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FAYETTEVILLE GETS M .E. CONFERENCE

Presiding Elder John Returned to This District.

MR THOMPSON RETURNED

No Change in Pastorate of Hay Street Church, Which Gets Next Annual Conference—The Session Last Week at Kinston—Fayetteville District Appointments.

The North Carolina Methodist Conference will hold its annual session next year with Hay Street church in Fayetteville. By a big majority the Conference, in session at Kinston, voted Saturday for this city as the next meeting place. There was considerable rivalry between Fayetteville and Wilmington and some other places, but when the votes were counted after Rev. E. E. Thompson had told the Conference why it should come here, it was found that this place had won with flying colors.

The Conference [illegible] last Wednesday, with Bishop E. E. Hoss presiding. The attendance was large and the sessions most interesting. The reports of the presiding elders showed a splendid year's work, indeed indicated progress all along the line. A feature of the sessions was the presence of Bishop J. C. Kilgo, who is always heard with great interest. The real work of the Conference was completed Saturday, but the event of greatest interest to the minister and laymen did not come until Monday, the usual time for the announcement of Conference appointments by the Bishop. Sunday was devoted to the annual love feast, which is always a precious event with the workers.

Appointments

The appointments were read by the Bishop Monday. Those for Fayetteville district follow:

Rev. R. B. John, P. E.

Bladen Circuit: Supplied by J. M. Whitson.

Buckhorn Circuit: L. M. Chaffin. [illegible]

Carthage Circuit: [illegible]

Cokesbury Circuit: [illegible]

Duke: [illegible]

Dunn Station: [illegible]

East [illegible]

Fayetteville, Hay Street: E. E. Thompson.

Fayetteville [illegible] Starling.

Goldston Circuit: [illegible]

Haw River Circuit: [illegible]

Hope Mills [illegible] supplied by F. S. Bennett.

Lillington [illegible]

Jonesboro [illegible]

Newton Grove [illegible]

Pittsboro Circuit: [illegible]

Sampson Circuit: J. W. [illegible]

Sanford: R. D. [illegible]

Siler City Circuit: F. B. Craven.

Parkton Circuit: L. L. [illegible]

Rockingham District.

Rev. J. W. Bradley, last year at Raeford, goes to Lumberton and Rev. E. M. Hoyle goes from Lumberton to Greenville. [illegible] Following are the other appointments for Rockingham district: Aberdeen and Biscoe, C. L. Read; Caledonia Circuit, J. C. Humble; Elizabeth, D. F. Parker; Ellerbe, D. A. Watkins; Hamlet, J. A. Dailey; Laurel Hill, R. M. [illegible]; Laurinburg, H. A. Humble; Lumberton [illegible], R. L. Caraway; Maxton, S. E. Mercer; Mt. Gilead, N. L. [illegible]; Montgomery [illegible], S. J. McConnell, last year at Lumberton; Candor, N. L. Seabolt; Raeford, C. W. Smith and C. B. Brothers; Red Springs, S. A. Cotton; Richmond, B. E. Stanfield; Robdell, C. H. Biggs; Robeson, S. T. Moyle; R. W. Townsend and W. H. Townsend supply; Rockingham, E. H. Davis; Rowland, J. A. Lee; St. John and Gibson, C. W. Dowd; St. Paul, A. J. Groves; Troy, C. R. Canipe.

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FIRE AT PARKTON

Mr H C McMillan's Gin and a Quantity of Cotton Burned—Trip to White Oak—Other Notes.

Parkton, Nov. 27.—There was no preaching service in town Sunday, morning or night. It was the regular time for the service at the Methodist church, but the pastor was gone to conference.

This is fine weather for making wedding cakes, and they will be in demand here before many days. One wedding will take place Wednesday night. Another is booked for an early date.

Dr. D. Hughes left Monday for Georgia and Florida, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. W. F. Council of Red Springs, with his family, came over Sunday afternoon to visit his brother, Mr. R. L. Council, who is ill. It is gratifying to note that Dr. D. S. Currie, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Highsmith hospital recently, is much improved in health. It is hoped he will very soon be able to resume his practice. Mrs. J. D. Cobb is somewhat better. There is not much sickness in town at present.

Miss Sadie Johnson of Red Springs spent Sunday with home folks here, also Miss [illegible] Smith and Miss Ruth Todd of Red Springs spent Sunday visiting in town.

Mr. H. C. McMillan's cotton gin was burned last Wednesday. It was in operation when the fire started. It is thought it was caused by a match in cotton. About half a dozen bales of cotton were burned. There was no insurance on gin or cotton and both were a total loss.

Mr. Neill McMillan, of Oklahoma, is here to attend the wedding of his brother, Mr. Murphy McMillan.

The sheriff was on hand last week, and the people were very indignant over the high taxes. Of course the sheriff is not to blame, but somebody is. The taxes are about the third higher this year than last in Robeson. [illegible]

The Parkton Band spent last Friday at White Oak furnishing music for the good roads rally at which Senator Simmons spoke. [illegible] Parkton Thursday night at [illegible] and crossing the Cape Fear river at [illegible] at 10:20 [illegible] White Oak [illegible] Several of our members spent the latter part of Thursday and Friday night at Mrs. R. F. Mc[illegible]'s, one of the most notable families of that section, there being 10 children. The father died a few years ago, but the mother still lives and she is one of the most interesting persons you ever conversed with. Our warm reception and the hospitality shown us will never be forgotten. The people of White Oak did their part well. They did not mind the inconvenience and expense of the band. It was a task to get the consent of most of the boys to return home Saturday A. M.

R. L. C.

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WORK OF THE COURT

Judge Carter Presides at Easy Term in Cumberland.

BLIND TIGER HIT HARD

Grand Jury Makes Interesting Report—C R Wakefield Case Again Continued Also Case Against Stephen Thagard—John Dunn, Blind Tiger Chief, Convicted.

Cumberland superior court for the trial of criminal cases adjourned Saturday. This was the last term of criminal court here until January, 1912. Judge Frank Carter of Asheville presided under an agreement between him and Judge Whedbee by which the two exchanged courts for two or three weeks. After the first two days of the term Solicitor N. A. Sinclair had to fill a very important engagement in Savannah, Ga., and left Mr. R. H. Dye, his efficient and able young law partner, to prosecute in his stead.

Just before adjournment Saturday, Judge Carter thanked the jurors for their efficient and faithful service, and in response Mr. E. M. Downing as spokesman for the jury thanked the Judge for the courtesy and consideration shown the jury from the bench. Mr. [illegible] Stone also thanked Judge Carter for his courtesy to the bar and expressed regret that it would be so long before he would return here.

The docket was a pretty full one, but most of the cases were of minor importance and little interest. There were more than [illegible] cases for trial, but almost all of them were disposed of.

Wilson Thomas, colored, was arraigned for trial on charge of killing another negro by the name of Glover in the melon patch of Mr. F. M. Wiggins in Pearce's Mill township last summer, while Glover with Mr. Wiggins [illegible] He was [illegible] guilty [illegible] second degree and was sentenced [illegible]

[illegible]

Philip Wright [illegible] four years. Not guilty.

Carson McKellar, larceny, guilty and sent to roads for 12 months.

Mary Johnson, retailing, [illegible]

John Robinson, retailing, [illegible]

Barney W[illegible], Rassie W[illegible] and Douglas McAlister, [illegible] and receiving, not a true bill.

James Robb, Herman Bass, Lader Richardson and [illegible] Richardson, larceny, not guilty. This was the case of [illegible] white boys charged with stealing [illegible] from Stein Bros.

Mary Johnson, retailing, guilty. Sentenced to six months in jail.

Chas. Faircloth, guilty on three counts for resisting officer, carrying concealed weapon, etc. Sentenced to 12 months on roads.

William McIntyre, negro, re[illegible]

SIMMONS IN BLADEN

U. S. Senator Speaks at Good Roads Rally.

BIG DAY AT WHITE OAK

Large Crowd Gathers to Hear The Senator Who is Introduced by Dr Lucas and Makes a Rousing Address—Big Picnic Dinner Served on the Grounds.

Last Friday was a red letter day in the White Oak section, one of the best in Bladen county. The occasion was a good roads rally and the chief speaker was United States Senator F. M. Simmons. For a country community the crowd present was very large, being estimated at [illegible] hundred or more.

Senator Simmons came to Fayetteville late Thursday night from Southport, where he spoke at [illegible] Early Friday morning [illegible] White Oak [illegible] Messrs J. B. Underwood and E. F. McCulloch, Jr. [illegible]

[illegible] Dr. W. H. Lucas. After the speaking a big [illegible] dinner was served on the grounds. [illegible] Parkton Concert Band.

It was a good day for all parts of the good old county of Bladen.

Beaver Dam Notes

Roseboro, N. C., R. 1, Nov. 27.—There was a box supper at Clay Fork school house Friday night last. A very good crowd was present. The boxes sold at a very good price. [illegible]

Mr Fletcher Vinson Dead

[illegible]

Mr and Mrs W A Perkins Bereaved

[illegible] Lilly, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perkins, died at their home [illegible] Saturday. The remains were taken to Florence, S. C.

1000 TEACHERS EXPECTED

Associations of Primary Teachers, Grammar Grade Teachers, School Principals and County and City Superintendents Will Meet With Teachers Assembly

[illegible] thousand [illegible] Wednesday to Saturday.

[illegible] Among others who will attend are Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent; Prof. [illegible] Prof. N. W. Walker and Dr. H. W. Chase of the University; President W. P. Few, Prof. E. C. Brooks and Mr. J. P. Breedlove of Trinity College; President W. L. Poteat and Prof. J. H. Highsmith of Wake Forest College; President R. T. Vann and Miss Mary Shannon Smith of Meredith College; Dr. D. H. Hill, Prof. W. A. Withers, Dr. F. L. Stevens and Dr. Thomas P. Harrison of the A. & M. College; Prof. J. D. Brooks of the Oxford Baptist Female College; Rev. Dr. George W. Lay and Prof. E. [illegible] of St. Mary's School; President H. E. Rondthaler of Salem Female College; President R. H. Wright and Prof. C. W. Wilson of the East Carolina Teachers Training School; President J. I. Foust, Prof. J. A. Matheson, Prof. W. A. Merritt and Prof. E. E. Balcomb of the State Normal and Industrial College; President W. T. Whitsett, Prof. J. Allen Holt, Mr. John E. Ray and many other well-known teachers and leaders of education [illegible]

IN FAYETTEVILLE SOCIETY

Reception Given by Mrs E H Williamson—Reception in Civic Library—Other Notes

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Mrs. John Baker Tillinghast.

GOOD ROADS TRAIN.

To Be Operated by Atlantic Coast Line

WILL START THIS WEEK.

Leaves Richmond Va, Nov 23 For Tour of the Entire System—Will Reach Fayetteville Some Time in December—People Invited to Meet It.

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As previously announced, the Atlantic Coast Line will operate a Good Roads Train over its entire system.

This train will consist of two [illegible] working models, operated by electricity, of road working machinery of various characters, and forms of various kinds of good roads. These will be displayed in an attractive way and open to the public. The other coach will be equipped for lectures and stereopticon views. A private car will accompany the train for the accommodation of the lecturers.

Two Government Road Engineers and a Representative of the American Association for Highway Improvement will accompany the train, as will also a Representative of the Atlantic Coast Line.

The Atlantic Coast Line will handle this train without charge to the Government or the people, and all demonstrations and lectures will be free. The lectures and exhibits should prove interesting and instructive to all who are interested in the building and maintenance of good roads.

The experts will be glad to answer questions and confer with all interested parties. The working models will be shown in actual operation, the motor power being furnished by a gasoline engine installed for the purpose, and, with these the experts are enabled to explain what materials make the best roads, how they are built and repaired at the smallest necessary cost.

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Mr Staaa Maxwell to Wed

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