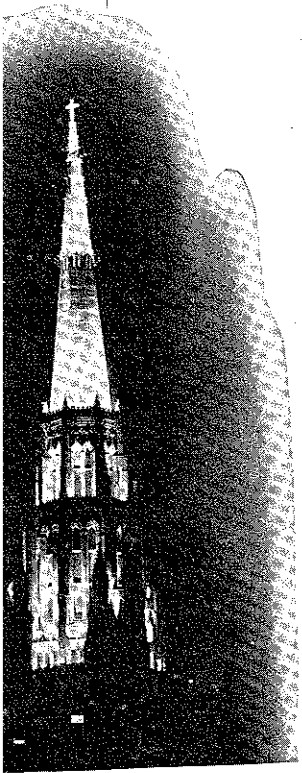


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could not appreciate the awful tension of the inner conflict and contest which he faced during these later years. This struggle was all the more severe because of his naturally sensitive and poetic nature.

Funeral services were conducted in Libertyville, July 13, the Rev. Aubrey Moore presiding. A very representative body of Rock River ministers joined with the stricken family and the sorrowing congregation in this service of love and memory. In addition to the addresses made by a layman and a local pastor, Horace G. Smith spoke and J. B. Martin offered prayer. Interment was at Charter Grove, Ill.

WILLIAM A. FRYE

The Rev. William Frye, 966 Sheridan Avenue, Ypsilanti, Mich., a retired Methodist minister, died at his home Wednesday afternoon, November 8. Dr. Frye had been ill about a month, first stricken while he was visiting friends in Illinois. Coming to his home he failed to recover and death closed a remarkable life.

He was born in Nobel County, O., in 1858, and after graduating from Scio College, Ohio, married Clarabelle Buckley, November 6, 1884. In the fall of that year he entered the ministry, receiving his first regular appointment at Ashland, a small village north of Grand Rapids.

He was a member of the Michigan Methodist Conference for twenty years, serving in many of the larger cities throughout the state.

While pastor in Grand Rapids he was a prominent figure in one of the big strikes, espousing the cause of the men.

Kalamazoo was perhaps his most successful pastorate but his strong personality was felt wherever he worked.

Dr. Frye was transferred to the East where he remained for a period of seven years. While he was the pastor of the First Methodist Church at East Orange, N. J., Mrs. Thomas Edison worshiped there and occasionally Mr. Edison attended his church.

Dr. Frye came later to the Rock River Conference. It was while he was connected with this Conference that he held the position of chaplain of the state prison at Joliet, Ill.

Three years ago Dr. Frye retired from active ministry in the church, having served for forty-nine years. He and his wife went to Ypsilanti and had made their home there since.

Besides his widow he is survived by two sons, Warren J. of Detroit, and James A. of San Francisco. A sister, Mrs. Lina Fishel of Ohio, and a brother, Marion of New York, also survive.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church, Saturday, November 11, with Rev. Marshall Reed in charge and Rev. Frank L. Fitch and other ministers assisting in the service. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery, Detroit.

ERNEST WRAY ONEAL

Ernest Wray Oneal was born of pioneer Methodist parents in Glenwood, Ia., August 29, 1863; converted at a revival meeting held by his father when Ernest was sixteen years old; educated at Simpson College, Indianola, Ia., and Garrett Biblical Institute; later honored with the citation from the Court of Honor of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity; granted the honorary degree in divinity; entered the ministry in the Des Moines Conference in 1885 and appointed to the Villisca Circuit; transferred to the Rock River Conference and held successful pastorates at Ashton, Aurora, First Church, Chicago; Ottawa St., Joliet, then an interim pastorate at Minneapolis, then Olivet Church, Chicago, and First Church, Freeport. He retired in 1933 and served as supply at Light-house and Chana until his decease, March 16, 1934. Burial was at Oregon, Ill.

In 1887 he was united in marriage to Miss Grace Ellenwood of Newton, Kan., who preceded him in death in the year 1924. He later married Miss May

Conference Roll

MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE

When street address only is given under "Post Offices" name appears twice, it must be marked one of these times

POST OFFICES	Nativity	Admitted in Full Connection	
		State	Conference
Marengo	Michigan	Rock River	1901
Genoa	Indiana	Indiana	1903
5145 University Ave.	France	N. W. Ind.	1893
Harvey	Indiana	Rock River	1904
Chicago	New York	Rock River	1877
6409 S. Sangamon	Missouri	West German	1900
Minooka	Canada	Michigan	1895
740 Rush St.	Iowa	Iowa	1897
West Pullman	Tennessee	Cent. Tenn.	1898
77 W. Washington	Illinois	Rock River	1899
Chicago	Ohio	Cent. Iowa	1899
Elmhurst	Ohio	Minnesota	1900
W. 71st & S. Union	Canada	Alberta	1902
G. B. I., Evanston	Indiana	Indiana	1901
Glendale, Cal.	England	W. Wisconsin	1897
Waterman	Illinois	S. Illinois	1911
Deerpark & McKinley	New York	N. W. Iowa	1923
Grays Lake	Rock River	Rock River	1919
1851 W. 22nd Pl.	Illinois	Rock River	1922
Freeport	Illinois	Iowa	1916
Palatine	Iowa	Iowa	1920
Des Plaines	Iowa	Iowa	1920
3622 W. 65th St.	Belgium	Belgium	1923
Sterling	Illinois	Rock River	1927
Chicago	Germany	Chicago Ger.	1892
303 Cass St., Joliet	Michigan	Cent. Illinois	1897
Redlands, Cal.	England	Rock River	1898
845 Oakdale Ave.	England	So. Illinois	1913
Earlville	Canada	Cent. Illinois	1894
740 Rush St.	England	Kansas	1894
Harvard	England	Rock River	1916
Oak Park	Pennsylvania	Rock River	1921
Crystal Lake	Illinois	Rock River	1905
Rockford	Illinois	Rock River	1917
110th & Longwood	Illinois	Rock River	1899
Chicago	Canada	N. Minnesota	1901
Evanston	Maryland	Baltimore	1898
Oak Park	Rock River	Rock River	1923
43rd Pl. & Union	Canada	Rock River	1894
Evanston	Iowa	Iowa	1895
Oak Park	Illinois	Rock River	1890
Marengo	New York	Rock River	1878
Berwyn	Kansas	Rock River	1915
N. Paulina & School	N. W. Neb.	N. W. Neb.	1923
Glenview	Rock River	Rock River	1931
68th St. & Loomis	Minnesota	Des Moines	1914
Rockford	Ireland	Rock River	1909
Lanark	Ireland	Rock River	1902
Plato Center	Evangel. Assn.	Evangel. Assn.	1903
Seeley Ave. & Byron	Kentucky	N. W. Iowa	1908
Freeport	Rock River	Rock River	1914
Lakeland, Fla.	Indiana	N. Indiana	1912
Hebron	England	Des Moines	1911
Granville & Lakewood	England	Rock River	1923
64th & S. Paulina	Canada	Detroit	1901
Libertyville	Ohio	Rock River	1908
New Lenox	Ohio	S. India	1895
Chicago	Illinois	N. W. Indiana	1911

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NAMES	APPOINTMENTS	POST OFFICES	Nativity		Admitted in Full Connection		Came to Rock River
			State	Conference	Yr.	Yr.	
*Dickey, C. J.	Morrison	Morrison	Canada	Rock River	1903	1903	
*Dickson, J. L.	Radio Ministry	WGN, Chicago	Illinois	Illinois	1901	1910	
*Diercks, C. H.	Ingleside Ave.	Chicago	Rock River	Rock River	1924	1924	
*Diffendorfer, R. E.	Sec. Bd. of F. M.	150 Fifth Ave., N. Y.	Ohio	Rock River	1922	1922	
Dingle, John N.	Retired.	New Lenox	England	Rock River	1894	1894	
*Doble, William B.	Retired.	Highland Park	England	Rock River	1892	1892	
*Doenecke, C. J.	Mendota	Mendota	New York	Rock River	1927	1927	
*Draher, C. H.	Whedon	Evanston	Iowa	Missouri	1913	1926	
*Dunbar, Glen	Elwood	Elwood	Illinois	Rock River	1923	1923	
*Dunlavy, E. W.	Leave of Absence	Milledgeville	Indiana	N. W. Indiana	1901	1930	
*Duvall, C. Hyatt	Milledgeville	Milledgeville	Maryland	Rock River	1922	1922	
*Durand, James H.	Grace	Rockford	New York	N. Montana	1912	1921	
*Eagie, Hildine L.	Barrington	Barrington	Rock River	Rock River	1924	1924	
*Edwards, Earl M.	Amboy	Amboy	Rock River	Rock River	1928	1928	
*Eiselen, F. C.	Cor. Sec. Bd. of Ed.	740 Rush St.	Germany	Philadelphia	1902	1924	
*English, Merle N.	Dept. of Education	740 Rush St.	Illinois	Illinois	1900	1920	
*Evans, W. H.	Belvidere	Belvidere	England	Rock River	1917	1917	
*Feldwisch, W. E.	Galena	Galena	Michigan	N. Ohio	1908	1909	
*Fleming, W. S.	Retired.	3422 Fulton St.	Michigan	Upper Iowa	1896	1900	
*Flick, John E.	Olivet	W. Adams & Keeler	England	Rock River	1896	1896	
*Ford, James A.	Gresham	87th & Emerald Ave.	Missouri	Missouri	1910	1915	
*Foster, A. D.	Retired.	Rockford	Ohio	N. Dakota	1900	1903	
*Fowler, Geo. A.	First	Oak Park	Wash., D. C.	Baltimore	1913	1933	
*Freeman, M.S.	Park Manor	Chicago	Pennsylvania	Rock River	1906	1906	
*Frost, T. P.	Retired.	Bradford, Vt.	Vermont	Vermont	1878	1904	
*Frye, W. A.	Retired.	Ypsilanti, Mich.	Ohio	Michigan	1886	1917	
*Fuertstenau, A. F.	Retired.	Berwyn	Germany	Chicago Ger.	1877	1933	
*Funston, J. W.	Richard St.	Joliet	Illinois	Rock River	1898	1898	
*Furnish, Reuben M.	Walnut	Walnut	Illinois	Rock River	1922	1922	
*Gable, George	Albany and Zion	Albany	Illinois	Puget Sound	1902	1911	
*Gage, Carl D.	Morris	Morris	Ohio	E. Ohio	1909	1919	
*Gage, Charles A.	Retired.	Rockford	Illinois	Rock River	1896	1896	
*Galloway, Morris G.	Geneva	Geneva	Illinois	Nebraska	1923	1927	
*Gardner, James L.	St. James	Ellis Ave. & 46th St.	Ontario	Detroit	1897	1922	
*George, James W.	Garfield Blvd.	Garfield at Emerald	Rock River	Rock River	1908	1908	
*Goddin, W. C.	Fourth St.	Sterling	England	Rock River	1903	1903	
*Goff, Charles R.	Court St.	Rockford	Iowa	Rock River	1927	1927	
*Graham, F. A.	Avondale	Spaulding & George	Maine	Rock River	1899	1899	
*Green, George T.	First	Ottawa	Illinois	Rock River	1924	1924	
*Greene, T. R.	Retired.	Oak Park	Maine	N. W. Iowa	1890	1891	
*Griffith, W. R.	Hawthorne	5050 W. 30th, Cicero	Iowa	N. W. Iowa	1921	1922	
*Griffith, T. K.	Malta	Malta	Illinois	N. W. Iowa	1915	1922	
*Grimes, Paul W.	Academy	Harvey	Rock River	Rock River	1928	1928	
*Grose, W. E.	Retired.	Wyandot	Ohio	N. Indiana	1892	1911	
*Gruber, A. C.	Retired.	Delafield, Wis.	Indiana	N. Indiana	1885	1889	
*Hagerty, Harold	Richmond	Richmond	Illinois	Rock River	1922	1922	
*Hall, J. N.	Retired.	Oakland, Cal.	Connecticut	Rock River	1886	1886	
*Hall, Logan	Rogers Park	Ashland & Greenleaf	Rock River	Rock River	1921	1921	
*Hamilton, Albert W.	Retired.	Byron	Montana	Montana	1918	1919	
*Hammit, L. L.	Dist. Supt.	De Kalb	Iowa	Rock River	1904	1904	
*Hancock, Frank	Blue Island	Blue Island	England	Puget Sound	1913	1922	
*Hartl, Frank	Brighton Park	Chicago	Germany	Chicago Ger.	1897	1933	
*Hasenstab, P. J.	Deaf Mute Miss.	5340 Ellis Ave.	New York	Rock River	1897	1897	
*Hay, Clyde L.	Leave of Absence	740 Rush St.	Illinois	Rock River	1902	1902	
*Hayes, Doremus A.	Prof., G. B. I.	Evanston	Ohio	California	1889	1905	
*Hedler, C. H.	Tinley Park	Tinley Park	Wisconsin	Rock River	1933	1933	
*Henslee, W. C.	Clearing	64th & Major	Illinois	N. W. Kansas	1907	1923	
*Hertzler, C. W.	Prof., Baldwin	Berea, Ohio	Iowa	St. Louis Ger.	1899	1933	
*Hessel, W. J.	Morgan St.	Chicago	Kansas	Chicago Ger.	1923	1933	
*Hester, E. K. D.	Retired.	Durand	Indiana	Rock River	1891	1891	
*Hewitt, C. J.	Steward	Steward	Indiana	Rock River	1903	1903	
*Hickman, Jesse D.	Paulina	Paulina & 33rd Pl.	Iowa	N. W. Indiana	1905	1907	
*Hitchens, Joseph J.	Berry Memorial	2206 Giddings St.	England	Detroit	1912	1914	
*Hoisington, F. W.	Princeton	Princeton	Wisconsin	W. Wisconsin	1923	1932	
*Holloway, B. C.	Stockton	Stockton	Illinois	Rock River	1907	1907	
*Holland, John W.	WLS	Stockton	Illinois	Rock River	1907	1922	
*Holt, Enos	Retired.	Stockton	Pennsylvania	Rock River	1890	1890	
*Holt, Harlow V.	Washington Blvd.	Oak Park	Illinois	Rock River	1897	1897	
*Honeywell, Ray	Elsdon	51st & Turner	Illinois	Rock River	1926	1926	
*Hoover, Lloyd F.	Forest Park	Forest Park	Rock River	Rock River	1923	1923	
*Hoover, R. L.	Mt. Carroll	Mt. Carroll	Rock River	Rock River	1928	1928	
*Hopkins, F. D.	Plainfield	Plainfield	Michigan	S. Illinois	1916	1918	

*Denotes attendance at joint session of Conference.