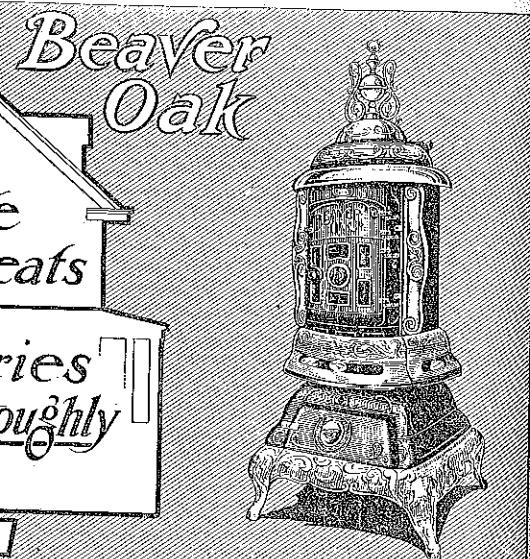




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One Hundred and Twelfth  
Annual Session  
1911

luhl, Feb. 8, 1874. To them were born six sons, four  
ood. The widow and two sons, Lewis E., and Harry  
loss.

t Middleburg, Pa., recommended him for license to  
conference held December 10, 1870, Rev. J. B. Daugh  
was received into the East German Conference at  
and received annual conference license on March 1,  
D.D. His ordination took place Feb. 26, 1876, at  
ination being administered by the late Bishop David

t thirty-five years he served the following points:  
Lebanon Salem (twice), Allentown, Myerstown,  
Avon, Lebanon Bethany, Bellegrove, Kochendorfers,  
on the last named charge he was compelled to re-  
sult of ill health.

was a good and acceptable preacher. He possessed  
a man of good judgment and deep spirituality.  
ful. He enjoyed the confidence and affection of a  
and out of the Church. He knew what it was to  
together with his bodily ailments were to him, a  
umiliation and pain.

disease. For weeks he was obliged to spend the  
when the end came, his soul was calm. He left  
orious transition into the realm where all the blood-  
ce and glory.

l at his late home and were in charge of the writer,  
er, U. Gambler and A. Lehman.

ere present to show their last tributes of respect and  
to the grave, in Ebenezer Cemetery, four and a half  
his body will rest until the resurrection morn.

H. B. SPAYD.

MON MUMMA HUMMEL.

nel, son of Jacob Hummel and wife, was born at  
bruary 2, 1839. Died at Hummelstown, Pa., August  
and 26 days.

his parents on the farm, availing himself of privi-

ley, daughter of Martin Nissley and wife, of Derry  
short period, later moving to Stoverdale.

d in the U. B. Church, at Hummelstown, Pa., during  
labors of the late I. L. Kephart, and joined the U.

Balsbaugh's Grove, southwest of Hummelstown in  
should enter the Christian ministry and after much  
rtly conference license shortly afterwards.

man Conference with J. Weirich, B. K. Keck, and  
ary 27, 1873, Bishop Weaver presiding.

ng at Lykens, Pa., appointed him to Union Circuit,  
ve, Pa., in 1877, by Bishop J. J. Glossbrenner, and  
p., Pa., serving one year. Because of failing health

ngaged in the coal business, preaching as much as

Committee of Conference of 1878, held at Myers-

pring Garden (Florin), Pa., elected him Missionary  
d until 1898.

ening in Harrisburg, Pa., in February, elected him  
he served seven months, his district being known

ebanon Valley College for a number of years.

conference sent him to Paradise, which he served  
take superannuated relation because of declining  
elstown, Pa., where he lived until his demise.

2, and on January 25, 1895, he married Elizabeth J.  
death.

last weeks of his illness, but had victory at all  
eritance with the saints above.

WILLIAM A. BAIER.

Committee on Memoirs during the session of Con-  
cure the necessary data to write a full account of

Brother Baier's life and labors, or the circumstances attending his death, I will submit  
the following brief report:

Rev. William A. Baier was received into the East German Conference in the year  
1884. He served several pastoral charges, but on account of enfeebled health, he  
was obliged to relinquish the active work of the ministry, and because of frequent  
changes in place of residence, he, in a measure, became a stranger to the Conference.  
He was a forceful speaker, and if his health had been more rugged, he might have  
succeeded in the sacred calling. He was a man of strong convictions, and in his  
Christian life he was exemplary. He died at Philadelphia, some time during the past  
summer, and has entered into his rest.

D. S. LONGENECKER.

REPORT OF THE LIFE OF GEORGE STOLL.

Rev. George Stoll was born in Germany, the time and place being unknown to us.  
He came to America when a youth, and made his home with some of his friends at  
Florin, Lancaster Co., Pa., from whence he started out in his ministerial career. He  
was admitted to the East German Conference about 1869, after which he served  
Tamaqua Mission as pastor, and, jointly, with Rev. J. Binkley, Union Circuit, after  
which he was left unemployed for some time. Afterwards he was assigned to a mis-  
sion in Baltimore, Md., then called the Frederic Road Mission, which, I think, he  
only served one year. From that time on he was left unemployed, and since that time  
he did not attend the Conference sessions, nor write to it. Therefore, he was out of  
touch with his Conference to such an extent that we do not know anything of the  
circumstances of his later life, work or of his death.

J. SHOOP.

The fourth day, morning session of Conference adjourned with the benediction  
by Thomas Garland.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference convened at 1:30 p.m. Devotional services were conducted by  
Joseph Daugherty.

The Conference Home Mission and Church Extension Society reported as follows:

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE MISSIONARY AND CHURCH EXTENSION BOARD.

That the work of another conference year is ended, is evidenced by the assem-  
blage of this body, carefully reviewing the past and earnestly planning for the future;  
and that it has passed too soon is no doubt felt most keenly by those who had the  
active work of the Conference in charge.

The record is made and the books filed, and if the work is ever to be faced, which  
we doubt not it must, it is hoped that some of the ideals, at least have been reached;  
and that the "Well done, good and faithful servant," may be found on the title page of  
the record.

The resolution offered at the last session of Conference by the officary of the  
Sixth Street Mission at Allentown, received attention, shortly after adjournment of  
Conference.

The meeting with the brethren ended very satisfactorily, they agreeing to change  
the title of their church property so as to conform with the usages of the Church,  
which was done subsequently. This contention settled, new hope seemed to pervade  
the membership, and as a result the Conference Superintendent supplied them with a  
pastor, who has done excellent work. The mission is on a fairer basis of success now,  
than it ever was. The Board kept itself in communication with the missions during  
the year, and held meetings at a number of them. Encouragement and assistance were  
rendered as the needs suggested.

The splendid new Jonestown church is evidence of practical work.  
The Manheim brethren also received material aid in the erection of their beautiful  
house of worship.

The missions were all well served by their faithful pastors, and reports received,  
indicated a successful year.

The West Philadelphia project received a good deal of thought during the year,  
and the more the situation was studied the more evident it became, that this great  
city of the east should be made a center of power for the Church.

The plan formulated, if carried into effect and supported as it should, it is be-  
lieved will result in our permanent establishment in that thriving residential section  
of the city.

To enter the city with prospects of winning, however, requires sufficient means to  
give it prestige; and to secure such means it is thought best to place a good man in  
the field, to solicit support, who at the same time would assume the pastorate and  
organize the work.