/61 to 1/31/61  367.06
Total to be accounted for  393.65
Balance on hand 1/31/61  393.65

Annex Fund Report 1/61:
Balance on hand 1/1/61  3679.14
Envelop receipts for 12/31/60 to 1/31/61  346.90
Received from Printing 6.53
Total from Checking 200.00
Received from P. O. L. 1/46.10
Total  4286.45

Checking Account 1/46.10

Total  4286.45
The Official Board of the Gilmerton Methodist Church met on February 6, 1961, with 12 members present. The meeting was called to order at 8:15 P.M. and was opened with prayer by the Pastor.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and corrected.

Current Treasurer's report read and approved by motion.

Benevolence report read and approved by motion.

Pastor reported that the storm door had been installed on parsonage entrance and are very much appreciated.

Pastor also reported that contract had been made with Victor Company regarding repair to the sanctuary windows and that an estimate would be made when received.

In this meeting, Donald Allsbury gave an interim report for the Planning Committee regarding status of the Church property. Current listing price for lot size 180 by 180 feet.

Pastor announced that the Quarterly Conference would be held on Feb 23, 1961. He also made known plans for Lenten Services.

Pastor requested approval of the appointment of a Church Committee. Motion made and seconded that such a Committee be appointed.

There was a considerable discussion about the advisability of cancelling Lady Sunday.
mining worship service during our emergency operations. It was agreed to continue with the present schedule regardless of snow conditions.

Pastor announced that students from Nazarene College would participate in Peace Relation Sunday observance in our Church School and Worship Service.

Pastor announced that Bishop Hole will be present at the observance of our 100th anniversary in February 1962.

A bill of $2 for help in snow removal on church premises was approved, payment motion made, seconded that church school board be commended for its plan for Peace Relation and Bethlehem Sundays and be praised by this body's support of them. Here being no further business meeting was declared adjourned at 9:20 P.M.

John R. Wright
Secretary Pastor

Current Treasurer's Report
Balance on hand Feb. 5, 1961 $721.86
Secretary collections Feb. 5, 1961 not counted
Benevolence Treasurer's Report Feb. 5, 1961 $65.46
Sunday Collection Feb. 5, 1961 not counted.
The official Board of the Reisterstown Methodist Church met on April 6, 1961. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Knight. Treasurer report made and approved.

Current Treasurer's Report
Balance on hand Feb. 6, 1961 $2,921.86
Receipts to Mar. 1 111.74
Total to be accounted for 3,033.60
Disbursements
Mar. 1 to Mar. 31 1,280.68
Balance on hand March 1, 1961 2,552.92

Benevolent Report
Balance on hand Apr. 6 685.46
Receipts Apr. 6 to May 31 411.62
Total to be accounted for 1,097.08
Disbursements - None
Balance March 6, 1961 1,097.08

Annex Fund Report
Balance on hand Apr. 6 498.45
Envelopes Receipts Apr. 6 to May 31 481.75
Building Fund Report Aug. 1 31.43
Sells Methodist May 31, 53.61
Total 5039.61

Building Fund 40 46.13
Checking Account 993.49

Rev. Allerwald reported on status of Buckel property. Rev. Knight and Rev. Allerwald to find out about surfacing parking lot in the back of Buckel property and agree at a fair price for it.
A special meeting of the Official Board of the precincts Methodist Church was held on Sunday, March 17, 1961 with a quorum present.

The Planning Committee presented the proposition of the property owner, i.e., that the unimproved portion of the property be sold for $2000. This would be an area of approximately 1/4 acres as shown on attached drawing.

It was moved, seconded and passed that the Official Board recommend the purchase of the property subject to approval of the district superintendent and a special quarterly conference and to comply in all respects with the Discipline.

Their being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Respectfully submitted, Roger Lingling, 1961.
Committee that the mailing property was for sale.

Motion was made that she make an offer of $50.00
and report to the Board.

Motion made to approach the White Goose Antiques
and determine if that property is for sale and
if so at what price.

New Business:

We will have regular meeting on Easter Monday.

Motion passed to buy new boats.

Motion passed to buy fourth after cloth.

Motion made to get pine of movie screen.

Motion made to have a new table made for
the movie machine.

Approve $200.00 to get paint for the
parsonage church.

Motion made and seconded for preacher to get load
of stone for parsonage drive.

Since being no further business motion was
made and seconded we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Rogel Robinson
The Official Board of the Bethesda Methodist Church met on April 3rd, 1961. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Rev. Knight. Minutes from previous meeting read and accepted as corrected.

平衡更新报告

Balance on Hand March 30, 1961 2,558.58

收入

1/1/61 thru 3/31/61 982.01
Total to be accounted for 3,540.59

支出

3/1/61 thru 3/31/61 923.39
Balance on Hand 2,518.30

慈善基金更新报告

Balance on Hand March 30, 1961 1,016.98

收入

1/1/61 thru 3/31/61 134.31
Total to be accounted for 134.31

支出

None
Balance on Hand April 1, 1961 1141.29

基金报告

Balance on Hand 3/31/61 509.62
Envelopes receipts 3/1/61 thru 3/31/61 127.84
Total 5167.16

支出 - 各项支票

Balance 500.23

Building Acct. 41046.13
Checking Acct. 631.03

Motion made reports be accepted and filed.
Motion made and seconded not to sell garage behind the Annex Building.

George Maynard look into the possibility of widening around of the picket by nephew.

Motion made to have the picket with the pickets then be given to the city.

Motion made that we buy fuel oil, gas and electric for the preacher in lieu of a salary increase.

Motion made that the Sanctuary take care of sign in front of church.

Motion was made that we install a light or timing system to illuminate the back of the church.

There being no further business, motion was made the adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Roger Kingsley, Sec.