

**APPOINTMENTS OF N. C. CONFERENCE.**

**Rev. Dr. North** Whose **Time Limit at Edenton St. Church Has Expired, and Who Becomes Presiding Elder of Durham District—List of Assignments.**

Oxford, Dec. 8.—The benediction which followed the reading of the appointments at noon today marked the close of the seventy-seventh session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The Conference was universal in its praise of the entertainment received at Oxford. Every delegate and visitor seemed to think he had the best home for the hospitality extended was unlimited.

The appointments, as announced by Bishop McCoy, are:

**Raleigh District**—John H. Hall, Presiding Elder.  
Cary Circuit, B. P. Robinson.  
Clayton Circuit, G. S. Bearden.  
Four Oaks Circuit, G. W. Starling.  
Franklinton Circuit, A. J. Parker.  
Garner Circuit, J. H. Buffalo.  
Granville Circuit, M. D. Hix.  
Kenley Circuit, J. M. Benson.  
Louisburg, A. D. Wilcox.  
Millbrook Circuit, J. W. Martin.  
Oxford, A. P. Fyer.  
Oxford Circuit, L. H. Joyner.  
Princeton, M. W. Dargan.

**Raleigh—Central**—J. H. McCracken; Edenton Street, J. C. Wooten; Edenton Street, J. O. Guthrie, supernumerary; Epworth, C. B. Culbreth; Jenkins Memorial, R. F. Taylor.  
Selma, J. G. Johnson.  
Smithfield, A. S. Barnes.  
Tar River Circuit, C. R. Canipe.  
Youngville Circuit, B. C. Alfred.  
Zebulon Circuit, G. B. Perry.

Directors of the department of ministerial supply and training, J. L. Cunningham.  
Superintendent North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, R. L. Davis.  
Raleigh Christian Advocate, Editor, L. S. Massey.  
Methodist Orphanage, Superintendent, J. N. Cole.  
Nashville Christian Advocate, Editor, T. N. Ivey.  
Assistant Secretary, Epworth League, J. M. Culbreth.  
Financial Agent, **Louisburg Female College**, A. D. Wilcox.

**Durham District**—H. M. North, Presiding Elder.  
Burlington—D. H. Tuttle; Burlington Circuit, J. W. Hackney, (supply); Chapel Hill—Walter Patten.  
Durham—Branson Church, R. E. Atkinson; Carr Church, A. L. Ormond; Lakewood, E. C. Durham; Mangum Street, C. J. Harrell; Memorial, L. P. Howard; Trinity, R. C. Craven; West Durham, J. A. Dailey; Durham Circuit, W. P. Constable.

Graham—R. G. L. Edwards.  
Hillsboro Circuit, J. M. Ormond.  
Leasburg Circuit, J. A. Martin.  
Milton Circuit, S. F. Nicks.  
Mt. Tirzah Circuit, J. J. Boon.  
North Alamance Circuit, F. B. Noblitt.  
Pelham and Sandy Grove, H. C. Smith.  
Pearl Mill and Bethany, L. M. Hall, (Supply).

Person Circuit, C. R. Ross.  
Roxboro, N. C. Yearby.  
South Alamance, W. F. Galloway.  
Yanceyville Circuit, (to be supplied.)  
Head Master Trinity Park School, W. W. Peal.  
Secretary Y. M. C. A. in China, E. E. Barnette.  
Student Vanderbilt University, G. M. Daniel.

**Elizabeth City District**—M. T. Plyler, Presiding Elder.  
Camden Circuit, A. W. Price.  
Chowan Circuit, B. T. Hurley.  
Columbia Circuit, K. F. Duval.  
Currituck Circuit, C. P. Jerome.  
Dare Circuit, M. B. Cox.  
Edenton, P. D. Woodall.  
Elizabeth City: City Roads, E. B. Craven; First Church, G. F. Smith.  
Gates Circuit, G. W. Fisher.  
Hatteras Circuit, F. A. Lupton.  
Hertford, F. M. Shamburger.  
Kennekeet Circuit, J. L. Midgett.  
Kitty Hawk Circuit, W. H. Smith.  
Maycock Circuit, J. Blalock.  
North Gates, T. M. Grant.  
Pasquotank Circuit, V. A. Royal.  
Pantego, Belhaven and Sladesville, C. A. Jones, junior preacher and F. C. Hunt, supply.

Perquimans Circuit, C. W. Smith.  
Plymouth, W. J. Watson.  
Roanoke Island, M. W. Hester.  
Roper Circuit, J. W. Potter.  
Student at Vanderbilt University, J. H. Miller. Quarterly Conference Perquimans Circuit.  
**Fayetteville District**—R. B. John, Presiding Elder.  
Bladen Circuit, T. C. Eilers.  
Buckhorn Circuit, L. M. Chaffin.  
Carthage Circuit, E. E. Rose.  
Cokesburg Circuit, Frank Culbreth.  
Duke, J. H. Shore.  
Elsie Circuit, E. B. Bell, (Supply).  
Fayetteville—Hay Street Church, W. R. Royal; Fayetteville Circuit, G. B. Starling.  
Koldston Circuit, M. D. Giles.  
Haw River Circuit, E. L. Stack.  
Hope Mills Circuit, N. B. Strickland.  
Jonesboro Circuit, C. W. Robinson.

Lillington Circuit, Geo. W. Perry.  
Newton Grove Circuit, J. M. Whitson, (supply).  
Parkton Circuit, H. B. Porter.  
Robesboro Circuit, L. E. Sawyer.  
Pittsboro Circuit, W. F. Craven.  
Sanford Circuit, H. E. Spence.  
Siler City Circuit, T. H. Sutton.  
Stedman, F. E. Dixon.  
New Bern District—J. E. Underwood, Presiding Elder.  
Atlantic, Z. B. Pyatt, (supply).  
Beaufort, T. A. Sykes.  
Bridgeton Circuit, R. E. Pittman.  
Carteret Circuit, F. T. Fulcher.  
Dover Circuit, L. B. Pattishall, (supply).  
Elm Street and East Kinston, J. M. Wright.  
Goldensboro—St. John, B. C. Thompson; S. Paul, N. D. Wilson; Goldensboro Circuit, C. O. Durant.  
Grifton Circuit, E. D. Dodd.  
Hookerton Circuit, J. W. Bradley.  
Jones Circuit, C. E. Vale.  
Kinston, H. A. Humble.  
La Grange Circuit, J. N. Carraway, (supply).  
Leahurst, D. N. Caviness.  
Live and Paison, J. H. Frizell.  
Live Circuit, W. A. Piland.

New Bern—Centenary and Riverside, E. H. McWhorter, W. A. Cade, junior preacher.  
Ocracoke and Portsmouth, E. T. Ippock, (supply).  
Oriental Circuit, E. C. Glenn.  
Pamlico Circuit, C. H. Caviness.  
Seven Springs Circuit, E. T. Hill, (supply).  
Snow Hill Circuit, F. B. McCall.  
Straths Circuit, W. B. Humble.  
**Rockingham District**—A. McCullen, Presiding Elder.  
Aberdeen and Biscoe, W. H. Brown.  
Caledonia Circuit, J. C. Humble.  
Candor Circuit, G. T. Simmons.  
Elizabeth Circuit, G. H. Biggs.  
Hamlet, M. H. Tuttle.  
Laurel Hill Circuit, D. B. Parker.  
Laurinburg, R. F. Bumpass.  
Lumberton, W. B. North.  
Lumberton Circuit, N. L. Seabolt.  
Maxton, W. V. McRae.  
Midway, E. H. Davis.  
Mt. Gilead Circuit, N. E. Coletrane.  
Montgomery Circuit, C. C. Brothers.  
Raeford Circuit, S. T. Moyle, R. W. Townsend, supernumerary.  
Red Springs, H. M. Eure.  
Roberson Circuit, D. E. Stanfield.  
Roberson Circuit, S. J. McConnell, (supply).  
Roberson Circuit, D. E. Stanfield.  
Rockingham, J. B. Hurley.  
Rowland Circuit, J. A. Lee; W. H. Townsend, supernumerary.

St. John and Gibson, O. W. Dowd.  
St. Paul Circuit, A. J. Groves.  
Troy Circuit, J. T. Draper.  
Vass Circuit, W. F. Traywick.  
Carolina College, S. E. Mercer, President.  
Conference Missionary Evangelist, L. L. Nash.  
**Warrenton District**—R. H. Willis, Presiding Elder.  
Battleboro and Whitikers, E. N. Harrison.  
Bertie Circuit, L. D. Hayman.  
Crawway Circuit, D. L. Ernhardt.  
Edfield and Halifax, J. N. McNeer, supernumerary.  
Garysburg Circuit, Marvin Y. Self.  
Harrsville Circuit, J. A. Morris.  
Henderson—First Church, R. C. Beaman.  
Littleton, S. A. Cotton.  
Murfreesboro and Winston, B. B. Slaughter.  
Northampton Circuit, W. E. Hecutt.  
North and South Henderson, T. J. Dalley.  
Rich Square Circuit, W. C. Merritt.  
Ridgeway Circuit, J. E. Holden.  
Roanoke Circuit, Rufus Bradley.  
Roanoke Rapids, W. M. Towe.  
Scotland Neck, L. T. Singleton.  
Warren Circuit, R. W. Bailey.  
Warrenton Circuit, R. H. Broom.  
Weldon and South Weldon, J. A. Hornaday.  
Littleton Female College, J. M. Rhodes, President.

Missionary to Japan, J. W. Frank.  
**Washington District**—J. T. Gibbs, Presiding Elder.  
Aurora Circuit, W. E. Troutman.  
Ayden Circuit, Daniel Lane, Jr.  
Bath Circuit, C. E. Durham.  
Bethel Circuit, H. E. Tripp.  
Elm City, J. M. Ashby.  
Farmville Circuit, H. E. Lance.  
Fairfield Circuit, R. R. Grant.  
Greenville—Jarvis Memorial, J. M. Daniel.  
Mattamuskeet Circuit, J. W. Autry.  
McKendree Circuit, W. J. Covington.  
Mt. Pleasants Circuit, J. J. Lewis.  
Nashville Circuit, J. L. Rumley.  
Rocky Mount—First Church, C. L. Reads; South Rocky Mount; Marvin and Clark Street, J. B. Thompson.  
Stationsburg Circuit, D. A. Futrell.  
Spring Hope Circuit, B. F. Watson, (supply).  
Swan Quarter Circuit, W. T. Phipps.  
Taylors, L. B. Jones.  
Vasboro Circuit, T. E. Wyche, (supply).  
Washington, E. M. Snipes.  
Wilson, M. Bradshaw.

**Wilmington District**—L. E. Thompson, Presiding Elder.  
Burgaw Circuit, J. C. Whedbee.  
Carvers Creek Circuit, W. E. Brown.  
Chadbourne Circuit, W. C. Martin.

Clinton Circuit, W. A. Stanbury.  
Hallsboro Circuit, R. N. Pitts.  
Jacksonville and Richlands, C. T. Rogers.  
Kenansville Circuit, T. W. Lee.  
Magnolia Circuit, H. M. Jackson.  
Onslow Circuit, E. C. Sell.  
Scott's Hill Circuit, R. A. Bruton.  
Shallotte Circuit, J. M. Marlowe, (supply).  
Southport, C. M. Lance.  
Swansboro Circuit, J. M. Lowder.  
Tarboro Circuit, R. L. Beasley, (supply).  
Town Creek Circuit, R. E. Carraway.  
Wallace and Rose Hill, R. H. D. K. Whiteville, J. P. Pate.  
Wilmington—Bladen Street, T. G. Vickers; Fifth Street, G. T. Adams; Grace, J. D. Bundy; Seagate, N. M. Wright; Trinity, W. L. Rexford; Conference Missionary Secretary, J. D. Bundy.

Transfers—F. S. Love, Brazil Conference; E. M. Hoyle, Western North Carolina; J. W. Hoyle, Western North Carolina.

**Changes in Parcel Postulation Executive January**  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—Important changes in parcel post regulations including general reduction in rates and increase maximum weights, were approved today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The revisions were made upon recommendation of Postmaster General Burleson, and in a majority of cases are effective January 1, 1914. Books are admitted to the parcel post; weight limits are increased in the first and second zones from 29 to 50 pounds, and in all zones beyond the second from 11 to 20 pounds and rates are reduced in the third, fourth and sixth zones.

**REDUCTION IN RATES.**  
The changes in rates to be in effect January 1, 1914 follow:  
To reduce the rates for the third zone from seven cents for the first pound and five cents for each additional pound to six cents for the first pound and two cents for each additional pound.  
To reduce the rates for the fifth zone from eight cents for the first pound and six cents for each additional pound to seven cents for the first pound and four cents for each additional pound.  
To reduce the rates for the fifth zone from nine cents for the first pound and seven cents for each additional pound to eight cents for the first pound and six cents for each additional pound.

To reduce the rates for the sixth zone from 10 cents for the first pound and nine cents for each additional pound to nine cents for the first pound and eight cents for each additional pound.  
**TO PROMOTE SERVICES TO PUBLIC**  
"It seems obvious," says a statement by the commission, "that the service to the public will be promoted by these changes provided the revenue from the service be not less than the cost thereof. Experience seems to show clearly that the revenue will not be less than the cost of the service."  
**INCREASED WEIGHT ALLOWANCE.**  
"We can conceive of no opposition to the increased weights and reduced rates except from the carriers that transport the mails. We have heard some objections from them on the ground that the increased weight should not be permitted until provision for additional compensation to the carriers has been made."

**BOOKS BY PARCEL POST MARCH 16TH.**  
It is provided by the Postmaster General with the consent of the commission, "that the rate of postage on parcels containing books weighing eight ounces or less shall be one cent for each two ounces or fractional part thereof, and on those weighing in excess of eight ounces, the zone parcel rates shall apply."  
This is to be effective March 16, 1914.  
Consent also was given to admission of shipments of gold, gold bullion and gold dust in Alaska and to and from Alaska in packages weighing not more than eleven pounds. The rate of postage fixed is two cents an ounce or fraction thereof for all distances.

**EXTENSION OF LIMIT HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL.**  
The Postmaster General issued an order executive August 15 last increasing the weight limit in the first and second zones from 11 to 20 pounds and materially reducing the rates of postage for these zones and stated at that time that this step was in the nature of an "experiment," and a statement issued tonight by the Postoffice Department. "After these changes had been in operation for some time a record was kept of the number of parcels handled in a large number of representative postoffices throughout the United States and the reports received from these offices show that the changes in the service has been greatly appreciated by the public." **HELP SCHOOLS, LIBRARIES, ETC.**  
The statement says of the change relating to books that it "has strongly been urged by circulating libraries, schools, colleges and publishers ever (Continued on Twelfth Page.)"



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