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## WARRENTON DISTRICT CONFERENCE

### Thirty-First Session Held in Scotland Neck--Every Minister in District Present---Lay Leader Re-elected--Meets Next in Weldon.

The Warrenton District Conference of the North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, convened in its thirty first session in the M. E. Church, at Scotland Neck, May 9th, 1911, with Rev. J. E. Underwood, P. E., in the chair. Rev. Rufus Bradley, of Williams ton, was elected secretary.

Rev. J. G. Johnson, of Windsor, preached the introductory sermon Tuesday night.

The District is composed of twenty-one pastoral charges. Every preacher was present and one or more delegates from the various charges.

The first business session of the Conference was held Wednesday morning. The roll was called and reports were read from several of the preachers. Rev. D. L. Earnhardt preached at 11 o'clock from Psa. 8:34.

The afternoon session met at 3 o'clock. The religious services were conducted by Rev. S. J. Kilpatrick, of South Henderson. The following committee on quarterly conference records was named: Revs. B. H. Black, E. N. Harrison and R. L. Hardy. The committee on missions was appointed by the chair as follows: Revs. W. R. Royall, R. H. Willis, J. G. Johnson and Messrs. M. J. Grant and J. T. Flythe.

Rev. O. I. Powers, of the Scotland Neck Baptist church, Rev. R. W. Bailey, of Louisburg, and Rev. W. H. Brown, of Gatesville, were introduced to the Conference.

At 8 o'clock Rev. S. E. Mercer preached a strong sermon to a large audience.

**THURSDAY--SECOND DAY**  
Religious services were conducted by Rev. B. C. Thompson, of the Warren circuit. The question, "How may we deepen the spiritual life of the church and more effectively reach the unsaved?" was discussed by Revs. W. B. North, W. R. Royall, J. G. Johnson, F. F. Eure and S. E. Mercer.

Rev. R. W. Bailey, in a short, earnest talk, represented Louisburg Female College and emphasized the need of another building for that institution.

The hour of 11:30 o'clock having arrived Rev. W. B. North preached from a text found in St. John 12:26.

The afternoon session met at 3 o'clock, and religious services were conducted by Rev. D. A. Futrell. The Epworth League work was taken up and Rev. B. C. Thompson district secretary, submitted his report which was accepted. Mr. Thompson then introduced Rev. W. H. Brown, president of the North Carolina Epworth League Conference, who delivered a very earnest and helpful address on the work the League is doing. He urged the importance of organizing the young people of the church and training them for Christian service.

Rev. J. M. Rhodes, president of Littleton Female College, addressed the Conference in the interest of the college and called attention to the scholarship offered by that institution.

Rev. R. H. Willis submitted the report of the committee on missions and made a strong appeal to the pastors to carry out the policy of missions adopted by the Missionary Institute held at Enfield in the early spring. The report was adopted by a standing vote.

next Conference be held?" was called and Weldon was chosen by a unanimous vote.

Rev. C. L. Reid, of Murfreesboro, preached a very able sermon at 8 o'clock.

**FRIDAY--THIRD DAY**  
The morning session of the third day was given to the discussion of the layman's movement and the work of the Sunday school.

At 11:30 o'clock Rev. W. R. Royall, of Henderson, preached from Joshua 24:15.

The afternoon session met at 3 o'clock and religious services were conducted by Rev. F. F. Eure, of Hobgood.

On motion of J. T. Flythe the resolution passed at the last District Conference with reference to Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer's salary as lay leader in 1910 was renewed and the brethren were urged to put the resolution into effect.

Mr. W. E. Moss, of Henderson, was re-elected district lay leader.

Rev. D. N. Caviness submitted and read the report of the committee on Sunday schools, which was adopted.

The following local preachers passed examination and their license were renewed: J. C. Webb, W. G. Lowe and J. L. Cherry.

The following local deacons passed the examination of character: Rev. Raymond Browning, J. B. Aiken and W. E. Nicholson.

Messrs. J. T. Flythe, W. E. Moss, J. C. Hardy and Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer were elected delegates to the Annual Conference that meets at Kinston this year. Dr. M. Bolton and Prof. J. B. Aiken were elected alternates.

On motion by the chair the Conference elected a district board of church extensions as follows: Revs. D. N. Caviness, J. E. Holden and Messrs. R. B. Boyd, W. A. Connel and H. C. Spiers.

The chair named Revs. R. H. Willis, D. N. Caviness, B. C. Thompson and S. E. Mercer as a committee to examine candidates for license to preach.

Rev. D. N. Caviness, of Warrenton, preached at 8 o'clock and the Conference closed its thirty-first annual session.

**RESOLUTIONS**  
The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, God in His all-wise providence, has seen fit to call from earth to heaven our brother, Rev. Peter N. Stainback, a most efficient and faithful local preacher, therefore be it resolved, that we hereby express our great appreciation of the godly life he lived and the valuable service he rendered for the Master in our midst. We extend to the bereaved family our most sincere sympathy. Signed

J. C. HARDY,  
J. T. ELNTHE,  
R. H. WILLIS.

Rev. B. C. Thompson offered the following resolution which was adopted heartily:

Resolved, that we have greatly enjoyed and deeply appreciate the royal Christian hospitality given this Conference by the good people of this good town of all denominations. That we render thanks to the pastor, the loyal members of the church, and to the friends of the other denominations for the courteous and open-hearted Christian hospitality that has made our stay among them so delightful to us. That we invoke the benediction of God upon them all in their private lives, in their homes and in their private church life and labors. Signed,

B. C. THOMPSON,  
C. L. READ.

**THOSE THAT WERE PRESENT:**

Clergical--Rev. J. E. Underwood, P. E., B. C. Allred, B. H. Black, Rufus Bradley, D. N. Caviness, J. T. Draper, J. A. Dailey, F. F. Eure,

## Piano Recital

Friday evening, the music class under the direction of Mrs. Vivian Wysong Mobley, gave a piano recital at the Opera House. The class has within it some of the best talent among the younger set in the town and their work has been entered into with an enthusiasm which counted much in making the high marks for the term. Mrs. Mobley is an accomplished pianist and has labored toward perfecting the art in her pupils.

The programme for the evening was filled with numbers from the best composers and the execution was most gratifying to the patrons of the school. There were songs by the entire class and an arrangement for four pianos was very interesting.

At the beginning of the term Mrs. Mobley offered several prizes and these were presented to the winners by Dr. John D. Biggs, who paid a high compliment to the musical training that the pupils had obtained under their teacher. The prize for the highest mark in Theory and History was won by Miss Fannie Myrt Manning, Misses Glenwood Ellington and Frances Knight tied in memorizing, and in drawing for it the latter won. For best attendance on class, Miss Hilda Crawford and Maurice Watts, the only boy in the class, and one of the most enthusiastic members. There was a large crowd present and the performers were heartily applauded.

## Fine Alfalfa

It would seem that the day of Western hay sales in the South is numbered. This conclusion will be reached if one takes time to examine the fields of hay which are dotting every Southern farm. In this section none can show a finer field of alfalfa than that on Rhodasia Farm, owned and operated by Dr. James S. Rhodes near the upper end of Smithwick Street in Williamston. This alfalfa measured when cut thirty-seven (37) inches. It was cut before blooming and was in most excellent condition.

D. L. Earnhardt, J. W. Frank, D. A. Futrell, W. F. Galloway, J. E. Holden, E. N. Harrison, J. G. Johnson, S. J. Kilpatrick, D. E. Mercer, W. R. Royall, C. L. Read, J. M. Rhodes, B. C. Thompson, R. H. Willis, R. W. Bailey, W. H. Brown, J. N. Cole, J. S. Hunter.

Laymen--J. P. Britt, C. H. Baker, L. J. Baker, W. A. Connel, E. D. Dickens, Joseph Early, W. G. Edgerton, W. T. Eure, J. T. Flythe, M. J. Grant, H. M. P. Garris, T. J. L. Harris, J. M. Holloway, J. O. Hoptinstall, E. P. Hyman, J. C. Hardy, R. L. Hardy, N. E. Jenkins, B. T. Lassiter, Albert Lassiter, W. E. Moss, G. K. Moore, L. H. Langford, J. L. Ridout, H. C. Spiers, W. E. Spivey, S. J. Stallings, J. J. Boulds, B. F. Tenille, R. E. Williams, B. G. Williams, W. V. Woodruff, Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer, J. J. Hathaway, J. H. Milklin, E. C. Shearin.

**NOTES**  
The preachers and delegates all expressed themselves as well pleased with the reception given them by the people of Scotland Neck, regardless of denomination.

It was quite interesting to sit in the Conference and hear the reports read by the pastors. They were all encouraging and show good work being done and progress along almost every line.

The Conference met with the church here about sixteen years ago. We are sure the coming of the Conference has left an influence for good upon our town and community.--The Commonwealth.

## Mr. Edward Bond Locate Here

Williamston gladly welcomes to the legal fraternity Mr. Edward Bond, of Edenton, who has recently passed the State Board. Mr. Bond is the son of Honorable William Bond, of Edenton, and a brother of William Bond, Jr., of Plymouth, two lawyers of recognized talent and ability in the eastern part of North Carolina. Mr. Bond makes a trio in his family of legalists, and no doubt, he will sustain the reputation of his father and brother.

Mr. Bond is an alumnus of the University and a member of the D. K. E. Fraternity, and his presence in Williamston will add much to the young manhood of the community. It is rumored that W. M. Bond, Sr., will be associated with him.

## Old Furniture

Mahogany or Rose Wood need simply washing and a coat of Varnish. The L. & M. Home Finish Varnish is the best. If painted wood--then wash it, and apply one coat of L. & M. Domestic Paint. Makes furniture as good as new at a cost of about 25 or 30 cents. Get it from: Hardy Hardware Co., Scotland Neck.

## Severe Storm

Saturday afternoon, about five o'clock, a heavy rain-tornado accompanied by electricity struck this section. It poured down for hours, reminding one of the rains of last season. A few large hail stones fell in town, but there is no report of damage done. About fifteen minutes before the storm came on, the little son of J. L. Robertson was driving the cow from the pasture, when a hail stone the size of an egg fell at his feet. He was frightened by a vivid flash of lightning and ran home but the hail was afterwards picked up and kept for hours. It was singular that it should have fallen so long before the storm began. The rain was needed to refresh the ground for the young crop.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment wonderfully effective. One application will convince you of its merits. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

## Notice

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New subscribers: Ayers, A. B. 107 1/2; Bradley, Rev. Rufus, 44; Coaltrain, C. C. 114 3/4; Crawford, J. C. Sheriff, office 68; Dennis Simmons Lbr. Co. Logging Camp, 114 1/2; Griffin, Geo. W. 106 1/2; Gurganus, J. D. 42; Leggett, J. H. 101 1/2; Manning, A. J. 114 1/2; Manning, N. R. 114 3/4; Market, 53; Peel, Plenny, 106 1/2; Peel Ephraim, 106 2; Peoples N. C. Steamboat Line, 79 2; Roanoke Bottling Works, 88; Roberson Charlie T. 114 4; Rogers, Walter 131; Smith & Hadley, 52; Teel, Mrs. W. J. 103 5; Taylor, McS, 38; Whitaker, W. J. 89; Williams, Dr. John W. 103 1/2; Wynn & Whitehurst, 100 1/2; Hassell, C. B. 69.

Changes: Daniel & Staton, 104 3/4; Daniel, Wm. Ed. 104 4/4; Gurganus, J. Henry, 109 2/4; Hardison, Simon E. 104 4; Hopkins, J. W. 104 3; Hardison, J. B. 104 1/2.

**Jamesville Central**  
Askew, C. A. 14; Davenport, J. L. 18; Evans, J. E. 17; Edwards, D. S. 20; Hotel, 19.  
Change S. R. Biggs Drug Co., to The Jamesville Drug Co., 3.  
W. C. Manning, Mgr.

## Local Names to Guess

1. Something we cannot do without.
2. A brace and a weight.
3. A time for rest.
4. Not old and a measure.
5. Necessary to travellers.
6. Mexico's trouble and a bird.
7. A measure, pronoun and person.
8. Equal and a grain.
9. A favorite color.
10. Used on railroads, seen at night and part of a fish.
11. To injure and a metal.
12. Legal document and an heir.
13. Nickname and a support for hay.
14. Lawless crowd and a proper name.
15. This year's growth, and good to eat.
16. A color and a part of a hog.
17. Where cattle browse.
18. To strip off.
19. A good wish.
20. Useful mechanics and a proper name.
21. A type of innocence.
22. A verb and a kind of potato.
23. Managed by a guardian.
24. Not a color.
25. What creditors are always doing.
26. Not pointed.
27. A possession and a member of the body.
28. The deity and what everybody desires to do.
29. Resembles Estu.
30. Woman's crown of glory and a measure.
31. Part of a fowl, to wade through.

For soreness of the muscles whether induced by violent exercise or injury, Chamberlain's Liniment is excellent. This liniment is also highly esteemed for the relief it affords in cases of rheumatism. Sold by all dealers.

## The Parmele Industrial Institute

Sunday May 28, 3 p. m. Baccalaureate Sermon by the Rev. A. G. Davis, D. D. Pastor of Presbyterian Church, Elizabeth City, N. C.

Monday May 29 8 p. m. Annual Exercises of the Primary Department. Play, "The Darkey Night School."

Tuesday May 30, 8 p. m. Annual Exercises of the Selden Literary Society. Address by Dr. C. R. Dunkins, Washington, N. C.

Wednesday May 31, 8 p. m. Industrial Exhibit. Drama, "Old Maid's Association."

Thursday June 1, 3 p. m. Commencement Program. Addresses by Hon. William B. McKinley, Chaplain, Illinois, and John H. Small, Washington.

Thursday Evening 8 p. m. Drama "No Cure No Pay."

Exercises held on the School Campus, the public cordially invited.

## Summer School

There will be a twelve weeks' summer school at Central Academy, beginning May 30th, for young men of limited means and education between the ages of 18 and 25, living in the country, who wish to get a better education and pay for it in part with farm work. For further information address Central Academy, Littleton, N. C.

## A Burglar's Awful Deed

may not paralyze a home so completely as a mother's long illness. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a splendid remedy for women. "They gave me wonderful benefit in constipation and female trouble," wrote Mrs. M. C. Dunlap, of Leadhill, Tenn. If ailing, try them, 25c at Saunders & Powden.

## ROBERSONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

### Local Happenings and People who are Coming and Going, Here, There and Yonder as Gathered by our Regular Correspondent.

Miss Charlie Smith is visiting in Washington.

J. C. Andrews went to Norfolk Wednesday on business.

A. E. Smith is making great improvements in his home.

Mr and Mrs. J. E. Congleton spent Sunday near Stokes.

Mrs. Ed James and children are visiting in Everetts this week.

Mrs. Ida Parker of near Oak Grove is visiting Mrs. J. E. Congleton.

T. L. Willingham, of Wilson, will be in town for several days this week.

Mrs. D. R. Roberson and daughter, Lizzie, spent Wednesday in Greenville.

Miss Bessie Roberson is visiting Miss Selma Everett near Gold Point this week.

New and substantial steps have been built to the town hall which make a great improvement.

The new Board of Trustees of the Robersonville Graded School met Monday night. They are R. E. Grimes, Chairman, J. L. Roberson, Secretary, J. H. Roberson, Jr., Treasurer.

J. C. Andrews received the sad news Tuesday that his son, Jasper, who is a student at the A. & M. College, was very ill in the hospital. His many friends hope that he will soon be in school again.

Augustus Williams, who lives about three miles from town, reports that there have been between four and five hundred rats killed at his home for the past forty five days. He estimates that they have destroyed ten barrels of corn for him this year.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

## Card of Thanks

I desire to thus publicly thank friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses rendered me during the time of my bereavement. Even the smallest act will be remembered with a grateful heart by me and my children.

MRS. JOHN CROWELL.

## BEAR GRASS ITEMS

Billie Craft was in town Sunday.

Simon Harrison was in town Sunday.

R. C. Griffin was in town Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Rodgers was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bailey spent Sunday in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ayers spent Sunday in the country.

A large number of town people attended services at Rosea Sheron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Roebuck spent Sunday at the home of W. R. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Harris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peel.

A. B. and J. D. Rodgers attended the singing at Cora School House Sunday.