

R CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES

Methodist Home Hospital	Orphanage	Schools and Colleges	City and District Missionary Societies	District Work	L.M. and C.F.	All Other Benevolences	
68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75
50	99		1	5			2081
60	210		1	13		20	4414
30	65		19				25
1	28						4497
37	93		19			34	720
							5217
290	435	54	425	54	25	54	77218
60	86		50	106	5		7069
	284	25		45	100	200	17963
198	6967	3968	2500	132	150	1229	300046
180	209	30	462	50	100	400	61978
72	70	17	50	30	5		9431
639	1744	987	750	66	100	10	63216
60	126		28	12	5	127	19456
200	184		200	40	40	40	11478
	75			75	63		7907
	99	12	12			218	5643
200	78		100	86	10	29	12681
228	494		225	45	40	300	25177
227						50	5638
667	15812	6245	5122	1117	898	3313	795942
865	16150	685	5173	1055	583	1224	876434
802		5560		62	315	1089	
	338		51				80492

Grand Total 42-45, 47c, 48b, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52-54, 55c-74

19	10411	1823	666	746	547	921	379034
96	9339	3587	2740	1197	569	2903	841875
91	10893	4756	4249	1005	967	7132	587602
78	15570	586	126	1496	593	3114	673891
31	6423	3490	6833	1865	209	743	434043
52	27764	1707	22	746	700	3743	547197
67	15812	6245	5122	1117	898	3313	795942
34	95212	22194	19758	8172	4483	21869	4259584
65	103176	21165	24804	7497	5212	12180	3682222
69		1029		675		9689	577362
	7964		5046		729		

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for ten years," Brother Marlin once could be a minister. But I wanted to easily make money."

At the age of only a few weeks, his tie could no longer hold out against the weather. He went to college to study for the Central College, Missouri, and later received his B. S. at State Teachers College,

in 1918 and Elder in 1919 in the same church in the active ministry. He has served churches in Missouri, Louisiana. In Louisiana, the charges were in Lake Charles, where he retired in 1951, after receiving a special reward September 15, 1951, after a very active life.

forest. For a time its space must be filled. The bookkeeper, teacher, engineer, and now to mightier tasks now. He made more retirement than in any year of his life. He has gone to the place of rest, where it can be trodden under the eternal riches, and his hands are

one day was asked by a friend, "Where

he replied, "These are my jewels." No more riches in Rome's golden age.

In his family, his loved ones, and his friends, he is remembered as the bringer of light and the way of life.

Until the very last. As a seller of "The Book of Life" until the end. Exhausted and perspiring, his last words to his wife, "I can't do it. I am an athlete, a man among men, but I could not keep pace with his strong feeling for God. 'Shall renew their strength; they shall not be weary; and they shall run and not be weary; and they

TED T. HOWES

### JAMES T. McVEY

Thro' the shining gate,  
Where the angels wait,  
When the saints are marching in,  
The redeemed shall come,  
And be crowned at home,  
When the saints are marching in.

James T. McVey was born December 8, 1869, at Madisonville, Kentucky, and was freed from the limitations of the flesh December 3, 1951, in McComb, Miss., where he had made his home for some years, after his retirement.

We have no information of his early life. His work in the Christian ministry began in 1896, when he was 27 years old. He was admitted into the ministry of the General Baptist Church, and served as an ordained minister in that denomination until he was received into the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Orders, December, 1906. In November, 1920, at the De Ridder, La., session of the Louisiana Conference, he was transferred to this conference from the North Mississippi Conference, and assigned to the Boyce-Melrose charge. After that his appointments were as follows: Hornbeck, Greensburg, Baker, Jackson, Covington, Simsboro two years, Indian Bayou, Merryville and Bienville. He was retired November, 1931.

Upon retirement he made his home near Hattiesburg, Miss., and later moved to McComb, Miss., where he spent his last years.

Mr. McVey married Miss Flora Adams February 28, 1894, and she was his companion in the Christian ministry through the many years of service in that sacred field. Mrs. McVey survives.

When these earthly ties are broken, our hearts feel the shock; but we do not sorrow as those having no hope. We rejoice in the assurance of the Savior, who said: "Because I live, you shall live also."

SIDNEY A. SEEGER

### ANNA RUTH NUTTALL

Anna Ruth Nuttall was born on August 12, 1898, at Patterson, Louisiana. One of Centenary's most respected and loved professors, she passed on to eternal life from Shreveport, Louisiana, on April 2, 1952. She was the daughter of Julia S. Nuttall of Shreveport and the late D. J. Nuttall.

Dr. Nuttall received her A. B. from Northwestern State College (Louisiana State Normal) in 1922, her M. A. from George Peabody College for Teachers in 1927, and her D. R. E. from Boston University in 1938. She held a Carnegie Foundation grant at Centenary College in 1948 and 1949.

She held pastorates in Louisiana Methodist churches from 1938-1943. During this period she served the following charges: Loranger, Pollock, and Bayou Blue. She was director of Christian education at the First