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REPORT OF EASTON DISTRICT

Submitted by Presiding Elder Wilbur F. Corkran to the Wilmington Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, Recently Convened in Easton.

At the Wilmington Conference held in Easton last week Presiding Elder Corkran of Easton District made the following interesting report:

"The work of the year has been much hindered by the unparalleled number of stormy Sundays. It has stormed more or less for 29 of the 51 Sundays since the adjournment of our last session of conference, and whilst the other days of the week do not show as large a proportion, yet we have had a great deal of stormy weather. This has during the winter season especially, made very muddy and sometimes impassable roads, and the Easton district being made up largely of circuits, has suffered in proportion. Some of our country churches have not been opened for more than once a month for the last four months, and yet, surprising to say, the figures will show that along all the regular lines of finance, the district this year has broken all previous records. Failing for months at a time to gather a congregation, the heroic pastors have taken to their carriages and saddles and gone from house to house gathering up money for benevolences and stirring up the people to meet the current expenses of the churches. But this has been an off year in revival work owing to the above named difficulties. Many very hopeful meetings were drowned out in their infancy, and all efforts in this department, in both town and country, was more or less crippled, and yet the year has witnessed some gracious revivals.

Greensboro has had 60 conversions; both churches at Fairlee had showers of grace. Brother Jester begins and ends his financial campaigns with a revival. In his 15 months as a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church he has raised nearly $5,000, under very hard conditions, and won 100 souls for Christ. In 15 years he built 22 churches and won 2,000 souls for the M. E. Church.

In material interests the district has had a good year, despite difficult conditions. Cordova increased her estimate on pastoral support $150 and her payment $400; Galena, $150; Henderson, $50. Rock Hall advanced $100; Smyrna circuit, $50; Talbot, $150, $50 of which is paid by Claiborne; Tilghman's Island, $50; Betterton $250.

"I have especially urged all along a more liberal support for our hard worked pastors, both on the ground of merit and need. They are the greatest wealth producers in the country. All our neighboring conferences are paying larger salaries than our own, and this is having the effect of alluring from us a large proportion of our brightest and best young men. Our business men are paying their bookkeepers, clerks and superintendents, more salary than they are willing their pastor should have. I can name officials of churches on this district whose net income is from $5,000 to $25,000 per year, who will stoutly oppose an advance in pastor's salary above $500 to $900. This is unjust suicide."

Dr. Corkran finds some progress. Six years ago the district estimated $33,570 for pastoral support, and closed the year with a deficiency column; this year the estimate is $27,100, and may have a clear gain of $4,000 in the six years.

In church debt paying, building and improving the district has had a good year.

Dr. Corkran refers to the local option victory in Cecil county and to the defeat of local option in Delaware. Fourteen members in the lower house had the courage to say yes; some either cowardly or indifferently absented themselves, while 14 outside of Speaker Anthony boldly said no. Dr. Corkran thinks the petition should have had 50,000 signatures instead of 16,000. With one voter in seven on the petition, "well do the politicians know that for every voter's name in our petition the saloon could put up three." Our battle may have been wisely planned, but it was miserably executed and we bite the dust. But let it be known that the remnant has sworn eternal vengeance and the war is on to end only when by arbitration, if it must be so, the black spot shall be ground from the face of the Diamond and she shall reflect the glory of a new day. Until then, brethren of the ministry, leaders of God's militant, let us watch and work and pray in the primaries, on the hustings and at the polls.

Dr. Corkran expressed his gratitude to the ministers and laymen of the district and to God for giving him a place in His vineyard in which to toil and for the delightful association of his co-laborers.

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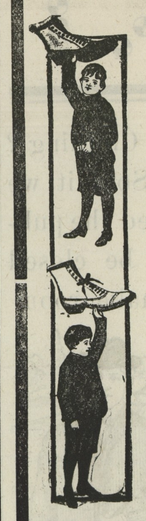

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