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CHANGES MADE

By the Methodist Conference That Take Effect in These Parts—Not Much Change Made at Concord—Mt. Pleasant Has a Change—The Conference Meets Here Next Year.

The Methodist conference adjourned its session Tuesday afternoon at Winston after holding for nearly one week. Some changes were made of the pastors in our county.

Rev. J E Thompson has returned to his place as pastor of Central Methodist church. No change was made either for Forest Hill Methodist church, Rev. J D Arnold having been retained.

It was certain that, on account of a needed change because of his health, Rev. W P McGhee would not return to his pulpit at Epworth church. Instead Rev. T W Smith, of this place, who has had charge of the Pineville circuit, will be pastor of Epworth church, and Rev. McGhee will take charge of the Pineville circuit, thus making an exchange.

Rev. L A Falls, who has been at Breyard, beyond Hendersonville, will take charge of the Concord circuit here. The former pastor, Rev. G G Harley, will move to Swannanoa to take charge of that circuit.

Rev. A E Wiley, the former pastor at Mt. Pleasant, and who also had charge of Cold Springs and Bost's Mills churches, has been transferred to the Lincolnton circuit. Rev. J A Cook, who for the past while has been in Cleveland county, will be the pastor in his stead.

Rev. J A Clark, who has formerly been the pastor at Norwood, will take charge of the Salem circuit near Millingport, in Stanly county. This circuit was formerly in charge of Rev. Gentry.

Before Conference adjourned the question of a place of meeting next year came before the organization. A cordial invitation was given by several different places, Concord among the number. When a vote was taken, it was decided that Concord be its next meeting place. It has been a number of years since Concord has had the conference, and the different churches here will no doubt give them the best of entertainment. This means that quite a large crowd of ministers and delegates will be here next November.

He's Not In It Now.

It was contemplated to call Rev. P H Hoge, of Wilmington, to succeed Dr. John Hall in Fifth Avenue church in New York, but he was strongly on the white side in the late campaign and preached it. That was too much for those people that have never had the trial, and he is not in it now.

SPINAL weakness easily cured by Dr. Miller's Nerve Plaster

THE COLLISION

Of the Local Freight Engine With a Box Car Tuesday Afternoon—The Engine Badly Derailed—The Pilot Ploughs into the Ground and Thrusts the Engine to One Side.

About 2 30 o'clock Tuesday the wreck occurred at the Cannon mills, as was very briefly noted Tuesday afternoon before going to press.

It is customary for some operative at the Cannon mills, while moving a box car along on their siding to open the switch leading into the main Odell side track, in order that if the car were to run away down the grade it would not be derailed but would go on out on the side track. This had been done Tuesday by some one of the men connected with the Cannon mills, and for some reason he had forgotten to again close the switch.

The local freight train, containing about thirty cars, and moving at the rate of about six miles per hour, came around the short curve and before the engineer could realize the situation his engine had taken the wrong side track, and was heading for a box car which stood near the Cannon mill.

The pilot, or "cow-catcher," as it is called, struck the brake beam of the car. This bent the pilot to the ground, and it immediately ploughed into the ground, causing the engine to take a sideward course, breaking the track apart and throwing the engine against the cotton warehouse. The box car was sent some distance up the track, but no damage was done to it. Engineer Wallace saw his danger none too quick and jumped in time to save himself from being pressed against the warehouse.

The pilot and one side of the cab of the engine was badly damaged. The warehouse was knocked from off part of its foundation. The track is badly torn up. The front part of the engine was thrown entirely to the right of the track, and the engine lay at a considerable angle against the warehouse.

No one was hurt, fortunately. Had not the engine left the track as it did, the engine, together with several cars, would very probably have gone bounding into the boiler house.

WM. THACKERAY.

The Subject for the Meeting of the Julia Magruder Book Club—The Literary Interest Increasing.

The Julia Magruder Book Club held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Lester Coltrane's. The subject for the evening was Thackeray. Mrs. Lester Coltrane's article on "The Homes and Haunts of Thackeray" was heard with much pleasure. This was followed by a few thoughts on Thackeray as a writer of realistic fiction by Mrs. James Gibson, and Mrs. Houston then read an interesting account of Thackeray's daughter. An increasing interest in real literary work is manifested at each meeting. But the pleasant social features, for which the club was rather too much distinguished last season, are not entirely neglected. In the midst of the lively conversation with which the meeting closed, refreshments made their appearance—so delicious in flavor and so daintily served as to make it doubtful whether the sense of sight or that of taste was most highly gratified.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Let All the People Give Thanks for His Bountiful Blessings Bestowed Upon Them.

Almost all business will be at a standstill tomorrow, and the day, with of course some exceptions, will be spent in reverence. There will be services in some of the churches where all can unite in Thanksgiving service.

Rev. J. N. Faust, pastor of Trinity Reform church, will hold services tomorrow night at 7 o'clock.

Thanksgiving services at Central Methodist Church at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

As is the custom, there will be no DAILY STANDARD tomorrow.

The banks will be closed the entire day. The telephone office will be closed from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. Neither the Cannon nor Odell mills will close down. Sunday hours will be observed at the postoffice.

A Missionary Tea will be given in the basement of Forest Hill Methodist church tomorrow night. Each member of the society is allowed to invite two of their friends. A basket will be found convenient for the free will offering of those in attendance.

There will be appropriate services at St. James Lutheran church tomorrow night at 7 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. C B Miller.

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock Rev. W C Alexander will conduct services in the First Presbyterian church.

An exceptionally fine program of music has been arranged at that church tomorrow morning. The following is the program:

Organ Prelude, "The Heavens Are Telling," Haydn.
Organ Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus," Handel.
Full Chorus, "We Praise Thee," Lloyd.
" " "Father, O Hear Us," Palmer.

The regular choir will be assisted by Misses Addie Patterson and Lydie Smith, and Messrs. H M Barrow and W C Correll.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. G W Ould left last night, after spending several days here.

—Mr. W G Boshamer spent last night at Cleveland on business.

—Messrs. Hazel Gray and Will Anthony returned to Charlotte this morning.

—Miss Maggie Castor will leave tonight for High Point, where she will spend Thanksgiving at the home of her brother.

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Jacob W Bowman has been appointed judge in the tenth district to fill the unexpired term of Judge Green, deceased. Judge Bowman is the father-in-law of Senator Pritchard, who seems to get about everything he asks for, unless it be troops, with which he'd like to, but can't, carry elections in his own State. It was reported that Gov. Russell had kicked a hole in the sweet relations between him and the Senator by refusing to spread the judicial ermine over the Senator's papa, but like Sagasta, he is not in condition to do otherwise than submit.

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