

MANY CHANGES MADE BY BISHOP DENNY

ALL PASTORS WHO HAVE SERVED FOR FOUR YEARS GIVEN TRANSFERS

Rev. Walter W. Peele Goes From Raleigh To Durham Church; Rev. M. T. Plyler Goes To Raleigh District and Rev. J. C. Wooten To New Bern.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 19.—With the reading of the appointments of the preachers for the new conference year the North Carolina Methodist conference closed its 87th annual session here today shortly before 11 o'clock.

From a glance at the list of appointments it will be seen that many ministers will occupy strange pulpits during the next few weeks.

Bishop Denny is a firm believer, it seems, in the old Methodist law limiting the term of a pastor on one charge to four years.

In the appointments he made today there was not a single man left in the same charge who had served as many as four consecutive years.

However, to the general gratification of a host of friends, Dr. N. H. D. Wilson, who through the conference has shown himself an ideal host remains with the First church of Elizabeth City as pastor.

One New Presiding Elder

Among the many changes as noted in the list of appointments is that of Rev. Mike Bradshaw, who has served Memorial, Durham, for the past five years.

Rev. M. T. Plyler will be the new elder on the Raleigh district and Rev. J. C. Wooten is transferred from Raleigh to the New Bern district, succeeding Rev. F. M. Shamburger, who returns to the pastorate, will serve Long Memorial, Roxboro, for the next 12 months.

Other Important Changes

Other changes of wide interest have had to do with some of the leading churches of the conference. Rev. Walter W. Peele, who has had a most successful term of five years at Edenton Street, Raleigh, becomes the pastor of Trinity Church, Durham, and Rev. A. D. Wilcox will go to Grace, Wilmington, taking the place of Rev. W. A. Stanbury, who goes to Edenton Street.

Rev. H. E. Myers, who for the last three years has been leading the City Road congregation of Elizabeth City, will be the new pastor of Memorial Church, Durham.

The last day's session of the conference exercises directed by Rev. H. I. Glass.

Many Reports Made

The first report of the day, that of the board of finance, read by Rev. J. A. Hornaday, gave in detail the distribution of the superannuate fund, showing on hand about \$14,355 for the old preachers, their widows and orphans.

The report of the budget commission read by Rev. F. S. Aldridge, detailed amounts that are apportioned to the districts for collection during the coming year.

The report of the hospital board was read by Rev. R. H. Willis and Rev. M. T. Plyler spoke to the conference upon the necessity of the erection of hospitals in the Southern Church.

Rev. G. W. Lowe, presented the report of the Bible Society board which was adopted.

Rev. W. H. Brown read the report of the board of temperance and social service. Robert N. Page and G. B. Bruton were named as the committee to attend the annual meeting of the Anti-Saloon league.

Rev. J. I. Bundy read the report of the committee on superannuate relations.

Rev. W. H. Brown read the report on district conference record.

NEAR FATAL ACCIDENT

Mr. Frank B. McKinne's Car Struck By Louisville Train.

Mr. Frank B. McKinne came near having a fatal automobile accident on last Friday evening when the right hand rear wheel to his Ford semi-truck was smashed by the Louisville train at the Tarboro road crossing.

The car was driven by Mr. F. B. McKinne, who through some special provision of Providence, escaped unhurt.

"Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick"—a merry, mirthful volcanic laugh-quake.

A resolution of thanks to the First Methodist Church and to Elizabeth City for the hospitality extended the conference was read by Prof. R. L. Flowers and adopted by a rising vote.

A resolution calling on Methodist laymen to take care of the services of worship on the first Sunday in June while the pastors are attending summer school, was presented by Rev. G. M. Daniels.

Behind its schedule and desirous of adjourning in time to catch the morning westbound train, the conference convened this morning at 8:30 and speedily fell into the stride that took it through in little more than two hours, routine that normally would not have been completed before noon.

Raleigh District Presiding Elder—M. T. Plyler. Bailey Circuit—L. C. Brothers. Benson Circuit—J. E. Blalock. Cary Circuit—D. N. Caviness. Clayton—Marvin Self. Creedmoor Circuit—V. A. Royal. Four Oaks Circuit—W. J. Watson. Franklinton—E. H. Davis. Garner Circuit—G. A. Starling. Granville Circuit—L. H. Joyner. Kenly Circuit—W. B. North. Louisville—O. W. Dowd. Millbrook Circuit—M. G. Ervin. Oxford—E. M. Snipea. Oxford Circuit—N. B. Strickland. Princeton Circuit—G. B. Perry. Raleigh—Central, H. I. Glass; Edenton Street, W. A. Stanbury; Epworth R. F. Bumpas; Jenkins Memorial, W. H. Brown.

Selma—O. P. Fitzgerald. Smithfield—D. H. Tuttle. Tar River—J. C. Williams. Youngville Circuit—W. B. Humble. Zebulon Circuit—T. E. M. Hall. Business Manager North Carolina Christian Advocate—T. A. Sikes. Superintendent Methodist Orphanage—A. S. Barnes. Superintendent Anti-Saloon League—R. L. Davis.

Nashville—E. C. Few. Rocky Mount—Clarke Street, J. W. Potter; First Church, Rev. H. M. North; South Rocky Mount, S. T. Moyle, E. C. Glenn, Superannuary. Rocky Mount Circuit—W. G. Farrar. Spring Hope Circuit—W. E. Trotman. Wilson—First Church, F. S. Love; Calvary, W. N. Vaughan. Conference Educational Secretary—H. M. North.

In addition to the above appointments others that our readers might be interested in are as follows:

Rev. J. C. Wooten has been transferred to the New Bern district as Presiding Elder. Rev. A. D. Wilcox—Grace Church, Wilmington. Rev. G. F. Smith—Littleton. Rev. L. S. Massey—Red Springs. Rev. N. H. D. Wilson—Elizabeth City.

Rev. T. G. Vickers, First Church, and Rev. G. G. Whithurst, North and South, Henderson. Rev. L. E. Thompson—Mebane.

THREE FIRE ALARMS ONE WEEK

First at W. H. Macon's Home—Second Couldn't Be Found, Third a Tenant House of B. T. Holden.

The call of the fire alarm begun to be familiar in Louisville the past week, as the fire department answered three calls.

The first was at the home of Mr. W. H. Macon on Church Street Saturday morning and was caused by the explosion of an oil heating stove. The fire was soon put under control. The damage was estimated to be about \$500.00, partly covered with insurance.

The second alarm was sounded on Saturday night and the fire department traveled over many streets in search of the trouble but never found any. The report, so we learn, said the fire was at the home of Mr. Taylor, but the firemen visited the home of every Mr. Taylor in town and returned to the firehouse without finding the cause of the alarm.

The third was Tuesday afternoon when a tenant house belonging to Mr. Ben T. Holden and occupied by Rickie Wright and Merman Wright, and a new tenant whose name we could not get, and located on an alley running back of Mr. Holden's residence burned down. The fire department answered but could only save the houses nearby. The occupants lost considerable household and kitchen articles. Mr. Holden estimates his loss at about \$1,800.00 with no insurance.

WOMAN'S CLUB SERVES LUNCHEONS

The Woman's Club of Louisville reports that they are trying an experiment this week of serving hot lunches to the children at the graded school practically at cost. If it is found that the service is appreciated by the parents and children the service will be continued throughout the session. The club expects to give a more detailed article of the plans in the next issue of the TIMES.

Don't miss it. Miss What? Don't you know everybody is talking about "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick?"

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET

The Woman's Club will meet on Friday afternoon, November 30th, 1923 at 3:30 o'clock in the Graded School auditorium. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. B. T. Holden, V-Pres. Mrs. J. W. Mann, Sec'y.

REGULAR COUNTY MEETING SATURDAY

The regular County Meeting of the Cooperative Associations will be held in Louisville on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. All delegates are requested to be present promptly on time, and all members who wish are urged to attend this meeting.

FIDDLER'S CONVENTION

There will be an Old Fiddler's Convention at Justice, Nov. 27, and the Woman's Missionary Society will sell oysters. Proceeds to go toward building a church. Come and bring your friends.

STERLING STORE IS ROBBED FOR FOURTH TIME WITHIN YEAR

For the fourth time within the last year the Sterling Store was robbed when burglars broke into it Thursday night and escaped with a quantity of loot.

It is thought that the coming of winter prompted this latest robbery as so far only several overcoats are missing. It is probable that the robbers stole other articles, but a complete check-up has not been made as yet.

The burglars entered the store by breaking a glass in the front door, making it a comparatively simple matter for them to gain further egress.

After helping themselves to whatever they wanted, the burglars disappeared, leaving no clue. The local and county police are working on the case and hope to make an arrest within a short time.—Franklinton News.

Pack up your troubles and store them away. The Polly Tick family are with us today.

LOUISBURG WINS SECOND CONSECUTIVE GAME, 13-3

The Strong Louisville Eleven Averages Former Defeat.

Louisburg has played five games on the local gridiron, all of them have been interesting and thrilling, but that of Wednesday of last week far surpasses any of the previous games. Although Louisville far outplayed Tarboro the game was in doubt until the final whistle blew. The game opened when Tarboro kicked off to Louisville, on the first play Cooper, Louisville's dependable star halfback got off for a long gain through the line but was overtaken before he reached the goal, however Louisville continued her march up to within fifteen yards of the goal when a fumble gave Tarboro the ball. However Tarboro could do little with the ball and Louisville soon regained possession of the ball. A little later Cooper crossed the line for a touchdown. Allen failed in try for goal.

Louisburg scored twice in the first half and once in the last half. Tarboro's touchdown as the result of a spread formation and a nice run by Simmons. Their extra point came on a forward pass, Simmons to Maynard. Louisville by far outplayed her opponents in every department of the game every man knew that Louisville had to fight to win and every man did his part. It was the same old story when Tarboro tried to buck the line for Louisville's line held as of old. Early in the second half Mills, Louisville's star tackle was injured and taken from the game. Holden filled his shoes admirably well, however.

Tarboro's best playing came however when she held Louisville on her one foot line for four down. Tarboro punted for fifteen yards and Cooper carried the ball across for the second touchdown. The game was frequented by fine tackles and fine interference. The Tarboro line could not hold Alex Wilson, right tackle for Louisville and he often broke through for tackles.

In the last five minutes of play Louisville cut loose with fake plays and forward passes. This netted Louisville another touchdown, when the final whistle blew Louisville was down for another touchdown. Cooper made all of Louisville's touchdowns. There were several injuries during the game.

The line-up was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Louisville and Tarboro. Rows include positions like Left End, Left Tackle, Left Guard, Center, Right Guard, Right Tackle, Right End, Right Halfback, Left Halfback, Fullback, Quarterback, Substitutes.

Officials: Referee, Ford, Carolina; Umpire, Bickett, Wake Forest; Head Linesman, Griffin, Wake Forest.

BRIGHT JEWELS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The Band of Bright Jewels will give an entertainment, to which the public is invited, in the Methodist Church on Thanksgiving night, Nov. 27th. Your presence will encourage these young people in their work.

BANKS TO CLOSE

The Banks of Louisville have announced that they will be closed on Thursday to observe Thanksgiving. All persons having business with these institutions will bear this in mind.

A SPOOK WEDDING AND PIE PARTY

There will be a Spook Wedding and a Pie Party at Hickory Rock school on Wednesday night, Nov. 28, at 7:30. Public is cordially invited. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

TO OBSERVE THANKSGIVING

TOBACCO WAREHOUSES CLOSE 28TH AND OPEN 3RD

Receiving Big Lots of Golden Weed—Prices Remain High and Demand Strong—Co-ops Receipts Good

Large quantities of the Golden weed has been brought to the Louisville Tobacco Market the past week and delivered to the auction warehouse and co-operative house with the result of receiving good prices from the strong demand that continues to hold sway on this market.

Announcement has been made by all the warehouses that no tobacco will be received for sale or classification on Thursday and Friday of next week as they will close after the sales on Wednesday, November 28th and remain closed until Monday, December 3rd, to observe Thanksgiving.

SCHOOL NOTES

We are in the seventh week in the new building. The work has been hindered somewhat, but we are justified in this. The new building is so much better in every way than anything Louisville has had before. The rooms are large, well lighted, well heated, and altogether comfortable.

The building is almost completed. The auditorium and gymnasium will be ready for use within a week or so. Few towns of the population of Louisville have a building as complete in every way as ours. We school folks are proud of it, and we hope to make it serve the community.

High school athletics has done well this fall. We have won three football games, scored in two other games. This is a much better showing than most schools make the first year. Friday of this week we will play Red Oak at Red Oak. This will probably be the last game of the season. It is hoped that a large number of our people will go with the boys and "root" for them.

The games have not had as large patronage as we think they deserved. High school boys can not play as good football as college fellows, but they can feel a slight as keenly. When their neighbors do not attend the games, the boys feel a bit discouraged. When their neighbors give more encouragement to the visiting team than to the home team, the boys think it is treason.

This week an innovation has been introduced in our school. The ladies of the Woman's Club have fitted up a lunch room in one of the rooms of the old building and at the noon recess hot lunches are served to all who want them. These lunches are well prepared, well served, and sold at cost. Nearly all up-to-date schools in this country run lunch rooms and the ladies who are doing this work for the benefit of the children should receive encouragement.

There are still a few good people who have not visited the school building. If you have no children in school, it may be that you like to brag on something. Come up and see this splendid new building; tell your friends and neighbors about it. After looking it over, if you are not pleased with it, you may need to consult a specialist; your vision may be at fault.

Friends, let us all pull together for a better school.

VISITS LOUISBURG

A band composed of Orphan boys from the Georgia Industrial Home at Macon, Ga., visited Louisville Wednesday while en route to Rocky Mount on a tour through the State. There were sixteen boys and their instructor and his wife in the party. While here they played several pieces on the Court House square and visited the Confederate Monument and the Graded School and College.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holden who rendered us such substantial aid in the illness and death of William J. Wood. Their aid is more than appreciated and will never be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood.

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AMONG THE VISITORS

SOME YOU KNOW AND SOME YOU DO NOT KNOW.

Personal Items About Folks And Their Friends Who Travel Here And There.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Holden visited Raleigh Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Yarborough spent Monday in Raleigh.

Mr. John A. Tucker, of Rocky Mount spent Tuesday in Louisville.

Messrs. C. K. Cooke Sr. and Jr. went to Raleigh Wednesday.

Mr. R. N. Sims, of Raleigh, was in attendance upon Court Tuesday.

Miss Alice Harris left yesterday to spend several days in Richmond.

Mr. T. T. Hicks, of Henderson, was in attendance upon Court Tuesday.

Mrs. N. B. Allsbrook, of Smithfield, is visiting her father, Mr. D. C. High.

Mr. P. A. Reavis, Jr., of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisville yesterday.

Mr. H. B. Hardy, of the Old Reliable, Raleigh, was in Louisville Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Thomas, of Aberdeen, is visiting at the home of Mr. D. C. High.

Mrs. E. W. Furgerson left Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. E. N. Bragg at Oxford.

Miss Lucy T. Allen and Mrs. James B. King spent Saturday in Raleigh, shopping.

Mrs. E. F. Thomas and Miss Elizabeth Webb spent Monday in Raleigh, shopping.

Miss Louise Thomas, of Raleigh, spent the past week-end with relatives here.

Mr. T. B. Wilder and wife, of Aberdeen, were visitors to Louisville the past week.

Mesdames R. C. Beck, J. B. Yarborough and C. D. Elmore spent Monday in Raleigh.

Mrs. Charity A. Person, of Raleigh, is spending sometime with her son, Mr. W. T. Person.

Mrs. John A. Tucker, of Rocky Mount, is visiting friends and relatives in and near Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Taylor and family and Mrs. P. B. Griffin spent last week-end in Greensboro.

Mrs. E. C. Perry returned Tuesday from Oxford, where she had been to visit her niece, Miss Elizabeth Bragg, who was ill.

Mrs. W. W. Webb returned home Wednesday after having spent several days with her niece, Mrs. Hugh C. Wolfe, of Greensboro.

Mrs. W. H. Allen, Mrs. R. A. Bobbitt and Mrs. J. S. Tomlinson, of Washington, D. C., are spending this week with their brother, Mr. T. B. Wilder of Aberdeen.

THREE CO-OP INJUNCTIONS CONTINUED

By Judge Calvert—Other Cases Only Civil and of Interest To Those Involved.

Franklin Superior Court has held each day since only last issue but only civil cases of interest to those involved have been tried. The Court is being presided over by Judge T. H. Calvert, who is gaining a deeper confidence with the people of Franklin County in fairness and impartiality in the conduct of his Court.

On last Saturday afternoon he continued three cases of Cooperative Injunctions, subject however to the mortgagee's rights. These cases were against B. B. Brantley, Henry K. Parry and Luther Young.

Court is still in session and will probably consume the week.