

**M. E. CHURCH CONFERENCE**

Will Meet In Reidsville Nov. 17th---Bishop Lambuth, of California, Will Preside.

Elaborate preparation is being made for the annual meeting of the Western N. C. M. E. Conference which will be held in Reidsville this year beginning Wednesday, Nov. 17th. The sessions will continue for about one week.

Bishop W. R. Lambuth, of Oakdale, California, will preside over the sessions of the Conference.

Arrangements are being made for caring for the hundreds of ministers and laymen who will attend, in the homes of the people of Reidsville.

**The First Arbor Day.**

Charlotte Observer.

The first Arbor Day in North Carolina should be made a notable one. It comes on Friday, November 5, so proclaimed by the Governor of the State. The measure of success attending the observance of the day will necessarily depend upon the school children and the extent to which their interest may be enlisted. The enlistment of this interest is a duty devolving on the teachers. The excellent suggestion is made by Prof. J. S. Holmes, State Forester, that the teachers in all schools read the proclamation in the school rooms and then pin it on the wall as a daily reminder. The proclamation, itself, is instructive, in that it bears the great seal of the State and is an attractive piece of typographic work. Doctor Holmes says further that a copy of the proclamation has been sent to many of the club women in the State, "because it was through them that the Arbor Day law was secured." Doctor Holmes expresses the hope that these club women will cooperate as closely as possible with the school authorities in the active observance of the day. It is suggested that a committee from each club offer

its services to the town and country school teachers in preparing and carrying out Arbor Day programs. An Arbor and Bird Manual for North Carolina has been prepared and is being sent out by the Superintendent of Public Instruction to all the schools of the state. It contains directions and suggestions to teachers, Arbor Day exercises, recitations, messages from the Women's Clubs and the Audubon Society, and condensed information about our most important natural resources. It is to be used by the teachers in arranging Arbor Day celebrations.

**Woman Suffrage Parade.**

For four hours Saturday Fifth avenue, New York city, was given over to the largest woman's suffrage parade ever witnessed anywhere. It was the women's appeal to place New York at the election on November 2 among the States which have given women the right to vote.

Participated in by women from every State in the Union and from more than 20 foreign countries, by women from every phase of business, professional, artistic and official life, the parade extended from Washington Square to Central Park, and although it began shortly after 3 o'clock it was long after dark when the last marchers had finished.

Suffrage leaders estimated that 30,000 women were in line. In addition, there were 5,000 men representing, leaders said, only about half of the men who had signed pledges that they would participate.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Register of Deeds of Stokes county, on the Republican ticket, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

Any favors shown me will be duly appreciated.

WILEY P. EDWARDS.  
20 Oct 21 Pinnacle, N. C.

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**AT DELTA NOVEMBER 6TH.**

School To Have Box Supper and Cake-cutting and Proceeds Will Be Used To Buy New Desks and Stove.

There will be a box supper and cake-cutting given at Delta school house on Saturday evening, November 6th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. We intend to use the proceeds of this supper to supply the school with new desks and a new stove, both of which we badly need. Big and little, old and young, are invited to attend this party.

Let us remember that every cent which we put into school furniture and equipment is helping our little ones to gain more knowledge. We, none of us, pay enough attention to the arrangement and equipment of our schools. If any of the farmers of the State had to put up with such poor farming tools and machinery as some teachers have of furniture, stoves, etc., there would be more farmers leaving the farm than we now have on record.

The schoolroom is the home of our children for seven hours in the day for at least one hundred days of the year. This being the case, let us all try to do everything possible to help to make our school the center of attraction in our neighborhood.

Let every one join in this great work of community service and see to it that our school house is as well equipped as any in the county.

Remember Delta school house Nov. 6th, at 7:30 p. m.

MRS. JOHN WETMORE,  
Teacher.  
Sandy Ridge, N. C.

**A Plea For Human Life From President Harrison**

Washington, D. C., Oct. 23.—Making a plea for the conservation of human life, President Fairfax Harrison of the Southern Railway Company states that during the fiscal year, ended June 30, 147 trespassers were killed on the tracks of the Southern Railway. Mr. Harrison urges the development of a public sentiment that will put an end to the hazardous practice of trespassing on railway property.

"We have prepared a map showing the point at which each trespasser was killed on the Southern Railway during the last year and it looks like a map of the monuments on the Chickamauga battle-field," said Mr. Harrison. "Fully one third of those killed were school boys, 'hopping' trains, and a large percentage were valuable wage-earners, walking on the tracks to or from their work. Very few were tramps in the commonly accepted meaning of the term.

"These figures refer solely to persons walking on tracks, swinging on trains, and otherwise intruding on railway property where they have no right or business and do not include persons killed at crossings or those who for any reason have a right or duty to go upon railway property.

"Southern Railway Company is doing all in its power to prevent accidents and injuries and is having splendid co-operation from its employees but no pre-

cautions on our part can save the man who deliberately puts himself in the way to be struck by a train. Cannot a public sentiment be developed which will discourage this practice? This

is a work in which school teachers and factory superintendents especially, and all others with public influence, can render a real service to their communities and their fellowmen."

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