BICENTENNIAL OF AMERICAN METHODISM
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
April 21-24, 1966

THE PROGRAM

(Note: The printed program will be available in Baltimore on April 21.)

THURSDAY, APRIL 21

11:30 to 1:30: Joint Meeting of Jurisdictional and General Historical Associations at Lord Baltimore Hotel. Interested persons welcome. Luncheon tickets $3.25. Make reservations on Registration Card. Bishop T. Otto Null, President of the American Association of Methodist Historical Societies, will preside and will deliver an address on “Our Role in American History.”

2:30 to 5:45: Meetings of Five Jurisdictional Historical Associations. Interested persons welcome in these sessions. Meeting places: Western Jurisdiction at Lord Baltimore Hotel; North Central and Southeastern Associations in Old Otterbein Church, Conway Street near Sharp (½ mile from Hotel); South Central and Northeastern Associations at Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul Street (2 miles from Hotel).


FRIDAY, APRIL 22

9:00 to 9:45: Historical Papers, at Lord Baltimore Hotel: Women in Methodism, by Dorothy McConnell; Wilbur Fisk, by Leland Scott; Otterbein and Asbury, by Paul Eller.

10:00 to 10:45: Historical Papers: Thomas O. Summers, by William R. Cannon; Negroes in Methodism, by Grant S. Shockey; John Stewart, by John H. Satterwhite; J Ede din h Smith, by Leland D. Case.


10:00 to 4:30: Historical Tour for Wives of Delegates and Other Interested Persons. Visits to Historic Houses of Methodism—Perry Hall, Hunt's, Robert Strawbridge, etc. Tickets $3.75, box lunch included. Make reservations on Registration Card. Tour subject to 30 advance reservations. Tour director, E. Waugh Dunning.

12:20 to 2:20: Luncheon Honoring Saddlebags East Riders, at Civic Center. Tickets $3.25. Make reservations on Registration Card. Frederick E. Maser, Co-Chairman and Secretary of Bicentennial Program Committee, presiding.


7:30: America and The Methodist Church, at Civic Center. SPEAKER TO BE ANNOUNCED. Bishop John Wesley Lord, Chairman, Bicentennial Program Committee, presiding.

SATURDAY, APRIL 23

9:00 to 9:45: Historical Papers, at Lord Baltimore Hotel: Concerns of the Methodist Quarterly Review, by Frederick A. Norwood; William Taylor, by J.
Manning Potts; Methodism—A People’s Movement, by Bishop Fred G. Holloway.

10:00 to 10:45: Historical Papers: Schisms in Early Methodism, by Emory Stevens Bucke; Genius of the Methodist Itinerancy, by Bishop Gerald H. Kennedy; Lay Pioneers of American Methodism, by Frank Baker.

11:05 to 11:50: Historical Papers: Methodism and Theological Challenges of the Twentieth Century, by William McCutcheon; Joshua Soule, by Albea Godbold; Enduring Issues in Methodism, by Bishop T. Otto Noll.

10:00 to 4:30: Patriotic Tour. Visits to Ship “Constellation,” Fort McHenry, Annapolis, Naval Academy, etc. Tickets $3.75, box lunch included. Make reservations on Registration Card. Tour subject to 30 advance registrations.


SUNDAY, APRIL 24

(All Events on This Day Will Be on Daylight Saving Time)

9:00: Love Feast Services, at Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul Street, Charles D. Beatty, Pastor; Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, 10 Mount Vernon Place, Norman W. Clemens, Pastor; and at Old Otterbein E.U.B. Church, Conway Street near Sharp, Paul Holdcraft, Pastor, service under direction of Watson Holley.

11:00: Preaching by Bicentennial Delegates in the Churches of Baltimore and Vicinity.

2:00: Historical Tour of the City of Baltimore. Tour will consist of visits to Methodist historical sites, and will include stop at Mount Olivet Cemetery for the Time Capsule Ceremony at 4:30. Buses will return tourists to their hotels at 5:30. Tickets $1.50. Make reservations on Registration Card.

4:30: Lowering of the Time Capsule in the Bishops’ Plot at Mount Olivet Cemetery, Baltimore.

7:00: Religious Drama, at Civic Center, “Warm Hearts and Saddlebags,” written and produced by E. Jerry Walker.

There will be Special Music at all major meetings and luncheons during the Bicentennial Celebration under the direction of J. Edward Moyer, assisted by individuals, quartets, and the McKendree College Choir.

The Program Committee has in prospect a very important Speaker for Friday evening, April 22, but no announcement can be made long in advance of the date.