

An Interesting Church Meeting

A pastors' and workers' conference for the Mount Airy District of the Methodist Church has been called to meet at Central Church in Mount Airy on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at ten o'clock. The following program is announced:

MORNING SESSION

E. K. McLarty, Presiding

- 10:00—Devotional Service—What Part Has Prayer in the Development of the Life of Our Church and are Our People Striving After It? John W. Moore
- 10:30—Methodism's Part in the Religious Problems of the Age L. B. Hayes
- 10:55—Is it Possible for a Church to Succeed Without a Definite Missionary Program R. M. Courtney
- 11:15—What is the Part Laymen Must Perform in Order to Have Church Efficiency? C. H. Ireland
- 11:30—The Program of Work in the Sunday School, O. V. Woosley
- 12:00—Education a Religious or a Secular Obligation? W. L. Sherrill
- 12:15—Adjourn for Dinner.

AFTERNOON SESSION

C. H. Ireland, Presiding

- 1:15—Song Service
- 1:20—How Vital Are Our Conference Assessments in the Economy of Our Church J. H. Barnhardt
- 1:40—What Constitutes a Successful Revival and How to Bring it to Pass E. K. McLarty
- 2:00—Our Young People—What Should be the Attitude of the Church Toward Them? W. A. Barber
- 2:30—The Crisis John F. Kirk
- 2:40—What Can be Done to Make Our People a Reading People; What are its Advantages? A. W. Flyler
- 3:00—What I Intend to do to Encourage Our People at Home to Take a More Active Part in Church Work

General Discussion

The men on the program are among the leading preachers and laymen of the Methodist Church in the Western North Carolina Conference and a treat is in store for those who attend this meeting.

BOARD OF HEALTH CALLS FOR SHOW DOWN

In Meeting At Debon the County Commissioners Are Requested to Continue Health Funds—Case Gets Into Court

The quarrel between the Board of County Commissioners and the County Board of Health is now headed for the courts as a result of the action of the County Commissioners in withdrawing all appropriations for the continuance of the health department in Surry County. At the regular meeting of the Commissioners in February that body withdrew all support that it had been giving the health department of the county, effective March 1st. Following this action of the Commissioners the Board of Health held a special meeting on Thursday of last week and among other things they called upon the commissioners to bring before them any charges that they might have that would substantiate the discharge of the present health officer, Dr. Lancaster. At the same time Attorney J. H. Folger was instructed to start proceedings in the courts to compel the County Commissioners to continue to make the appropriations for the health work in the county. Mandamus proceedings have been brought and Judge Gattis in court last week set Friday, Feb. 19th, as the time that the hearing will be held before a Superior Court Judge in Winston-Salem.

The County Commissioners are making no statements as to their position. The following is a copy of the proceedings of the County Board of Health meeting held last week and it clearly states the position of that body in demanding that the County Commissioners continue the appropriation:

"Pursuant to a call issued by three of its members, the Surry County Board of Health met in special session on the above date for the purpose as set forth in a copy of the call for this meeting hereto attached. The following members were present: E. S. Hendren, Dr. W. M. Stone, Dr. R. B. Garvey, Dr. J. B. Smith.

"On motion of Dr. Garvey, seconded by Dr. Stone, Dr. J. B. Smith was made chairman, pro tempore, in the absence of the regular chairman Mr. W. J. Byerly.

"On motion of Dr. Garvey, seconded by Dr. Stone, an order was unanimously passed asking the County Board of Commissioners of Surry County to continue the Department of Health of Surry County headed by a whole-time health officer.

"On motion of Dr. Stone, seconded by Dr. Garvey, it was unanimously ordered that the Surry County Board of Health ask the County Commissioners of Surry County to appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 for the maintenance of the Surry County Health Department for the current year as it now is organized, consisting of a health officer, a nurse, and a clerk.

"On motion of Dr. Stone, seconded by Dr. Garvey, it was ordered that since the members of this Board understand from letters and reports from the State Department of Health that the work of Dr. Lancaster, as Health Officer for Surry County, is satisfactory; and since, insofar as this Board has been informed, his services have been satisfactory to the people of the county, it is the will of this Board to continue Dr. Lancaster as Health Officer for Surry County.

"On motion of Dr. Garvey, seconded by Dr. Stone, it was ordered that the Surry County Board of Health notify the Board of Commissioners that, in appointing a quarantine officer for Surry County last First Monday, the Board of Commissioners took into its hands a prerogative belonging entirely to the County Board of Health; and that, even if they had authority to make such appointment, the law does not permit the appointment to such office of a man who has no medical training.

"On motion of Dr. Garvey, seconded by Dr. Stone, the following resolution was approved:

"Whereas, the County Board of Health is a Board trying to serve the best interests of the people of Surry County, and,

"Whereas, we, the County Board of Health, cannot find sufficient reasons to warrant our discharging Dr. Lancaster as Health Officer of Surry County or to warrant our failure to reelect Dr. Lancaster to said office, therefore be it,

"Resolved: that if there are charges against Dr. Lancaster which will show good reasons why he should be discontinued as Health Officer for Surry County, we respectfully ask that these accusations be brought to the attention of the County Board of Health. Dr. J. B. Smith, Chairman. E. S. Hendren, Secretary. Surry County Board of Health.

Auction Sale of \$800.00 Note

By virtue of the collateral assignment to us hereinafter mentioned, we shall on Friday, the 26th day of Feb. 1926, at one o'clock P. M. in front of the First National Bank in the Town of Mount Airy, N. C., offer for sale, at public auction to the highest bidder, one note for \$800.00 executed by Raymond C. Carter to F. F. Johns, April 15, 1925, bearing interest from date, said note being secured by deed of trust, and to be made for cash. This note being held by us as collateral to a note for \$1,932.97, executed by F. F. Johns to James S. Mitchell, dated April 15, 1925, \$632.97 of which was due Oct. 15, 1925, and \$1,300.00 April 15, 1926, default having been made in the payment of the \$632.97 according to the provisions of the said collateral deed making the whole of said amount due.

January 28, 1926.
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By S. F. Landreth, Atty.

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FOR SALE or rent—75 acre farm with orchard 12 miles west of Mt. Airy, known as the Geo. W. Sutphin place. Surry County Loan & Trust Co., W. G. Sydnor. tfe.

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PIANO TUNING—Mr. Lenox of Atlanta will be here in February on his regular yearly tuning trip. Paano your orders in advance to Mrs. Barber, 101 J. for appointment. 2-13p.

LOST—I have loaned and lost the following books: Surry of Eagle's Nest and Wearing the Gray, by Cook, Life of Stonewall Jackson by Dr. Dabney, Mark Twain's Tramp Abroad, two volumes of the Book of Knowledge, Under the Shadow of the Cross, Life of Edwin Bok. Please return. W. G. Sydnor. tfe.

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FOR SALE—at a bargain, a one horse wagon, harness and collar, all in No. 1 condition. S. G. Joyce, Mt. Airy, N. C., Route 1. 2-19p.

FOR RENT—4-room house on Church street, water, light and sewer. See D. C. Bowman, Mt. Airy, or write W. H. Bowman, Postmaster, The Hollow, Va. tfe.

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, \$17.00 per 100, hatching eggs \$3.00 per 100. Pure Tancred Strain. Lewis Burton, Mount Airy, Route 2. tfe.

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HATCHING EGGS for sale—Pure bred Sheppard Anconas \$1.50 for setting of 15 eggs. E. C. Banner, Hale's Department Store. tfe

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred White Wyandotte and Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. The kind that lay \$1.50 per setting of 15. C. F. Poore at Poore's Pressing club, Mount Airy, N. C. tfe

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FOR RENT—5 room house on Church St., No. 207—For particulars write J. B. Jarrell, Pilot Mountain, or see Joe Booker, Mt. Airy. 3-5c

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ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP—For sale, well equipped, good location. Apply Belton's Shoe Shop next to W. F. Midkiff's store Main street, Mount Airy, N. C. 2-20p.

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ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP equipment for sale. First class condition. Terms to right party. W. F. Carter, Jr. tfe.

Mount Airy Citizens Write Rhymes

Quite a number of Mount Airy citizens have won prizes during the last few weeks in the rhyme contest being conducted by the Winston-Salem Journal. Among those winning one or more first prizes or honorable mention are Mrs. C. C. Creveling, Mrs. Dick Banner, route 2, Prof. E. S. Hendren, Jack Burcham, Miss Tiley, Mrs. George Hutchison, A. D. Barker, route 1.

Friends Church
B. H. Millikan, Pastor.
Bible school9.45 A. M.
Morning service11.00 A. M.
Evening service7.30 P. M.
Prayer meeting Wed.7.30 P. M.
The Ladies Missionary society met with Mrs. W. L. Dunman last Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.
On next Sunday evening, Miss Elizabeth Marsh, of Richmond, Ind., will speak. All invited to come out, especially the young people.
The prayer meeting for this week will be held in the home of Mr. Arthur Lowry.
All evening services will begin at 7.30 instead of 7.00 o'clock.

First Baptist Church
E. Gibson Davis, Pastor.
Bible School9.45 A. M.
Morning worship11.00 A. M.
B. Y. P. U.6.00 P. M.
Evening Service7.00 P. M.
Regular Prayer and Praise Service Wednesday7.00 P. M.
The pastor preaches next Sunday morning and evening on the following subjects, "In His Father's House," and "Why I Am a Christian and Not an Infidel." (Please note change of hour in the evening service). We will remember the Lord's sufferings and death for us in the broken bread and the fruit of the vine at Sunday morning's service. We preach Christ and Him crucified, risen and coming again. We invite you and your friends to worship with us.

Central Methodist Church
Rev. W. A. Newell, Pastor.
Sunday school9.45 A. M.
Morning worship11.00 A. M.
Evening worship7.30 P. M.
Prayer service Wednesday7.30 P. M.
Sr. and Intermediate Epworth Leagues Sunday6.45 P. M.
District Epworth League institute will be held Friday in Sparta and will be attended by the following members of Central Methodist church this city, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Fox, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Newell, Misses Olive Newell, Lorena Kelly, Clarice Bowman, Kathryn Long, Kathleen Herman, Louise McKinney, Emma Dobbins, Treva Fowler and Annie Dean, Elbert Badgett and W. B. Hale, from the Rockford Street Methodist church; Rev. G. W. Williams, Lonnie Williams, Thamar Kiger, Mrs. J. S. Redman and Miss Winona Williams, student at Greensboro College, who will join the party at that point.
The Mission Study class will meet Thursday with Mrs. E. C. Foy at 8.30 P. M., note change of hour which will permit the ladies to hear Mrs. Johnson at the hotel at 2.30 P. M.
The pastor delivered one of the strongest and most constructive messages of his ministry here Sunday evening when he spoke to young people on the subject "Building for the Future."

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Rev. Arthur H. Marshall, Minister.
Morning prayer and sermon the second, fourth and fifth Sundays of each month at 11 a. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Evening prayer and sermon the first and third Sundays at 7.30 p. m.
Holy Communion the second Sunday

NOTICE
By virtue of the power contained in a certain deed of trust executed by E. T. Freeman and wife to the undersigned trustee to secure a debt of \$550.00 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Surry County in Book 70 at page 66, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, upon application of the holder thereof I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Dobson on the
10th day of March, 1926
at 1 o'clock, P. M.

the following described lands in Surry County, N. C. adjoining the lands of J. M. Callahan, C. L. Jarvia, Hodges and others and bounded as follows:
Beginning at pointers J. L. Worth's corner, and runs West with his line 16.85 chs. to a stake, thence North 25.50 chs. to a stake and pointers, thence East 8 chs. to a post oak, then South 84 deg. East 10.65 chs. to an old road, thence with said road South-east 3.94 chains, thence South 11 deg. West 7.30 chs. to where the old line crosses the White Dirt road, thence E. to the beginning. Containing 51.25 acres more or less.
The above described land was conveyed to E. T. Freeman by deed by J. E. Carter, Commissioner, bearing date of April 12, 1918 and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Surry County, N. C. in Book 77 at page 6. For further particulars see deed.
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This the 6th day of February, 1926.
A. D. Folger, Trustee.

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