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THE SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA met in its Eighty-third Annual Session, Tuesday, November 10th, 1896, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., in the Presbyterian church, New Berne, N. C., and was opened with a sermon by the retiring Moderator, Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., from II. Tim., 3:16: "All Scripture is given by inspiration," &c.

After the sermon the Synod united in the celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The following members were present during the sessions of the Synod: \*

## I.—Orange Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
J. Henry Smith, D. D.	L. Richardson.	Greensboro, First.
D. I. Craig.		
E. W. Smith, D. D.		
C. W. Maxwell.		
M. McG. Shields.		
J. McL. Seabrook. <sup>2</sup>		
L. B. Turnbull, D. D.	Leo. D. Heartt.	Durham.
D. J. Currie.	J. A. Holmes.	Chapel Hill.
H. C. Kegley.		
P. C. Morton.		
W. P. McCorkle	J. L. Scott, Jr.	Graham.
S. G. Walker, (col'd.)		
12	C. W. Johnston.	New Hope.

\*The figure after a name indicates the day a member takes his seat.

Of the Presbytery of Orange the following ministers were absent: A. Currie, C. Miller, S. O. Hall, R. W. Culbertson, J. M. Greenlee, C. W. Robinson, H.

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## II.—Concord Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
J. Rumble, D. D.	E. B. Neave.	Salisbury.
J. A. Ramsay.		
W. R. McLelland.		
J. B. Shearer, D. D.		
A. T. Graham.		
W. M. Shaw.	J. S. Lafferty.	Bethphage.
	N. Johnston.	Gilwood.
J. C. Kennedy.	3	
J. M. Rose, D. D.		
R. V. Lancaster.		
W. C. Alexander. <sup>3</sup>		
B. Soulier.		
A. K. Pool. <sup>3</sup>		
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## III.—Fayetteville Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
H. G. Hill, D. D.	D. McBryde.	Maxton.
A. N. Ferguson	D. Z. Hardin.	Laurel Hill.

S. Bradshaw, W. Lee Harrell, N. B. Campbell, H. D. Lequeux, R. W. George, B. Palmer. (col'd.)—12.

The following churches were not represented: Eno, Danbury, Dan River, Asbury, Reidsville, Speedwell, Westminster, Cross Roads, Bethany, North Wilkesboro, Elim, Burlington, Buffalo, Bethel, Midway, Winston, 1st, Wilkesboro, Elkin, Hillsboro, Little River, Fairfield, Mebane, Bethlehem, High Point, Ashboro, Jamestown, Yanceyville, Bethesda, Stony Creek, Alamance, Springwood, Roxboro, Red House, Rangenont, Halloways, Clark Memorial, Calah, Elkin (col'd), Grier's, Gilead, Lexington, Leaksville, Madison, Mt. Airy, Milton, Oak Forest, Worthville, Wentworth, North Wilkesboro, (Ev.). Hardfields.—50.

Of the Presbytery of Concord the following ministers were absent: Wm. W. Pharr, D. D., W. A. Wood, D. D., J. M. Wharey, D. D., John W. Davis, D. D., B. L. Beall, C. A. Munroe, L. McKinnon, D. D., R. S. Arrowood, E. E. Pressly, R. W. Boyd, W. H. White, J. A. Harris, M. A. Henderson, L. A. McLaurin—14.

The following churches were not represented: Centre, Prospect, Statesville, Mooresville, Hickory, Newton, Lenoir, Bethany, Bethesda, Tabor, Troutman, Third Creek, Unity, Franklin, South River, Shiloh, Clio, Davidson College, Marion, Old Fort, Greenlee, Siloam, Thyatira, Back Creek, Shearer Chapel, Morganton, Glen Alpine, Rocky River, Zion, Concord, 1st, Waldensian, Banner Elk, Spruce Pine, Poplar Tent, Cove Creek, Blowing Rock, Beulah, Concord (Iredell), Elmwood, Fifth Creek, Mizpah, Norwood, Sherrill's Ford, Taylorsville, Turkey Cove, White Hall, Quaker Meadow, Front Street, New Salem, Mocksville, Elk Park.—52.

Of the Presbytery of Fayetteville the following ministers were absent: A. McMillan, David Fairley, K. M. McIntyre, J. W. Johnston, K. A. McLeod, M.

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III.—Fayetteville Presbytery, Continued.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
P. R. Law.	A. L. McLean.	Big Rockfish.
W. B. Arrowood.	M. A. McDougal.	Laurinburg.
A. J. McKelway.	4	
J. A. McMurray. <sup>2</sup>		
S. M. Rankin.		
Hugh Craig.		
W. R. Coppedge.		
C. G. Vardell.		
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IV.—Wilmington Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
A. McFadyen.		
K. McDonald.		
P. H. Hoge, D. D.	H. H. Munson.	Wilmington, First.
A. D. McClure.	C. F. Bell	St. Andrews.
T. H. Newkirk.		
S. H. Isler.	C. Simpson.	Croatan.
	Hugh Murdock.	Wildwood.
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Joseph Evans.		
B. E. Wallace.		
Colin Shaw.		
John Wakefield.		
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N. McIver, W. F. Thom, D. W. Fox, A. M. Hassell, M. D. McNeill, L. L. Little, W. C. Buchanan, J. S. Black, A. McLaughlin.—14.

The following churches were not represented: Flat Branch, Barbacue, Spout Spring, Centre, Church of Covenant, China Grove, Sandy Grove, Longstreet, McPherson, Cypress, Snyrna, Midway, Aberdeen, Ben Salem, Macedonia, Lumber Bridge, Shannon, Phillippi, Bethesda, Montpelier, Keyser, Shiloh, Jonesboro, Salem, Mt. Pisgah, St. Andrews, Mark's Creek, Union, Culdee, Gulf, Euphronia, Mt. Vernon Springs, Ida Mills, Lumberton, Jackson Springs, Fayetteville, Smithfield, Oakland, Kenley, Red Springs, Antioch, Philadelphus, Bluff, McMillan's Chapel, Dunn, Bethlehem, Buffalo, Pocket, Sanford, White Hill, Cameron, Carthage, Ashpole, Iona, Lebanon, Rockingham, Cameronian, Roberdell, Pee Dee, Wadeville, Snumerville, St. Paul's, Mt. Tabor, Sardis, Hope Mills, Ellerbee Springs, Mt. Carmel, Sharon, Galatia, Bethel, Sherwood, Pittsboro, Haywood.—73.

Of the Presbytery of Wilmington the following ministers were absent: J. D. Stanford, P. McIntyre, James Kelly, Geo. W. McMillan, J. J. Hines.—5.

The following churches were not represented: Beth Car, Bladenboro, Clarkton, Cronly, Elizabethton, Black River, Caswell, Oakplains, Benlah, Harmony, Stanford, Smith's, South River, White Hall, Faison's Grove, Mt. Olive, Mt. Horeb, White Plains, Cobb's Mill, Pollocksville, Clinton, Duplin Road, Rockfish, Warsaw, Mt. Zion, Immanuel, Burgaw, Cinquepin, Hebron, Hopewell, Keith, Maple Hill, Mt. William, New Hope, Pike, Richlands, Topsail, Verona.—40.

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## V.—Mecklenburg Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
R. A. Miller.		
Roger Martin.	E. Nye Hutchinsson.	Charlotte, First.
Wm. Black.		
R. F. Campbell, D. D. <sup>2</sup>	W. A. Blair.	Asheville, First.
R. J. Mellwain, <sup>3</sup>		
J. W. Stagg.	J. W. Pharr.	Charlotte, Second.
T. M. Lowrey.	H. H. McKeithan.	Wadesboro.
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## VI.—Albemarle Presbytery.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
F. H. Johnston, D. D. <sup>2</sup>		
F. D. Thomas.		
E. Daniel, D. D.	James Dinwiddie.	Raleigh.
F. W. Farries.		
J. B. Morton.		
James Thomas.	H. M. McDonald.	LaGrange.
E. D. Brown		

Of the Presbytery of Mecklenburg the following ministers were absent: R. Z. Johnston, J. J. Kennedy, D. T. Towles, E. A. Sample, J. R. McAlpine, J. L. Williamson, S. C. Boyce, J. W. Moore, G. A. Sparrow, J. T. Wade, H. M. Dixon, W. J. Williams, L. H. Baldwin, J. S. Morrow (col'd), J. M. Grier, J. J. Harrell, S. W. Newell, J. W. Siler, E. L. Siler, H. M. Parker, G. A. Hough, R. P. Smith, R. C. Morrison, M. C. Arrowood, Jonas Barclay, J. L. Wicker, W. G. White, J. B. Cochrane, A. A. Little, T. F. Boozer, R. D. Stimson, R. W. Alexander, J. S. Shaw, Jos. Crockard.—34.

The following churches were not represented: Alton, Amity, Banks, Barclay, Belmont, Bethany, Bethel (H), Bethel (M), Bethlehem, Benlah, Brevard, Bryson City, Carmel, Castanea Grove, Centre, Cherryville, Columbus, Cook's Memorial, Dallas, Davidson River, Dillsboro, Drusilla, Duncan's Creek, Forest City, Franklin, Gastonia, Goshen, Graham St., Hendersonville, Henrietta, Hephzibah, Hiwassee, Hopewell, Huntersville, Ironton, King's Mountain, Lattimore, Lincolnton, Little Britain, Long Creek, Lowell, Machpelah, Mallard Creek, Matthews, Midway, Mills River, Monroe, Morrison, Morven, Mulberry, Murphy, Newell, New Hope, Oak Forest, Olney, Paw Creek, Philadelphia, Pineville, Pleasant Hill, Polkton, Providence, Ramah, Robinson, Rutherfordton, Salem, Sandy Plain, Sharon, Shelby, Shiloh, Siler, Southside, Stanley Creek, Steel Creek, Stevens, Sugar Creek, Swannanoa, Union, Unity, Waco, Waynesville, Waxhaw, Williams' Memorial.—82.

Of the Presbytery of Albemarle the following ministers were absent: W. D. Morton, D. D., C. N. Wharton, W. T. Walker, R. W. Hines, C. M. Payne, D. D., A. S. Caldwell.—6.

The following churches were not represented: Anrora, Cann Memorial, Dover, Falkland, Geneva, Goldsboro, Grassy Creek, Greenville, Henderson,

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Corresponding Member.      Orders of Day.

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VI.—Albemarle Presbytery, Continued.

MINISTERS.	RULING ELDERS.	CHURCHES.
G. L. Leyburn, D. D.	T. A. Henry.	New Berne.
S	C. M. Brown.	Washington.
	John Hutchinson, <sup>2</sup>	Wilson.
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Ministers present, 59; Ruling Elders, 26; total, 85.

Rev. G. L. Leyburn, D. D., of the Synod of Missouri, was invited to sit as a corresponding member, and was introduced to the Synod.

It was ordered that Synod meet to-morrow at 9:30 A. M.; engage in divine worship from 12 M. to 1 P. M., and take recess until 3 P. M.

It was also ordered that Synod hear any of the Secretaries of the Assembly's Executive Committees who may be present, to-morrow morning.

The Synod then adjourned until 9:30 A. M. to-morrow, and was closed with prayer by Rev. G. L. Leyburn, D. D.

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**SECOND DAY.**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11th, 1896.

**MORNING SESSION.**

The Synod met according to adjournment, and was opened with prayer by Rev. W. B. Arrowood.

The minutes of last evening's session were read and approved.

Rev. A. D. McClure, of the Presbytery of Wilmington was chosen Moderator; Rev. P. R. Law, of Fayetteville

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Kinston, Littleton, Louisburg, Mackey's Ferry, Nahalah, Nutbush, Oak Hill, Olivet, Oxford, Parmele, Roanoke, Rocky Mount, Shiloh, Strickland, Tarboro, Warrenton, Young Memorial.—26.

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Minutes.	Address.	Next Meeting.	Standing Committees.
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Presbytery, and Rev. W. R. McLelland, of Concord Presbytery, were elected Temporary Clerks.

Rev. Thos. H. Law, D. D., of the Synod of South Carolina, was invited to sit as a corresponding member and was introduced to the Synod.

The minutes of the last annual meeting, having been printed and distributed, were approved without reading.

Rev. Thos. H. Law, D. D., addressed the Synod in the interest of the American Bible Society.

It was ordered that the matter of Dr. Law's address be referred to the Synod's Committee on the Bible Cause.

The resignation of Mr. Geo. E. Wilson, as a Regent of the Orphans' Home, was read and referred to the special Committee on the Orphans' Home, to be appointed.

It was ordered that a special committee be appointed to consider the matter of memorializing the General Assembly of the State in the interest of the convicts at the penitentiary and report at this meeting. The Moderator appointed as this committee Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., E. Daniel, D. D., and Ruling Elder James Dinwiddie.

Salisbury was chosen as the place for the next meeting of the Synod; and the first Tuesday (2nd) of November, 1897, at 7:30 P. M., was fixed as the time.

The Moderator announced the following

**STANDING COMMITTEES:**

1. *Bills and Overtures*:—Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., W. B. Arrowood, D. I. Craig, Ruling Elders, H. H. Munson and Leo. D. Heartt.

2. *Judicial Committee*:—Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., E. W. Smith, D. D., J. B. Morton, and Ruling Elder E. Nye Hutchison.

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Standing Committees.

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3. *Address to the Churches*:—Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., D. J. Currie, B. E. Wallace, and Ruling Elder J. A. Holmes.

4. *Systematic Beneficence*:—Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., A. T. Graham, S. M. Rankin, and Ruling Elder E. B. Neave.

5. *Minutes of General Assembly*:—Rev. J. Rumble, D. D., K. McDonald, and Ruling Elder D. Z. Hardin.

6. *Union Theological Seminary*:—Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., J. W. Stagg, and Ruling Elder J. H. Jarvis.

7. *Treasurer's Books*:—Rev. R. V. Lancaster, A. N. Ferguson, and Ruling Elder W. A. Blair.

8. *Trustees of Synod*:—Rev. A. McFadyen, W. M. Shaw, and Ruling Elder H. M. McDonald.

9. *Devotional Exercises*:—Rev. C. G. Vardell, J. Henry Smith, D. D., and Ruling Elder T. A. Henry.

10. *Statistical Reports*:—Rev. A. J. McKelway, C. W. Maxwell, and Ruling Elder J. L. Scott, Jr.

11. *Synodical Records*:—Rev. Joseph Evans and Rev. Roger Martin.

12. *Leave of Absence*:—Rev. M. McG. Shields, S. H. Isler, R. A. Miller, and Ruling Elder L. Richardson.

PRESBYTERIAL RECORDS:

ORANGE.—Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., and T. H. Newkirk.

CONCORD.—Rev. W. P. McCorkle, and Mr. D. Z. Hardin.

FAYETTEVILLE.—Rev. P. C. Morton and John Wakefield.

WILMINGTON.—Rev. W. R. Coppedge and H. C. Kegley.

MECKLENBURG.—Rev. F. W. Farries and Hugh Craig.

ALBEMARLE.—Rev. Colin Shaw and Dr. J. S. Lafferty.



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**Reports.      Corresponding Clerk.      Treasurer's Report.**

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The reports of the Presbyteries on Narrative, Systematic Beneficence, Statistics and Sabbath Schools were presented and referred to the respective committees.

The report of the Directors of Union Theological Seminary was read, and referred to the Standing Committee on Union Theological Seminary; and this committee was also instructed to make nominations to fill any vacancies that may exist in the Board of Directors.

Rev. A. J. McKelway was elected Corresponding Clerk of the Synod.

A special committee consisting of Rev. J. W. Stagg and Dr. E. Nye Hutchison, was appointed to nominate a successor to Col. John E. Brown as chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Synod.

Rev. J. Alston Ramsay, Treasurer of Synod, read his report, which was referred to the Committee on Treasurer's Books. It is as follows:

Rev. J. Alston Ramsay, Treasurer, in account with the Synod of North Carolina, for the year ending November 5th, 1896:

RECEIPTS:

Received of Orange	Presbytery	one-half assessment,	1894-'95.....	\$	27 50
"	Mecklenburg	" balance	" " .....		35.00
"	Concord	" "	" " .....		30.00
"	Fayetteville	"	" 1893 '94.....		60.00
"	Concord	one-half	" 1895-'96.....		30 00
"	Mecklenburg	" "	" " .....		35.00
"	Orange	balance	" 1894 '95 .....		27.50
"	"	one-half	" 1895 '96 . .....		27.50
"	Wilmington	" "	" " .....		20.00
"	Mecklenburg	" "	" " .....		35.00
"	Fayetteville	"	" 1894 '95. . . . .		60.00
"	Wilmington	one-half	" 1895 '96 ....		20.00
"	Fayetteville	"	" " .....		60.00
					<u>\$467.50</u>



**Treasurer's Report.      Vacancy Filled.**

DISBURSEMENTS:

Hickory Printing Co. (Dockets 1895).....	\$	3.00	
Stated Clerk, on account.....		24.50	
"    "    balance on salary.....		52.40	
J. A. Brady,      "    on Minutes, 1894.....		7.52	
"    "            "    1895.....		65.00	
"    "            "    "    .....		30.00	
"    "    balance      "    "    .....		53.09	
Stated Clerk, on account, 1895-'96.....		75.00	
"    "    balance on account, 1895-'96.....		32.23	\$342.74
			\$124.76
Balance on hand.....			\$124.76

DUE FROM PRESBYTERIES:

Orange Presbytery, one-half assessment, 1895-'96.....	\$	27.50
Concord      "    "    "    "    .....		30.00
Albemarle      "    "    1894-'95.....		25.00
"    "            "    1895-'96.....		25.00
		\$107.50

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALSTON RAMSAY,

November 5th, 1896.

*Treasurer.*

Rev. D. I. Craig was appointed temporary chairman of the Committee on Colored Evangelization in the absence of Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., who has removed from the Synod.

The Synod took recess until the hour for divine worship.

After recess the Synod convened and heard a sermon from Rev. A. D. McClure.

Synod then took recess until 3 p. m.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Stated Clerk was directed to have 600 copies of the Minutes of the present session of the Synod printed.

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**Standing Rule Amended.      Statistical Report.      Bible Cause.**

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It was ordered that Standing Rule No. 22, be amended as follows: That item 1 of this rule be amended so as to read as follows: That the Synodical Communion be held at 11 A. M. on the second day of the sessions; and that item 2 of this rule be stricken out.

The Committee on Statistical Reports, Rev. A. J. McKelway, chairman, made a partial report, which was received and adopted, as follows:

PARTIAL REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATISTICAL REPORTS.

The following ministers have died since the last meeting of the Synod: Presbytery of Fayetteville, Rev. A. McQueen, Rev. O. A. White, Rev. G. L. Wolfe, Rev. D. D. McBryde; Presbytery of Concord, Rev. P. H. Dalton; Presbytery of Mecklenburg, Rev. John A. Preston, D. D., Rev. William Graves, Rev. W. K. Boggs.

The Committee recommends that 11 o'clock on Friday morning be made the Order of the Day for having the memorial services of these departed brethren, and that

Rev. P. W. Law	prepare	the	memorial	of	Rev. A. McQueen.
“ Hugh Craig	“	“	“	“	Rev. O. A. White.
“ W. B. Arrowood	“	“	“	“	Rev. G. L. Wolfe.
“ H. G. Hill, D. D.,	“	“	“	“	Rev. D. D. McBryde.
“ J. Rumble, D. D.,	“	“	“	“	Rev. P. H. Dalton.
“ P. H. Hoge, D. D.,	“	“	“	“	Rev. John A. Preston, D. D.
“ R. A. Miller	“	“	“	“	Rev. William Graves.
“ William Black	“	“	“	“	Rev. W. K. Boggs

It was made the Order of the Day to-morrow (Thursday) at 11 A. M. to hear the report of the Regents of the Orphans' Home.

Rev. F. D. Thomas presented the report on the Bible Cause, which was adopted, and is as follows:

1. That Synod again commends the Bible Cause to the Churches as deserving of their contributions, especially on account of the pressing necessities of the Society.

2. That all our ministers be urged to see to it that a collection is taken for

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Church and Christian Education.      Parochial Schools.

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this cause as ordered by Synod, on the 3rd Sabbath of October, or as soon thereafter as possible.

3. That the contributions to this cause be made to appear in the minutes of Presbytery and of Synod.

The Committee on Church and Christian Education, Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., agent and chairman, presented a report, which was approved, and the recommendations adopted. They are as follows:

We recommend the Synod to continue the same apportionment for this cause as last year, to wit: Albemarle, \$100; Concord, \$300; Fayetteville, \$300; Mecklenburg, \$275; Orange, \$250; Wilmington, \$200; Asheville, \$75; aggregate, \$1,500.

We recommend further that the collections for this cause be distributed hereafter, one-half to Davidson College, instead of two-thirds as heretofore, and one-half to other schools instead of one-third as heretofore. This change is recommended because of the larger increase of the latter interest.

The Committee on Parochial Schools, Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., chairman, presented a report which was received, the recommendations were taken up *seriatim* and adopted, and the report as a whole was then adopted. The recommendations are as follows:

1. We recommend to Synod's Committee of Church and Christian Education, and also to the committees of the several Presbyteries, to agitate the importance of Parochial Schools in such way as may seem to them best, not neglecting to use the press. We also urge the Presbyteries to foster this movement, and we would charge our ministers to instruct the people on this subject on all proper occasions.

2. That Synod recommends the different Presbyteries to give this action of Synod in reference to Parochial Schools their serious consideration at their next Spring meeting.

Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., agent, presented a report on Ministerial Education, which was received. Pending further action upon this report, the Synod took recess until 7:30 P. M.

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 Foreign Missions. Ministerial Education.
 

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## EVENING SESSION.

The Synod convened at 7:30 P. M. and resumed its business.

The Order of the Day was taken up, viz.: Popular meeting in the interest of Foreign Missions. The annual report was read by Rev. A. T. Graham, chairman. Pending further action, addresses were made by Rev. R. V. Lancaster, P. H. Hoge, D. D., E. W. Smith, D. D., and the Synod was led in prayer by Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D. A collection was taken for the cause amounting to \$41.95.

The recommendations were then adopted, and the report as a whole was adopted.

The recommendations are as follows:

1. That the Synod unite in prayer, gratefully acknowledging the special token we have had of the favor and blessing of the Divine Master, and that prayer also be offered for our own missionaries.
2. That pastors be urged to seek the larger distribution of *The Missionary* and the *Children's Missionary*, the one at 50c. and the other at 25c. per year.

The unfinished business was taken up, viz.: Report on Ministerial Education. The recommendations, as amended, were adopted, and the report as a whole was adopted.

The recommendations are as follows.

1. That pastors and sessions exercise caution in encouraging candidates for the ministry, especially in their early stage of study, as to becoming beneficiaries of the Church, and urge them, as far as practicable, to depend upon their own resources and personal efforts for support.
2. That our pastors present from their pulpits and in private, the claims and call to the Gospel ministry, that parents and their sons have this claim and cause of the Lord constantly on their hearts and consciences.
3. That chairmen of Committees of Ministerial Education be encouraged, wherever practicable, to visit the churches of their Presbyteries, and present and press this claim and call upon our young men. And also visit male schools within their Presbyteries for the same purpose.
4. That our pastors and sessions so present this cause to their congregations as to win and maintain their allegiance and liberal contributions to it.

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Communication. Overture.

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The Synod adjourned to meet to-morrow at 9:30 A. M. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. Henry Smith, D. D.

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**THIRD DAY.**

THURSDAY, November 12th, 1896.

**MORNING SESSION.**

The Synod met pursuant to adjournment, and was opened with prayer by Rev. A. N. Ferguson.

The minutes of the second day's session were read and approved.

A communication from Rev. J. N. Craig, D. D., Secretary of Assembly's Home Missions, was read and referred to Synod's Committee on Home Missions.

An Overture from Orange Presbytery was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures. It is as follows :

In view of the growing importance and necessity for the Church superintending and providing for the education of her sons and daughters. We hereby Overture the Synod of North Carolina to request all its pastors to preach annually in connection with the day of prayer for schools and colleges, a sermon emphasizing and magnifying the importance of Christian Education and encouraging our people to send their sons and daughters to schools established by the Presbyterian Church.

ATTEST :

D. I. CRAIG,

*Stated Clerk.*

An Overture from Mecklenburg Presbytery, asking for the division of itself and the erection of a new Presbytery, was read, and made the first Order of the Day for this morning. It is as follows :

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**Overture.      Communication.      Reports.**

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*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Mecklenburg respectfully Overtures the Synod of North Carolina to erect out of the churches in her bounds, a new Presbytery, which shall be known as ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY, and which shall embrace the counties west of the Blue Ridge, viz: Madison, Buncombe, Henderson, Haywood, Transylvania, Macon, Jackson, Swain, Graham, Clay and Cherokee; and consisting of the following churches, ministers and candidate:

CHURCHES.—Asheville, Bethany (col'd), Bethel (Haywood), Brevard, Bryson City, Centre, Davidson River, Drusilla, Franklin, Hendersonville, Hiwassee, Midway, Murphy, Mills River, Morrison, Oak Forest, Southside, Swannanoa and Waynesville. (Nineteen churches with a total membership of 1,065.)

MINISTERS.—D. T. Towles, E. A. Sample, J. T. Wade, W. J. Williams, J. S. Morrow, H. M. Parker, R. F. Campbell, D. D., J. L. Wicker, J. B. Cochrane and R. W. Alexander. (10).

CANDIDATE.—W. W. Williams, of Mills River church.

And the Presbytery of Mecklenburg further promises and pledges itself to pay to the new Presbytery, when it shall be formed, the amount of \$500 per year for three years for Home Mission work, and to allow its General Evangelist to labor four months during the summer in the new Presbytery.

ATTEST:

EUGENE L. SILER,

*Stated Clerk.*

Davidson River Church, Oct. 8th, 1896.

A communication was read from Rev. C. A. Munroe; the part referring to his reasons for absence was referred to the Committee on Leave of Absence, and the remainder was received as information.

The Committee to examine the Treasurer's Books, Rev. R. V. Lancaster, chairman, reported that they had "examined the same and find them correct and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers to the end of page 15, covering the period from Oct. 31st, 1895, to Nov. 5th, 1896."

The report was received and approved.

The Committee to examine the Synodical Records, Rev. Joseph Evans, chairman, reported that they have "exam-



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**Reports of Committees.    New Presbytery.    Orphans' Home.**

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ined the Records, and have found them neatly and correctly kept, and recommend their approval."

The report was received and adopted.

The Committee to examine the Records of Wilmington Presbytery, Rev. W. R. Coppedge, chairman, reported "that the minutes appear to be neatly and accurately kept and we recommend their approval."

The report was received and adopted.

The Committee on the Report of the Trustees of Synod, Rev. A. McFadyen, chairman, reported that no papers had been placed in their hands. The report was received and the committee discharged.

The special committee appointed to nominate a successor to the late Col. John E. Brown, as chairman of the Board of Trustees of Synod, reported, recommending the election of Dr. John R. Irwin. The report was received and adopted.

The committee to examine the Records of Albemarle Presbytery, Rev. Colin Shaw, chairman, reported, recommending their approval. The report was received and adopted.

The Order of the Day was taken up, viz.: Overture from Mecklenburg Presbytery. The petition of the Overture was granted, and a committee consisting of Rev. R. A. Miller, Rev. J. W. Stagg and Ruling Elder W. A. Blair, was appointed to nominate a time, place and Moderator for the first meeting of the new Presbytery.

Rev. J. Rumble, D. D., president, presented the annual report of the Regents of the Orphans' Home. Pending further action the Synod took a short recess.

After recess the Synod convened and engaged in divine worship conducted by Rev. J. W. Stagg.

The Synod took recess until 3 P. M.

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Recommendation. Visiting Member. Colored Industrial School.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Synod convened at 3 P. M., and resumed its business.

The unfinished business was taken up, viz.: the report of the Regents of the Orphans' Home; the report was referred to a special committee, consisting of Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D., Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., and Ruling Elder W. A. Blair.

Rev. R. A. Miller, chairman of special committee on the new Presbytery, reported, recommending that the first meeting be held in the First Presbyterian church, Asheville, N. C., on the first Wednesday of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock A. M., and that Rev. E. A. Sample be the Moderator at this meeting. The report was received and adopted.

Rev. S. J. Porter, of the Missionary Baptist Church, was invited to sit as a visiting brother, and was introduced to the Synod.

Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., presented the report of the Directors of the Colored Industrial and Academical Institute, which was referred to a special committee consisting of Rev. J. Rumple, D. D., Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., and Rev. A. McFadyen.

Rev. D. I. Craig, temporary chairman, presented a report on Colored Evangelization, which was approved, and the following recommendation adopted:

The Synod would earnestly urge all its ministers and sessions to faithfully present this cause to their congregations at the appointed time, and thereby awaken, if possible, a greater interest, and secure larger contributions.

It was ordered that Synod suspend its work to-morrow (Friday) night for the installation of the pastor-elect of this church.



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**Union Theological Seminary. Chaplains.**

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The Committee on Union Theological Seminary, Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., chairman, presented the following report, which was received and adopted :

The Committee on the report of the Board of Directors of Union Theological Seminary would respectfully submit the following for the Synod's action :

1. The Synod desires to express its profound sense of gratitude to God for the continued prosperity He has vouchsafed to this beloved Institution; for the faithfulness of its Board of Directors to the trust committed to them; for the fidelity of its honored professors; for the large number of consecrated young men gathered within its walls; for the diligence and good deportment of the students, and for all the manifest tokens of Divine approval and blessing.

2. The Synod hereby appoints the Rev. W. B. Arrowood a director to fill out the unexpired term of the Rev. D. D. McBryde, lately deceased; Dr. Henry Louis Smith to fill out the unexpired term of the lamented Dr. W. J. Martin, and Rev. J. B. Morton to fill out the unexpired term of Rev. Dr. W. D. Morton, removed from our bounds.

3. The Synod hereby appoints for another term of three years, the Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., and Dr. E. Nye Hutchison, and appoints the Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., in the place of the Rev. J. H. Smith, D. D., who declines a re-election.

4. The Synod takes this opportunity of putting on record its grateful appreciation of the long and valued services, rendered to this Institution as members of its Board of Directors, by the two honored brethren whose decease is noted in this paper, and also by the beloved brother, who, on account of infirmities of age declines a re-election.

The following report of the special committee on the subject, was presented by Rev. L. P. Turnbull, D. D., and was adopted :

The committee to consider and report on the recommendation to appoint a committee to co operate with similar committees from other denominations in memorializing the Legislature to provide for the religious welfare of the convicts of the State, recommend that such a committee, consisting of two, be appointed to try to secure the appointment and support by the State of Chaplains for the convicts on the State farms.

Revs. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., and E. Daniel, D. D., were appointed the committee called for in the above paper.

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Sabbath Schools. Overture.

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Rev. C. G. Vardell, chairman, presented the report on Sabbath Schools which was received; the recommendations taken up *seriatim* and adopted, and the report as a whole adopted.

The recommendations are as follows:

1. That committees be appointed by Presbyteries to visit their churches and take particular note of these facts and make a special report on the case to Presbytery.
2. That Presbyterial Agents be directed by correspondence and personal visitation so far as practicable, to try to remedy this state of affairs by establishing schools in their churches.
3. That when it is found impracticable to establish a school on account of the scattered state of the congregation, or because the numbers are few, every effort be made to establish a "Home Study" department that shall be reported as the school of that church.

An Overture to the General Assembly was presented by Rev. C. G. Vardell, and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures. It is as follows:

The Synod of North Carolina overtures the General Assembly to meet in Charlotte, N. C., to re-open the question of a separate course of lessons for infant classes prepared by the Assembly's Committee to the last Assembly and the authorizing that Committee to prepare that course, and such other courses alternative to the International Lessons as shall secure

1. Adaptation of the lesson material to the age and advancement of the scholar;
2. More direct use of the Bible itself in our schools;
3. More systematic and connected study of the Bible History;
4. More attention to the doctrines of our own Church.

The Committee on Systematic Beneficence, Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., chairman, presented the following report, which was received and adopted:

The Committee on Systematic Beneficence respectfully submit the following report:

Systematic Beneficence.		Address to the Churches.	
252	churches contributed to Presbyterian Home Missions.....		\$11,711.65
236	“ “ “ Synodical “ “ .....		4,005.15
149	“ “ “ Assembly’s “ “ .....		1,634.00
237	“ “ “ Foreign Missions.....		20,407.96
162	“ “ “ Publication and Colportage.....		886.47
203	“ “ “ Education for Ministry.....		3,728.16
86	“ “ “ Church and Christian Education.....		917.99
180	“ “ “ Invalid Fund.....		1,256.84
172	“ “ “ Colored Evangelization.....		1,099.81
78	“ “ “ Bible Cause.....		429.20
79	“ “ “ Synodical Orphans’ Home..		2,090.43
77	“ “ “ Miscellaneous. ....		14,928.06
			\$63,095.72

Which is, in round numbers, \$7,000 more than the totals of last year.

Forty-one churches make no reports to Presbyteries. Of these seven are in Fayetteville, twelve in Mecklenburg, eleven in Wilmington, six in Orange and five in Albemarle. In the total contributions for the past year Fayetteville Presbytery has increased \$655, Mecklenburg, \$6,166, Wilmington, \$1,600 and Orange, \$312. While the Presbytery of Concord has decreased \$1,387 and Albemarle, \$339.

The committee recommends that Synod request the Presbyteries to instruct their churches when failing to report contributions to any stated cause of the Church’s beneficence, to give a reason for their failure to contribute.

We also recommend that the Stated Clerk of Synod revise the Synod’s blank for systematic beneficence, and omit the cause of church erection.

The Committee to prepare an Address to the Churches on the State of Religion, Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., chairman, presented the following, which was adopted and ordered to be read in all our churches:

The reports from the Presbyteries indicate the following state of religion in our bounds:

1. The officers of our churches, ministers, elders and deacons, are commended for official fidelity in the discharge of their duties, and especial mention is made of the faithfulness of the elders in gathering the people together in vacant churches. On the other hand also the attendance of the people on the means of grace is growing, and encouraging, and often highly satisfactory.

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**Address to the Churches.**

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2. An increasing interest is reported in Sunday school work, and special mention is made of the increasing efficiency of this part of church work, while on the other hand the reports deplore the fact that parents in so many cases leave their children too exclusively to this agency for their religious training. Dear brethren, this ought not so to be. The help you get from the Sunday school ought rather to encourage you to more earnest efforts at home, for responsibility in this matter cannot be transferred to others.

3. The most of the reports mention decided improvement in Sabbath observance, while there is still much to deplore in Sabbath desecration by travel, social visiting, Sunday mails, and Sunday newspapers. The Synod would exhort all the people to "remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," because the Lord's Sabbath is the starting place and nursing time of true holiness.

4. There is a uniform statement that the family altar is almost entirely neglected except in the families of office-bearers in the Church. The bare knowledge of this sad fact is a hopeful sign, and gives promise of an effort to correct so great an evil. Perhaps the confessed lack of a high state of grace and spirituality is due to this failure at the fountain head of family religion. "The stream cannot rise higher than the fountain."

5. Prayer meetings are well kept up in our compact and well-trained congregations, but are sadly neglected, especially in country districts where the congregations are much scattered. The Synod would recommend cottage prayer-meetings as the remedy for the real difficulties in the way of the more formal church prayer-meetings. Cottage prayer-meetings have done much good when tried.

6. The reported decrease in attendance on worldly amusements and intemperance is a subject for profound gratitude to God and encourages us to hope and pray that you all shall be no more "conformed to this world."

7. The churches are reported in the main, as faithful in their pecuniary obligations to their pastors and also in the regularity of their contributions to the various causes of the Church; and in some quarters the measure of liberality has been marked as well as gratifying.

8. All the Presbyteries report a steady growth in membership and large additions have been made to a number of churches in various parts of the Synod, and a signal blessing has rested upon our evangelistic work.

9. These and other indications lead us to thank God and take courage while we confess and deplore our short-comings and failure in duty, and pray Him to pour us out a blessing till there shall not be room to receive it.

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Reports of Committees.      Statistical Report.

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10. Dear brethren, the Synod would make these practical suggestions: Read this paper in all your churches, address yourselves to improving what is good and to correcting what is bad with all long suffering and patience; a few days of special services might be held with great profit in all our churches—pastors assisting each other—the burden of which service might well be the contents of this address in detail. “Wisdom is profitable to direct.”

In the name of the Synod of North Carolina we pray you grace, mercy, and peace from Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Committee to examine the Records of Concord Presbytery, Rev. W. P. McCorkle, chairman, reported, recommending their approval. The report was received and adopted

The Committee on the Statistical Reports of the Presbyteries, Rev. A. J. McKelway, chairman, presented the following report, which was received and adopted:

1. Total number of ministers, 142; churches, 345; licentiates, 18; candidates, 73; communicants, 31,920; contributions, \$222,583.00.
2. Numbers added, 2,544; (a) by examination, 1,552; (b) by certificate, 992.
3. Ministers received, 17.
4. Ministers dismissed, 16.
5. Churches organized, 9.
6. Churches dissolved, 1; transferred, 1.
7. Licentiates received, 6.
8. Licentiates transferred, 6.
9. Candidates received, 15.
10. Candidates dismissed, 2.
11. Ministers died, 8.
12. Ordinations, 7.
13. Installations, 17.
14. Dissolutions of pastoral relations, 16.
15. Licensures, 10.
16. 127 ministers in charge of 316 churches; 83 pastors; 22 stated supplies; 22 evangelists.
17. Vacant churches, 29.
18. Average salary of pastors, \$619.

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**Statistical Report.      Peace Institute.**

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19. Manses, 79; valued at \$130,550.

20. No minister or church in 19 counties.

21. Date and place of next meetings of Presbyteries:

ALBEMARLE—Wilson, April 20th, 1897.

CONCORD—Statesville, April 27th, 1897.

FAYETTEVILLE—Red Springs, Tuesday after the 3rd Sunday in April.

MECKLENBURG—Gastonia, April 9th.

ORANGE—Durham, April 27th.

WILMINGTON—Clarkton, April 6th.

22. We note the following gains over last year: Licentiates, 10; Candidate, 4; churches, 6; communicants, 1,628; contributions, \$7,377; churches organized, 2; evangelists, 7.

The Committee on Peace Institute, Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., chairman, presented the following report, which was received and adopted:

Your committee has had conference alike with the president of the Institute and with some friends of the Presbyterian Church who may be supposed to have the means whereby the financial part of our undertaking may be accomplished. We are gratified to report that on the part of the president we find an unswerving devotion to the Church of our fathers, and an abiding determination to maintain the school as distinctly Presbyterian. The Synod is to be congratulated that God has raised up one amongst us, who, while bearing alone the heavy financial responsibility incurred in maintaining a large female school of the highest grade in the Synod, has, as a loyal son, devoted his time and means and energies to making the school an agency for the development of the interests of the Presbyterian Church. Your committee furthermore hopes to report that this effort is meeting with more encouraging success. The Institute is in every way in a most flourishing condition, and remains a source of pride to every Presbyterian in the Synod. Whilst all this is true, your committee is of the opinion that the work of Peace Institute may yet be greatly enlarged. Located at the capital of the State, it may be made the centre of ever-widening influence. With proper management and co-operation on the part of the Synod and the men of means within our bounds, there is reason to hope that the already encouraging attendance may be more than doubled, and that the Church may have at our capital an institution which shall sustain to her a relation of influence and prominence similar to that which the University, or



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the A. and M. College, or the Greensboro Normal College sustains to the State. To bring about this result requires time. The committee has had conference with men of financial ability concerning the property interests involved, but the unsettled state of affairs throughout the country, and within the State has made it impossible to bring matters to a conclusion. Your committee would therefore ask to be continued.

The Committee to examine the Records of Mecklenburg Presbytery, Rev. Hugh Craig, chairman, reported, recommending their approval, with exceptions. The report was adopted, and the exceptions ordered to be noted in the records.

The Committee to examine the Records of Fayetteville Presbytery, Rev. P. C. Morton, chairman, reported that the records are neatly and concisely kept, and recommended their approval. The report was adopted.

Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., made a verbal report from the Board of Regents of South Atlantic University; the report was received as information; and Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., was re-elected a regent of the South Atlantic University, to serve three years.

Rev. A. D. McClure, chairman, presented the annual report on Publication and Colportage, which was received and adopted.

The Synod took recess until 7:30 P. M.

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**EVENING SESSION.**

The Synod convened at 7:30 P. M. and resumed its business.

The Order of the Day was taken up, viz.: Popular meeting in the interest of Synodical Home Missions., Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., presided by request, and opened the meeting with devotional exercises. Rev. Dr. Hoge then read the annual report of the committee. Addresses were made by Rev. Messrs. J. B. Morton, John Wakefield, A. K. Pool,

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 Recommendations.      Records of Orange Presbytery.
 

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B. Soulier and Wm. Black. A collection was taken for the cause, amounting to \$39.04 in cash, and \$5.50 in pledges. The recommendations were considered *seriatim* and adopted. And the report as a whole was adopted.

The recommendations are as follows:

1. Synod recognizing the need of a more active prosecution of the financial side of the committee's work and not wishing to draw more of the Superintendent's time from the Evangelistic work in which he has been so eminently blessed, authorizes the committee to secure the service, for a whole or part of his time, of an assistant superintendent.

2. Synod calls upon Presbyterian Committees, pastors and sessions to cooperate with the Synodical Committee in securing the proper presentation of this cause to all our churches, and would urge that whenever an adequate presentation can not be secured in the times allotted for it, efforts should be made by subscriptions or otherwise to make up within the year at least the sums apportioned each church.

3. Synod apportions the sum of \$5,000 for Synodical Mission work as follows: Mecklenburg, \$750; Fayetteville, \$950; Orange, \$950; Concord, \$900; Wilmington, \$750; Albemarle, \$500; Asheville, \$200

4. Synod commends the broad field of the Southwest under the care of our Assembly's committee to the liberality of our people and apportions the sum of \$3,000 for the cause as follows: Fayetteville, \$600; Orange, \$600; Concord, \$600; Mecklenburg, \$600; Wilmington, \$400; Albemarle, \$200; Asheville, \$100.

5. Synod would express its appreciation of the zeal and activity with which its Presbyteries have been prosecuting their work.

The erection of a new Presbytery out of our Western Mission Field, and the employment of Presbyterian Superintendents, or General Evangelists in several of the Presbyteries indicate the increased interest of our people in this cause, and the increased prosperity of this work. For all of which Synod expresses its gratitude to God

The Committee to examine the Records of Orange Presbytery, Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., chairman, reported recommending their approval as far as written. The report was received and adopted.

Synod adjourned to meet to-morrow at 9:30 A. M. Closed with prayer by Rev. B. Soulier.



**FOURTH DAY.**

FRIDAY, November 13th, 1896.

**MORNING SESSION.**

The Synod convened at 9:30 A. M. and was opened with prayer by Rev. Wm. Black.

The minutes of the Third Day's Session were read and approved.

Rev. J. A. Ramsay, chairman of the Historical Committee, reported that there was nothing requiring the action of the Synod. The report was received as information.

The Committee on the Minutes of the General Assembly, Rev. J. Rumble, D. D., chairman, presented a report, which was received and adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee appointed to examine the Minutes of the General Assembly respectfully report that the duty has been performed, and that while there are many matters therein requiring the attention of the Presbyteries, there is nothing demanding action by the Synod. Your committee, however, would call the attention of our people to the report on the Sabbath on pages 613-14, especially to that clause that urges our people to do what they legitimately can to procure the proper closing of the post offices on the Sabbath day. The Synod would therefore urge our people, wherever it appears practicable, to secure the consent of the local postmaster, and the signatures of a majority of the patrons of the post office to a petition asking for the closing of their office on the Sabbath day, and forward the same to the Third Assistant Postmaster General, in order to accomplish the much desired object.

The Special Committee on the report of the Regents of the Orphans' Home, Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D., chairman, presented the following report which was received and adopted:

Your committee beg leave to report, recommending:

1. That Synod express their gratitude to God for His continued favor to the Orphans' Home during another year.
2. That Synod has heard with great satisfaction from the report of the Regents of the growing usefulness of this institution, both in the increase of its inmates and in the efficiency of its educational work.

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3. That the Board of Regents, and the Superintendent of the Home, Rev. R. W. Boyd, be commended for the prudent and faithful discharge of the trust committed to them.

4. That the attention of the people of our Church be especially called at this time to the pressing need there is for money to finish the "Centre Building" for the larger accommodation of orphans. Under the circumstances the Synod endorses the purpose of the president, at the request of the Board of Regents, to visit some of our larger churches with the view of securing the needed funds; and commend him and his object to all the churches which he may visit.

5. That all our churches, Sabbath schools and Young People's Societies be urged, if possible, to become regular monthly contributors to the Support Fund of the Home; and that our people generally remember the orphans on Thanksgiving day with increased liberality of contributions in money or supplies or both.

6. The term of the Fifth Class of Regents having expired, the Synod hereby appoints G. W. Watts, Esq., and Rev. J. W. Stagg, to serve five years.

7. The Synod heartily commends to our people the paper published at the Home—"Our Fatherless Ones"—both for its own sake, as an evidence of the intelligence and progress of the pupils, and because of the fact, as appears from the Regents' report, that the income from the paper has in an emergency proved helpful to the support of the institution.

The Stated Clerk presented the following statistical report to the General Assembly, which was adopted, and ordered to be forwarded to the General Assembly:

The Synod of North Carolina respectfully reports to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, that it consists of seven Presbyteries, and that these consist, in whole, of 142 ministers and 345 churches, having under their care nine licentiates and 73 candidates, viz.:

Presbyteries.	Ministers.	Churches.	Licentiates.	Candidates.
Orange .....	25	53	0	19
Concord.....	25	54	4	15
Fayetteville.....	24	77	0	8
Wilmington.....	15	44	1	5
Mecklenburg.....	31	67	4	20
Albemarle.....	12	31	0	5
Asheville.....	10	19	0	1
	142	345	9	73

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Leave of Absence.      Judicial Committee.

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The Synod further reports that its next stated meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church at Salisbury, N. C., on Tuesday, November ~~11th~~, 1897, at 7:30 P. M. 2nd.

By order of Synod.

J. ALSTON RAMSAY,

*Stated Clerk.*

New Berne, N. C., November 12th, 1896.

The Committee on Leave of Absence, Rev. M. McG. Shields, chairman, presented the following report, which was received and approved:

The Committee on Leave of Absence would respectfully report,

1. The following named ministers were excused for absence from the last meeting of Synod: F. D. Thomas, F. H. Newkirk, R. V. Lancaster, W. C. Alexander, W. M. Shaw and S. H. Isler

2. The following ministers have been excused for absence from the *present* meeting of Synod:

R. E. Caldwell, R. Z. Johnston, S. W. Newell, W. G. White, C. M. Payne, D. D., C. A. Monroe, B. L. Beall, K. A. McLeod, W. A. Wood, D. D., R. W. Boyd, J. L. Williamson, C. N. Wharton, W. T. Walker.

3. The following members of Synod were granted leave of absence at this meeting:

*After Wednesday evening*, H. M. McDonald, C. Simpson.

*After Thursday evening*, Roger Martin, A. McFadyen, K. McDonald, Joseph Evans, P. C. Morton, H. C. Kegley, John Wakefield, W. R. McLelland, H. H. McKeithan, R. F. Campbell, D. D., W. A. Blair, S. M. Rankin, E. B. Neave, E. D. Brown, Colin Shaw, W. M. Shaw, D. Z. Hardin, C. W. Johnson, A. L. McLean, A. D. McClure, D. I. Craig, P. R. Law, R. A. Miller, J. B. Shearer, D. D., B. E. Wallace, D. McBryde, A. K. Pool, J. W. Pharr, M. McG. Shields, J. A. Holmes, C. G. Vardell, F. W. Farris, J. W. Stagg.

The Judicial Committee, Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., chairman, reported that no business had been placed in their hands. The report was received and the committee discharged.

Rev. J. Henry Smith, D. D., was appointed to prepare a resolution of sympathy for Mrs. L. C. Vass in her affliction in the recent death of Rev. L. C. Vass, D. D., formerly the pastor of this church.

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**Bills and Overtures. Resolution. Memorial.**

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The Committee on Bills and Overtures, Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., chairman, reported, recommending:

1. That the Overture from Orange Presbytery be answered in the affirmative.
2. That the Overture presented by Rev. C. G. Vardell be answered in the negative.

The report was received and adopted.

The following resolution of sympathy for Mrs. L. C. Vass was adopted and the Stated Clerk was directed to forward a copy to Mrs. Vass:

*Resolved*, That the Synod has heard with profound sorrow of the recent death of Rev. Dr. L. C. Vass, late member of this Synod, and for 25 years pastor of this, New Berne church, where the Synod is now sitting, and whose honored grave is but a short distance from this house, where so long he had preached the glorious gospel of the blessed God. Synod does hereby express to Mrs. Vass and her bereaved household the tender sympathies of the whole Synod of North Carolina with them in this their great loss, so sudden and so sad, and we do heartily commend them and ourselves to the Father of Mercies and the God of all comfort for the grace and help they and we need in this time of our bereavement and sorrow, and we rejoice in the blessed faith and Christian hope and assurance, that our departed brother while absent from this body, is present and at home with the Lord.

The following minutes touching the death of ministers deceased since the last meeting of the Synod were presented by their respective committees:

**REV. PLEASANT HUNTER DALTON.**

The Synod of North Carolina desires to place upon its minutes a record of its appreciation of the life and labors of the REV. PLEASANT HUNTER DALTON, for nearly fifty years a faithful and efficient laborer in its bounds. MR. DALTON

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**Memorial.**

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was a native of Iredell county, North Carolina, and a graduate of the State University. He began his labors in Concord Presbytery, afterwards labored in Orange Presbytery, in Washington, in Orange county, in Davidson and Guilford counties, and lastly in Davie county, near the place of his birth, and he fell asleep in Christ during the month of July of this year. We confidently testify that he was an earnest and instructive preacher of the gospel, successful in winning souls to Christ, and enterprising in founding and building up churches in destitute fields of the State. Nor would we forget to record that MR. DALTON was a pleasant and genial companion, and that his presence spread sunshine in whatever company he chanced to fall in with. His religion was a cheerful religion, a delightful earnest of that joy unspeakable and full of glory, upon which we confidently believe he has now entered.

**REV. W. K. BOGGS.**

REV. W. K. BOGGS died at Waxhaw, N. C., on the ——— day of September, 1896. At his death deceased was about 45 years of age. BROTHER BOGGS came to the Presbytery of Mecklenburg from Bethel Presbytery in the Synod of South Carolina about twelve months before his death, and during his brief sojourn in the Synod, supplied as pastor the church at Waxhaw for part of his time, spending the remainder in evangelistic work.

He had peculiar gifts, fitting him for evangelistic work, and was greatly blessed in his labors; preaching the Gospel with much power, and fearlessly yet kindly denouncing sin in every form.

Wherever he labored special emphasis was laid upon the privilege and duty of family prayer, and many are the family altars erected through his influence, which still survive him as monuments to his faithful work. Synod has heard with sadness of his death, and records this brief memorial as some token of its appreciation of his service and its sympathy with his bereaved family who mourn his loss.

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**REV. GEORGE L. WOLFE.**

REV. GEORGE L. WOLFE died at Carthage, N. C., June 24th, 1896. He was received into Fayetteville Presbytery from Tuscaloosa Presbytery a little over a year before he was called to his reward. Owing to his brief stay amongst us, we feel a lack of information on which to base a suitable minute of this brother beloved. He impressed us as a man of scholarly attainments, a good presbyter, a faithful preacher of the Word, and an earnest, devoted servant of God. His sudden call to service in the "house not made with hands" is a solemn reminder of the brevity of life and gives emphasis to the Savior's command, "Be ye also ready for at such a time as ye think not the son of man cometh."

**REV. A. McQUEEN.**

REV. ARCHIBALD McQUEEN died March 1st, 1896, in the 64th year of his age, in the 37th year of his ministry and 36th year of his membership in the Synod of North Carolina. It deserves to be said in a tribute to his memory, he was reserved as a presbyter and always modest in his manners. Few of his contemporaries possessed greater intellectual vigor. As a preacher he stood in the first rank. In the conduct of revival meetings he was peculiarly gifted. During his active career an unusual percentage of the churches of Fayetteville Presbytery were served by him for longer or shorter terms. Perhaps there are now more saved souls in the Presbytery in which he labored through all his life born again under his ministry than that of any other man. He was an affable and genial man and one of the most charming of fire side companions. His pronounced personal charms drew men to him with warm affection. In the county of Robeson, in which his labors were spent, and where he lived for the most part, and where he was best known, he was widely and warmly loved.

He died after a sickness of one year, in the midst of his family, at his charming country home, Queensdale. His last days were days of great suffering. He was a patient sufferer. At last he passed away declaring his readiness for his place in the House of many mansions.



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REV. O. A. WHITE.

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This brother pursued a special course of study preparatory to the ministry, taking his theological course in Columbia Seminary. In August, 1895, he came before the Presbytery of Fayetteville, and after examination, was received into the ministry. After his reception by Presbytery, MR. WHITE had placed in his hands, immediately, calls from the churches of Bethel and Galatia and in this, his first and last charge, he was soon happily settled. Under MR. WHITE'S care this field was making excellent progress and there was much promise for the future. But it was soon evident that the brother's health was not equal to the work in his hands, and a period of rest was granted him in which to recover his strength and vigor. But very few had any thought that his case was at all serious, and probably none in the Presbytery or his congregation were prepared for the shock which came so soon in the news of BROTHER WHITE'S death. The sorrow felt throughout his congregation, and by his brethren of Fayetteville Presbytery was genuine, for a faithful pastor, a beloved brother and a kind friend was gone. In this sorrow this Synod duly shares, and records its heartfelt sympathy with the bereaved family, and its own sense of loss in the death of this young and promising minister.

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REV. WILLIAM GRAVES.

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By reason of strength this brother lived above his four-score years and ten. He was one of the pioneer ministers of our Church in the mountain region of our territory. A good portion of his labor was in the counties of Henderson and Transylvania, and sometimes he made journeys into the adjoining counties of Haywood, Jackson, and doubtless others. He was a "good man," a faithful presbyter, a wise counselor and a man, in his day, zealous for his Father's bus-

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iness. Amid the beauty and grandeur of his humble mountain home, among his own people, in the month of September, he peacefully passed away. Servant of God, cease from thy beloved employ, and enter into thy rest—that rest that remaineth to the people of God.

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**REV. D. D. McBRYDE.**

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REV. D. D. McBRYDE, of Fayetteville Presbytery, whose loss our Synod is called to mourn, was born near Laurel Hill church, in Richmond county, in 1827, licensed by Fayetteville Presbytery in 1853, and ordained to the full work of the Gospel ministry in 1854. For 42 years he labored within the bounds of Fayetteville Presbytery, and for more than 36 years he was pastor of the two churches of Bluff and Sardis. But many other churches were benefited by his abundant and efficient labors. He was often a member of our highest judicatories, and of the boards of trustees which have successfully managed our educational institutions. He was ever a wise counselor and an active co-worker.

BROTHER McBRYDE was a man of rare intellectual and moral endowments. He was a profound and patient thinker, and he took hold of a subject with the vigorous grasp and keen insight of a powerful and disciplined mind. He had an acute intellect, quick perceptions, a sound judgment, an active logical faculty, a memory well furnished and prompt, and an extraordinary practical wisdom in all the affairs of life. His moral qualities were not less remarkable than his mental gifts. He had dignity without stiffness, courage without rashness, prudence without timidity, gentleness without weakness, courtesy without insincerity, liberality without extravagance, scholarship without pedantry, humility without meanness, and love without dissimulation. As a preacher he was reverent toward God, faithful toward man, loyal to his Divine Master, a diligent student of God's lively oracles and an active herald of Gospel tidings. He ever studied to "show himself a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth." As a *presbyter* he was familiar with the policy and laws of the church, was a punctual and active attendant upon its



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judicatories, and was both wise in counsel and efficient in service. As a *companion* he was genial in disposition, affable in manners, courteous in speech and brotherly in intercourse. Our brother is not, because God hath taken him and translated him from labor to reward and from the Church militant to the Church triumphant.

The Synod would express the deepest sympathy with his bereaved family in its grievous loss, while at the same time it would rejoice with them in the character imparted to our brother by nature and by grace, in the honorable and useful career he had on earth, and in the assured hope of a blessed resurrection, a gladsome reunion and eternal life in the company of the redeemed and glorified.

REV. JOHN A. PRESTON, D. D.

JOHN ALEXANDER PRESTON had been but a short time among us when God called him higher. But in that short time he has left an impress upon Synod, Presbytery, Church and community that time can not efface and that eternity alone can reveal. With a head like a Roman Senator and a smile like a pictured saint, there was an impression of mingled sweetness and power created by his very appearance, which was confirmed and deepened as a closer acquaintance began to reveal the rich treasures of his mind and heart. His gifts inherited from a distinguished ancestry and developed in an atmosphere of refinement, were cultivated by thorough study.

Possessed of an early acquaintance with the usual elements of liberal scholarship, in the study of the Word of God he made himself a master. His exact and critical knowledge of its contents and his firm grasp of its principles were set aglow by the intensity of his faith and the depth of his human sympathies. Here was the secret of his pulpit power: Knowledge of God's Word and of man's needs; sympathy with those needs and faith in that Word as their all-sufficient remedy. Yet no view of his preaching can ignore his exquisite diction and faultless literary taste.

His character combined the strength of manhood with the gentleness of a woman and the simplicity of a little child. The high standard of duty which he unswervingly followed himself won the respect of all men, while his tender

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consideration for the failings of others won their love. He was universally popular without ever stooping to court popularity. He seemed utterly indifferent to public opinion, but every one knew that he was never indifferent to public good. Both facts were due to his utter forgetfulness of self. The strong and the weak, the young and the old were equally sure of his ready interest. No burden was too great for him to seek to relieve it, none too light for him to give it attention and sympathy.

Upon his heart lay all the great causes of the Church. He deeply studied their problems, and in every way sought to advance their interests. In building up his own great church his purpose and aim was to make it more a factor in building up Christ's kingdom at home and abroad.

He was taken away in the prime of his powers and in the midst of his varied and growing usefulness. When first taken sick he said to his wife, "There are no shadows across my pathway; all is light; my faith is undimmed, my assurance is perfect." For us it should be a lesson to fill up our lives with work for others in the Master's name, that if suddenly called to our account, we may not be ashamed. If we would sum up in a word the secret of his life and work, it would be in the words of the text of the only sermon he ever preached before this Synod: "The disciple that Jesus loved."

After the reading of these memorials, and remarks by various members of the Synod, the memorials were adopted by a rising vote, and the Synod was led in prayer by Rev. E. Daniel, D. D.

The Stated clerk was directed to transmit to the families of the deceased brethren copies of the memorials adopted, and to make the customary memorial record in the book of minutes.

Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., was elected chairman of the Committee of Colored Evangelization in the place of Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., removed from the Synod.

The Synod then engaged in Divine worship conducted by Rev. W. C. Alexander.

Recess was taken until 3 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Synod convened at 3 P. M. and resumed business.

The Special Committee to whom was referred the Report of the Board of Directors of the Academical and Industrial Institute, Rev. J. Rumble, D. D., chairman, presented the following report, which was received and adopted :

1. That Synod has heard with pleasure of the success which has attended the efforts made in behalf of that institution, and would commend Rev. Simon G. Walker, its efficient Superintendent, and his work to the confidence and liberality of our people.

2. That Synod appoints Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., and Rev. A. J. McKelway Trustees to succeed themselves.

3. Rev. R. E. Caldwell is appointed to succeed Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., removed from our bounds; Mr. Edward Finley to succeed Mr. John Finley, deceased and Mr. ——— Montcastle to succeed Mr. C. E. Graham, removed from our bounds.

The Synod then heard Rev. S. G. Walker concerning the Academical and Industrial Institute, of which he is Superintendent and Financial Agent.

At the conclusion of this address the following resolution was presented and adopted :

The Synod directs that one-third of the December collection for Colored Work be applied to the Academical and Industrial Institute at North Wilkesboro, and that this one-third be sent to Mr. Geo. W. Watts, Durham, N. C., who is the treasurer of this fund; and the Stated Clerk is directed to publish this action in the *North Carolina Presbyterian*.

Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., presented the report of the special committee on the *North Carolina Presbyterian*. It is as follows :

Your committee would report that soon after the adjournment of the last Synod it sent out a circular to each of our ministers asking reports on the circulation of the paper (1) among the elders (2) among the deacons and (3) among the families of the congregation. From the meagre reports received it appears that a large number of our elders and deacons fail to take the paper,

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and that only a small proportion of the families that are able to take it are supplied with it.

The circular also asked for suggestions for the improvement of the paper. Some of the suggestions made were impracticable for lack of money, others would involve the sacrifice of more important things. The most important suggestion was that a Young People's Column be added. This has been done and other improvements have been made or will soon be added.

The committee recommends no action to be taken at this time, but asks to be continued and that the place of Dr. Preston be filled and a member be appointed from Asheville Presbytery.

The report was approved and the committee was continued. Rev. J. W. Stagg was put in the place of Rev. J. A. Preston, D. D., deceased; and Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., was added from Asheville Presbytery.

The following resolution was presented and adopted :

*Resolved.* That the Stated Clerk of the Synod be and is hereby directed to have printed in the Appendix to the Minutes of this meeting of Synod a list of the Ruling Elders and Deacons in the Synod.

Rev. Wm. Black was re-elected Superintendent of Synodical Home Missions for the ensuing year. The ruling elders of the committee were re-elected, except Mr. C. E. Graham, who has removed from the State; and his place was filled by the election of Mr. A. G. Brenizer.

Mr. W. A. Blair, of Asheville, was elected as the ruling elder from Asheville Presbytery.

Synod took recess until after the installation service to-night.

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**EVENING SESSION.**

Synod met after recess and resumed its business.

The following resolution of thanks was presented and adopted by a rising vote :

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Resolution of Thanks.      Adjournment.

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The Synod of North Carolina returns its thanks for the abounding hospitality of the good people of New Berne church, who have so gracefully entertained the members of Synod, and to the choir of the church for their inspiring music. It acknowledges its indebtedness to the *New Berne Journal*, the *New Berne Chronicle*, the *Charlotte Observer* and the *Raleigh News and Observer* for their courtesy in publishing the news of the Synod; and to the railroads of the State for the reduction in the fare.

The roll was called before final adjournment.

The minutes of the fourth day's session were read and approved.

The Synod then adjourned to meet in the Presbyterian church, Salisbury, N. C., on Tuesday, November 2nd, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m.

Closed with singing, prayer and the Apostolic Benediction.

A. D. McCLURE,

*Moderator.*

REV. P. R. LAW,

REV. W. R. McLELLAND,

*Temporary Clerks.*

A true copy from the records.

ATTEST:

J. ALSTON RAMSAY,

*Stated Clerk.*



APPENDIX.





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### STATISTICAL REPORTS OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

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#### I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Orange reports :

1.—25 ministers; 53 churches; 0 licentiates; 19 candidates; 5,081 communicants; thirty-five thousand, two hundred and forty-three dollars (\$35,243.00.) aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$2,736 less than was raised the year before.

2.—560 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination, 364; on certificate, 196.

3.—Three ministers were received, viz.: Rev. P. C. Morton, October 25, 1895, S. Alabama Presbytery; Rev. H. D. Lequeux, October 25, 1895, Concord Presbytery; Rev. W. P. McCorkle, January 28, 1896, Mecklenburg Presbytery.

4.—Four ministers were transferred, viz.: Rev. W. R. Coppedge, October 23, 1895, to Fayetteville Presbytery; Rev. D. M. McIver, March 20, 1896, to Memphis Presbytery; Rev. C. R. Morton, April 24, 1896, to Campinas and Western Minares, Brazil, Presbytery; Rev. W. S. Campbell, September 23, 1896, to East Hanover Presbytery.

5.—No churches received or organized.

6.—No churches transferred or dissolved.

7.—No licentiates received.

8.—Three licentiates transferred, viz.: R. A. Brown, September 24, 1896, to Savannah Presbytery; W. C. Brown, September 24, 1896, to Concord Presbytery; John Wakefield, September 24, 1896, to Wilmington Presbytery.

9.—Five candidates received, viz.: J. A. Ratliff, November 26, 1895, C. H.

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Johnston, June 2, 1896; J. H. Allison, September 24, 1896; R. W. George, September, 25, 1896; E. L. Harris, September 25, 1896.

10.—One candidate transferred, viz.: W. K. Forsythe, April 22, 1896, to Transylvania Presbytery.

11.—No ministers died.

12.—One ordination, viz.: Robert W. George, September 25, 1896.

13.—Three installations, viz.: Rev. W. P. McCorkle, at Graham church, February 16, 1896; Rev. H. D. Lequeux, at Alamance church, March 15, 1896, and at Springwood church, March 29, 1896.

14.—Dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz.: Rev. W. S. Campbell and the Milton and Griens' churches, April 22, 1896.

15.—Licenses, viz.: R. A. Brown, April 24, 1896; W. C. Brown and John Wakefield, June 2, 1896; Robert W. George, September 25, 1896.

16.—21 ministers in charge of 42 churches; 17 pastors; 4 stated supplies; 7 evangelists; 0 licentiates; 0 foreign missionaries.

17.—10 churches vacant.

18.—\$690.00, average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19.— ——— Manses, aggregate value, \$---

20.—No minister or church in two counties, viz.: Ashe and Alleghany.

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Durham on the 27th day of April, 1897.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

D. I. CRAIG,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Chapel Hill church, on the 23rd day of September, 1896.

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**II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.**

*To the Synod of North Carolina:*

The Presbytery of Concord reports:

1.—25 ministers; 54 churches; 4 licentiates; 15 candidates; 5,298 communicants; and twenty-five thousand, six hundred and nine dollars (\$25,609), aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$1,160 less than was raised the year before.

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2.—319 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination 186; on certificate 133.

3.—1 minister was received, viz.: Rev. L. A. McLaurin, from Albemarle Presbytery, September 16th, 1896.

4.—No ministers transferred.

5.—3 churches organized, viz.: Front Street, Statesville, September 9th, 1896; White Hall, May 9th, 1896; Quaker Meadows, August 2nd, 1896.

6.—No churches transferred or dissolved.

7.—1 licentiate received, viz.: W. C. Brown, from Orange, October 27, 1896.

8.—No licentiates transferred.

9.—1 candidate received, viz.: A. K. Pool, from Fayetteville, September 16th, 1896.

10.—No candidates transferred.

11.—1 minister died, viz.: P. H. Dalton, July 22nd, 1896.

12.—1 ordination, viz.: A. K. Pool, October 27th, 1896.

13.—1 installation, viz.: Rev. R. S. Arrowood, at Franklin, May 16th, 1896.

14.—4 dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz.: Rev. E. E. Pressly and Concord church, November 12th, 1895, and New Salem September 17th, 1896; Rev. R. S. Arrowood and Fifth Creek and Elmwood, December 9th, 1895.

15.—2 licensures, viz.: J. E. Summers and A. K. Pool, September 18th, 1896.

16.—18 ministers in charge of 37 churches; 15 pastors; 2 stated supplies; 1 evangelist; 4 licentiates; 1 foreign missionary.

17.—4 churches vacant.

18.—\$736 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19.—16 manses, aggregate value, \$24,000.

20.—No minister or church in 2 counties, viz.: Yadkin and Yancey.

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Statesville, on 27th day of April, 1897, at 7:30 P. M.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

W. R. McLELLAND,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Statesville Church, 27th day of Oct., 1896.

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## III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Fayetteville reports:

1.—24 ministers; 77 churches; 0 licentiates; 8 candidates; 7,646 communicants; and twenty-five thousand, nine hundred and forty-six dollars (\$25,946.00), aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$4,046.00 more than was raised the year before.

2.—455 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination, 311; on certificate, 144.

3.—3 ministers were received, viz.: Rev. W. R. Coppedge, October 24, 1895; Rev. W. C. Buchanan, May 26, 1896; Rev. C. G. Vardell, October 15, 1896.

4.—1 minister was transferred, viz.: Rev. W. M. Eldridge, December 23, 1895.

5.—No churches received or organized

6.—No churches transferred or dissolved.

7.—No licentiates received.

8.—No licentiates transferred.

9.—4 candidates received, viz.: J. A. McIntyre, April 21, 1896; Allen Jones, April 23, 1896; Fred Brown, October 14, 1896; Isaac N. Clegg, October 15, 1896.

10.—1 candidate transferred, viz.: A. K. Pool, April 24, 1896.

11.—4 ministers died, viz.: Rev. A. McQueen, March 1, 1896; Rev. O. A. White, March 20, 1896; Rev. G. L. Wolfe, June 4, 1896; Rev. D. D. McBryde, October 20, 1896.

12.—1 ordination, viz.: Licentiate Archie McLaughlin, October 16, 1896.

13.—2 installations, viz.: Rev. D. Fairley, December 20, 1895; Rev. W. F. Thom, May 30, 1896.

14.—No dissolutions of pastoral relations.

15.—1 licensure, viz.: Archie McLaughlin, May 26, 1896.

16.—21 ministers in charge of 70 churches; 11 pastors; 10 stated supplies; 2 evangelists; 0 licentiates; 2 foreign missionaries.

17.—3 churches vacant.

18.—\$602.00, average salary paid ministers in charge of churches

19.—4 manses, aggregate value, \$4,500.

20.—No county without minister or church.

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Red Springs, on Tuesday after the 3rd Sunday in April, 1897.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

P. R. LAW,

At Sanford Church, on 16th day of October, 1896.

*Stated Clerk.*

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IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Wilmington reports:

1.—15 ministers; 44 churches; 1 licentiate; 5 candidates; 3,142 communicants; and twenty-four thousand four hundred and eighty-four dollars (\$24,484), aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$5,825 less than was raised the year before.

2.—258 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination, 148; on certificate, 110.

3.—No ministers were received.

4.—2 ministers were transferred, viz.: J. S. Wood, April 8th, 1896, to Presbytery of North Alabama; J. M. Rawlings, D. D., September 30, 1896, to Presbytery of West Hanover.

5.—No churches received or organized.

6.—No churches transferred or dissolved.

7.—3 licentiates received, viz.: R. E. Wallace, January 9, 1896; John Wakefield, October 1st, 1896; Ivanhoe Robertson, October 30th, 1896.\*

8.—No licentiates transferred.

9.—No candidates received.

10.—No candidates transferred.

11.—No ministers died

12.—2 ordinations, viz.: B. E. Wallace, January 10, 1896; John Wakefield, October 30, 1896.†

13.—1 installation, viz.: B. E. Wallace, January 10, 1896, pastor of Immanuel church.

14.—No dissolutions of pastoral relations.

15.—No licensures.

16.—11 ministers in charge of 35 churches; 7 pastors; no stated supplies; 4 evangelists; 1 licentiate; 4 foreign missionaries without charges.

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\*Mr. Robertson was received at an adjourned meeting held since the regular meeting.

†Mr. Wakefield was ordained at an adjourned meeting since the regular meeting.

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17.—5 churches vacant, and four churches in charge of a licentiate.

18.—\$832.66, average salary paid ministers in charge of churches including city pastors; without them, \$467.16 is the average salary.

19.—2 manses, aggregate value, \$10,000.

20.—No county without minister or church.

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Clarkton, on the 6th day of April, 1897.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

A. McFADYEN,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Rockfish Church, on 2nd day of October, 1896.

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**V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.**

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Mecklenburg reports:

1.—41 ministers; 86 churches; 4 licentiates; 21 candidates; 8,746 communicants; and eighty-seven thousand, three hundred and thirteen dollars (\$87,313.00), aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$7,064.00 more than was raised the year before.

2.—746 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination, 415; on certificate, 331.

3.—7 ministers were received, viz.: W. K. Boggs, May 13, 1896; R. D. Stimson, May 13, 1896; T. M. Lowry, October 6, 1896; J. S. Shaw, October 6, 1896; Joseph Crockard, October 6, 1896; T. F. Boozer, October 24, 1896; J. W. Stagg, February 4, 1896.

4.—4 ministers were transferred, viz.: James Lapsley, October 24, 1895, to North Alabama Presbytery; Chalmers Moore April 20, 1896, to Bethel Presbytery; W. P. McCorkle, December 31, 1895, to Orange Presbytery; R. E. Lentz, March 31, 1895, to Central Texas Presbytery.

5.—4 churches organized, viz.: Siler, April 1, 1896; Henrietta, April 26, 1896; Carmel, April 27, 1896; Murphy, September 11, 1896.

6.—2 churches dissolved, viz.: Red Oak, March 31, 1896; Weaverton, October 8, 1896.

7.—1 licentiate received, viz.: R. W. Alexander, December 31, 1895, from Macon Presbytery.

8.—4 licentiates transferred, viz.: W. L. Walker, October 25, 1895, to En-



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oree Presbytery; J. R. Wilson, October 24, 1895, to Tuscaloosa Presbytery; E. D. Brown, to Albemarle Presbytery, May 13, 1896; W. M. Hunter, to Atlanta Presbytery, May 26, 1896.

9.—4 candidates received, viz.: W. J. Garrison, April 1, 1896; W. L. Cathey, April 1, 1896; Bryce Robinson, April 1, 1896; Ralston Morrison, April 1, 1896; L. A. Bennett, May 13, 1896; H. W. Hoon, May 13, 1896.

10.—1 candidate transferred, viz.: Robt. L. McNain, to Maryland Presbytery, May 13, 1896.

11.—3 ministers died, viz.: John A. Preston, O. D., September 13, 1896; William Graves, August 29, 1896; W. K. Boggs, October 9, 1896.

12.—1 ordination, viz.: R. W. Alexander, May 28, 1896.

13.—8 installations, viz.: J. L. Wicker, at Brevard, ———; J. W. Stagg, at two churches, Charlotte, February 16, 1896; J. M. Grier, at Huntersville, February 15, 1896; S. W. Newell, at Amity, May 2, 1896, and at Newell, May 9, 1896; W. K. Boggs, at Waxhaw, May 21, 1896; R. W. Alexander, at Waynesville, May 28, 1896; Jonas Barclay, at Williams' Memorial, June 13, 1896.

14.—8 dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz.: E. A. Sample and Mills' River, December 17, 1895; W. P. McCorkle and Shelby, December 31, 1895; W. C. C. Foster and Paw Creek, December 31, 1895; W. C. C. Foster and Cook's Memorial, December 31, 1895; G. A. Hough and Rutherfordton, April 3, 1896; J. L. Williamson and Sugar Creek, May 26, 1886; E. A. Sample and Hendersonville, October 6, 1896; R. P. Smith and Gastonia, October 8, 1896.

15.—2 licensures, viz.: H. W. Hoon, May 13, 1896; S. W. Moore, May 13, 1896.

16.—32 ministers in charge of 80 churches; 26 pastors; 6 stated supplies; 3 evangelists; 2 licentiates; 1 foreign missionary.

17.—6 churches vacant.

18.—\$741.93, average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19.—28 mansees, aggregate value, \$36,000.

20.—No minister or church in two counties, viz.: Madison and Graham

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Gastonia, on the 9th day of April, 1896.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

EUGENE L. SILER,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Davidson River Church, on the 8th day of October, 1896.

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 Statistical Report—Albemarle Presbytery.
 

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## VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Albemarle reports :

1.—12 ministers; 31 churches; no licentiate; 5 candidates; 2,007 communicants; and twenty-three thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight dollars (\$23,988), aggregate of all funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1896, being \$4,599 more than was raised the year before.

2.—206 members were added to the churches during the year—on examination, 128; on certificate, 78.

3.—3 ministers were received, viz.: Rev. Jno. B. Morton, from Swannee Presbytery, October 23, 1895; Rev. James Thomas, from North River Presbytery (Northern), July 28, 1896; Rev. A. Shorter Caldwell, from South Florida Presbytery (Northern), October 23, 1896.

4.—4 ministers were transferred, viz.: Rev. W. H. A. Williams, (colored), to Cape Fear Presbytery (Northern), April 15, 1896; Rev. L. A. McLaurin, to Concord Presbytery, April 15, 1896; Rev. J. E. Thacker, to Louisville Presbytery, April 15, 1896; Rev. C. G. Vardell, to Fayetteville Presbytery, July 28, 1896.

5.—2 churches received, viz.: Knox, (colored), Washington, N. C., November 20, 1895; Young Memorial, Vance county, July 26, 1896.

6.—1 church transferred, viz.: Knox, (colored), to Cape Fear Presbytery, (Northern.)

7.—1 licentiate received, viz.: E. D. Brown, from Mecklenburg Presbytery, July 28, 1896.

8.—No licentiate transferred.

9.—1 candidate received, viz.: Thomas D. Johnston, October 23, 1895.

10.—No candidate transferred.

11.—No minister died.

12.—2 ordinations, viz.: W. H. A. Williams, as evangelist, January 30, 1896; E. D. Brown, as evangelist, October 26, 1896.

13.—2 installations, viz.: Rev. J. B. Morton, Tarboro church; Rev. A. S. Caldwell, Oxford church, October 25, 1896.

14.—3 Dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz.: Rev. J. E. Thacker, Oxford church, April 15, 1896; Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., Henderson church, July 24, 1896; Rev. C. G. Vardell, New Berne church, July 28, 1896.

15.—1 licensure, viz.: W. H. A. Williams, (colored), November 21, 1895.

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**Statistical Report—Albemarle Presbytery.**

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16.—12 ministers in charge of 29 churches; 7 pastors; no stated supply; 5 evangelists; no licentiate; no foreign missionary.

17.—1 church vacant.

18.—\$812 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19.—11 manses, aggregate value \$22,050; rentals, \$1,621.

20.—No minister or church in 13 counties, viz.: Bertie, Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Hertford, Hyde, Northhampton, Pamlico, Perquimans, Tyrell and Greene.

21.—The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Wilson, N. C., on the 20th day of April, 1897.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

F. H. JOHNSTON,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Geneva Church, on 23rd day of October, 1896.

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 Systematic Beneficence—Orange Presbytery.
 

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## B.

 REPORT OF PRESBYTERIES ON SYSTEMATIC  
 BENEFICENCE.
 

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## I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina :

The Presbytery of Orange respectfully submits the following Report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1896 :

1.—40 churches contributed to Presbyterian Home Missions.....	§	2,349.00
2.—35 " " Synodical " " .....		907.00
3.—37 " " Assembly's " " .....		299.00
4.—42 " " Foreign Missions,.....		3,458.00
5.—39 " " Publication and Colportage.....		177.00
6.—36 " " Edneation for Ministry,.....		563.00
7.—23 " " Church and Christian Edneation.....		535.00
8.—35 " " Invalid Fund, .....		296.00
9.—32 " " Colored Evangelization.....		251.00
10.—23 " " Bible Cause,.....		125.00
11.—		Church Erection.....
12.—30 " " Synodical Orphans' Home.....		780.00
13.—13 " " Miscellaneous.....		1,453.00
Total.....		\$11,193.00

Being \$312.00 more than was raised the year before. 47 churches reported, and 13 of them contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church, and 43 to one or more of them.

6 churches made no report, viz.: Calah, Elkin, Eno, Lexington, Oak Forest and Worthville.

By order of Presbytery :

ATTEST :

D. I. CRAIG,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Chapel Hill Church, on the 23rd day of September, 1896.

Systematic Beneficence—Concord Presbytery.

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina :

The Presbytery of Concord respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence, for the year ending March 31, 1896 :

1—36 churches contributed to	{Presbyterial Home Missions}	Local.	\$1,603.00
2.—26 " " " "	{Synodical " " " "}		327.00
3.—36 " " " "	Assembly's " " " "		2,320.00
4.—22 " " " "	Foreign Missions.		93.00
5.—28 " " " "	Publication and Colportage		1,315.00
6.—27 " " " "	{Education for Ministry		175.00
7.—25 " " " "	{Church and Christian Education }		
8.— 9 " " " "	Invalid Fund		125.00
9.—11 " " " "	Colored Evangelization		45.00
01.—17 " " " "	Bible Cause		166.00
	Synodical Orphans' Home*		536.00
	Miscellaneous		
Total			\$6,705.00

Being about \$1,387 less than was raised the year before. 7 churches contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church and 34 to one or more of them.

By order of Presbytery :

ATTEST :

W. R. McLELLAND,

At Statesville Church, on 27th day of October, 1896.

Stated Clerk.

\*Other churches reported contributions, but did not give the amounts.

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 Systematic Beneficence—Fayetteville Presbytery.
 

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## III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Presbytery of Fayetteville respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1896:

1.—68	Churches contributed to Presbyterial Home Missions,.....	\$1,081.00
2.—60	“ “ “ Synodical “ “ .....	756.00
3.—49	“ “ “ Assembly’s “ “ .....	240.00
4.—71	“ “ “ Foreign Missions, .....	3,961.00
5.—51	“ “ “ Publication and Colportage, .....	172.00
6.—55	“ “ “ Education for Ministry,.....	301.00
7.—35	“ “ “ Church and Christian Education,...	104.00
8.—53	“ “ “ Invalid Fund,.....	173.00
9.—50	“ “ “ Colored Evangelization, .....	158.00
10.—24	“ “ “ Bible Cause,.....	85.00
11.—	“ “ “ Church Erection,.....	
12.—38	“ “ “ Synodical Orphan’s Home, .....	685.00
13.—	“ “ “ Miscellaneous,.....	1,319.00
	TOTAL, .....	\$9,035.00

Being \$655.00 more than was raised the year before. 76 churches reported, and 7 of them contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church, and 69 to one or more of them.

1 church made no report, viz.: Haywood.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

P. R. LAW.

*Stated Clerk.*

At Sanford Church, on 15th day of October, 1896.

Systematic Benevolence—Wilmington Presbytery.

IV. WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina :

The Presbytery of Wilmington respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Benevolence for the year ending March 31, 1896 :

1.—23 Churches contributed to Presbyterial Home Missions,.....	\$2,009.65
2.—20 " " Synodical " " .....	636.00
3.—19 " " Assembly's " " .....	207.45
4.—25 " " Foreign Missions,.....	3,334.00
5.—15 " " Publication and Colportage, ..	100.29
6.—26 " " Education for Ministry,.....	516.22
7.— " " Church and Christian Education,.....	
8.—20 " " Invalid Fund,.....	138.67
9.—18 " " Colored Evangelization,.....	91.63
10.— 7 " " Bible Cause,.....	69.07
11.— " " Church Erection,.....	
12.— " " Synodical Orphans' Home,.....	
13.— " " Miscellaneous, .....	2,591.93
TOTAL,.....	\$9,695.06

Being \$1,645.17 more than was raised the year before. 33 churches reported, and 10 of them contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church, and 32 to one or more of them.

11 churches made no report, viz.: Beulah, Harmony, Hebron, Maple Hill, Pollocksville, Richlands, Topsail, Stanford, Smiths', Verona and Wildwood.

By order of Presbytery :

ATTEST :

A. McFADYEN,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Rockfish Church, on 2nd day of October, 1896.



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 Systematic Beneficence—Mecklenburg Presbytery.
 

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## V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

*To the Synod of North Carolina:*

The Presbytery of Mecklenburg respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1896:

1.—61	Churches contributed to Local Home Missions, .....	\$ 4,862.00
2.—18	“ “ Assembly’s Home Missions.....	373.00
3.—63	“ “ Foreign Missions.....	6,216.00
4.—35	“ “ Publication and Colportage.....	252.00
5.—58	“ “ Education for Ministry.....	1,076.00
6.—	Church and Christian Education,..	
7.—45	“ “ Invalid Fund, .....	248.00
8.—47	“ “ Colored Evangelization, .....	382.00
9.—15	“ “ Bible Cause.....	70.00
10.—	Church Erection.....	285.00
11.—	Synodical Orphans’ Home.....	
12.—47	“ “ Miscellaneous.....	7,400.00
	TOTAL, .....	\$21,164.00

Being \$6,166.00 more than was raised the year before, 74 churches reported, and 9 of them contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church, and 72 to one or more of them.

12 churches made no report, viz.: Midway, Brevard, Davidson River, Mills River, Duncan’s Creek, Weaverton, Columbus, Hiawassee, Lattimore, Sandy Plains, Swanannoa and Bethel. (H.)

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

EUGENE L. SILER,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Davidson River Church, on the 8th day of Oct., 1896.

Systematic Benevolence—Albemarle Presbytery.

VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

The Presbytery of Albemarle respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Benevolence for the year ending March 31, 1896:

1.—	Churches contributed to Presbyterial Home Missions.....	\$ 600.31
2.—	"    "    "    Synodical    "    "    .....	503.00
3.—	"    "    "    Assembly's    "    "    .....	187.55
4.—	"    "    "    Foreign Missions,.. ..	1,118.96
5.—	"    "    "    Publication and Colportage,.....	92.18
6.—	"    "    "    Education for Ministry, .....	198.94
7.—	"    "    "    Church and Christian Education.....	36.99
8.—	"    "    "    Invalid Fund,.. ..	226.17
9.—	"    "    "    Colored Evangelization,.....	92.18
10.—	"    "    "    Bible Cause,.....	35.13
11.—	"    "    "    Church Erection, .... ..	124.69
12.—	"    "    "    Synodical Orphans' Home,.....	459.43
13.—	"    "    "    Miscellaneous,.... ..	1,628.13
	TOTAL.....	\$5,303.66

Being \$339.55 less than was raised the year before. 25 churches reported, and 4 of them contributed to all the objects conducted by the Church, and 21 to one or more of them.

5 churches made no report. viz.: Aurora, Dover, Greenville, Kinston and Louisburg.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

F. H. JOHNSTON,

*Stated Clerk.*

At Geneva Church, on the 23rd day of October, 1896.

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## C.

 REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SYNODICAL MISSIONS.
 

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*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

Your committee in submitting this, its Eighth Annual Report, desires to record its gratitude to God for His manifest blessing upon the work entrusted to its care during the year ending November 1st, 1896.

The work of the evangelists in preaching the Gospel has been greatly blessed and every department of the work shows encouraging progress except the financial support given to it by our churches.

The work this year was begun with a debt of \$928.00, (which was reported at last Synod,) and the receipts since then have been inadequate to permit any new work to be undertaken, though such was greatly desired, and insufficient for paying off the debt of last year; so that while our total receipts are about \$100.00 more this year than last, your committee finds itself still with a debt of about \$800.00.

There are many things upon which much labor was expended and which it is believed will result in much good, that can never be tabulated or reduced to figures, and therefore when your committee undertakes to lay before Synod the results of the work done, it is obvious that such report must be imperfect. Still it believes enough will appear to show that it is a great mistake for the Synod to fail in supporting this department of mission work.

## THE SUPERINTENDENT,

Rev. William Black, has been in the constant employment of the committee during the year, and besides discharging the duties of the office of Secretary and Treasurer, (writing and mailing more than 600 letters and 5,000 circulars, and collecting and receipting for and disbursing more than \$4,400 00,) has held twenty-one meetings, assisted in two others, and preached more than 365 times in twenty-six churches, and in nineteen different counties, fraised in these meetings more than \$2,000.00 and added to the Presbyterian Church 446 members on profession of faith.

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**REV. J. W. WAKEFIELD,**

Evangelist in Brunswick county, began work in July and supplied regularly the organized churches of New Hope and Shallotte, besides several mission points, and is the only Presbyterian minister in this county. As a part of the result of his work just begun there have already been twenty additions to membership, one church organized, one Sunday school organized, and the work generally is in a most hopeful condition.

**REV. C. W. ROBINSON,**

Evangelist in Wilkes, Surry, Yadkin and Ashe Counties, supplies regularly the organized churches of North Wilkesboro, Wilkesboro and Elkin and four other mission points in the counties above named, and visits as opportunities occur, many other places in these counties, sometimes preaching or holding prayer meetings or other services as occasion suggests; has held 231 services, 31 professions of religion, 7 additions to Presbyterian Church, one church built, two Sunday schools organized with one hundred pupils, one day school with a consecrated Christian worker in charge, one church building repaired within and without, and the prospect of the whole work brighter than ever before.

**REV. D. J. CURRIE,**

Pastor of the Presbyterian church at Chapel Hill and also at New Hope, a country church not far away. The students at the University attend the services well, and there have been 18 additions to the Church for the year, ten to Chapel Hill and eight to New Hope Church and the Sunday schools are doing well and the whole work hopeful.

**REV. L. A. M'LAURIN,**

Has had charge of the work in Mitchell county since January, and supplies regularly the churches at Elk Park, Spruce Pine, Cove Creek and Linville, and also seven or eight other places, including Bakersville, the county seat. Has preached about 150 times, held a number of prayer meetings and other services, looked after the interest of the day schools, and there have been six additions to the Church membership.

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**EDGAR TUFT AND L. E. BOSTIAN.**

The former supplied the Watauga field during the summer months and the latter since September 1st. Four members have been added to the Church, one church completed and dedicated, the schools have been looked after, and the general outlook is favorable. There are three churches in this county, all of which are supplied with preachers, besides several mission points. The day schools heretofore reported from Mitchell and Watauga are still kept up and are doing well.

**REV. BART. SOULIER,**

Is pastor of the Waldensian church at Valdese, and reports the work in good condition. Regular preaching and other religious services are held by him, and besides their Sunday school, there is a good day school and the children and grown people are learning to speak English and are better satisfied and contented and have a more home-like feeling, and the outlook is generally favorable. There have been seventeen additions to the Church during the year, and the church now has 112 members.

**REV. A. K. POOL,**

Evangelist in Cabarrus and Stanly counties, preaches at Odell mills and Cannon mills in Concord, at Patterson's mills, and Beulah church in Stanly county, and occasionally at other points. There have been twenty-five additions to membership, one church organized, one church built and three Sunday schools organized, and the work which was only begun in May is in a most flourishing condition.

**ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.**

The Synod aids the mission work in this Presbytery instead of selecting special fields, and there are nine evangelists supported in part by this fund, who preached the Gospel in thirteen counties, and as part of the result of their labors there have been eighty-six additions to membership, one church organized, five Sunday schools organized, one church built, and three churches repaired at a cost of more than \$1,200 00, which money was raised by these evangelists. There are at least two or three places where we confidently expect new churches can be organized very soon.

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**SUMMARY.**

From the foregoing, we have as a summary of part of The Synod's Mission Work during the year just closed, the following:

Money raised.....	\$4,481.97
Churches built.....	3
Churches repaired.....	5
Churches completed.....	3
Churches organized.....	3
Sunday schools organized.....	11
Day schools organized.....	2
Evangelists aided.....	17
Counties embraced in the work.....	25
Added to membership of Presbyterian work.....	629
Amount paid evangelists.....	4,341.05
Paid church erection.....	45.53
Paid expense account.....	75.53
Balance on hand.....	19.86
Amount due on evangelists' salaries.....	\$20.00

In reviewing the mission work of the Presbyteries we note:

**ORANGE PRESBYTERY.**

Orange Presbytery has contributed during the year for Presbyterial Missions, \$2,530.00; for local Missions, \$867.00; General Assembly Missions, \$299.00, Synodical Missions, \$558.00; employs six evangelists, who report about 100 additions to membership, one church organized, two churches repaired, two Sunday schools organized and one day school under Church control.

**CONCORD PRESBYTERY.**

Concord Presbytery employs eight men, whose salaries in whole or in part are paid by the Presbyterial Committee, and has raised for Presbyterial Missions \$1,400.00, for Synodical Missions \$688.00, for General Assembly Missions \$327.00. About fifty-four additions

**FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.**

Fayetteville Presbytery has three men aided by the Home Mission Committee, and raised \$1,500.00 for Presbyterial Missions, \$1,280.00 for Synodical

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Missions, \$240.00 for General Missions, and \$300.00 for Local Missions. There have been two local evangelists at work all the time and one general evangelist for nine months, there have been two churches organized and about 175 additions to the membership.

**MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY**

Mecklenburg Presbytery employs ten men whose salaries in whole or part are paid by the Presbyterial Committee, and during the year raised \$2,000.00 for Presbyterial Missions, \$592.00 for Synodical Missions, \$373.00 for General Assembly Missions, and \$1,800.00 for Local Missions. There were three churches built, two churches organized, two Sunday schools organized and 107 additions to the churches. The Synod was very anxious to open up a new work with the co-operation of the Presbytery in Madison county, but on account of the scarcity of funds and the failure to obtain a suitable man for the work, it had to be postponed. The late Dr. Preston pledged for the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of Charlotte First Church a liberal contribution for this work, and the officers of this society have since written acknowledging the obligation and shown themselves much interested in the work, and, no doubt, now that this county is put in a new Presbytery whose territory is almost entirely mission, these funds will still be available for the work as soon as a suitable man can be obtained.

**WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.**

There are five evangelists at work in this Presbytery, and the outlook is perhaps more favorable than ever before. There were 70 additions to the Church, two churches organized, one church built, two Sunday schools organized, one day kindergarten school organized and supported entirely by the First Presbyterian church of Wilmington for the benefit of the poor. The Wilmington churches have organized a Home Mission League and will undertake to support one evangelist. The Presbytery has raised for Local Missions, \$1,250.00; Presbyterial Missions, \$387.00; Synodical Missions, \$581.00; General Assembly Missions, \$204.00.

**ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.**

Albemarle Presbytery has raise for Presbyterial Missions, \$750.00; Synodical Missions, \$571.00; General Assembly Missions, \$184.00. It received from the Synod since last report, \$800.00 for mission work in its own bounds.



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**GENERAL SUMMARY.**

As a general summary of all the mission work done in this State, we have the following statement:

PRESBYTERY.	Local Missions.	Presbyterial Missions.	Synodical Missions.	General Assembly Missions.	Total.
Fayetteville.....	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,280.00	\$ 240.00	\$ 2,320.00
Concord.....	100.00	1,400.00	788.00	327.00	2,615.00
Mecklenburg.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	592.00	373.00	4,965.00
Wilmington.....	1,250.00	387.00	561.00	204.00	2,422.00
Albemarle.....	100.00	750.00	571.00	184.00	1,605.00
Orange.....	867.00	2,530.00	558.00	299.00	4,254.00
	\$ 4,617.00	\$ 8,567.00	\$ 4,370.00	\$ 1,627.00	\$19,181.00

Putting together the work of the Synods and Presbyteries and local missions and omitting duplicates we have 44 men aided by mission funds, 8 churches organized, 5 churches built, 5 churches repaired, 11 Sunday schools organized, 12 day schools maintained, and 1,061 members added to the churches.

Your committee would impress upon the mind of Synod the fact that the one sole essential for maintaining and enlarging this work is a larger income. In every other feature it has been blessed; God's Spirit has been poured out upon the labors of the superintendent and of the local missionaries. There has been no friction with the Presbyterial work, but the most absolute harmony and the closest co-operation. Fields have been developed that must otherwise have remained destitute, and by every manifestation of His favor God beckons us on to the continuance and enlargement of this work. Your committee would therefore submit to the prayerful consideration of Synod the following:

**RECOMMENDATIONS.**

1. Synod recognizing the need of a more active prosecution of the financial side of the committee's work and not wishing to draw more of the superintendent's time from the evangelistic work in which he has been so eminently blessed, authorizes the committee to secure the services for the whole or a part of his time of an assistant superintendent.

2. Synod calls upon Presbyterial Committees, pastors and sessions to co-operate with the Synodical Committee in securing the proper presentation of

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this cause to all our churches and would urge that whenever adequate presentation cannot be secured in the times allotted for it, efforts should be made by subscription or otherwise to make up within the year at least the sum apportioned each church.

3. Synod apportions the sum of \$5,000.00 for Synodical Mission work as follows: Mecklenburg, \$750.00; Fayetteville, \$950.00; Orange, \$950.00; Concord, \$900.00; Wilmington, \$750.00; Albemarle, \$500.00; Asheville, \$200.00.

4. Synod commends the broad field of the southwest under the care of our Assembly's Committee to the liberality of the people and apportions the sum of \$3,000.00 for this cause as follows: Fayetteville, \$600.00; Orange, \$600.00; Concord, \$600.00; Mecklenburg, \$600.00; Wilmington, \$400.00; Albemarle, \$200.00; Asheville, \$100.00.

5. Synod would express its appreciation of the zeal and activity with which its Presbyteries have been prosecuting their work. The creation of a new Presbytery out of the Western Mission Field and the employment of Presbyterial superintendents or general evangelists in several of the Presbyteries indicate the increased interest of our people in this cause, and the increased prosperity of this work. For all of which Synod expresses its gratitude to God.

Adopted by Synod.

**TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.**

William Black in account Committee Synodical Missions for year ending October 1st, 1896.

To amount on hand last report.....	\$ 109.53
To amount received since last report.....	4,372.44
By salaries paid evangelists.....	\$4,341.05
By amount paid Waldensian church.....	45.53
By amount paid expenses .....	75.53
By balance on hand.....	19.86
	\$4,481.97
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November 1st to balance on hand... .. \$ 19.86

Audited and approved November 12th, 1896.

Wm. BLACK,  
*Superintendent.*

Publication and Colportage.

REPORT OF SYNOD'S AGENT OF PUBLICATION AND COLPORTAGE.

To the Synod of North Carolina :

Your Agent of Publication and Colportage would report :

1. One hundred and sixty-nine churches gave \$878 to this cause from April, 1895, to April, 1896. This is an increase of fourteen contributing churches over the preceding year and a gain of \$6 in contributions as follows:

PRESBYTERY.	Year.	Amount Contrib'td.	No. of Churches Contrib't'g.	Year.	Amount Contrib't'd.	No. of Churches Contrib't'g.
Albemarle.....	'94-'95	\$ 112.00	10	'95-'96	\$ 88.00	9
Concord.....	'94-'95	116.00	23	'95-'96	93.00	22
Fayetteville.....	'94-'95	183.00	44	'95-'96	172.00	51
Mecklenburg.....	'94-'95	210.00	33	'95-'95	252.00	35
Orange .....	'94-'95	151 00	28	'95-'95	177.00	39
Wilmington.....	'94-'95	100.00	17	'95-'96	96.00	13

2. Synod has had no colporteur in the field during the year. Fayetteville and Mecklenburg have had colporteurs for a few months, selling and distributing books. Some books have been given and sold by members of churches in Wilmington Presbytery under direction of your Agent during the year.

3. Donations have been made of papers and books for Sabbath schools at the request of Presbyterian agents.

According to the instructions of the General Assembly the Committee of Publication has made additional improvements in the Sabbath school Lesson Helps—giving improvements in these helps—with supplementing lessons. The editorial force has been increased and the publications made more valuable. It gives your Agent pleasure to testify that our Lesson Helps are equal to the best and at a cost as cheap as any of the best available helps on these lessons, strictly denominational.

The Committee of Publication has issued valuable books and tracts during the year and deserves the support and sympathy of all our churches. The secretary, Dr. Hazen, continues to execute efficiently the will of his committee for the Assembly.

For the committee.

A. D. McCLURE,

Agent.

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**Foreign Missions.**

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**REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.**

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Seventh Annual Report of the Standing Committee on Foreign Missions is as follows:

The year of 1895-'96, will be long remembered by the lovers of the cause of missions. It has been a season of intense anxiety to those who have had the management of matters relating to the world's evangelization.

Our Church has stood face to face with a threatened deficiency in its funds to carry forward the Master's work. The embarrassment was the greater, because in confidence and hope the Executive Committee had sent forth 19 new missionaries, increasing the whole force in the mission field to 142. In addition, there have been many of the sons and daughters of our Church, asking to be returned to their posts of duty or else to be allowed to go out for the first time that they might enter this glad service for Christ.

In this emergency there was nothing to be done but to carry the needs of the cause in greater faith to Him who is "Head over all things to the Church." Accordingly, the people of God were called to observe a week of special prayer, lingering humbly at the throne of grace and entreating that God might be pleased to reveal His arm of power. The result has been just what we had reason to expect—giving us a new illustration of the fact that "prayer can turn every crisis in the history of the Church of our ascended Lord and King." It is His prerogative to touch the hearts and make them responsive to the crying needs of His work. This He has done in a way that must quicken our faith and awaken in every soul sincere gratitude and praise. Had this report been submitted three weeks ago it would have sent forth a wail of complaint that the treasury was empty and the cause of the Master in all its interests was imperilled. Instead of this, to-day we can ring out the glad news that a great tidal wave of liberality has swept over the Church, and the secretary authorizes the statement that the crisis has passed and the fear of debt removed. The collection in October brought to the treasury \$21,019.19, which is \$9,000 more than last year, and \$3,000 in excess of the gifts of the people ever before at this point of the ecclesiastical year. So that while on October 1st, there was a deficit of \$6,000, on November 1st, there was a surplus of \$3,000. This is good tidings,

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indeed, and should be caught up and carried to every congregation in this Synod. However, let it not be misunderstood. It must be the incentive for greater effort and in no sense, an excuse for inaction. Half the year still lies before us with increasing demand for enlarged contributions to meet the necessary expenses of the work. One fact needs to be emphasized. Last year we received about \$14,000 from legacies and yet up to the present time only \$4,000 has been received from this source. If this deficiency continues the loss must be made good by the gifts of the entire Church.

**SYNOD'S WORK.**

This general view leads us to a more careful survey of the work in our own immediate territory. In all the reports it is learned with pleasure that our Synod has gone beyond its gifts of the last two years.

Our contributions are \$2,101 in excess of last year, and the whole amount given was \$21,007, making an average gift of 65 cents per member.

A closer study of the reports before us will give a still more gratifying view of the faithfulness of our churches.

The banner Presbytery is Wilmington, giving \$3,543, or \$1.12 per member; Mecklenburg gave \$6,216 or 70 cents per member; Orange gave \$3,458 or 68 cents per member; Albemarle gave \$1,112 or 55 cents per member; Concord gave \$2,717 or 53 cents per member; Fayetteville gave \$3,961 or 51 cents per member.

**NON-CONTRIBUTING CHURCHES.**

We have 69 churches out of 341 which failed to contribute to Foreign Missions as follows:

Albemarle has 11 out of 30 churches; Concord has 13 out of 51; Fayetteville has 1 out of 77; Mecklenburg has 19 out of 86; Orange has 9 out of 53; Wilmington has 17 out of 44.

**SOCIETIES.**

There are 31 men's, 141 ladies' and 40 children's societies in the bounds of our Synod, as follows: Albemarle, men, —; ladies', 6; children's, 3; Concord, men, 1; ladies', 7; children's, 16; Mecklenburg, men, 14; ladies', 25; children's, 7; Orange, men, 6; ladies', 19; children's, 3; Wilmington, men, 2; ladies', 14; children's, 4.

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**Foreign Missions.**

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL.**

The children of the Church have contributed to this cause through 73 Sabbath schools, giving \$1,019.19, as follows: Albemarle, two schools, \$14.86; Concord, seven schools, \$131.59; Fayetteville, eighteen schools, \$186.21; Mecklenburg, twenty schools, \$313.18; Orange, seventeen schools, \$126.05; Wilmington, nine schools, \$246.30.

**MISSIONARIES.**

Our Synod has reason to feel proud that so many of her sons and daughters are entering the mission field. A few years ago there were only three representatives in foreign lands. Last year we reported thirteen missionaries and this year the number has been, or will be in a few weeks, increased to fifteen or sixteen. In this connection we are glad to call attention to the fact that a number of our churches and individual members are undertaking the support of missionaries. A significant fact is that several groups of country churches have arranged to support our outgoing missionaries. This suggests the possibility of an effort among a larger number of our country charges.

A. T. GRAHAM,

*Agent.*

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Ministerial Education.

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REPORT OF AGENT OF MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

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*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

1. Your Agent makes report that Synod has now 74 candidates, distributed as follows, viz.: Concord, 15; Orange, 19; Wilmington, 5; Fayetteville, 8; Albemarle, 5; Mecklenburg, 21; total, 73. This is the same number of candidates that were enrolled last year.

2. The Synod contributed to this cause for the year 1896, \$1,137.48, distributed as follows by Presbyteries, viz.: Albemarle, \$64.30; Concord, \$206.99; Fayetteville, \$275.23; Orange, \$413.92; Wilmington, \$177.04; total, \$1,137.48.

3. The Assembly's Committee appropriated to the Synod's candidates \$2,132.50, whereby the Synod became a beneficiary of the Assembly to the amount of \$995.02, or nearly one-half the amount needed by our candidates.

We offer the following recommendations, viz.:

1. That pastors and sessions exercise caution in encouraging candidates for the ministry, especially in the early stage of their studies, as to becoming beneficiaries of the Church, and urge them, as far as practicable, to depend upon their own resources and personal efforts for support.

2. That our pastors present from their pulpits, and in private, the claims and call to the Gospel ministry, that parents and their sons have this claim and cause of the Lord constantly on their hearts and consciences.

3. That the chairmen of Committees of Ministerial Education be encouraged, wherever practicable, to visit the churches of their Presbyteries and present and press this claim and call upon our young men, and visit also the male schools within their Presbyteries, for the same cause and purpose.

4. That our pastors and sessions so present this cause to their congregations as to win and maintain their allegiance and liberal contributions to it.

Respectfully,

L. B. TURNBULL,

*Agent.*



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**Church and Christian Education.**

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**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN  
EDUCATION.**

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Synod's Committee of Church and Christian Education beg leave to make the following report :

The past year has been marked with great prosperity and progress in all the departments of this work.

1. Davidson College has had the largest attendance in her history, and the work done has been eminently satisfactory. She was greatly bereaved in the death of her senior professor, Dr. W. J. Martin, so long a tower of strength to the College. The Alumni have undertaken to build a Science Hall as a memorial of his life and labors in the cause of Church Education. Three thousand dollars have been subscribed in part of the fifteen thousand needed.

2. Peace Institute also was never more flourishing, and the work she is doing for the Master is beyond price. It behooves the Synod to exhaust every means of establishing close and permanent relations with this school. The Presbyterians of the State could hardly do a better thing than to invest \$50,000 in that institution. The Church must maintain a fair and honorable rivalry with the State.

3. Female education has been more emphasized during the past year than perhaps ever before. Three female colleges or seminaries have been founded and successfully started. The Presbytery of Fayetteville has founded one at Red Springs, having expended over \$6,000 on the building. The Presbyteries of Concord and Mecklenburg have founded one in Charlotte, N. C. and have already expended \$10,000 in part payment for the property, repairs, and furnishing. The Statesville Female College has also been purchased for the Presbyterian Church and over six thousand dollars expended in part payment for the property, repairs, and furnishing. It is the purpose of these three schools to furnish a thorough education on such terms that it may be in reach of all.

4. Much progress has been made likewise in preparatory schools, academies, parochial schools, mission schools, and private school enterprises, with promise of increasing usefulness from year to year. Synod's Committee will present a special report on Parochial Schools at this meeting.

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5. It will be seen from the financial statement herewith submitted that a larger number of churches contributed to this cause than ever before. The aggregate, however, is not increased, owing, no doubt, to the large amounts contributed to the female schools named, and to local enterprises. Eighty-five churches have contributed \$832.80. Of this amount \$71.22 went directly to the Mebane High School from Orange Presbytery; \$156.00 to the mountain schools in Concord Presbytery and \$350.00 to Davidson College. This leaves \$254.58, less \$ 9.91 expenses, which has been disbursed by your committee as follows: To Red Springs Seminary, \$43.76; to the Mountain Mission schools in Concord Presbytery \$43.00; and to Davidson College \$158.91. No mention is made of monies specially raised for local purposes.

6. Your Agent and Chairman sent the usual circular letter to the churches as authorized, and will do so again unless otherwise instructed.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**

November, 1895, to November, 1896:

RECEIPTS—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

Washington church.....	\$ 22.00
New Berne     ".....	7.90
Goldsboro     ".....	6.00
Cain Memorial ".....	2.50
Rocky Mount  ".....	1.45
	\$ 39.85

CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

Davidson College church.....	\$ 40.30
Statesville     ".....	6.74
Newton         ".....	4.50
New Salem    ".....	1.12
Rocky River    ".....	2.08
Moore'sville   ".....	3.06
Siloam         ".....	55
Troutman      ".....	.58
Mocksville     ".....	4.38
Sherrill's Ford ".....	.85
Salisbury      ".....	5.00
Hickory        ".....	4.68
Bethphage     ".....	2.57
Shearer Chapel ".....	1.00
	\$ 77.41

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FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.	
Antioch church .....	\$ 2.67
Barbecue " .....	.92
Big Rockfish " .....	1.60
Buffalo " .....	1.25
Cameron " .....	2.41
Centre " .....	3.06
China Grove " .....	.50
Cypress " .....	.50
Euphronia " .....	1.00
Gulf " .....	2.00
Ida Mills " .....	4.01
Jonesboro " .....	1.46
Laurinburg " .....	25.43
Longstreet " .....	1.04
Laurel Hill " .....	2.25
Lumber Bridge " .....	5.00
Maxton " .....	4.78
Montpelier " .....	1.87
Mt. Tabor " .....	.68
Philadelphus " .....	3.46
Philippi " .....	1.30
Pittsboro " .....	1.00
Pocket " .....	1.31
Red Springs " .....	5.42
Shannon " .....	1.00
Smyrna " .....	3.75
Spout Spring " .....	1.00
Sanford " .....	2.67
Summerville " .....	1.70
Union " .....	1.00
White Hill " .....	1.48
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MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.	
Mallard Creek church.....	\$ 2.46
Pineville " .....	3.64
Bessemer City " .....	3.82
Monroe " .....	4.72
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\$ 14.64	

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WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

Wilmington, First church.....	\$ 31.49	
Cobb's Mills            ".....	1.14	
Keith                    ".....	.60	
South River            ".....	.68	
Pollocksville         ".....	.70	
Whiteville             ".....	11.55	\$ 36.16
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Total receipts.....		\$225.58

DISBURSEMENTS.

To printing two circulars, and postage.....	\$ 9.91	
Red Springs Seminary.....	43.76	
Mountain schools in Concord Presbytery.....	43.00	
Davidson College.....	158.91	
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		\$255.58

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS REPORTED THROUGH THIS COMMITTEE.

To Davidson College.....	\$350.00
To Mebane High School by 17 churches in Orange Presbytery.....	71.22
To Mountain Mission schools by 8 churches in Concord.....	156.00
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Total special.....	\$577.22
Add receipts.....	255.58
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Total reported.....	\$832.80

**SPECIAL REPORT ON PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS.**

An overture from Orange Presbytery to the last meeting of Synod, on the subject of Parochial Schools, was approved by Synod and the following answer was given:

“That the overture be granted, and the Synod’s Committee of Church and Christian Education be appointed to perform the duties contemplated in the overture.”

Your Committee would recommend the following action:

1. It is both proper and desirable for the Church to control and direct the primary and preparatory education of her children, male and female, as far as circumstances may permit.

2. To this end we recommend to the consideration of all churches, the establishing of Parochial Schools in every parish or congregation, which shall either be independent of or supplementary to public or private schools already in existence.

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3. We recommend the Presbyteries to found and foster schools in all their mission fields, and we do especially recommend to our well established churches to use such schools in their local mission work, and also to assist the schools founded by Presbyteries in their mission fields through the collection for Church and Christian Education, and otherwise.

4. We propose to the churches the following Constitution for Parochial Schools for uniform adoption:

1. The Presbyterian church of — does undertake to establish a school, to be under Church control, as a Christian school.

2. The sole government and administration of the school shall be vested in a Board of Trustees of three members appointed by the session, whose terms of office shall be one, two, and three years, respectively, and the session shall fill vacancies as they recur, electing for three-year terms. Two members shall constitute a quorum.

3. The school shall be limited in its scope and design to primary and preparatory education, male or female, or both.

4. The Bible shall be used as a text book throughout the school in such measure and proportion as the Board may determine, so as to make the school distinctively a Christian school; and the standards of the Church, also, as far as it may be found practicable.

5. The Board shall have power to raise and disburse monies and to hold property in trust in furtherance of this object if necessary.

6. The Board shall, at their discretion, found and develop the school as rapidly as the means in hand may justify without incurring debt.

7. The Board shall adopt their own by-laws subject to the limitations of this paper, which shall be of the nature of fundamental law to the Board in the execution of their trust.

8. In case it shall ever prove desirable to secure a charter of incorporation, the provisions of this paper shall be incorporated into the charter, or else adopted as a fixed part of the by-laws.

9. This paper, *mutatis mutandis*, is recommended to the Presbyteries for the founding of Presbyterian schools of any grade.

J. B. SHEARER.

*Agent and Chairman.*

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Academical and Industrial Institute.

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REPORT ON ACADEMICAL AND INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE.

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*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Board held its annual meeting in New Berne, N. C., November 11th, 1896. A quorum of five members were present. The report of Rev. S. G. Walker for 1895-'96, which was submitted, along with the financial statement, set forth the following facts, viz.:

The school was run seven months and thirty-seven pupils were enrolled, including six boarders, representing five counties. One teacher was employed whose work was admirably supplemented by the superintendent.

Two dormitories, a ten room building for girls and a three room building for boys, have been erected during the year at a cost of \$550. Two other buildings, a kitchen and work-shop, are in course of erection which, when furnished, will give us a plant of large and attractive grounds and five suitable buildings worth \$1,800.

The terms of Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., and Rev. A. J. McKelway, expire at this meeting of Synod. Mr. John Finley, of the term expiring 1898, has died. While Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., and Elder C. E. Graham have moved without the bounds of the Synod.

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**Orphans' Home.**

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**REPORT OF REGENTS OF ORPHANS' HOME**

*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

The Orphans' Home of the Synod of North Carolina has become one of the fixed and cherished institutions of our Church, and needs no special commendation to your favorable notice by its Board of Regents. The work that the Home is doing is its own sufficient commendation; and the support which it receives is evidence of the place which it holds in the hearts of our people. Our Seventh Annual Report will therefore be occupied in a simple statement of such facts as the Synod has a right to expect from its Board of Regents.

**I.—MEETINGS OF REGENTS.**

Your Board of Regents having met and organized and elected its own officers, together with a superintendent, teachers and matrons for the Home, and given directions for the management of the Home to an efficient Executive Committee, has found it necessary to hold but two meetings during the year. These meetings were attended as follows, viz.: Rev. W. R. McLelland attended two meetings, Dr. M. W. Hill, two; Mr. S. C. Rankin, one; Mr. John E. Oates, two; Rev. J. Rumble, D. D., two; Rev. D. I. Craig, two; Rev. C. G. Vardell, one; Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., two; Geo. W. Watts one and Geo. E. Wilson, Esq., one.

The terms of office of Geo. W. Watts, Esq., and of Geo. E. Wilson, Esq., expire at this time, and the Synod is requested to fill these vacancies.

**II —INTERNAL AFFAIRS.**

The annual report of our faithful and efficient superintendent has been presented and approved. From this document we learn that eighty-one children—fifty girls and thirty-one boys—have enjoyed the privileges of the Home during the past year—the average attendance being seventy-four. This large attendance has crowded our rooms to their full capacity and yet it has been necessary to refuse many deserving applicants or postpone their reception until we prepare larger accommodations.

The health of the children has been remarkably good, only one case of serious illness occurring during the year, and that one not originating in the Home.



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We are glad to report that the educational department has been improved, that three competent teachers are now giving their best thought and labor to the work, and that the children are making satisfactory progress. The school has been graded, and monthly examinations are held. Four hours are spent every afternoon, five days in the week, in the school room, the primary classes having an extra hour of study in the forenoon, and the advanced classes two hours of study in the evening. The forenoons are spent in various industrial occupations suited to the capacities of the children.

The high moral tone of the institution has been maintained, and in some respects improved. Religious instruction is imparted at the morning and evening religious exercises, and especially on the Sabbath, and the children are trained in the art of singing. A number of them are members of the Church, and give promise of usefulness in the Master's Kingdom. One boy, of good principles, and respectable gifts, who has left the institution, at the expiration of his sixteenth year, manifests a desire to enter the gospel ministry, if the way should open to him.

We desire to call special attention to our bi-weekly paper, *Our Fatherless Ones*, published at the Home.

This paper has brought into the treasury \$208.18 above the cost of its publication, and the profits would have been more than doubled had all arrears been paid in. Cannot our ministers and church members make a special effort to enlarge its circulation? Aside from its earnings, by the news which it contains concerning the Home, it brings our people in touch with this important work.

Your superintendent reports the following expenditures:

Cash expenditures.....	\$1,850.43
Expenditures of donations in kind.....	1,342.21
Products of farm and poultry yard, estimated.....	300.00
Total.....	<u>\$3,492.64</u>
Deduct unused donations.....	275.88
Leaving net expenditure for food and clothing.....	3,216.76
Average expenditures for each of 74 children.....	43.47
By adding to the above expenditures of.....	3,216.76
Salaries of all employees, viz.....	<u>1,764.20</u>
We have a total expenditure of.....	\$4,980.96
Or an average per child of.....	\$ 67.30

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Last year the average was placed at \$70 00. on somewhat imperfect estimates; this year it is three dollars less upon a more accurate calculation. Friends and benefactors of the institution have every reason for confidence in its management, seeing that it can furnish a comfortable support, and a sound English education to dependent and helpless children upon so small a sum.

**III.—FINANCES.**

The treasurer, Mr. John E. Ontes, has submitted his accounts and vouchers to an examining committee, and the same have been found correct and approved. From his annual report we have as follows:

**FOR PRESS FUND.**

Balance from last year, and receipts for the present year amount to.....	\$401.06
Disbursements up to October 1, 1896.....	89.02
Net proceeds.....	\$312 04

**BUILDING FUND.**

Balance of last year and receipts for this year.....	\$3,385.06
Disbursements, to October 1, 1896.....	1,248.70
Balance on hand, October 1, 1896.....	\$2,136.36

**SUPPORT FUND.**

Receipts (deficit of 1895 deducted).....	\$3,740.04
Disbursements, to October 1, 1896.....	3,842.18
Deficit October 1, 1896.....	102.14

From the above statement it will be seen that the Support Fund at the close of the year was overdrawn by \$102 14, and our children have been saved from absolute want only by drawing upon the surplus of the Press Fund for over one hundred dollars. Our sole dependence, under God, is upon our people, and we would urge upon them not to forget that the wants of the large family of children, which they have encouraged us to undertake to support, are as constant and unremitting as the wants of any private family.

We would also remind our people that the period just before Thanksgiving is apt to find us with an exhausted treasury and unusual demands for winter outfits. There is, therefore, urgent need for some system of regular supply, such as is afforded by monthly contributions. The last number of *Our Fatherless Ones* contains a list of forty-eight individuals, Sunday schools and soci-

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eties, who have promised to make monthly contributions for the support of the orphans. This number might easily be doubled, and in that event an average of two or three dollars per month from each would afford a comfortable revenue.

Your Board of Regents would again recommend that a contribution to the Support Fund by each church in the bounds of the Synod be made on Thanksgiving day, or as soon thereafter as practicable. The increased number of children, and other circumstances, demand that this contribution be as liberal as possible. There is no more acceptable manner of expressing thanks to God than feeding the hungry and caring for the fatherless.

**IV.—THE CENTRE BUILDING.**

Encouraged by the resolution of the last Synod, declaring "that every proper effort be made to raise the necessary funds for the erection and completion of the Centre Building within the next twelve months," your Board of Regents have made repeated efforts by public appeals by circulars, and in some instances by personal applications, to raise the funds that were necessary to do the work. These efforts have been only partially successful, but sufficiently so to encourage the Executive Committee to appoint a Building Committee with instructions to commence the work when \$5,000.00 should be on hand or in sight, with the hope that funds might come in as they progressed to enable them to finish. Two bequests were made to the institution—one of \$2,000.00 by Mrs. Edwin G. Reade, of Raleigh, and one of \$1,000.00 by Miss Jennie Johnson, of Charlotte. The latter of these was promptly paid in by the executor, but the former will not be available before sometime next year. Under the circumstances, the work has been begun and, at the period of writing, the walls have been carried to the second floor. It is the order of the Regents that the walls be put up and covered in with a roof before the severity of the winter sets in. Whether it shall be completed or not depends upon the promptness with which outstanding pledges are met, and the liberality with which certain churches that have not yet contributed shall respond. Your Board of Regents do not feel authorized to place a debt upon the institution under any circumstances. It therefore remains for the generous people of the Synod of North Carolina to say whether the work shall go on at once to completion, or whether the walls shall stand as a monument to those who began to build and were not able to finish. The additional accommodations which this building will furnish are urgently needed, and we hope and pray that our kind-hearted people wil

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not hesitate to come to the rescue at once. The Board of Regents have requested their president to visit a few of our churches to secure the needed funds, and, Providence permitting, he will endeavor to do so as soon as practicable.

**V.—LIST AND VALUE OF PROPERTY.**

The property of the Home has been kept in good repair, and some small additions made to the outbuildings and furnishings. The farm, orchards and grounds generally are in an improved condition. But the general state does not differ materially from what it was last year, viz.:

Ninety-four acres of land.....	\$ 1,200.00
Two furnished cottages.....	11,000.00
Infirmary and furnishings.....	1,400.00
Outbuildings, cattle, etc.....	2,400.00
New Building, expended about.....	3,000.00
Total.....	\$19,000.00

**VI.—LIST OF REGENTS AND OTHER OFFICERS.**

Rev. W. R. McLelland and M. W. Hill, M. D., terms expire, 1900

Mr. S. C. Rankin and Mr. Jno. E. Oates, terms expire, 1899.

Rev. J. Rumple, D. D., and Rev. D. I. Craig, terms expire, 1898.

Rev. C. G. Vardell and Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., terms expire, 1897.

Geo. W. Watts, Esq., and Geo. E. Wilson, Esq., terms expire, 1896.

Rev. J. Rumple, D. D., president of the Board; Mr. John E. Oates, treasurer of the Board; Rev. W. R. McLelland, secretary of the Board; J. Rumple, D. D., Geo. E. Wilson, John E. Oates, W. R. McLelland and M. W. Hill, executive committee; Rev. R. W. Boyd, Superintendent of the Home.

In conclusion, your Board of Regents are grateful to God for the measure of success that has attended their efforts to do the work entrusted to them and would recognize with thankfulness the liberality with which the people have supported the institution. They would have been glad to have accomplished greater results in the erection of the Centre Building, but are hopeful that our people will come to the help of the Lord, in carrying out what manifestly seems to be His purpose in regard to His fatherless ones.

By order of the Regents.

J. RUMPLE.

*President.*

Barium Springs, N. C., Oct. 28, 1896.

Sunday Schools.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

To the Synod of North Carolina :

Your committee respectfully submits the following report :

First a comparative statement of the condition of the work in 1895-'96 :

PRESBYTERY.	Schools.		Teachers.		Scholars.		Churches.	Church Mem- bers.	No. Ch'rchs not Rep't'g Schools	Con- ven- tions Held.
	'95.	'96.	'95.	'96.	'95.	'96.				
Albemarle, .....	21	21	192	180	1,268	1,253	30	2,007	10	1
Concord.....	45	42	405	466	3,411	3,896	51	5,298	9	1
Fayetteville.....	77	71	459	486	4,066	4,263	77	7,646	29	.....
Mecklenburg.....	66	59	610	633	5,387	5,516	86	8,746	27	...
Orange.....	47	52	393	460	3,428	3,571	53	5,081	10	1
Wilmington..	32	31	206	202	1,601	1,604	44	3,142	13	1
	288	275	2,265	2,427	19,161	20,049	341	31,820	98	4

From this we see that in Albemarle this branch of the work has barely held its own. Concord has made some advance, reporting 61 more teachers and 495 more scholars.

In Fayetteville there is also a slight advance in the report of Presbytery, but a decided falling off if we take the figures from the General Assembly Minutes. The increase is 27 teachers and 197 scholars. Mecklenburg also had advanced, reporting 22 additional teachers and 129 scholars. The same is true of Orange, 67 more teachers and 89 scholars. Wilmington has barely held her own.

There is a general advance in the work, the total of scholars passing the 20,000 mark and teachers nearly reaching 2,500.

We note a falling off in the number of schools reporting, 13 less than last year. Ninety-eight of our 341 churches have no school and sent no report to either Presbytery, Synod or General Assembly.

In Fayetteville, Orange and Concord the Sunday school is being vigorously pushed as an evangelizing agency. Fayetteville reports 54 churches and 71

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schools, 29 churches not reporting. Orange 43 churches, 52 schools, 10 not reporting. Concord reports 5 churches having 2 schools each and 2 having 3 schools each.

The problems that especially lie before us are, 1st: How to get reports from churches having schools and not reporting them; 2nd, and more important, how to establish schools in churches having no schools, and to this end we recommend:

1st. That a committee be appointed by Presbytery to visit these churches and take particular note of these facts and make a special report on the case to Presbytery.

2nd. Presbyterial Agents be directed, by correspondence and personal visitation, so far as possible, to try and remedy this state of affairs by establishing schools in these churches.

3rd. That, when it is found impracticable to establish a school on account of the scattered state of the congregation, or because the numbers are few, every effort be made to establish a 'Home Study' department that shall be reported as the school of that church.



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Colored Evangelization.

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**SPECIAL REPORT ON COLORED EVANGELIZATION.**

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*To the Synod of North Carolina :*

Your special committee appointed in the absence of the permanent committee, to bring in a report on Colored Evangelization, would make the following report :

It appears from the reports of the six Presbyteries, for the year ending April 1, 1896, that there are some indications of the work which point to more hopeful prospects and results in the future.

One is the increased number of churches contributing to the cause, although the aggregate amount contributed is scarcely as much as was contributed last year.

Another indication to hopefulness and encouragement is the apparent increase of time, attention and interest given to the discussion of this great cause in the meetings of Presbyteries. These are hopeful indications, and combined with other favorable features of the work are matters of devout thankfulness to God.

But on the other hand, there are features of the work which are very depressing in their nature, and very discouraging. The great and growing need of funds, the meagre contributions, and the total lack of any visible prospect of organizing a single Presbytery within our bounds are matters to be greatly deplored.

These facts become apparent from the following :

Albemarle Presbytery now has no work in hand. During the year she organized a church and ordained a minister, but both have been transferred to the Cape Fear Presbytery of the Northern Assembly. She has one candidate for the ministry at Tuscaloosa Institute, and contributed \$129 as against \$106 last year.

Mecklenburg Presbytery will soon have no work in hand. The Rev. Mr. Morrow and his church, it is understood, will soon be transferred to the Northern Assembly. This Presbytery contributed \$382, as against \$470 last year.

Concord Presbytery has no work in hand, and contributed \$125, as against \$114 last year.



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Fayetteville Presbytery has no work in hand, and contributed \$158, as against \$128 last year.

Wilmington Presbytery has no work in hand, and contributed \$85, as against \$115 last year.

Orange Presbytery alone has work in hand and men in the field. She has two ministers and one candidate at Tuscaloosa Institute. She has also contributed \$251, as against \$246 last year.

The Rev. S. G. Walker, a faithful and consecrated man, is doing a good work at North Wilkesboro and elsewhere, under the most trying and difficult circumstances, in his efforts to teach and preach the Gospel to his people, and at the same time to firmly establish and equip the Industrial School. He needs the encouragement, sympathy and help of the Synod.

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Union Theological Seminary.

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REPORT ON UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

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*To the Synod of North Carolina:*

The Board of Directors and Trustees of Union Theological Seminary in Virginia report to the Synod of North Carolina that every member of the Board attended the annual meeting in May, 1896. Rev. G. W. Finley, D. D., Rev. J. W. Rosebro, D. D., and Rev. L. B. Johnston, from the Synod of Virginia, and Ruling Elder H. L. Smith, of the Synod of North Carolina, having been duly appointed directors, by their respective Synods, were qualified and elected Trustees and enrolled.

Sixty-five students were in attendance during the session now ended. The faculty testify to the diligence and good deportment of the students, and the Examining Committee of this Board report the gratifying proofs of faithful and successful instruction given by the professors. The health of the students has generally been good, but one student was obliged by ill health to leave the Seminary.

We regret to report that Professor T. C. Johnson was compelled by ill health to be absent from his chair for several months; but such arrangements were made by him, as to reduce the loss of his classes to a minimum, and we hope that his temporary sojourn in Florida has so far improved his health that he will be able to resume full work at the beginning of the next session.

Certificates were bestowed upon the following young gentlemen of the Senior Class, viz.: E. W. Brown, John M. Caldwell, John Josiah Fix, Wm. J. King, Walter Lee Lingle, C. W. McDonald, R. L. McNair, John Wakefield, D. K. Wathall, David Junkin Woods, Malcolm Graham Woodworth, W. C. Brown, A. McLaughlin, W. L. Milne, H. R. Overcash and Ivanhoe Robertson

The Board is happy to report that Dr. G. B. Strickler has accepted its call to be professor of Systematic Theology, and will enter upon the duties of the chair at the beginning of next session.

The Board also elected Mr. W. L. Lingle, of the Senior Class, to be tutor in Hebrew and Greek, Librarian and Intendent for the next year.

For three years Dr. C. R. Vaughan has taught Theology with great satisfaction to the Board, and now that his services to the Seminary are terminated

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at this time, the Board records its grateful appreciation of the fidelity, ability and success with which Dr. Vaughan has discharged the duties of professor of Theology.

The library now contains 15,187 volumes.

The address to the graduating class of this year was delivered by Rev. Dr. C. R. Hemphill, of the Louisville Seminary.

Your Board is sorry to report the deaths, during the year, of Rev. Dr's. T. L. Preston and W. T. Richardson, members of the Board from the Synod of Virginia, and Col. Wm. J. Martin, a member from the Synod of North Carolina, all of whom were truly faithful and efficient members of this Board.

Respectfully submitted,

P. H. HOGG,

*President.*

J. P. FITZGERALD,

*Secretary.*

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**Standing Rules.**

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**STANDING RULES OF SYNOD.**

Revised November, 1893.

**I.—OF ENROLLMENT, ATTENDANCE AND ABSENCE.**

1. The Stated Clerk, the pastor of the church in which the Synod holds its annual session, and the delegates of the session of said church shall constitute a Committee of Enrollment, who shall, at a convenient hour before the opening of the Synod, prepare the Roll of the Synod. And to the Committee of Enrollment shall each member report for enrollment upon appearing at Synod.

2. It shall be the duty of each member, unless released by a vote of the Synod, when providentially prevented from attending the Synod, to address a letter to the Moderator, stating reasons for his detention.

3. The Moderator shall at every meeting appoint a standing committee on Leave of Absence. To this committee all excuses for absence or late attendance, and for the latter, on the part of ruling elders as well as ministers, shall be rendered. The roll shall be called before final adjournment and those absent without permission shall be called to answer for such irregularity.

**II —OF THE OFFICERS AND APPOINTEES OF SYNOD.**

4. A majority of all the votes given shall be necessary in the election of the officers of the Synod.

5. The Treasurer shall submit to the Synod annually his book together with a report of receipts and expenditures, presenting vouchers for the same.

6. The Trustees of Synod shall be elected every four years, and they shall present annually a full written report of the funds in their hands.

7. Agents shall be appointed on each of the following departments of the Church's work, viz : Foreign Missions, Sustentation, Education, Publication, Evangelistic Labor and Sabbath Schools. And it shall be the duty of these Agents to take into consideration the whole field committed to their supervision, and to present at each meeting of Synod a written report of all that is doing within the bounds of Synod on the subjects severally assigned to them. The Agents for these respective subjects, or chairman of committees, in the several Presbyteries, shall forward to the Synodical Agents such reports as are useful

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in the preparation of their reports to the Synod; and the Synod shall appoint Orders of the Day for each of these causes at each annual meeting. In connection with the Orders for Evangelistic Labor, the Synod will hear reports from Presbyterian Agents and Evangelists; and in connection with the consideration of Foreign Missions, a collection may also be taken for this object.

**III.—OF COMMITTEES.**

8 A Standing Committee shall be appointed at each annual meeting, to whom the Statistical Reports of the Presbyteries shall be referred; and this committee shall condense the same and report to the Synod any matter contained in these reports calling for action by this body.

9 A Standing Committee shall be appointed at each annual meeting to whom the reports of the Presbyteries on Systemtic Beneficence shall be referred; and this committee shall condense the same and report to the Synod recommending any action called for on this subject. The Presbyterian Reports shall cover the fiscal year of the Assembly.

10. A Standing Committee shall be appointed at each annual meeting to examine the Synodical Records and report thereon

**IV.—OF THE STATED CLERK AND THE MINUTES.**

11. The Stated Clerk shall forward to the Librarian of Union Theological Seminary and the Librarian of Davidson College, the Secretary of the Presbyterian Historical Society, and the Secretary of the North Carolina Historical Society, a copy of the Minutes of the Synod as published annually

12. He shall issue and sign certificates whenever necessary for the return of members and their families on the railroads of the State to their homes.

13. The Stated Clerk shall publish in the Appendix to the printed Minutes the reports of the Presbyteries furnishing statistics to the Synod; the statistics of the annual reports of the Synodical Agents, when approved by the Synod, requesting on behalf of the Synod, the publication of the full reports in the *North Carolina Presbyterian*; a list of the officers and appointees of the Synod; the Standing Rules of the Synod and a Docket of the business of the Synod at its next annual meeting.

14. The Stated Clerk shall publish in the Appendix to the printed Minutes, at least once in five years, the names of Ruling Elders and Deacons, with their respective postoffices, belonging to the churches composing the Synod; and the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries shall forward to the Stated Clerk of the Synod the information necessary for the execution of this rule.

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**V.—MISCELLANEOUS.**

15. The Parliamentary Rules adopted by the General Assembly for 1886, and since that time observed by them, shall be the rules for the guidance of this Synod.

16. The Directors of the Union Theological Seminary, appointed by this Synod, shall render excuse to the Synod for non-attendance on any meeting of the Board, and if so absent without assigning sufficient excuse, his seat in the Board will be declared vacant.

17. The election of Stated Clerk and Synodical Agents shall be held in 1886, and every three years thereafter—the former to enter upon his duties at the opening of the Synod immediately succeeding that at which he is elected, and the latter to enter upon their duties immediately after the adjournment of the Synod which elected them. (Minutes 1883, page 240.)

18. It was made a Standing Rule that the Roll be called at the opening of the Synod, that those who have been enrolled by the Committee of enrollment may answer to their names. (Minutes 1885, page 612.)

19. The Committee on Leave of Absence was instructed not to grant leave of absence except for urgent reasons; and the Stated Clerk was directed to enter this action upon the DoCKET of the next Synod for information and caution to members of the committee and of the Synod. (Minutes of 1885, page 615.)

20. When a vacancy occurs by death, resignation or removal beyond our bounds, in any of the offices of Synod (including the Stated Clerk, Agents and Directors of Union Theological Seminary) the Moderator is empowered to fill such vacancy until the next meeting of Synod, except in the case of those officers who are the heads of Synodical Committees, when the committee shall fill the vacancy. (Minutes 1891, page 579.)

21. Memorials of deceased ministers be read on Friday morning at each meeting of the Synod.

22. *Resolved*, That the Standing Orders of Synod be revised as follows:

(1.) That the Synodical Communion be held at 11 A. M. on the second day.

(2.) That the popular meeting in the interest of Foreign Missions be held Wednesday night.

(3.) That the popular meeting in the interest of Home Missions be held Thursday night.

(4.) That Friday night be given alternately to Sunday Schools and Colored Evangelization. (Minutes 1894, page 260.)

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 Moderators of Synod.
 

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## E.

## GENERAL DIRECTORY.

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 Moderators of the Synod of North Carolina.

MODERATORS.	PLACE OF MEETING.
1813. *Rev. Robert H. Chapman.....	Alamance Church.
1814. *Rev. Samuel C. Caldwell.....	Thyatira Church.
1815. *Rev. Wm. McPheeters.....	Fayetteville.
1816. *Rev. John Robinson.....	Raleigh.
1817. No meeting—no quorum present.....	Rocky River.
1818. *Rev. Joseph Caldwell, D. D.....	Fayetteville.
1819. *Rev. Jonathan Otis Freeman, D. D.....	Raleigh.
1820. *Rev. Wm. Paisley.....	Poplar Tent.
1821. *Rev. John M. Wilson.....	Salisbury.
1822. *Rev. John Robinson.....	Hillsborough.
1823. *Rev. John Witherspoon.....	Fayetteville.
1824. *Rev. Colin McIver.....	Statesville.
1825. *Rev. John B. Davis.....	Greensborough.
1826. *Rev. Wm. McPheeters, D. D.....	Fayetteville.
1827. *Rev. R. H. Morrison, D. D.....	Salisbury.
[The Stated Clerk has no record of this and the two succeeding meetings.]	
1828. *Rev. Lemuel D. Hatch.....	Raleigh.
1829. *Rev. John Williamson.....	Fayetteville.
1830. *Rev. Samuel L. Graham.....	Hopewell.
1831. *Rev. Hiram P. Goodrich.....	Hillsborough.
1832. *Rev. Samuel Williamson.....	Salisbury.
1833. *Rev. Henry A. Rowland.....	Wilmington.
1834. *Rev. James W. Douglas.....	Oxford.
1835. *Rev. Henry N. Pharr.....	Salisbury.

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 \*Deceased.



Moderators of Synod.

MODERATORS.	PLACE OF MEETING.
1836. *Rev. Joseph Brown.....	Fayetteville.
1837. *Rev. N. H. Harding.....	Shiloh.
1838. *Rev. Stephen Frontis.....	Third Creek Church.
1839. *Rev. Daniel A. Penick.....	Lincolnton.
1840. *Rev. Alexander Wilson, D. D. ....	Danville, Va.
1841. *Rev. William N. Peacock.....	Fayetteville.
1842. *Rev. Walter S. Pharr.....	Poplar Tent.
1843. *Rev. James Phillips.....	Raleigh.
1844. *Rev. Simeon Colton.....	Fayetteville.
1845. *Rev. Samuel Williamson.....	Charlotte.
1846. *Rev. Drury Lacy.....	Greensborough.
1847. *Rev. Evander McNair.....	Fayetteville.
1848. *Rev. Cyrus Johnston.....	Salisbury.
1849. *Rev. John A. Gretter.....	Hillsboro.
1850. *Rev. Adam Gilchrist.....	Centre.
1851. *Rev. Archibald Baker.....	Rocky River.
1852. *Rev. Wm. N. Mebane.....	Danville, Va.
1853. *Rev. Hector McLean.....	Wilmington.
1854. *Rev. A. L. Watts.....	Concord.
1855. *Rev. Eli W. Caruthers, D. D. ....	Greensborough.
1856. *Rev. Neill McKay, D. D.....	Fayetteville.
1857. *Rev. Walter W. Pharr.....	Charlotte.
1858. *Rev. Jacob Doll.....	New Berne.
1859. *Rev. F. K. Nash.....	Wilmington.
1860. *Rev. R. H. Lafferty.....	Statesville.
1861. *Rev. Edward Hines.....	Raleigh.
1862. *Rev. John M. Sherwood.....	Goldsborough.
1863. *Rev. R. N. Davis.....	Salisbury.
1864. *Rev. A. G. Hughes.....	Greensborough.
1865. Rev. Colin Shaw.....	Fayetteville
1866. *Rev. R. Hett Chapman, D. D.....	Charlotte.
1867. Rev. Archibald Currie.....	New Berne.
1868. *Rev. D. D. McBryde.....	Wilmington.
1869. *Rev. Jesse Rankin.....	Morganton.

\*Deceased.

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**Moderators of Synod.**


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MODERATORS.	PLACE OF MEETING.
1870. *Rev. R. A. Stanford.....	Raleigh.
1871. *Rev. J. P. McPherson.....	Fayetteville.
1872. *Rev. Arnold W. Miller, D. D.....	Charlotte
1873. *Rev. James M. Sprunt.....	Wilmington.
1874. Rev. J. Rumble, D. D.....	Concord.
1875. *Rev. P. H. Dalton.....	Greensborough.
1876. *Rev. Martin McQueen.....	Fayetteville.
1877. *Rev. John Douglas.....	Charlotte.
1878. Rev. Joseph R. Wilson, D. D.....	Goldsborough.
1879. *Rev. E. F. Rockwell, D. D.....	Statesville.
1880. Rev. J. Henry Smith, D. D.....	Raleigh.
1881. *Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D.....	Salisbury.
1882. Rev. L. McKinnon, D. D.....	Asheville.
1883. Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D.....	Wilmington.
1884. *Rev. P. T. Penick.....	Winston.
1885. *Rev. J. C. Alexander.....	Reidsville.
1886. Rev. J. W. Primrose, D. D.....	Concord.
1887. Rev. R. Z. Johnston.....	Fayetteville.
1888. *Hon. A. M. Scales.....	Goldsborough.
1889. Rev. J. M. Wharey, D. D.....	Charlotte.
1890. Rev. Alexander Sprunt.....	Wilmington.
1891. Rev. W. E. Mellwain.....	Durham.
1892. Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D.....	Statesville.
1893. Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D.....	Tarboro.
1894. Rev. W. B. Arrowood.....	Greensborough.
1895. Rev. Eugene Daniel, D. D.....	Fayetteville.
1896. Rev. A. D. McClure.....	New Berne.

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\*Deceased.

**Officers and Appointees of Synod.**

**UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—MEMBERS OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
FROM SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA.**

FIRST CLASS—TO SERVE FOUR YEARS.  
To go out in 1900.

Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.,  
Dr. E. Nye Hutchison, Ruling Elder.

Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D.,

SECOND CLASS—TO SERVE THREE YEARS.  
To go out in 1899.

Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D.,  
Dr. H. L. Smith, Ruling Elder.

Rev. W. B. Arrowood.

THIRD CLASS—TO SERVE TWO YEARS.  
To go out in 1898.

Rev. J. Rumble, D. D.,  
Mr. Geo. W. Watts, Ruling Elder.

Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D.,

FOURTH CLASS—TO SERVE ONE YEAR.  
To go out in 1897.

Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D.,  
Mr. B. F. Hall, Ruling Elder.

Rev. J. B. Morton.

**SYNODICAL COMMITTEES AND AGENTS.**

<i>Synodical Missions</i> .....	Rev. Wm. Black, Superintendent.
<i>Foreign Missions</i> .....	Rev. A. T. Graham, Chairman.
<i>Church and Christian Education</i> .....	Rev. J. B. Shearer, Agt. and Ch'm.
<i>Education for Ministry</i> .....	Rev. L. B. Turnbull, Agent.
<i>Colored Evangelization</i> .....	Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., Chairman.
<i>Bible Cause</i> .....	Rev. R. E. Caldwell, Chairman.
<i>Publication and Colportage</i> .....	Rev. A. D. McClure, Chairman.
<i>Sabbath Schools</i> .....	Rev. C. G. Vardell, Chairman.

To go out in 1898.

**TREASURER OF SYNOD.**

Rev. J. Alston Ramsay..... Hickory, N. C.

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 Officers and Appointees of Synod.
 

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## TRUSTEES OF SYNOD—TO SERVE FOUR YEARS.

To go out in 1899.

Dr. J. R. Irwin (Chairman).....	Charlotte.
Col. J. B. Rankin.....	Charlotte.
Mr. J. C. Burroughs.....	Charlotte.
Mr. R. M. Oates.....	Charlotte.
Hon. A. C. Avery.....	Morganton.
Mr. D. F. Cannon.....	Concord.
Mr. E. B. Stimson.....	Statesville.

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 STATED CLERKS OF PRESBYTERIES.

<i>Orange</i> —Rev. D. I. Craig.....	Reidsville.
<i>Concord</i> —Rev. W. R. McLelland .....	Statesville.
<i>Fayetteville</i> —Rev. P. R. Law .....	Lumber Bridge.
<i>Wilmington</i> —Rev. A. McFadyen.....	Clarkton.
<i>Mecklenburg</i> —Rev. E. L. Siler.....	Wadesboro.
<i>All emarle</i> —Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D.....	Elizabeth City.
<i>Asheville</i> —Rev. E. A. Sample.....	Hendersonville.

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 REGENTS OF ORPHANS' HOME.

## FIRST CLASS—TO SERVE FIVE YEARS.

To go out in 1901.

Geo. W. Watts, Esq.,	Rev. J. W. Staggs.
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## SECOND CLASS—TO SERVE FOUR YEARS.

To go out in 1900.

Rev. W. R. McLelland.	M. W. Hill, M. D.
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## THIRD CLASS—TO SERVE THREE YEARS.

To go out in 1899.

Mr. S. C. Rankin,	Mr. John E. Oates.
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## FOURTH CLASS—TO SERVE TWO YEARS.

To go out in 1898.

Rev. J. Rumple, D. D.,	Rev. D. I. Craig.
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## FIFTH CLASS—TO SERVE ONE YEAR.

To go out in 1897.

Rev. C. G. Vardell.	Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D.
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Regents of South Atlantic University.      Directors of Colored Industrial School.

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**REGENTS OF SOUTH ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY,**

**FIRST CLASS—TO SERVE THREE YEARS.**

To go out in 1899.

Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D.

**SECOND CLASS—TO SERVE TWO YEARS.**

To go out in 1898.

Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.

**THIRD CLASS—TO SERVE ONE YEAR.**

To go out in 1897.

Judge T. B. Womack.



**DIRECTORS OF COLORED INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.**

Rev. R. E. CALDWELL, Chairman.

**FIRST CLASS—TO SERVE THREE YEARS.**

To go out in 1899.

Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.,

Rev. A. J. McKelway.

Rev. R. E. Caldwell,

Mr. — Montcastle.

**SECOND CLASS—TO SERVE TWO YEARS.**

To go out in 1898.

Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D.,

Rev. E. W. Smith, D. D.

Mr. J. M. Rogers,

Mr. Geo. W. Watts.

**THIRD CLASS—TO SERVE ONE YEAR.**

To go out in 1897.

Rev. C. A. Munroe,

Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D.

Rev. C. G. Vardell,

Mr. E. Finley.



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 Permanent Committees of Synod.
 

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 PERMANENT COMMITTEES OF SYNOD.
 

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## Committee on Foreign Missions.

REV. A. T. GRAHAM, Chairman.

*Orange Presbytery*—Rev. R. E. Caldwell, Mr. Geo. W. Watts.

*Concord*—Rev. A. T. Graham, Prof. H. L. Smith.

*Fayetteville*—Rev. A. J. McKelway, Mr. J. C. McCaskill.

*Wilmington*—Rev. A. D. McClure, Mr. W. H. Sprunt.

*Mecklenburg*—Rev. J. W. Siler, Dr. Chas. Adams.

*Albemarle*—Rev. F. W. Farries, Mr. J. B. Sparrow.
 

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## Committee on Synodical Missions.

REV. WM. BLACK, Superintendent.

*Orange Presbytery*—Rev. M. McG. Shields, Mr. J. M. Rogers.

*Concord*—Rev. C. A. Munroe, Mr. J. G. Hall.

*Fayetteville*—Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., Dr. J. W. McNeill.

*Wilmington*—Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., Mr. B. F. Hall.

*Mecklenburg*—Rev. R. A. Miller, Mr. A. G. Brenizer.

*Albemarle*—Rev. J. B. Morton, Mr. J. R. Young.

*Asheville*—————, Mr. W. A. Blair.
 

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## Committee on Church and Christian Education.

REV. J. B. SHEARER, D. D., Agent.

*Orange Presbytery*—Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D.

*Concord*—Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., Mr. G. P. Erwin.

*Fayetteville*—Rev. P. R. Law, Capt. S. C. Rankin.

*Wilmington*—Rev. A. McFadyen, Mr. W. H. Sprunt.

*Mecklenburg*—Mr. George E. Wilson.

*Albemarle*—Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D., Mr. W. S. Primrose.

**Permanent Committees of Synod.**

**Committee on Bible Cause.**

REV. R. E. CALDWELL, Chairman.

*Albemarle Presbytery*—Rev. F. D. Thomas.

*Concord*—Rev. W. C. Alexander.

*Fayetteville*—

*Mecklenburg*—Rev. Geo. A. Sparrow.

*Orange*—Rev. S. O. Hall.

*Wilmington*—Rev. George W. McMillan.

**Committee on Colored Evangelization.**

REV. J. M. ROSE, D. D., Chairman.

*Orange Presbytery*—Rev. W. Lee Harrell.

*Concord*—Rev. Wm. H. White.

*Fayetteville*—Rev. M. D. McNeill.

*Wilmington*—Rev. S. H. Isler.

*Mecklenburg*—Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.

**Committee on Publication and Colportage.**

REV. A. D. McCLURE, Chairman.

*Albemarle*—Rev. E. Daniel, D. D.

*Concord*—Rev. J. A. Harris.

*Fayetteville*—Rev. S. M. Rankin.

*Mecklenburg*—Rev. R. J. McIlwain.

*Orange*—Rev. R. W. Culbertson.

*Wilmington*—Rev. K. McDonald.

**ROLL OF MINISTERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SYNOD.**

1896.

**I—Orange Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. A. Currie .....	Hillsboro.
2. J. Henry Smith, D. D. ....	Greensborough.
3. C. P. Crenshaw, D. D. ....	Durham.



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**Roll of Ministers. Orange. Concord.**


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MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
4. D. I. Craig .....	Reidsville.
5. J. McL. Seabrook .....	Greensborough.
6. E. W. Smith, D. D. ....	Greensborough.
7. S. O. Hall.....	Greensborough.
8. R. W. Culbertson.....	Mebane.
9. C. W. Maxwell.....	Durham.
10. C. Miller.....	Danbury.
11. J. M. Greenlee.....	Marion.
12. M. McG. Shields.....	Burlington.
13. S. G. Walker, (col'd).....	North Wilkesboro.
14. R. E. Caldwell.....	Winston.
15. C. W. Robinson.....	North Wilkesboro.
16. H. S. Bradshaw.....	Hillsborough.
17. D. J. Currie.....	Chapel Hill.
18. W. Lee Harrell .....	High Point.
19. H. C. Kegley.....	Mebane.
20. P. C. Morton.....	Roxborough.
21. H. D. Lequeux.....	Greensborough.
22. N. B. Campbell.....	Yanceyville.
23. W. P. McCorkle.....	Graham.
24. R. W. George.....	.....
25. B. B. Palmer, (col'd).....	Semora.

**II.—Concord Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. B. L. Beall.....	Greensborough.
2. J. Rumple, D. D.....	Salisbury.
3. Wm. W. Pharr, D. D.....	Moorestville.
4. W. A. Wood, D. D.....	Statesville.
5. J. B. Shearer, D. D. ....	Davidson.
6. L. McKinnon, D. D.....	Clinton.
7. J. M. Wharey, D. D.....	Moorestville.
8. John W. Davis, D. D.....	...Soochow, China.
9. W. C. Alexander .....	Concord.
10. J. A. Ramsay.....	Hickory.

**Roll of Ministers. Fayetteville.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
11. C. A. Munroe.....	Lenoir.
12. W. R. McLelland.....	Statesville.
13. M. A. Henderson.....	
14. R. S. Arrowood.....	Elmwood.
15. A. T. Graham.....	Davidson.
16. J. A. Harris.....	Mill Bridge.
17. W. M. Shaw.....	Mill Hill.
18. E. E. Pressly.....	Fancy Hill.
19. J. M. Rose, D. D.....	Morganton.
20. W. H. White.....	Marion.
21. J. C. Kennedy.....	Mt. Mourne.
22. R. W. Boyd.....	Barium Springs.
23. R. V. Lancaster.....	Harrisburg.
24. B. Soulier.....	Valdese.
25. A. K. Pool.....	Concord.
26. L. A. McLamrin.....	Elk Park.

**III.—Fayetteville Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. A. McMillan.....	Laurinburg.
2. H. G. Hill, D. D.....	Maxton.
3. David Fairley.....	Manchester.
4. A. N. Ferguson.....	Laurinburg.
5. K. M. McIntyre.....	Endicott.
6. J. S. Black.....	Athens.
7. P. R. Law.....	Lumber Bridge.
8. K. A. McLeod.....	Endicott.
9. J. W. Johnston.....	Aberdeen.
10. W. F. Thom.....	Ore Hill.
11. M. N. McIver.....	Rockingham.
12. W. B. Arrowood.....	Laurinburg.
13. D. W. Fox.....	Rockingham.
14. A. J. McKelway.....	Fayetteville.
15. J. A. McMurray.....	Smithfield.
16. S. M. Rankin.....	Red Springs.

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**Roll of Ministers.    Wilmington.    Mecklenburg.**


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MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
17. A. M. Hassell.....	Godwin.
18. M. D. McNeill.....	.....
19. H. Craig.....	Plainville.
20. L. L. Little.....	Kiang Yiu, China.
21. W. R. Coppedge.....	Rockingham.
22. W. C. Buchanan.....	.....
23. C. G. Vardell.....	Red Springs.
24. A. McLaughlin.....	.....

**IV.—Wilmington Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. Colin Shaw.....	Kinston.
2. James Kelley.....	Clarkton.
3. A. McFadyen.....	Clarkton.
4. Geo. W. McMillan.....	Whiteville.
5. K. McDonald.....	Ivanhoe.
6. A. D. McClure.....	Wilmington.
7. Peyton H. Hoge, D. D.....	Wilmington.
8. J. D. Stanford.....	Kenansville.
9. J. J. Hines.....	Riverdale.
10. Peter McIntyre.....	Faison's.
11. T. H. Newkirk.....	Vineland.
12. Joseph Evans.....	Clinton.
13. S. H. Isler.....	Goldsboro.
14. John Wakefield.....	.....
15. B. E. Wallace.....	Wilmington.

**V.—Mecklenburg Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. R. Z. Johnston.....	Lincolnton.
2. J. J. Kennedy.....	Lowesville.
3. D. T. Towles.....	Crab Tree.
4. R. A. Miller.....	Lowell.
5. E. A. Sample.....	Hendersonville.

**Roll of Ministers. Mecklenburg.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
6. J. R. McAlpine.....	Pineville.
7. S. C. Boyce.....	Wolfsville.
8. Roger Martin.....	Uncas.
9. John W. Moore.....	Koochi, Japan.
10. George A. Sparrow.....	Begonia.
11. J. T. Wade.....	Highlands.
12. H. M. Dixon.....	Mouroe.
13. W. J. Williams, (col'd).....	Hendersonville.
14. L. H. Baldwin.....	Norfolk, Va.
15. J. S. Morrow, (col'd).....	Asheville.
16. J. M. Grier.....	Caldwell.
17. J. J. Harrell.....	Mint Hill.
18. S. W. Newell.....	Newell.
19. Jesse W. Siler.....	Davenport.
20. E. L. Siler.....	Wadesboro.
21. William Black.....	Monroe.
22. H. M. Parker.....	Inanda.
23. G. A. Hough.....	Rutherfordton.
24. R. F. Campbell, D. D.....	Asheville.
25. R. P. Smith.....	Gastonia.
26. R. C. Morrison.....	Matthews.
27. M. C. Arrowood.....	Marshalville.
28. Jonas Barelay.....	Martindale.
29. J. L. Wicker.....	Brevard.
30. W. G. White.....	Charlotte.
31. J. B. Cochrane.....	Bryson City.
32. A. A. Little.....	Shopton.
33. R. J. McIlwain.....	King's Mountain.
34. T. F. Boozer.....	Sunshine.
35. J. W. Staggs.....	Charlotte.
36. R. D. Stimson.....	Hopewell.
37. R. W. Alexander.....	Waynesville.
38. T. M. Lowry.....	
39. J. S. Shaw.....	Sandifer.
40. Jas. Crackard.....	

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**Roll of Ministers. Albemarle.**


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**VI — Albemarle Presbytery.**

MINISTERS.	POST OFFICE.
1. F. H. Johnston, D. D.....	Elizabeth City.
2. C. M. Payne, D. D.....	Washington.
3. E. Daniel, D. D.....	Raleigh.
4. F. D. Thomas.....	Rocky Mount.
5. F. W. Farries.....	Goldsboro.
6. W. T. Walker, Jr.....	Townsville.
7. R. W. Hines.....	Parmele.
8. J. B. Morton.....	Tarboro.
9. C. N. Wharton.....	Warrenton.
10. James Thomas.....	
11. E. D. Brown.....	
12. A. S. Caldwell.....	Oxford.
13. G. I. Leyburn, D. D.....	New Berne.

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Order of Business.

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F.

DAILY ORDER OF BUSINESS.

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(From 22nd Rule of the Rules of Parliamentary Order, Approved by the Synod.  
See Standing Rule 15.)

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1. Prayer.
2. Minutes read.
3. Presentation of Papers—
  - (a.) Communications addressed to the body;
  - (b.) Reports of Standing Committees;
  - (c.) Reports of Select Committees;
  - (d.) Resolutions.

[Each of which papers may, by unanimous consent, be taken up immediately on presentation; but if objection be made, it shall be docketed.]

4. The Unfinished Business in which the Court was engaged at the last preceding adjournment in preference to the Orders of the Day.

[But such unfinished Business may, on motion, without debate, be laid on the table to proceed with the Special Order.]

5. The Order of the Day.
6. Regular Docket.

[Motions to elect officers, to appoint committees, and to enroll members, shall always be in order, unless a member is speaking or the Court is voting.]

NOTE.—If the Unfinished Business be laid on the table in order to proceed with the Order of the Day, when the order has been disposed of, such Unfinished Business has precedence of the Regular Docket.

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## G.

## DOCKET.

Of the Eighty-Fourth Annual Session of the Synod of North Carolina, to be held in  
 the First Presbyterian Church, Salisbury, N. C., on Tuesday,  
 November 2nd, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

- I. Prayer.
- II. Report of Committee of Enrollment.
- III. Moderator Chosen.
- IV. Temporary Clerks Chosen.
- V. Minutes of last Annual Meeting of Synod Read.
- VI. Standing Committees Announced—
  1. Bills and Overtures.
  2. Judicial Committee.
  3. Address to the Churches on the State of Religion.
  4. Systematic Beneficence.
  5. Minutes of the General Assembly.
  6. Union Theological Seminary.
  7. Treasurer's Books.
  8. Report of the Trustees of Synod.
  9. Devotional Exercises.
  10. Statistical Report of the Presbyteries.
  11. Synodical Records.
  12. Leave of Absence.
- VII. Committee to Review Records of Presbyteries Announced—
  1. Orange.
  2. Concord.
  3. Fayetteville.
  4. Wilmington.
  5. Mecklenburg.
  6. Albemarle.
- VIII. Excuse for absence from last Meeting of Synod Referred.



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**Docket.**

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IX. Statistical Reports of the Presbyteries Referred—

1. Orange.
2. Concord.
3. Fayetteville.
4. Wilmington.
5. Mecklenburg.
6. Albemarle.

X. Narratives of the State of Religion Referred—

1. Orange.
2. Concord.
3. Fayetteville.
4. Wilmington.
5. Mecklenburg.
6. Albemarle.

XI. Reports of Presbyteries on Systematic Beneficence—

1. Orange.
2. Concord.
3. Fayetteville.
4. Wilmington.
5. Mecklenburg.
6. Albemarle.

XII. Report of the Directors of Union Theological Seminary Read and Referred.

XIII. Appointment of Directors of Union Theological Seminary Referred.

[NOTE.—The term of office of the Fourth Class expires at this meeting, viz.:  
Rev. F. H. Johnston, D. D., Rev. J. B. Morton and Ruling Elder B. F. Hall.

XIV. Synodical and Presbyterial Records Referred—

1. Orange.
2. Concord.
3. Fayetteville.
4. Wilmington.
5. Mecklenburg.
6. Albemarle.
7. The Synod.

XV. Report of the Trustees of Synod (Dr. J. R. Irwin, Chairman,) Read and Referred.

XVI. Report of the Treasurer of Synod Read and Referred.

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**Docket.**


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- XVII. Report of Board of Directors of Colored Industrial School—Rev. R. E. Caldwell, Chairman.
- XVIII. Appointment of Orders of the Day.
- XIX. Reports of Synodical Committees or Agents Read—
1. Synodical Missions—Rev. Wm. Black, Superintendent.
  2. Foreign Missions—Rev. A. T. Graham, Chairman.
  3. Church and Christian Education—Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., Agent.
  4. Colored Evangelization—Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., Chairman.
  5. Bible Cause—Rev. R. E. Caldwell, Chairman.
  6. Education for the Ministry—Rev. L. B. Turnbull, Agent.
  7. Publication and Colportage—Rev. A. D. McClure, Chairman.
  8. Sabbath Schools—Rev. C. G. Vardell, Chairman.
- XX. Report of Committee on Peace Institute—Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., Chairman.
- XXI. Report on *North Carolina Presbyterian*—Rev. E. Daniel, D. D., Chairman.
- XXII. Report of Regents of South Atlantic University.
- XXIII. Report of Synodical Historical Committee—Rev. J. A. Ramsay, Chairman.
- XXIV. Report of Regents of Orphans' Home—Rev. J. Ruple, D. D., Chairman.
- XXV. Report of Committee on Religious Welfare of Convicts—Rev. L. B. Turnbull, D. D., Chairman.
- XXVI. Election of Superintendent of Synodical Home Missions.
- XXVII. Synodical Communion on Wednesday morning, as provided for by Rule 22.
- XXVIII. Place and Time of next Meeting of the Synod.
- XXIX. How many Copies of the Minutes shall be printed?
- XXX. Statistical Report to General Assembly adopted.
- XXXI. Roll Called before Final Adjournment.
- XXXII. Minutes Read and Approved.
- XXXIII. Adjournment with Singing, Prayer and Apostolic Benediction.

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ROLL OF ELDERS AND DEACONS.\*

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I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

1. ALAMANCE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	W. R. McMasters.....	Hinton,	N. C.
	D. H. Coble.....	Tabernacle,	“
	W. H. Phipps.....	Gilmer's Store,	“
	W. A. Sharp.....	Greensboro,	“
	L. M. Stewart.....	“	“
	R. A. Gilmer.....	“	“
	Dr. C. S. Gilmer.....	“	“
	Wm. C. Rankin, (C.).....	“	“
DEACONS.—	J. H. Gilmer, (T.).....	“	“
	G. M. Glass.....	“	“
	R. S. Phipps.....	McLeansville,	“
	J. R. Pritchett.....	Gilmer's Store,	“
	J. R. Coble.....	“	“
	D. F. Cansey.....	Hinton,	“
	J. W. Weatherly.....	“	“

2. ASBURY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	G. W. Faries.....	Dan River,	N. C.
	Ira E. Jessup.....	“	“
DEACONS.—	NONE.		

3. ASHBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	A. C. McAlister.....	Ashboro,	N. C.
DEACONS.—	R. S. Hunter.....	“	“
	J. S. McAlister.....	Worthville,	“

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\*NOTE.—“C.” opposite any name indicates the Clerk of Session; “T.” the Church Treasurer.

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**4. BETHANY CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—E. R. Dixon.....	Graham,	N. C.
W. L. Cooper .....	“	“
DEACONS.—G. S. Rogers.....	“	“
W. C. Curtis.....	Sweptonville,	“

**5. BETHEL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. C. Rankin.....	McLeansville, N. C.
G. W. Wharton.....	“
S. C. Denny.....	“
J. W. Paisley.....	“
A. F. Forbis .....	“
DEACONS.—W. P. Whurton.....	“
W. L. Lindsay.....	“
Alex. Montgomery.....	“
W. H. McLean, (T.) .....	“
J. M. Dick.....	“
J. H. Rankin.....	Gibsonville.

**6. BETHLEHEM CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. J. Morrow.....	Oaks,	N. C.
A. P. Pickard.....	“	“
J. M. Smith.....	“	“
H. C. Thompson, (C.).....	Rock Spring,	“
E. H. Williamson .....	Saxapahaw,	“
DEACONS.—T. A. Morrow .....	Oaks,	“
Arnon Smith.....	“	“
A. J. Roberson.....	Teer,	“
G. F. Williamson, (T.).....	Saxapahaw.	“

**7. BETHESDA CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—E. J. Orr.....	Locust Hill, N. C.
T. C. Neal.....	Ashland,
Dr. J. F. Badgett.....	Blackwell's,
DEACONS.—A. P. Orr .....	Locust Hill.
J. T. Vincent.....	“
J. B. Siddle.....	“

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**8. BUFFALO CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—David Wharton.....	Greensboro.	N. C.
W. D. Wharton, (C.) .....	"	"
J. C. Cannon.....	"	"
G. A. Denny.....	"	"
D. E. Albright.....	"	"
T. B. Donnell.....	MeLeansville,	"
DEACONS.—J. M. Hendrix, (T.).....	Greensboro,	"
J. L. Hendrix .....	"	"
W. A. Donnell.....	"	"
J. W. Wharton.....	"	"
G. W. Denny.....	"	"
J. A. Rankin.....	"	"
A. C. Rankin.....	"	"

**9. BURLINGTON CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. Ripley .....	Burlington.	N. C.
J. W. Sharpe, (C.) .....	"	"
J. D. Bason.....	"	"
J. H. Holt .....	"	"
Armstrong Tate.....	"	"
D. F. Morrow.....	"	"
J. L. Wilson.....	"	"
B. R. Sellars .....	"	"
DEACONS.—W. W. Lasley, (T.).....	"	"
D. H. White.....	"	"
T. L. Holt.....	"	"
Dr. T. S. Faucette.....	"	"
C. E. McLean.....	"	"
J. A. Barnwell.....	"	"

**10. CALAH CHURCH.**

No Elders and no Deacons.

**11. CHAPEL HILL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—T. M. Kirkland.....	Chapel Hill.	N. C.
Prof. J. A. Holmes.....	"	"
Dr. F. P. Venable.....	"	"

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DEACONS.—Pres. E. A. Alderman.....Chapel Hill, N. C.  
 Dr. T. J. Wilson..... " " "  
 E. L. Harris..... " " "  
 Prof. G. P. Butler..... " " "

## 12. CLARK MEMORIAL CHURCH, (COL'D.)

RULING ELDERS.—Jerry Smith..... Danbury, N. C.

DEACONS.—None.

## 13. CROSS ROADS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. G. Tate.....Glendale, N. C.  
 S. J. Crawford.....Pleasant Grove, "  
 W. J. Anderson.....Stainback, "  
 E. C. Murray.....Vincent, "  
 R. A. Hodge.....Border, "  
 J. W. Pickett..... " "  
 Dr. W. N. Tate, (C.).....Mebane, "  
 DEACONS —G. C. Faucette..... " "  
 J. A. Smith.....Border, "  
 H. S. Barnwell.....Pleasant Grove, "  
 W. B. Sellars.....Stainback, "  
 S. E. Tate, (T)..... " "  
 J. F. Garrison..... " "

## 14. DANBURY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. H. Joyce..... Danbury, N. C.

DEACONS.—None.

## 15. DAN RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. R. Forest.....Francisco, N. C.

DEACONS.—R. H. L. Smith..... " "

## 16. DURHAM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. R. D. Blacknall.....Durham, N. C.

T. B. Fuller..... " "

W. H. Hanks..... " "

L. D. Heartt, (C.)..... " "

W. A. Jordan..... " "

G. W. Watts..... " "

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DEACONS.—L. A. Carr.....	Durham, N. C.
R. T. Faucette.....	" "
T. J. Fetzer.....	" "
J. W. Jones.....	" "
W. M. Morgan.....	" "
Q. E. Rawles, (T.).....	" "
J. Y. Whitted.....	" "

17. ELKIN CHURCH, (COL'D.)

RULING ELDERS.—M. Hickerson.....Elkin, N. C.

DEACONS.—None.

18. ELIM CHURCH, (COL'D.)

No Elders and no Deacons.

19. ENO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. H. Anderson.....	Cedar Grove, N. C.
B. C. Patton.....	" " "
R. W. Anderson.....	" " "
J. P. Hughes ..	" " "
N. D. Bain ..	Hillsboro, "
DEACONS.—J. K. Hughes.....	" "
J. H. Hughes.....	Cedar Grove, "

20. FAIRFIELD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Duncan Brown, (C.).....	Hillsboro, N. C.
G. L. Taylor.....	" "
David Thompson.....	Cedar Grove, "
S. M. Wilkinson.....	" " "
DEACONS.—Frank Smith.....	Hillsboro, "
C. C. Wilkinson.....	Cedar Grove, "

21. GILEAD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. W. Taylor.....	Milton, N. C.
H. W. Hagerman.....	" "
DEACONS.—U. T. Rainey.....	Estelle, "



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## 22. GRAHAM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. C. Donnell.....	Graham, N. C.
L. B. Holt.....	“ “
J. L. Scott, Jr., (C.).....	“ “
J. A. Long.....	“ “
J. P. Kerr.....	“ “
Dr. G. W. Long.....	“ “
W. C. Watson.....	“ “
DEACONS.—A. B. Tate.....	“ “
J. W. Whitsett.....	“ “
J. L. Scott.....	“ “
C. P. Albright.....	“ “
McBride Holt, (T.).....	“ “
G. W. Albright.....	“ “
R. L. Walker.....	“ “

## 23. GRIER'S CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. B. Smith.....	Hightowers, N. C.
G. L. Walker.....	“ “
J. D. Butler.....	“ “
B. F. Walker.....	“ “
R. L. Mitchell, (C.).....	Ridgeville, “
DEACONS.—D. E. Wilkinson, (T.).....	“ “
A. Graham.....	“ “
L. A. Walker.....	Hightowers, “
C. S. Smith.....	“ “

## 24. GREENSBORO FIRST CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. M. Sloan.....	Greensboro, N. C.
R. P. Dick.....	“ “
J. T. Carson.....	“ “
R. F. Robertson.....	“ “
J. W. Scott.....	“ “
W. S. Moore, (T.).....	“ “
L. Richardson, (C.).....	“ “
C. S. Smith.....	“ “

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DEACONS.—W. E. Bevell.....	Greensboro, N. C.
W. B. Bogart.....	" "
S. S. Brown.....	" "
Neil Ellington.....	" "
S. A. Kerr.....	" "
W. C. McLean.....	" "
R. R. King.....	" "
R. G. Glenn.....	" "
W. E. Allen.....	" "
J. T. Abbott.....	" "

**25. HAWFIELDS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—S. A. White.....	Mebane,	N. C.
T. C. Johnston.....	"	"
A. V. Craig.....	"	"
S. K. Scott, (C.).....	"	"
J. A. Patton.....	Haw River,	"
DEACONS.—J. W. Bason.....	" "	"
P. Dixon.....	" "	"
C. K. Thompson.....	" "	"
W. H. Boston.....	Swepsonville,	"
W. C. Johnston.....	Albright,	"
R. W. Scott.....	Melville,	"
J. C. Johnston.....	"	"
C. J. Kerr.....	"	"
A. A. Thompson.....	Mebane,	"
T. B. Thompson, (T.).....	"	"

**26. HIGH POINT CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. C. Denny.....	High Point, N. C.
W. S. Rankin.....	" " "
E. A. Suow.....	" " "
H. C. Bowman.....	" " "
M. Shaw.....	" " "
DEACONS.—J. R. Brown.....	" " "
J. C. Callom.....	" " "
D. C. Aldridge.....	" " "
Wm. Partridge.....	" " "

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DEACONS.—J. W. Snell.....High Point, N. C.  
 W. E. Thurston .....Scottsburg, Va.

## 27. HILLSBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Henry Richards.....Hillsboro, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—C. R. Parish....." "  
 Dr. John Berry ..... " "  
 Dr. C. D. Jones..... " "

## 28. HOLLOWAYS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John A. Baird, Sr.....Cristie, N. C.  
 John S. Pool.....Holloways, "  
 DEACONS—None.

## 29. JAMESTOWN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. M. Wharton .....Jamestown, N. C.  
 W. M. Wiley....." "  
 DEACONS.—None.

## 30. LEAKSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Hiram Foard.....Leaksville, N. C.  
 Alex. Moir....." "  
 N. S. Smith .....Stoneville, "  
 DEACONS.—W. R. Walker.....Leaksville, "  
 C. H. Hamlin ..... " "  
 J. S. Patterson..... " "

## 31. LEXINGTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. C. Foard .....Lexington, N. C.  
 G. W. Montcastle....." "  
 D. W. Biggers....." "  
 W. B. Hamner .... " "  
 DEACONS.—Joseph Conrad....." "  
 T. A. Fluck....." "  
 W. E. Hege....." "  
 L. B. Wheeler....." "  
 J. T. Lowe....." "  
 H. C. Daniel....." "

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32. LITTLE RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	N. P. Hall .....	Hillsboro,	N. C.
	D. S. Allison.....	"	"
	W. D. Woods.....	Caldwell Institute,	
	J. H. Woods.....	"	"
	T. H. Wilson.....	"	"
	Dr. A. C. Jordan.....	"	"
	N. V. Ray, (C.).....	"	"
	J. F. Allison.....	"	"
	W. R. McKee.....	"	"
	W. D. Valines.....	"	"
DEACONS.—	J. A. Woods.....	"	"
	J. W. Allison.....	"	"
	H. L. Woods.....	"	"
	W. L. Hall, (T.).....	"	"
	J. S. Wilson.....	"	"
	Henry Murdock.....	"	"
	S. T. Latta.....	"	"
	J. R. Kinnion.....	"	"

33. MADISON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Jesse Carter, Sr.....	Madison, N. C.
	W. G. Anderson.....	" "
	W. T. Chambers.....	" "
	J. C. Johnston.....	" "
	J. V. Price.....	Hogan, "
	T. D. Rosebro.....	Shuff, Va.
DEACONS.—	Jesse Carter, Jr.....	Madison, N. C.
	J. M. Apple.....	" "
	J. Suttentfield.....	" "
	James Dalton.....	Pine Hall, "
	J. H. Cardwell.....	Douglas, "

34. MEBANE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	T. M. Cheek, (C.) .....	Mebane, N. C.
	D. A. White.....	" "
	M. W. Moore.....	Oaks, "

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DEACONS.—T. H. Fowler .....	Mebane, N. C.
J. M. Oldham.....	“ “
H. O. Jobe .....	“ “
Edwin Cheek.....	“ “
J. T. Dick.....	“ “

**35. MIDWAY CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. P. McLean, (C.).....	Greensboro, N. C.
N. E. Rankin .....	“ “
A. T. Whitsett.....	Gibsonville, “
DEACONS.—A. H. Murray, (T.).....	Greensboro, “
H. A. Wilson.....	“ “
J. D. Donnell.....	“ “

**36. MILTON CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—D. M. Hines.....	Milton, N. C.
R. L. Walker.....	“ “
J. W. Lewis.....	“ “
DEACONS.—N. M. Richmond.....	“ “
Lewis Walker.....	“ “
G. J. Hunt.....	“ “

**37. MT. AIRY CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. S. Gilmer.....	Mt. Airy, N. C.
A. G. Trotter.....	“ “
J. E. Spough .....	“ “
W. F. Carter, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. P. Gilmer .....	“ “
W. F. Gilmer, (T.).....	“ “

**38. NEW HOPE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—C. W. Johnston.....	Chapel Hill, N. C.
J. T. Hogan, (C.).....	University, “
DEACONS.—W. J. Kirkland, (T.).....	Blackwood, “
J. D. Long.....	Hillsboro, “

**39. NORTH WILKESBORO CHURCH**

RULING ELDERS.—J. E. Finley, (C.) .....	North Wilkesboro, N. C.
J. R. Finley.....	“ “
DEACONS.—A. A. Finley, (T.).....	“ “

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40. OAK FOREST CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—None.

DEACONS.—J. D. Daniel..... Mayfield, N. C.

41. RED HOUSE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. P. Rainey, (C.).....Semora, N. C.

W. G. Smith.....Osmond, "

DEACONS.—J. N. Rainey.....Semora, "

J. M. Long.....Hycotee, "

42. REIDSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. M. Andrews, (C.).....Reidsville, N. C.

R. P. Richardson, Jr....." "

R. M. Denny....." "

J. N. Craig....." "

DEACONS.—J. M. Cox, (T.)....." "

C. H. Denny....." "

E. F. Hall....." "

W. L. Walker....." "

J. C. Womack....." "

R. H. Scales....." "

43. ROUGEMONT CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. K. McCutcheon.....Rougemont, N. C.

D. N. Garrard....." "

DEACONS.—None.

44. ROXBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. A. Wise, (C.).....Roxboro, N. C.

H. Field....." "

T. C. Brooks....." "

DEACONS.—E. G. Thompson, (T.)....." "

45. SAXAPAHAW CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

46. SPEEDWELL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—David Purcell.....Adelaide, N. C.

T. S. Malloy.....Wentworth, "

J. L. Haynes.....Geneva, "

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DEACONS.—T. B. Whitted .....Monroeton, N. C.  
 E. D. Purcell.....Ádelaide, "  
 W. R. Butler.....Greensboro, "

## 47. SPRINGWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. P. Foust .....Alamance, N. C.  
 A. G. Clapp, (C.).....Gibsonville, "  
 Albert Ingle.....Whitsett, "  
 J. E. Clapp.....Brick Church, "  
 DEACONS.—G. M. R. Clapp, (T.)....." "  
 E. Wheeler .....Whitsett, "  
 J. C. Ingle.....Burlington, "

## 48. STONY CREEK.

RULING ELDERS.—J. H. Tarpley.....Pleasant Grove, N. C.  
 A. G. Garrison.....Union Ridge, "  
 M. Garrison....." "  
 G. L. Barnett, (C.).....Maywood, "  
 DEACONS.—T. B. Barker, (T.) ..... "  
 W. D. Wilson.....Burlington, "

## 50. WENTWORTH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. A. Ratliffe, (C.).....Wentworth, N. C.  
 D. L. Withers....." "  
 DEACONS.—R. W. Morphis, (T.)....." "

## 51. WESTMINSTER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. W. P. Beall, (C.).....Greensboro, N. C.  
 D. D. Gillespie ..... " "  
 J. C. Wharton....." "  
 E. P. Wharton ..... " "  
 DEACONS.—W. R. Forbis....." "  
 G. S. Sergeant....." "  
 M. G. Newell....." "  
 R. W. Murray....." "  
 T. G. McLean, (T.)....." "  
 A. W. McAlister....." "



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52. WILKESBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—L. M. Pharr.....	Wilkesboro, N. C.
G. Vyne, (C.) .....	"      "
DEACONS.—D. M. Smoak, (T.).....	"      "

54. WINSTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. J. Wilson.....	Winston, N. C.
H. D. Lott.....	"      "
T. J. Brown .....	"      "
J. W. Shepherd .....	"      "
J. M. Rogers.....	"      "
W. S. Clary.....	"      "
E. J. Davis, (C.).....	"      "
W. B. Carter.....	"      "
DEACONS.—T. F. Williamson.....	"      "
D. P. Mast.....	"      "
J. P. Jones.....	"      "
A. B. Gorrell.....	"      "
Thomas Patterson .....	"      "
T. A. Wilson, (T.).....	"      "
W. B. Taylor .....	"      "

55. WORTHVILLE CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

56. YANCEYVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. M. McCrary .....	Blanche, N. C.
L. M. Seal.....	Yanceyville, "
DEACONS.—None.	

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

1. BACK CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. H. Brown.....	Beef Poplar, N. C.
H. E. Shoof .....	Miranda, "
J. K. Goodman, (C.).....	Rowan, "

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DEACONS.—J. A. Stewart.....	Miranda,	N. C.
J. A. Bailey .....	"	"
S. B. Hart.....	Hart's,	"
W. W. Miller.....	Rownn.	"

## 2. BANNER ELK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. Potts.....	Banner Elk,	N. C.
Philip Brewer .....	"	"
A. J. Proffit, (C.).....	"	"
DEACONS.—W. S. Frans.....	"	"
Tom Proffit.....	"	"

## 3. BETHANY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—C. W. Smith .....	Statesville, N. C.
W. H. Crawford.....	"
J. A. Gray.....	"
J. W. Holland.....	Olin,
E. A. Hall, (C.).....	Dunlap,
DEACONS.—W. W. Holland....	Olin,
J. W. Vickery.....	Statesville,

## 4. BETHESDA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. T. Goodman .....	Amity, N. C.
A. C. Robison.....	"
J. W. Lentz, (C.).....	"
DEACONS.—A. W. Cook.....	"
G. W. McNeely.....	"
G. M. Morrow.....	"
W. P. Goodman.....	"

## 5. BETHPHAGE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. M. Furr.....	Sunnyside, N. C.
C. M. B. Goodnight.....	Concord,
Dr. J. S. Lafferty.....	"
John Freeze.....	"
W. E. Litnker, (C.).....	Mill Hill,
S. E. Van Pelt .....	"

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DEACONS.—W. D. Gillon.....	Mill Hill,	N. C.
E. L. Isenhour.....	"	"
C. M. Petren.....	Concord,	"
D. M. Parks.....	Sunnyside,	"
C. O. Gillon.....	Mill Hill,	"
R. W. Fleming.....	"	"

6. BEULAH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Martin A. Smith, (C.) .....	Locust, N. C.
Adam Hartsell.....	" "
DEACONS.—Thomas Smart.....	" "
Jackson Smith .....	" "

7. BLOWING ROCK CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

8. CENTRE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. A. Kerr.....	Mooresville, N. C.
J. R. McNeely, (C.).....	" "
J. G. Houston.....	Mt. Mourne, "
J. H. Reid .....	" "
B. F. Young .....	" "
E. M. McNeely.....	Mooresville, "
DEACONS.—J. H. Thompson.....	Mt. Mourne, "
J. A. Black.....	" "
T. J. Williams.....	Mooresville, "
T. O. Brawley.....	Mt. Mourne, "
J. Y. Templeton.....	Mooresville, "

9. CLIO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. R. Hill, (C.).....	Clio, N. C.
J. F. Livingood .....	" "
DEACONS.—W. B. McLelland.....	" "
C. M. Hill.....	" "
J. W. Hager.....	" "

10. CONCORD (IREDELL) CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. S. Stevenson.....	Fancy Hill, N. C.
L. F. Stevenson.....	" "
W. B. Gibson.....	" "

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RULING ELDERS.—H. L. Morrison.....	Scott's,	N. C.
J. E. Summers .....	Statesville,	"
H. C. Summers, (C.).....	New Sterling,	"
DEACONS.—A. F. Morrison.....	"	"
J. B. Summers.....	"	"
A. F. Lewis.....	Fancy Hill,	"
T. W. Vickery.....	"	"
H. L. Stevenson.....	"	"

**11. CONCORD FIRST CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. W. Allison.....	Concord,	N. C.
M. W. Johnston.....	"	"
C. R. White.....	"	"
D. F. Cannon .....	"	"
P. B. Fetzer.....	"	"
J. A. Sims.....	"	"
M. M. Gillon.....	"	"
H. I. Woodhouse, (C.).....	"	"
DEACONS.—J. C. H. Burkhead.....	"	"
Elam King.....	"	"
James W. Cannon.....	"	"
John A. Kimmons.....	"	"
George M. Love.....	"	"
W. L. Bell.....	"	"
B. E. Harris.....	"	"
G. W. Brown.....	"	"
Dr. D. G. Caldwell.....	"	"

**12. COVE CREEK CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—William Bradley, (C.).....	Mast,	N. C.
M. N. Hall.....	Vilas,	"
DEACONS.—John Bradley.....	Mast,	"

**13. DAVIDSON COLLEGE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—H. P. Helper .....	Davidson,	N. C.
J. J. Dupny .....	"	"
S. R. Neel, (C.).....	"	"
J. P. Munroe.....	"	"
H. L. Smith .....	"	"

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DEACONS.—J. F. Knox .....	Davidson, N. C.
S. C. Scofield.....	“ “
Robert L. Query.....	“ “
C. B. Harding .....	“ “

14. ELK PARK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Isaac Greer, (C.).....	Elk Park, N. C.
Richard Green.....	“ “
DEACONS.—C. C. Currier.....	“ “

15. ELMWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. J. Long, (C.).....	Elmwood, N. C.
B. E. Arey .....	“ “
H. L. Fleming.....	“ “
DEACONS.—R. T. Cowan.....	“ “

16. FIFTH CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. A. Montgomery.....	Oak Forest, N. C.
P. B. Summers.....	“ “
F. A. Foster.....	Phi, “
J. L. Shepherd, (C.) .....	Cool Spring, “
DEACONS.—W. W. Turner.....	Vance, “
V. C. Montgomery .....	Cool Spring, “
D. W. Montgomery.....	“ “

17 FRANKLIN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. Klutz.....	Verble, N. C.
W. T. Gheen.....	Salisbury, “
B. F. Shuping.....	“ “
W. A. Thomason.....	Woodleaf, “
J. A. Thomason, (C.).....	Zeb, “
DEACONS.—J. A. Shuping.....	“ “
H. A. Fisher.....	South River “
M. A. Powlas.....	Verble, “
J. J. Kincaid.....	Cleveland, “

18. FRONT STREET CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. M. Milligan.....	Statesville, N. C.
A. M. Witherspoon, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—L. K. Overcash .....	“ “

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## 19. GILWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Nat Johnston.....	Tulin,	N. C.
C. H. Hamilton, (C.).....	Coddle,	“
J. H. Johnson.....	Saunders,	“
DEACONS.—J. O. Mowrer.....	Coddle,	“
J. C. Johnston.....	Tulin,	“
W. A. Chester.....	Coddle,	“
M. A. Emerson.....	Saunders,	“

## 20. GLEN ALPINE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. M. Giles, (C.).....	Glen Alpine,	N. C.
DEACONS.—Durant Gibbs.....	“	“

## 21. GREENLEE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—James Reid.....	Marion,	N. C.
H. E. Brown, (C.).....	Greenlee,	“
DEACONS.—E. L. Greenlee.....	“	“

## 22. HICKORY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. C. Hamilton.....	Hickory,	N. C.
R. W. Johnston.....	“	“
P. C. Hall.....	“	“
J. E. Haithecock.....	“	“
W. B. Ramsay.....	“	“
J. G. Hall.....	“	“
H. C. Dixon, (C.).....	“	“
DEACONS.—A. McIntosh.....	“	“
N. M. Seagle.....	“	“
L. M. Totten.....	“	“
H. E. McComb.....	“	“
L. G. Hay.....	“	“
G. C. Barnwell.....	“	“

## 23. LENOIR CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. W. F. Harper, (C.).....	Lenoir,	N. C.
G. L. Bernhardt.....	“	“
S. W. Hamilton.....	“	“
J. W. Kirby.....	“	“

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DEACONS.—J. M. Bernhardt.....Lenoir, N. C.  
 J. H. Beall....." "  
 E. F. Reid....." "

24. MARION CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. B. A. Cheek.....Marion, N. C.  
 Col. P. J. Sinclair....." "  
 W. B. Ratliff, (C.)....." "  
 DEACONS.—H. S. Neal....." "  
 T. A. White....." "

25. MIZPAH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John F. Cotton, (C.).....Pontop, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—None.

26. MOCKSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Frank Brown.....Mocksville, N. C.  
 T. B. Bailey, (C.)....." "  
 DEACONS.—E. L. Gaither....." "  
 S. A. Woodruff....." "

27. MOORESVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Leazar.....Mooreville, N. C.  
 R. C. Lentz....." "  
 W. M. Johnston....." "  
 S. C. Rankin, (C.)....." "  
 DEACONS.—J. E. Sherrill....." "  
 Isaac Harris....." "  
 J. A. Harris....." "  
 D. C. Brawley....." "  
 J. V. Melchor....." "

28. MORGANTON FIRST CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Judge A. C. Avery.....Morganton, N. C.  
 Dr. G. H. Moran....." "  
 W. A. Ross....." "  
 E. A. Perkins....." "  
 G. P. Erwin....." "  
 R. K. Pressnell, (C.)....." "



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DEACONS—D. McKenzie.....	Morganton, N. C.
J. A. Dickson.....	“ “
I. T. Avery.....	“ “
S. J. Ervin.....	“ “
R. C. Perkins.....	“ “

29. **NEWTON CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. J. Seagle.....	Newton, N. C.
Jas. A. Garvin.....	“ “
L. L. Witherspoon.....	“ “
J. M. Brown, (C.).....	“ “
J. D. Rowe.....	Conover, “
DEACONS.—J. R. Gaither.....	Newton, “
Geo. E. Coulter.....	“ “
M. Plonk.....	“ “
Dr. G. H. West.....	Weldon, “

30. **NEW SALEM CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. D. Martin.....	Elk Shoal, N. C.
J. D. Elliott.....	Pressly, “
J. S. Clodfelter.....	Catawba, “
J. Lentz, (C.).....	Stony Point, “
DEACONS.—R. F. Lackey.....	“ “ “
H. M. Harris.....	“ “ “

31. **NORWOOD CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—D. N. Bennett, (C.).....	Norwood, N. C.
DEACONS.—None.	

32. **OLD FORT CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Thomas Y. Lytle.....	Old Fort, N. C.
James B. Burgin, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—John H. Blaylock.....	“ “
Charles H. Burgin.....	Biltmore, “

33. **POPLAR TENT CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—I. N. Pharr.....	Eastfield, N. C.
G. J. Untz.....	Tulin, “
C. C. Caldwell, (C.).....	Concord, “

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DEACONS.—R. H. Smith.....	Springsville, N. C.
S. S. Johnston.....	Tulin, "
C. A. Fisher.....	Concord, "
J. Mc. Caldwell.....	" "

34. PROSPECT CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. S. Harris.....	Mooresville, N. C.
T. C. Benty.....	" "
D. A. Sloop.....	Miranda, "
D. W. Lowrance, (C).....	Mooresville, "
DEACONS.—J. F. McLean.....	" "
J. C. Gray.....	" "
V. C. Edmiston.....	" "
W. A. Wilford.....	" "
J. C. Denton.....	" "

35. QUAKER MEADOWS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—James Alexander.....	Morganton, N. C.
Michael Whisenant, (C).....	" "
DEACONS.—None.	

36. ROCKY RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jno. M. Query.....	Harrisburg, N. C.
Dr. Jno. R. Wilson.....	" "
Jno. M. W. White.....	Flowe's, "
T. L. Martin.....	Harrisburg, "
E. C. Davis.....	Pioneer Mills, "
Dr. D. W. Flowe, (C).....	Flowe's, "
A. N. Harris.....	Harrisburg, "
L. H. Alexander.....	Pioneer Mills, "
DEACONS.—Jno. M. W. Alexander.....	Harrisburg, "
J. L. Stafford.....	" "
J. C. Thompson.....	" "
Will E. Harris.....	" "
R. A. Gourley.....	Flowe's, "
Wm. S. Spears.....	Pioneer Mills, "
Col. S. Erwin.....	Concord, "

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**37. SALISBURY FIRST CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—O. D. Davis .....	Salisbury, N. C.
E. B. Neave.....	“ “
Edwin Shaver.....	“ “
W. G. Watson.....	“ “
H. G. Tyson, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—John M. Horah .....	“ “
Thomas B. Beall.....	“ “
W. Lawson Kluttz.....	“ “
Theo. F. Kluttz.....	“ “
J. Samuel McCubbins.....	“ “
John Allen Brown.....	“ “
Jere M. Brown.....	“ “
R. W. Price .....	“ “
D. A. Atwell .....	“ “
J. A. Ramsay. ....	“ “

**38. SHEARER CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. L. Ballard, (C.).....	Mooresville, N. C.
W. H. Foster.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. K. Jones.....	Mt. Mourne, “
R. W. Connolly.....	“ “

**39. SHERRILL'S FORD CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—James P. White, (C.).....	Flemming, N. C.
DEACONS.—Hugh Brotherton.....	Sherrill's Ford, “

**40. SILOAH CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. J. K. Thomas, (C.) .....	Abernethy, N. C.
M. A. Abernethy.....	“ “
DEACONS.—S. N. Thomas.....	Rock Cut, “
Wm. Bradford.....	New Stirling, “
T. P. Gny.....	Rock Cut, “
J. R. Abernethy.....	Abernethy, “

**31. SILOAM CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Mark A. Young, (C.).....	Old Fort, N. C.
Jno. C. McKoy.....	“ “

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DEACONS.—Waites W. Bailey..... Old Fort, N. C.  
 W. R. McKoy.....Greenlee, "  
 T. Y. Greenlee ..... " "  
 C. A. Blackwelder..... " "

42. SOUTH RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. W. Fowler, (C.).....South River, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—None.

43. SPRUCE PINE CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

44. STATESVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. Henry Hill.....Statesville, N. C.  
 Dr. M. W. Hill..... " "  
 W. F. Hall, Sr..... " "  
 J. P. Bradley..... " "  
 S. W. Stimson . . . . . " "  
 E. B. Stimson, (C.) ..... " "  
 DEACONS.—W. W. Walton, (T.)..... " "  
 Dr. M. R. Adams..... " "  
 W. F. Hall, Jr..... " "  
 John B. Gill..... " "  
 Logan Stimson..... " "  
 F. A. Sherrill..... " "

45. TABOR CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—P. B. Kennedy, (C.).....Houstonville, N. C.  
 J. M. Holmes.....Harmony, "  
 DEACONS.—None.

46. TAYLORSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. A. Hill.....Taylorsville, N. C.  
 A. C. McIntosh..... " "  
 A. H. Matheson..... " "  
 E. M. Stevenson, (C.) ... " "  
 DEACONS —R. P. Matheson..... " "  
 L. Herman ..... " "  
 C. T. Sharpe..... " "

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## 47. THIRD CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. G. Ramsay .....	Salisbury,	N. C.
W. L. Steele.....	Phi,	"
B. F. Phifer.....	Elmwood,	"
J. H. Carson.....	"	"
J. V. Niblock.....	Phi,	"
N. N. Fleming, (C.).....	Woodleaf,	"
R. M. Rosebro.....	Cleveland,	"
DEACONS.—John W. Steele .....	Phi,	"
W. A. Luckey .....	Mt. Vernon,	"
J. A. Lyerly.....	Cleveland,	"
J. W. Foster.....	Phi,	"
James C. Graham .....	Cleveland,	"
J. B. Johnson .....	Woodleaf,	"
T. C. Baker .....	Phi,	"

## 48. THYATIRA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. F. Goodman.....	Lipe,	N. C.
J. F. Carrigan.....	Mill Bridge,	"
J. W. Sloan.....	"	"
H. W. Silliman.....	"	"
C. C. Miller.....	Miranda,	"
DEACONS.—H. N. Goodnight.....	Lentz,	"
S. F. Baker.....	Mill Bridge,	"
J. F. Stansil.....	"	"
C. A. Sloop.....	Miranda,	"
J. C. Carrigan .....	"	"

## 49. TROUTMAN'S CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—M. Houlthouser, (C).....	Troutman's,	N. C.
J. V. Melchor.....	"	"
DEACONS.—None.		

## 50. TURKEY COVE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—James H. Greenlee, (C).....	Tom's Creek,	N. C.
DEACONS.—None.		

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51. UNITY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jesse Powless .....	Cleveland, N. C.
R. B. Bailey.....	Woodleaf, “
J. A. Lippard.....	Cleveland, “
R. Culbertson, (C.).....	Woodleaf, “
DEACONS.—William Carson.....	Mt. Vernon, “
J. K. Culbertson.....	Woodleaf, “
J. A. Bailey.....	“ “
Joseph A. Lyerly.....	Cleveland, “

52. WALDESSIAN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Martinat.....	Valdese, N. C.
J. Garron.....	“ “
H. Long.....	“ “
Barth. Soulier, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—None.	

53. WHITE HALL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. B. White, (C.).....	Concord, N. C.
DEACONS.—L. S. Bonds .....	“ “

54. ZION CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. W. White, (C.).....	Concord, N. C.
C. R. White.....	“ “
W. P. White.....	“ “
DEACONS.—Jos. R. White.....	“ “
L. H. White.....	“ “
L. P. White.....	“ “

III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

1. ABERDEEN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John A. McNeill, (C.).....	Laurel Hill, N. C.
Hugh McDonald.....	“ “
DEACONS.—D. C. McNeill.....	Old Hundred, “

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**2. ANTIOCH CHURCH.**

<b>RULING ELDERS.</b> —Duncan G. McGinnis.....		Antioch, N. C.
Arch'd. A. McGoogor.....		“ “
H. N. Hodgin.....		“ “
Hiram Conoly.....		“ “
D. B. McLean, (C.).....		“ “
Calvin S. Ray.....		“ “
Timothy Currie.....		“ “
A. A. Graham.....		“ “
<b>DEACONS.</b> —G. B. Conoly.....		“ “
J. G. Brown.....		“ “
J. W. Hodgin.....		“ “
Andrew J. Currie.....		“ “
John A. McPhaul.....		“ “
John A. Johnston.....		Shannon, “
W. S. Thomas.....		Melrose, “
J. M. McBryde.....		Antioch, “

**3. ASHPOLE CHURCH.**

<b>RULING ELDERS.</b> —Nathan T. Alford.....		Rowland, N. C.
Wiley C. Alford.....		“ “
Joseph T. McGirt.....		“ “
D. P. McKinnon.....		“ “
Dr. D. Sinclair, (C.).....		“ “
Neill T. McCallum.....		Alfordsville, “
A. L. Bullock.....		Rowland, “
J. Evander Alford.....		Alfordsville, “
C. B. Cox.....		“ “
D. P. McKay.....		Lone Home, “
<b>DEACONS.</b> —C. McRae.....		Alfordsville, “
W. F. Bullock.....		“ “
Alex. McGirt.....		“ “
John A. McCormick.....		“ “
A. C. Sinclair.....		“ “
Edwin C. McNeill.....		Rowland, “
W. Cole Williams.....		“ “



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3. BARBEQUE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Sion Harrington.....	Harrington.	N. C.
	Duncan McCormick.....	"	"
	J. E. Clark, (C.) ....	Swann's Station,	"
	J. Darrack .....	"	"
	Duncan Shaw.....	Westville,	"
DEACONS.—	J. McCormick.....	Swann's Station,	"
	R. McDonald.....	"	"
	A. Mann.....	"	"
	A. A. Clark.....	"	"
	James Cameron.....	"	"
	George Warrick .....	"	"
	Neill Shaw.....	"	"

5. BEN SALEM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS—	Allen McDonald.....	West End,	N. C.
	Kenneth Matheson.....	Caledonia,	"
	J. C. Monroe.....	Big Oak,	"
	D. C. McKinnon.....	Ben Salem,	"
	J. C. McDuffie.....	"	"
	K. M. Currie.....	West End,	"
	H. A. Kelly.....	Caledonia,	"
	W. C. Currie, (C.).....	West End,	"
DEACONS.—	W. P. M. Currie.....	"	"
	William Seawall.....	Ben Salem,	"
	Alex. Morrison.....	Big Oak,	"
	H. H. Martin.....	Curriesville,	"
	K. McCaskill.....	Ben Salem,	"

6. BETHESDA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	P. C. Shaw.....	Mauly,	N. C.
	D. D. F. Cameron.....	"	"
	Neill Graham.....	Keyser,	"
	J. B. Graham .....	Aberdeen,	"
	J. W. Graham .....	"	"
	John Blue.....	"	"
	N. A. McKeithan, (C.) .....	"	"

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DEACONS.—J. E. Buchan.....	Manly,	N. C.
George W. Graham .....	Montiose,	"
D. S. Ray.....	Carthage,	"
James A. McKeithan.....	Aberdeen,	"

**7. BETHEL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—William McLaughlin.....	Raeford,	N. C.
Neill McFadyen.....	"	"
J. W. McLaughlin, (C.) .....	"	"
H. McCurrie.....	"	"
J. R. McNeill .....	Ryan,	"
Dr. A. Dickson.....	Vollers,	"
M. A. Clark .....	Queensdale,	"
DEACONS.—J. A. McRae.....	Raeford,	"
F. P. McNeill.....	Bowmere,	"
J. F. Currie .....	Ryan,	"
H. D. McLean.....	Vollers,	"

**8. BETHLEHEM CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Henry E. Smith, (C.).....	Fayetteville,	N. C.
Thomas Bulla.....	"	"
DEACONS.—John Bulla.....	"	"
Evander McLean.....	"	"
Wm. McCaskill.....	"	"

**9. BIG ROCKFISH CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Lauchlin McDonald.....	Roslin,	N. C.
John A. McFadyen.....	"	"
Angus L. McLean.....	"	"
Fleet Culbreth.....	Hope Mills,	"
Daniel McMillan, (C.).....	Athens,	"
DEACONS.—W. A. McLean.....	Roslin,	"
John C. Culbreth.....	Hope Mills,	"
D. A. McMillan.....	"	"
Hector McNeill .....	"	"
D. W. Biggs.....	Roslin,	"

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10. BLUFF CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Dr. H. A. McSwain, (C.).....	Wade,	N. C.
	W. J. Smith .....	Godwin,	"
	James McIntyre .....	"	"
	J. C. Williams.....	"	"
	Alex. McAlister.....	Wade,	"
DEACONS—	W. D. Smith.....	Godwin,	"
	Josiah Cook.....	Wade,	"
	J. A. Wade .....	Godwin,	"
	C. C. McLelland.....	"	"
	John R. Bowden.....	Wade,	"

11. BUFFALO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS—	G. B. Cole, (C.) .....	Jonesboro,	N. C.
	Dr. John McIver.....	"	"
	J. D. McIver.....	Sanford,	"
DEACONS.—	J. L. McNeill, (T.).....	"	"
	J. H. Wicker .....	"	"
	A. B. Cole.....	Jonesboro,	"

12. CAMERON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Dr. K. M. Ferguson .....	Cameron,	N. C.
	M. McL. McKeithan, (C.).....	"	"
	Fergus Ferguson.....	"	"
	J. A. Keith.....	"	"
DEACONS.—	N. A. McFadyen, (T.).....	"	"
	G. McFadyen.....	"	"

13. CAMERONIAN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS—	George Warburton, (C.).....	Rockingham,	N. C.
	E. S. Hart.....	"	"
DEACONS—	D. M. McGinnis, (T.).....	"	"
	E. M. Phillips.....	"	"

14. CARTHAGE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. John Shaw.....	Carthage,	N. C.
	Hon. J. D. McIver.....	"	"
	D. P. Shields, (C.).....	"	"

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RULING ELDERS.—D. McS. Kelly.....	Carthage,	N. C.
D. M. McLeod.....	"	"
John Shields.....	"	"
Dr. Gilbert McLeod.....	"	"
L. P. Tyson.....	"	"
DEACONS.—D. P. McDonald.....	"	"
Dr. W. E. Evans.....	"	"
M. McL. Kelly.....	"	"
H. M. McCallum.....	"	"
G. C. Graves.....	"	"
A. C. Kelly.....	"	"
K. M. Fry.....	"	"
W. J. Kelly.....	"	"
D. A. McDonald, (T.).....	"	"
M. B. Morris.....	Curriesville,	"

**15. CENTRE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Arch'd. McLean.....	Maxton,	N. C.
James McBryde.....	Floral College,	"
Daniel Watson, (C.).....	"	"
D. Wilkinson.....	"	"
W. McGirt.....	Alma,	"
A. A. Watson.....	Floral College,	"
A. McKinnon.....	"	"
DEACONS.—Lucius McRae.....	Red Springs,	"
P. McEachin.....	Maxton,	"
T. B. Russell.....	Floral College,	"
John McGirt.....	Maxton,	"
G. B. Sellers.....	"	"
J. L. McLean.....	"	"
H. C. Alford.....	Floral College,	"

**16. CHINA GROVE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. McFarland.....	Manchester, N. C.
J. T. McCorquodale, (C.).....	Kinnon,
DEACONS.—None.	

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17. CHURCH OF THE COVENANT CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. K. McDiarmid .....	Manchester,	N. C.
Dan McDiarmid, (C.).....	Spout Springs,	“
DEACONS.—W. G. Morrison .....	Manchester,	“

18. CULDEE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Daniel McKenzie.....	Carthage,	N. C.
John McRimmon, (C.).....	Curriesville,	“
Duncan A. Blue.....	Southern Pines,	“
Malcolm McDonald.....	Pinelhurst,	“
DEACONS.—Hugh A. McCallum.....	Chiloe,	“
Will McKenzie .....	Curriesville,	“
Pearson McKenzie .....	“	“

19. CYPRESS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Arch'd. McLaughlin, (C.).....	Vass,	N. C.
A. McCalbrm.....	“	“
Alex. Parish.....	“	“
DEACONS.—D. B. McKeithan.....	“	“
Alex. Smith.....	“	“
J. A. Keith.....	“	“

20. DUNN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—James Pearsall, (C.).....	Dunn,	N. C.
F. P. Jones.....	“	“
J. D. Williams.....	Giles' Mill,	“
DEACONS.—Edwin Smith.....	Godwin,	“
W. L. Wade.....	Dunn,	“

21. ELLERBE SPRINGS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Nelson McAskill, (C.) .....	Ellerbe Springs,	N. C.
J. H. Forbis .....	“	“
J. R. Henderson.....	Malee,	“
J. A. McLean .....	Gibson's Mill,	“
A. D. McLean.....	“	“
Solomon McLean.....	“	“
N. G. Nicholson.....	Poweltown,	“

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DEACONS.—Alexander Quick.....	Ellerbe Springs, N. C.
C. E. Bethune.....	Bostick's Mill, "
W. M. Blue.....	Gibson's Mill, "
D. P. McQueen.....	" "

## 22. EUPHRONIA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—F. Blackman.....	Jessup, N. C.
Charles Underwood .....	" "
E. J. Harrington.....	" "
John Campbell .....	Carthage, "
George Cole.....	Carbonton, "
George Wilcox, (C.) .....	" "

DEACONS.—G. A. McRae.....	Quier, "
——— Wadsworth.....	Jessup, "
D. M. Underwood.....	Euphronia, "
J. R. Jones.....	Carbonton, "

## 23. FAYETTEVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. C. Rankin.....	Fayetteville, N. C.
Dr. J. W. McNeill .....	" "
W. L. Hawley.....	" "
R. M. Prior.....	" "
A. E. Rankin.....	" "
G. G. Myrover, (C.).....	" "

DEACONS.— <sup>*</sup> A. A. McKeithan.....	" "
R. McMillan.....	" "
H. McD. Robinson.....	" "
W. G. Hall.....	" "
T. J. Whitted.....	" "
J. P. Johnston.....	" "

## 24. FLAT BRANCH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. D. McCormick, (C.) .....	Paolia, N. C.
John Antry.....	" "
Hugh Black.....	" "
H. D. McDonald .....	" "
M. McLean .....	" "

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DEACONS.—Angus Shaw .....	Paolin, N. C.
John Morrison.....	“ “
John A. Shaw.....	“ “
John McArtan .....	“ “

25. GALATIA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. A. Blue, (C.).....	Fayetteville, N. C.
Dr. W. G. Ray.....	“ “
A. D. McGill .....	“ “
Neill A. Ray.....	Hope Mills, “
Gilbert Monroe.....	Carmichael, “
Lauchlin McInnis.....	“ “

DEACONS.—D. G. Blue.....	Fayetteville, “
J. T. Ritter.....	Hope Mills, “
Neill Lindsay.....	Carmichael, “
W. J. McCraney.....	Hope Mills, “
Neill Ray, Jr.....	Fayetteville, “

26. GULF CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John McRae.....	Gulf,	N. C.
W. S. Russell.....	“	“
J. M. McIver, (C.) .....	“	“
DEACONS.—J. G. Foushee.....	“	“
Herbert Russell.....	“	“
Charles S. Stewart.....	Franklinsville,	“

27. HAYWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. B. Massemore..	Moncure,	N. C.
W. C. Kimball, (C.).....	“	“
J. R. Thomas .....	Merry Oaks,	“
DEACONS.—A. M. Harrington.....	Moncure,	“

28. HOPE MILLS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. E. Buie, (C.).....	Hope Mills, N. C.
M. Morgan.....	“ “
DEACONS.—G. B. Driver.....	“ “
W. D. Campbell.....	“ “
C. Morgan .....	“ “

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29. **IDA MILLS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—M. L. Morgan, (C.).....	Laurel Hill, N. C.
W. H. Morrison.....	" "
D. F. Sinclair.....	" "
Hector McLean.....	Laurinburg, "
John McLean.....	Elmore, "
DEACONS.—T. B. Elmore, (T.).....	" "
D. McDonald.....	Laurel Hill, "
J. B. Calhoun.....	Laurinburg, "

30. **IONA CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Edgar Price, (C.) ..	Iona, N. C.
Dr. J. B. Brown.....	Leesville, "
Edward Williams.....	Iona, "
DEACONS.—Joseph Parker.....	Rowland, "
William Smith.....	" "

31. **JACKSON SPRINGS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—N. D. J. Clark.....	West End, N. C.
D. W. McDonald.....	" "
M. Ray.....	" "
A. McN. Curry, (C.) .....	Patterson's Bridge, "
M. Brown .....	" "
A. C. Ray.....	Filo, "
DEACONS.—J. B. Clark, (T.).....	Patterson's Bridge, "
L. Currie.....	" "
D. E. Patterson.....	" "
J. M. Graham.....	Jackson Springs, "
W. L. Holiday .....	West End, "
W. R. Pool .....	Flynn, "

32. **JONESBORO CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—James Dalrymple.....	Jonesboro, N. C.
J. Alton McIver.....	" "
C. H. Russell.....	" "
J. R. Watson, (C) .....	" "



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DEACONS.—	Redin Brynn .....	Jonesboro, N. C.
	A. C. Vick.....	" "
	J. H. Munn.....	" "
	A. A. F. Seiwel.....	" "

33. LAUREL HILL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS—	M. Morrison.....	Laurel Hill, N. C.
	John F. McNair .....	" "
	D. Z. Hardin.....	Elmore, "
	H. McN. Lytch .....	Laurinburg, "
	L. McNeill.....	Fonteol, "
	H. Fairley.....	Fairley, "
	A. F. Patterson, (C.).....	" "
DEACONS.—	Ed. Buchanan.....	Laurinburg, "
	H. C. McMillan.....	Fairley, "
	John M. McLean.....	Fonteol "

34. LAURINBURG CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	R. McCaskill.....	Laurinburg, N. C.
	A. L. Jones.....	" "
	Peter McRae, (C.).....	" "
	A. M. Herron.....	" "
	M. A. McDougald.....	" "
	D. D. McIntyre.....	" "
	J. H. Morgan.....	" "
	W. H. Sutherland.....	" "
	D. P. McKinnon.....	" "
DEACONS.—	C. McKinnon, (T.).....	" "
	Will Cameron.....	" "
	W. R. McEachin .....	" "
	J. C. Morgan.....	" "
	Daniel Blue.....	" "
	A. A. Leitch.....	" "
	J. G. Wilkinson.....	" "

35. LEBANON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Alexander McKenzie, (C.).....	Elrod, N. C.
DEACONS.—	None.	

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## 36. LONGSTREET CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—N. D. M. Clark, (C.) .....	Argyle, N. C.
Neill McPhail .....	" "
J. C. McGougan.....	" "
G. F. McFadyen.....	" "
DEACONS.—Arch. McFadyen.....	" "
Ed. Munroe.....	" "
D. McL. Holt.....	" "
N. D. McLauchlin ..	" "

## 37. LUMBER BRIDGE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. D. Malloy, (C.).....	Lumber Bridge, N. C.
H. McEachern.....	" "
N. Shaw.....	" "
Peter Brown.....	" "
J. A. McNeill.....	" "
Dr. T. Stamps.....	" "
DEACONS.—A. L. Shaw, (T.).....	" "
Edward Currie.....	" "
J. A. P. Conoly.....	" "
A. McGougan.....	Rennert, "
M. J. Johnston.....	Parkton, "

## 38. LUMBERTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. McAlister, (C.).....	Lumberton, N. C.
A. H. McLeod, Sr .....	" "
Daniel Baker .....	Allenton, "
Hon. A. Rowland .....	Lumberton, "
DEACONS.—T. A. Norment.....	" "
W. W. McDiarmid.....	" "
J. H. Morrison.....	" "

## 39. MARK'S CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. McDonald, (C) .....	Hamlet, N. C.
A. R. McDonald .....	" "
N. A. Campbell.....	" "
D. O. Cameron.....	" "
M. J. Morrison .....	Hoffman, "

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DEACONS.—John Wilkes ..... Hoffman, N. C.  
 Angus McLehn ..... Old Hundred, "

40. MACEDONIA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. M. Hudsucker, (C.)..... Filo, N. C.  
 J. H. Gillis..... " "  
 T. L. Munn ..... Onvil, "  
 A. N. Lanniands ..... Candor, "  
 R. E. McAuley ..... Onvil, "  
 Neill Gillis ..... Endieott, "

41. MAXTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS —Dr. D. McBryde..... Maxton, N. C.  
 J. C. McCuskil ..... " "  
 W. J. Currie, (C.)..... " "  
 E. F. McRae ..... " "  
 J. D. Austin..... " "  
 DEACONS.—M. McNair..... " "  
 Dr. J. D. Croom ..... " "  
 A. McL. Morrison..... " "  
 J. Sumpter McRae ..... " "  
 Angus Currie..... " "

42. McMILLAN CHAPEL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. A. Bain..... Cornelia, N. C.  
 D. A. McMillan, (C)..... " "  
 Jno. C. Bain ..... " "  
 W. W. Bain..... " "  
 DEACONS.—Neill Williams..... " "  
 Neill Bain ..... " "  
 W. H. Williams..... " "  
 John M. McMillan..... " "

43. McPHERSON'S CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. McArthur, Sr., (C.)..... Fayetteville, N. C.  
 J. McPherson..... " "  
 A. McDougald..... Hope Mills, "  
 Arch'd. Graham..... Fayetteville, "  
 James Martin ..... " "

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DEACONS.—W. H. McPherson.....	Fayetteville, N. C.
W. M. McPherson .....	" "
Arch'd. McQueen .....	" "
John McDuffie.....	" "
Charles Graham .....	" "

**44. MIDWAY CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—John A. McRae.....	Branchville, N. C.
D. M. McRae.....	Maxton, "
Geo. C. Fisher, (C.) .....	Branchville, "
DEACONS.—D. L. McLean .....	Maxton, "
Dr. O. C. Faulks.....	Refuge, "

**45. MONTPELIER CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. E. Purcell, (C.) .....	Purcepolis, N. C.
Dr. D. Shaw.....	Fontcol, "
D. P. McEachern .....	Red Springs, "
N. McNeill.....	Parkton, "
D. S. Alderman .....	Montpelier, "
DEACONS.—Charles Purcell.....	Purcepolis, "
Charles Livingston.....	Riverton, "
John Bundy.....	Purcepolis, "
W. G. Buie .....	" "

**46. MT. CARMEL.**

RULING ELDERS.—D. A. Clark.....	Dry Creek, N. C.
Miles McInnis.....	Capel's Mill, "
Alfred McNair .....	Arolina, "
W. M. Stewart.....	" "
DEACONS.—D. C. McRae.....	Bostick's Mill, "
Hiram Baldwin .....	Capel's Mill, "
D. C. McDonald.....	Dry Creek, "
J. W. McLeod.....	Arolina, "

**47. MT. PISGAH CHURCH**

RULING ELDERS.—N. McLeod, (C.) .....	Harrington, N. C.
D. A. Patterson .....	Leaflet, "
A. McN. Harrington .....	Jonesboro, "
W. J. McNeill .....	Broadway, "

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DEACONS.—W. A. McLeod.....Harrington, N. C.  
Thos. W. Harrington..... " "  
B. F. McLeod..... " "  
Allen M. Cameron.....Leaflet, "

48. MT. TABOR CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. S. Smith.....Cromartie, N. C.  
Hector McMillan, (C.) .....Buie's, "  
DEACONS.—D. H. McMillan.....Cromartie. "

49. MT. VERNON SPRINGS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. Y. White, (C.).....Ore Hill, N. C.  
J. J. White ..... " "  
DEACONS.—R. R. Vann..... " "  
J. T. Brooks.....Siler City, "

50. OAKLAND CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. R. Long.....Clayton, N. C.  
J. H. Smith .....Spilona, "  
D. E. N. Booker.....Polenta, "  
B. W. Young, (C.).....Leachburg. "  
DEACONS.—None.

51. PEE DEE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. D. N. Patterson, (C.).....Mangum, N. C.  
P. A. Ledbetter .....Little's Mill, "  
R. R. Little.....Greensboro. "  
W. A. Smith.....Mangum, "  
DEACONS.—None.

52. PHILIPPI CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. P. Klarpp, (C.).....Lumber Bridge, N. C.  
L. B. McFadyen.....Raeford, "  
Norman McKimmon.....Lumber Bridge. "  
D. C. Gillis.....Raeford, "  
Russell McNeill..... " "  
DEACONS.—P. P. D. Johnston ..... " "  
John Black ..... " "

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**53. PHILADELPHUS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. D. Brown, (C.).....	Red Springs, N. C.
J. P. Smith.....	“ “
Archie McMillan.....	“ “
H. J. McMillan.....	Buie's, “
D. H. McNeill.....	Wakulla, “
J. McI. Brown.....	Red Springs, “
DEACONS.—N. B. McArthur.....	“ “
D. M. McKay.....	“ “
A. D. McCallum.....	“ “

**54. PITTSBORO CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. Alston.....	Pittsboro, N. C.
Oran Poe.....	“ “
Hon. T. B. Womack, (C.).....	Raleigh, “
DEACONS.—John Jackson.....	Pittsboro, “

**55. POCKET CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. M. Wicker, (C.).....	Sanford, N. C.
W. B. Campbell.....	Pocket, “
G. G. Wicker.....	“ “
E. McGilvary.....	“ “
Dr. Wm. Arnold.....	Jonesboro, “
DEACONS.—T. C. Campbell, (T.).....	Pocket, “
J. W. Wicker.....	“ “
T. A. Riddle.....	“ “
Arthur McIntosh.....	“ “

**56. RED SPRINGS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—John McLean, (C.).....	Red Springs, N. C.
J. A. McKay.....	“ “
Peter McQueen.....	“ “
N. B. Brown.....	“ “
A. D. McLeod.....	“ “
R. F. Currie.....	“ “
W. J. McLeod.....	“ “
DEACONS.—J. A. Brown.....	“ “
W. M. Roberts.....	“ “
A. T. McCallum.....	“ “
Dr. J. L. McMillan.....	“ “

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57. ROBERDEL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Goodman, (C.).....	Roberdel, N. C.
S. C. Cole.....	"      "
DEACONS.—Robert H. LeGrind.....	"      "

58. ROCKINGHAM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. M. McAuley, (C.).....	Rockingham, N. C.
C. C. Moore.....	"      "
Dougald Stuart.....	Laurinburg, "
DEACONS —A. Stewart, (T.).....	Rockingham, "
Dr. J. M. Covington.....	"      "
A. B. Nicholson.....	"      "
J. C. Smith.....	"      "
J. D. Cameron.....	"      "

59. SALEM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. L. Shepherd, (C.).....	Broadway, N. C.
Neill Dalrymple .....	Bryant's, "
J. A. Weldow.....	Forkade, "
DEACONS.—Robert Daley .....	Jonesboro, "
James Copeland.....	"      "

60. SANDY GROVE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. Patterson.....	Gillisville, N. C.
D. J. Gillis .....	"      "
A. C. Monroe, (C.).....	"      "
N. S. Blue.....	Endor, "
D. K. McDuffie.....	"      "
DEACONS.—M. C. Campbell.....	Antonia, "
D. B. Campbell.....	Buffalo, "
M. A. Gillis.....	Gillisville, "

61. SANFORD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. Scott, (C.) .....	Sanford, N. C.
A. L. McNeill .....	"      "
T. E. White.....	"      "
DEACONS.—Dr. W. A. Monroe, (T.).....	"      "
W. D. Matthews.....	"      "

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## 62. SARDIS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. P. Hodges.....	Linden,	N. C.
Jesse S. Smith, (C.).....	“	“
W. L. Williams.....	Little River Academy,	“
Cato Parker.....	“	“
J. Elliotte.....	Manchester,	“
DEACONS.—George Elliotte.....	Linden,	“
J. M. Hodges .....	“	“
John Williams.....	“	“
J. M. Davis.....	“	“
Lawrence Smith.....	“	“

## 63. SHANNON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. A. McPhail, (C.).....	Shannon, N. C.
D. McLeod.....	“
Dr. D. Hughes.....	“
DEACONS.—Dan Klapp.....	“
Dan Smith.....	“

## 64. SHARON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. McAulay.....	Mt. Gilead, N. C.
John A. McAulay .....	“
A. S. McRae.....	“
W. A. McAulay, (C.).....	“
DEACONS.—J. C. McKinnon .....	“
G. T. McAulay .....	“
M. F. Lisk.....	Mangum,

## 65. SHERWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Duncan Davis, (C.).....	Sherwood, N. C.
J. D. Johnston.....	“
DEACONS.—None.	

## 66. SHILOH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—M. McLeod, (C.).....	Pike, N. C.
John D. McLeod.....	“
J. C. Currie.....	“
DEACONS.—J. M. Graham.....	“
D. J. Currie.....	“



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67. SMITHFIELD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—I. T. Turlington, (C.) .....Smithfield, N. C.  
 H. L. Graves..... " "

DEACONS.—None.

68. SMYRNA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jas. M. Graham .....Hasty, N. C.  
 C. S. McArthur..... " "  
 I. G. Whitlock.....John Station, "  
 Alex. McRae, (C.) .....Clio, S. C.

DEACONS.—D. B. McQueen.....Hasty, N. C.  
 J. C. Stewart.....John Station, "

69. SPOUT SPRINGS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Hugh Black, (C.).....Spout Springs, N. C.  
 J. A. McGregor ..... " "

DEACONS.—W. E. McDonald ..... " "  
 A. McDiarmid ..... " "

70. ST. ANDREWS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dougald Johnston.....Lemon Springs, N. C. .  
 D. C. Shaw, (C.)..... " "

DEACONS.—Duncan Nicholson..... " "  
 Aey Thomas .....Swann's Station, "  
 John Edwards... ..Lemon Springs, "  
 D. Pierce.....Cameron, "

71. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John D. McGeachy, (C.).....Rex, N. C.  
 M. J. McRainey.....Athens, "  
 W. N. McLean .....St. Paul's, "  
 D. McGongan..... " "  
 L. Shaw..... " "  
 D. McNair .....Tolarsville, "

DEACONS.—A. R. McEachern.....St. Paul's, "  
 W. B. Burns ..... " "  
 Robert S. Council.....Athens, "  
 Z. T. McMillian..... " "  
 X. R. McGeachy.....Rex, "

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**72. SUMMERVILLE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—C. McArtan.....	Lillington,	N. C.
D. J. McDonald, (C.).....	Variety,	"
K. Murchison.....	Lillington,	"
S. P. McKay.....	Summerville,	"
DEACONS.—K. M. McNeill, (T.).....	Lillington	"
Duncan A. Faucette.....	"	"
N. B. McDonald, ...	Variety,	"
Felix McKay.....	Lillington,	"
Charles Bethen.....	"	"

**73. UNION CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. D. Rowan, (C.).....	Carthage,	N. C.
John L. Currie.....	"	"
M. J. Blue ..	"	"
Samuel Johnston.....	"	"
John C. Ferguson ..	Cameron,	"
Daniel McNeill.....	Vass,	"
M. A. Monroe.....	Thaggardsville,	"
Martin Blue.....	Author,	"
DEACONS.—Francis Decator.....	Pinehurst,	"
A. McDonald.....	Cameron,	"
John A. Blue.....	Victor,	"
D. P. Kelly ..	Manly,	"
Sandy McLaughlin ..	Carthage,	"

**74. WADEVILLE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. McKinnon.....	Wadeville, N. C.
D. F. Robinson.....	" "
W. R. Mills.....	Fly,
D. D. McKinnon, (C.).....	Wadeville,
DEACONS.—T. B. Hurley ..	" "
W. S. McKinnon.....	" "

**75. WHITE HILL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—N. B. Cameron, (C.) .....	Greenwood,	N. C.
K. Wicker .....	"	"
M. Ferguson.....	"	"
J. A. McBryde.....	Villanow,	"

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RULING ELDERS.—D. D. Kelly.....	Carthage,	N. C.
G. Jackson.....	Cameron,	"
J. D. Wadsworth.....	Gilbert,	"
DEACONS.—J. M. Cole, (T.).....	Greenwood,	"
Martin Cameron.....	"	"
Herbert Jackson.....	Coffler,	"
M. Q. Lemon.....	Lemon Springs,	"
J. A. McLeod .....	"	"
Hugh Cameron .....	"	"

IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

1. BETH CAR CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. N. Robeson, (C.)....	Tar Heel, N. C.
J. M. Whitted.....	" "
William Whitted—Elected.....	" "
J. A. Byrne, ".....	" "
DEACONS.—Angus Muir, (T.).....	" "
James Robeson—Elected.....	" "
H. B. Willis, ".....	" "

2. BLACK RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. W. Beatty .....	Ivanhoe, N. C.
J. N. Corbett, (C.).....	" "
C. Johnson.....	" "
J. F. Corbett .....	" "
G. W. McMillan .....	" "
J. L. Corbett.....	Delta, "
DEACONS.—W. M. Corbett, Sr.....	Ivanhoe, "
William Corbett, Jr.....	" "
Daniel Robinson, (T.).....	Delta, "
Henry Robinson.....	" "

3. BLADENBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. N. Ferguson, (C.) .....	Bladenboro, N. C.
DEACONS.—John D. Ferguson, (T.).....	" "

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## 4. BEULAH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John W. Mercer.....	Beulahville, N. C.
L. R. Grissom.....	"    "
DEACONS.—None.	

## 5. BURGAW CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. Cowan.....	Burgaw, N. C.
W. T. Bannerman. ....	"    "
J. H. Moore.....	"    "
W. M. Hand, (C.).....	"    "
R. L. Player.....	"    "
DEACONS.—A. H. Paddison.....	"    "
D. C. Saunders.....	"    "

## 6. CASWELL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. M. Colvin.....	Atkinson, N. C.
J. N. Henry.....	"    "
J. W. Colvin.....	"    "
G. J. Moore, (C.).....	Point Caswell, "
DEACONS.—J. H. Colvin, (T.).....	Atkinson, "
A. C. Moore. ....	Currie, "
A. L. Hubbard.....	Kerr, "
Walter Gaylor.....	Point Caswell, "

## 7. CLARKTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. D. Currie.....	Clarkton, N. C.
M. W. Bain .....	"    "
M. N. Campbell .....	"    "
A. K. Cromartie.....	"    "
D. T. Burney .....	"    "
J. H. Ballantine, (C.).....	Abbottsburg, "
DEACONS.—B. C. Ballantine, (T.).....	Clarkton, "
G. L. Clark.....	"    "
R. J. McEwin.....	"    "
J. W. Kelly.....	"    "
E. J. McLeod .....	"    "

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8. CHINQUEPIN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John Lamb.....	Chinquepin, N. C.
J. F. Landing.....	“ “
David Williams.....	“ “
DEACONS.—Birwell Batts.....	“ “

9. CLINTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Abram Hobbs ..	Clinton, N. C.
A. F. Johnson.....	“ “
R. F. Herring.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. K. Pigford.....	“ “
W. S. Partrick.....	“ “
J. D. Kerr.....	“ “

10. COBB MILLS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. Wooten, (C.) ..	Coahoma, N. C.
J. P. Kelly.....	“ “
DEACONS.—R. Wooten.....	“ “
N. Wooten.....	“ “
E. Smith. . . . .	“ “

11. CROATAN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Clifford Simpson ..	Riverdale, N. C.
Benjamin Williams ..	“ “
DEACONS.—Henry C. Wood.....	“ “

12. CRONLY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. F. Scott, (C.).....	Cronly, N. C.
DEACONS.—Douglas Hand ..	“ “

13. DUPLIN ROAD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—John W. Carr.....	Wallace, N. C.
S. W. Clement ..	“ “
L. W. Robinson ..	“ “
W. B. Southerland.....	Rose Hill, “
K. J. Powers.....	Willard, “
W. J. Boney.....	Wallace, “
DEACONS.—D. E. Boney ..	“ “
J. G. Southerland.....	“ “
L. L. Mallard.....	“ “

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## 14. ELIZABETHTOWN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. S. Whitted, (C. and T.).....	Elizabethtown,	N. C.
M. D. McLeod.....	“	“
J. W. Cromartie.....	Dawson's Landing,	“
DEACONS.—A. M. McNeill.....	Elizabethtown,	“

## 15. FAISON'S CHURCH

RULING ELDERS.—I. R. Faison, (C.).....	Faison's,	N. C.
A. D. Hicks.....	“	“
J. M. Faison.....	“	“
A. R. Hicks.....	“	“
W. J. Oates.....	“	“
J. C. Faison.....	“	“
W. J. Thompson.....	“	“
DEACONS.—B. B. Witherington, (T.).....	“	“
William Thornton.....	“	“
G. J. Faison.....	“	“

## 16. GROVE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Henry Farrier, (C.).....	Kenansville,	N. C.
J. W. Blount.....	“	“
D. C. Farrier.....	“	“
W. J. B. Miller.....	“	“
James Cox.....	Magnolia,	“
J. Carr.....	Xenia,	“
DEACONS.—N. H. Sprunt, (T.).....	Kenansville,	“
Chas. Southerland.....	“	“
R. Miller.....	“	“
A. Williams, Sr.....	“	“

## 17 HARMONY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. I. Shaw.....	Kerr's,	N. C.
E. J. W. Anders.....	Ivanhoe,	“
G. W. Rannerman.....	Kerr's,	“
DEACONS.—M. Robinson.....	“	“
David Newkirk.....	“	“
John Ennis.....	“	“

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18. HEBRON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. Smith.....	Resaca,	N. C.
J. G. Smith.....	“	“
W. H. Grady.....	Albertson,	“
Zach Barfield.....	“	“
DEACONS.—Moses Westbrook.....	Resaca,	“

19. HOPEWELL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. W. Murray.....	Burgaw,	N. C.
W. H. Murray, (C.).....	“	“
J. B. Black.....	“	“
DEACONS.—J. H. Murray, (T.).....	“	“
T. C. Murray.....	“	“
J. D. Saunders.....	“	“
H. B. Croom.....	South Washington,	“

20. IMMANUEL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—C. V. Dahlgren, (C.).....	Wilmington,	N. C.
A. B. Cook.....	“	“
DEACONS.—P. Heinsberger.....	“	“
J. S. Barnes.....	“	“
A. N. Biggs.....	“	“

21. KEITH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. J. Bordeaux.....	Long Creek,	N. C.
Henry Lamb.....	Burgaw,	“
R. W. Collins, (C.).....	“	“
DEACONS.—W. T. Bordeaux, (T.).....	“	“

22. MAPLE HILL CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

23. MT. HOREB CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—D. G. Robeson, (C.).....	West Brook,	N. C.
W. S. Clark.....	White Hall,	“
Jas. A. Cromartie.....	“	“
DEACONS.—John Monroe.....	“	“
J. A. Wooten, (T.).....	“	“
D. D. Gillespie.....	West Brook,	“

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**24. MT. OLIVE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. J. Southerland.....	Mt. Olive, N. C.
R. Kornegay.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. David, (T.).....	“ “

**25. MT. WILLIAMS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. R. Bannerman, (C.).....	Bannerman's, N. C.
R. T. Williams,.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. H. Player, (T.).....	“ “
W. J. Player.....	“ “

**26. MT. ZION CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Robert Carr, (C.).....	Xenia.	N. C.
Gibson Carr.....	“	“
John Farrior.....	Cavanaugh's,	“
J. C. McMillan.....	Teachey's,	“
Timothy Boney.....	Rose Hill,	“
DEACONS.—Samuel Newton, (T.).....	Xenia,	“
John McMillan, Jr.....	Teachey's,	“

**27. NEW HOPE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Jackson Johnson, (C.).....	Town Creek, N. C.
J. S. Henry.....	Winnabow, “

**28. OAK PLAIN CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Edward Smith.....	Waycross,	N. C.
Bryant Williams.....	Jaeford,	“
W. I. Hall.....	Natural Mills,	“
N. Bonham.....	Magnolia,	“
DEACONS.—J. A. Newkirk, (T.).....	Natural Mills,	“
T. Williams.....	Joeford,	“

**29. PIKE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. S. Black, (C.).....	Ashton, N. C.
F. P. Sidbury.....	“ “
J. P. Hand.....	Burgaw, “
DEACONS.—J. K. Cowan, (T.).....	Ashton, “
S. J. Sidbury.....	“ “
T. J. Bradshaw.....	Burgaw, “



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30. POLLOCKSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. W. Brynn.....	Pollocksville, N. C.
Reuben White.....	"    "
Wade Bender .....	"    "
DEACONS.—A. Dupul.....	"    "
G. White.....	"    "
I. BARRIS .....	"    "

31. RICHLANDS CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

32. ROCKFISH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. H. Alderman.....	Wallace, N. C.
J. T. Boney.....	Safe,    "
J. O. Carr.....	"    "
G. B. Carr.....	"    "
E. T. Pigford.....	Magnolia,    "
DEACONS.—D. T. Carr.....	Rose Hill,    "
L. B. Carr.....	Wallace,    "
J. L. Mills .....	Willard,    "

33. ST. ANDREWS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. R. Latta.....	Wilmington, N. C.
C. F. Bell.....	"    "
A. D. McDonald.....	"    "
Oscar Pearsall.....	"    "
J. H. Thomas.....	"    "
T. R. Post.....	"    "
J. B. Hand.....	"    "
J. C. Stewart.....	"    "
W. H. Sprunt, (C.).....	"    "
DEACONS.—T. F. Bagley.....	"    "
C. H. Ganzer.....	"    "
W. C. VonGhlan .....	"    "
S. P. McNair .....	"    "
W. K. Walker.....	"    "
C. L. Spencer.....	"    "
L. T. Beally.....	Gravel Hill,    "
W. J. Smith.....	Howard,    "

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## 34. SMITH'S CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—L. Smith.....	Leon, N. C.
Chas. Ivey.....	" "
DEACONS.—Frank Smith.....	" "
L. Smith.....	" "

## 35. STANFORD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Major Ivey.....	Dolph, N. C.
J. N. Southerland.....	Kenansville, "
DEACONS.—John Blalock.....	" "

## 36. SOUTH RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. H. G. Beatty.....	Gravel Hill, N. C.
W. K. Cromartie.....	Cypress Creek, "
W. J. Cromartie, (C.).....	Garland, "
C. T. Lamb.....	" "
DEACONS.—J. C. Cromartie.....	" "
G. S. Cromartie.....	" "
W. B. Murphy, Sr.....	Tomahawk, "
Luther Cromartie.....	Garland, "
W. K. Anders.....	Gravel Hill, "

## 37. SWEET HOME CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. McNeill.....	Shalotte, N. C.
J. H. Mints, (C.).....	" "
DEACONS.—Peter Ronrk.....	" "
R. F. Lewis.....	" "

## 38. TOPSAIL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Ivey W. Sidbury.....	Topsail Sound, N. C.
J. C. Nixon.....	" "
T. E. King.....	" "
DEACONS.—E. S. G. Alexander.....	" "

## 39. VERONA CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

## 40. WARSAW CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. A. Faison.....	Warsaw, N. C.
W. H. Williams.....	" "
T. B. Pierce.....	" "
E. Mann.....	Turkey, "

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DEACONS.—J. P. Faison.....	Turkey, N. C.
F. G. Middleton.....	" "
R. J. Williams.....	" "

41. WILMINGTON FIRST CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. A. Willard.....	Wilmington, N. C.
John McLaurin .....	" "
C. H. Robinson.....	" "
Samuel Northrop.....	" "
B. G. Worth.....	" "
B. F. Hall, (C.) .....	" "
J. D. Taylor.....	" "
D. G. Worth.....	" "
H. H. Munson.....	" "
James Sprunt .....	" "
W. R. Kenan.....	" "
W. S. Warrock ..	" "

DEACONS.—G. W. Williams.....	" "
C. P. Mebane.....	" "
H. C. McQueen.....	" "
J. H. Chadbourn, Jr.....	" "
W. A. Riach.....	" "
W. M. Cumming.....	" "
E. S. Tennent.....	" "
C. W. Worth.....	" "
Walker Taylor.....	" "
P. Pearsall.....	" "
A. J. Howell, Jr.....	" "
G. D. Parsley.....	" "
R. W. Hicks.....	" "

42. WILDWOOD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Hugh Murdock.....	Wildwood, N. C.
T. J. Tolson .....	" "
DEACONS —A. Murdock.....	" "

43. WHITE HALL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Chas. Ivey.....	LaGrange, N. C.
Henry Ivey.....	Seven Springs, "
W. B. Whitfield .....	" "

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DEACONS.—Lee Sutton..... Seven Springs, N. C.  
 Duron Uzzell..... " "

44. WHITE PLAINS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. T. Buie, (C.).....Elkton. N. C.  
 Andrew F. Burney..... " "  
 John Burney..... " "  
 J. K. Clark.....Rosindale, "  
 D. J. Clark..... " "  
 DEACONS.—Duncan Clark..... " "  
 Daniel Perry, (T.)..... " "  
 Jefferson Burney.....Elkton, "

45. WHITEVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. F. Dunn, (C.).....Vineland, N. C.  
 Wm. Stanly.....Whiteville, "  
 DEACONS.—Osear High, (T.)..... " "  
 James High..... " "

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V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

1. ALTAN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Walter Belk, (C.)..... Altan, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—None.

2. AMITY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—C. H. Wolfe, (C.).....Charlotte. N. C.  
 J. Ross Brown..... " "  
 C. P. Beatty..... " "  
 A. D. Campbell.....Cluister, "  
 DEACONS.—Thos. Sammonds.....Cottonwood, "  
 H. W. Harkey..... " "  
 W. L. Wolfe.....Sardis, "

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3. BANKS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. T. Kell, (C.).....	Pineville, N. C.
Wm. S. Smith.....	Harrison, “
Wm. J. Stephenson.....	Poortith, “
R. A. Hudson.....	Wardlaw, “
Dr. W. H. Crowell.....	Poortith, “

4. BARCLAY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. Marsh, (C.).....	Marshville, N. C.
R. W. Stegall.....	“ “
DEACONS.—E. E. Marsh.....	“ “

5. BELMONT CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—M. N. Hall.....	Belmont, N. C.
Dr. W. W. Davis, (C.).....	“ “
C. F. Lineberger.....	“ “
Abe Stowe.....	“ “
A. A. Cathey.....	“ “
DEACONS.—J. R. Gaston.....	“ “
Quinn Hall.....	“ “
Robt. Stowe.....	“ “

6. BETHEL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Robert Knox.....	Davidson, N. C.
Jno. A. Knox.....	Caldwell, “
Frank Worsham.....	Davidson, “
Jos. M. Wilson, (C.).....	Sheva, “
DEACONS.—S. W. Sherrill.....	Davidson, “
W. A. Potts.....	“ “
J. V. Knox.....	Cowan’s Ford, “

7. BETHLEHEM CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. H. Long.....	Oak Grove, N. C.
C. W. Long.....	Robinson’s Store, “
W. R. Long.....	“ “
DEACONS.—D. G. Russell.....	Mint Hill, “
Dr. J. A. Austin.....	“ “
L. H. Crowell.....	“ “

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**8. BEULAH CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. N. Nesbit.....	Zoar,	N. C.
S. E. Belk, (C.).....	"	"
A. V. Williams.....	Dudley,	S. C.
DEACONS.—Thos. D. Lee.....	Brown Creek,	N. C.

**9. CARMEL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. W. Alexander.....	Rankin,	N. C.
W. S. Flenniken.....	"	"
J. P. Sample.....	"	"
DEACONS.—Robt. N. Ross.....	"	"
T. Baxter Brown.....	"	"
T. M. Alexander.....	Griffith,	"

**10. CASTANEA GROVE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. Nixon.....	Mariposa,	N. C.
J. G. Morrison, (C.).....	"	"
J. L. Black.....	Lucia,	"
Dr. Jas. Alexander.....	"	"
Frank Henderson.....	Mountain Island,	"
DEACONS.—D. C. Finger.....	Mariposa,	"
E. O. Davis.....	Lucia,	"
W. C. Cansler.....	Mountain Island,	"

**11. CHARLOTTE FIRST CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. G. Brenizer.....	Charlotte,	N. C.
Geo. E. Wilson.....	"	"
Archibald Graham.....	"	"
J. H. McClintock.....	"	"
E. Nye Hutchison.....	"	"
J. C. Burroughs.....	"	"
F. H. Andrews.....	"	"
C. Scott, (C.).....	"	"
Geo. B. Hanna.....	"	"
DEACONS.—J. H. Carson.....	"	"
R. M. Miller, Sr.....	"	"
Capt. R. E. Cochrane.....	"	"
W. W. Ward.....	"	"

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DEACONS.—R. A. Dunn.....	Charlotte, N. C.
W. S. Alexander.....	“ “
S. P. Alexander.....	“ “
H. H. Orr.....	“ “
Geo. H. Brockenbrough.....	“ “
Geo. A. Howell.....	“ “
J. A. Elliott.....	“ “
J. M. Sims.....	“ “

12. CHARLOTTE SECOND CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. B. Radkin, (C.).....	Charlotte, N. C.
D. W. Oates.....	“ “
J. B. Ross.....	“ “
J. P. Alexander.....	“ “
J. E. Oates.....	“ “
Geo. M. Phifer.....	“ “
C. N. G. Butt.....	“ “
Dr. W. H. Wakefield.....	“ “
J. J. Adams.....	“ “
John C. McNeely.....	“ “
A. C. Summerville.....	“ “
Jas. W. Pharr.....	“ “
Wm. Anderson.....	“ “
Dr. John R. Irwin.....	“ “

DEACONS —James M. Oates.....	“ “
B. W. Barnett.....	“ “
Jno. R. Pharr.....	“ “
Jos. F. Wearn.....	“ “
W. J. M. Finger.....	“ “
D. B. Harry.....	“ “
J. P. Long.....	“ “
I. W. Jamison.....	“ “
C. C. Hayes.....	“ “
Edward S. Reid.....	“ “
L. L. Sarrat.....	“ “
Dr. I. W. Faison.....	“ “
A. M. Young.....	“ “
O. M. Norwood.....	“ “
Jno. A. Sheppard.....	“ “

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## 13. CHERRYVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. M. Berry, (C.).....	Cherryville, N. C.
J. P. Rudisill.....	“ “
DEACONS.—C. M. Crowder .....	“ “
Wm. Brown.....	“ “

## 14. COLUMBUS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. A. Cannon .....	Columbus, N. C.
C. A. Carson.....	“ “
DEACONS.—J. T. Morrison.....	“ “
W. H. McFarland .....	“ “

## 15. COOK'S MEMORIAL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Hoover.....	Skinner's, N. C.
W. Johnston .....	“ “
Wm. J. Dunn, (C.).....	“ “
T. Dunn.....	“ “
W. Keasler.....	“ “
DEACONS.—T. J. Dunn, Jr.....	“ “
W. A. Johnston.....	“ “

## 16. DALLAS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—N. Matthews.....	Midway, Tenn.
W. T. Henderson, (C.).....	Dallas, N. C.
DEACONS.—F. C. Ferguson.....	Table Rock, Tenn.

## 17. DILLSBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. L. DeWitt.....	Dillsboro, N. C.
Walter E. Moore, (C.).....	Webster, “
W. V. Tennent.....	Albert, W. Va.
DEACONS.—R. P. Potts.....	Sylva, N. C.

## 18. DUNCAN'S CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. E. McFarland.....	Duncan, N. C.
L. G. McFarland.....	First Broad, “
DEACONS.—J. M. Glover.....	Oak Springs, “
R. H. McFarland.....	Duncan, “



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19. FOREST CITY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. E. McFarland..... Forest City, N. C.  
                   J. A. Cathey ..... Rutherfordton, "  
 DEACONS.—E. Dyer ..... Forest City, "

20. GASTONIA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. C. E. Adams ..... Gastonia, N. C.  
                   B. G. Bradley, (C.)..... " "  
                   A. M. Smyre ..... " "  
                   J. R. Shannon..... " "  
                   J. Q. Holland..... " "  
                   J. E. Page ..... " "  
 DEACONS.—F. A. Costner..... " "  
                   G. W. Reagan..... " "  
                   J. F. Love..... " "  
                   T. C. Pegram..... " "  
                   E. F. Glenn..... " "  
                   R. T. Harper..... " "

21. GOSHEN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. B. Rutledge ..... Mt. Holly, N. C.  
                   L. R. Welch ..... " "  
                   H. M. Eddleman, (C.)..... " "  
 DEACONS.—W. T. Love ..... " "  
                   W. T. Johnson..... " "  
                   W. F. Holland..... " "

22. GRAHAM ST. CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. M. Alexander, (C.) ..... Charlotte, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—J. P. Kirkpatrick..... " "  
                   H. C. Alexander. .... " "  
                   W. M. Elliott..... " "  
                   Geo. L. Kellar ..... " "  
                   T. F. McCarver..... " "  
                   E. F. Blackwelder..... " "

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## 23. HENRIETTA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—F. M. Logan.....	Henrietta,	N. C.
James Mallard.....	"	"
DEACONS.—H. C. Deal.....	Cavaleen,	"
R. C. Kennedy.....	Henrietta,	"
Jas. Robinson.....	Forest City,	"

## 24. HEPHZIBAH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—S. S. Gardiner, (C.).....	Carpenters,	N. C.
A. C. Clark.....	Snapps,	"
DEACONS.—Wylie Clark.....	Crouse,	"

## 25. HOPEWELL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. S. Abernethy.....	Bristow,	N. C.
W. A. Jamison.....	"	"
Dr. W. P. Craven.....	"	"
J. M. Honston.....	"	"
R. S. Barnett, (C.).....	Hopewell,	"
J. S. Henderson.....	Martindale,	"
Wm. Caldwell.....	Croft,	"
DEACONS.—W. D. Harry.....	Hopewell,	"
J. L. Parks.....	"	"
J. A. Wilson.....	"	"
R. B. Abernethy.....	Lovelady,	"
J. N. Patterson.....	Huntersville,	"
J. A. Kerns.....	Bristow	"
M. W. Vance.....	"	"

## 26. HUNTERSVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. J. Walker.....	Huntersville,	N. C.
Jno. W. Moore.....	"	"
Jno. F. Brown.....	"	"
Jno. B. Nicholson, (C.).....	"	"
H. A. Grey.....	"	"
DEACONS.—Chas. F. Alexander.....	"	"
Jno. W. Monteith.....	"	"
J. Lee Choat.....	"	"

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27. IRONTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. E. Reinhardt.....	Iron Station, N. C.
L. T. Smith, (C.).....	"    "
A. P. Dellinger.....	"    "
DEACONS.—J. C. Dellinger.....	"    "
Luther A. Dellinger.....	"    "

28. KING'S MOUNTAIN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—C. E. Neisler.....	King's Mountain, N. C.
H. P. Allison.....	"    "
J. W. Brown, (C.).....	"    "
DEACONS.—R. T. Cansler.....	"    "
C. E. Falls.....	"    "

29. LATTIMORE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. H. Duff.....	Lattimore, N. C.
Wm. C. Calton.....	"    "
DEACONS.—None.	

30. LINCOLNTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. A. Abernethy.....	Lincolnton, N. C.
R. M. Roseman.....	"    "
S. D. Burgin.....	"    "
A. Nixon, (C.).....	"    "
W. L. Davidson.....	"    "
DEACONS.—Geo. L. Bartlett.....	"    "
A. W. Reedy.....	"    "
H. S. Robinson.....	"    "
S. W. McKee.....	"    "
John Reedy.....	"    "

31. LITTLE BRITAIN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. B. Long.....	Britain, N. C.
C. Y. Logan.....	"    "
G. W. Long.....	"    "
R. L. Fite.....	Itom,    "
Jas. Watson.....	Logan's Store,    "
Wm. P. Watson, (C.).....	Sunshine,    "

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DEACONS.—Dr. A. H. Nabors.....	Brittain,	N. C.
W. G. Flack.....	"	"
J. P. Guffey.....	Logan's Store,	"
Wm. Ensley .....	"	"

**32. LONG CREEK CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—R. A. White, (C.) .....	Old Furnace,	N. C.
Wm. Arrowood.....	Bessimer City,	"
H. L. Ramseur.....	King's Mountain,	"
J. M. A. Oates.....	Fancy,	"
J. T. R. Dameron.....	Bessimer City,	"
DEACONS.—D. M. Arrowood.....	Old Furnace,	"
W. V. Ramsaur.....	"	"

**33. LOWELL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. Frank Robinson.....	Lowell, N. C.
Jno. R. Reid, (C.).....	" "
Hane Coxé.....	" "
DEACONS.—Wm. Ford.....	" "
Bert Coxé.....	" "

**34. MACHPELAH CHURCH.**

No Elders and no Deacons.

**35. MALLARD CREEK CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—Harvey Garrison .....	Uncas,	N. C.
Jno. Kirk, Sr.....	Monteith's,	"
H. M. Dixon.....	Query's,	"
R. H. Flow.....	Davidson,	"
Jas. C. Kirk.....	Query's,	"
F. E. Query, (C.).....	"	"
DEACONS.—J. W. Galloway.....	Uncas,	"
A. M. Samonds.....	"	"
A. A. Garrison.....	"	"
M. B. Hunter.....	"	"
Leander Query .....	Query's,	"

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**36. MATTHEWS CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. Stewart.....	Matthews, N. C.
W. E. McCall.....	“ “
S. B. Smith.....	“ “
J. S. Reid.....	“ “
W. F. Stevens.....	“ “
DEACONS.—T. J. Orr.....	“ “
A. J. Williams.....	“ “
D. C. Shaw.....	“ “
W. A. Biggers.....	“ “

**37. MONROE CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—W. H. Fitzgerald, (C.).....	Monroe, N. C.
R. A. Morrow.....	“ “
Dr. J. M. Belk.....	“ “
F. H. Wolfe.....	“ “
W. H. Martin.....	“ “
DEACONS.—D. McKenzie.....	“ “
Henry W. Belk.....	“ “
Walter Wallis.....	“ “
Walter Norwood.....	“ “
Sam Hart.....	“ “
James Steele.....	“ “
Geo. W. Van Pelt.....	“ “

**38. MORVEN CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. S. Morrison, (C).....	Morven, N. C.
T. W. Morrison.....	“ “
D. C. Harden.....	“ “
N. J. Thompson.....	“ “
DEACONS.—L. M. Woodburn.....	“ “
W. F. McQueen.....	“ “
Geo. A. Martin.....	“ “
John W. Niven.....	“ “

**39. MULBERRY CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—A. H. Rhyne.....	Lodo, N. C.
W. A. Berryhill.....	“ “
Geo. L. Hoover, (C.).....	Charlotte, “
R. E. McQuay.....	“ “

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DEACONS.—W. L. Shelby .....	Charlotte, N. C.
H. A. Springs.....	Lodo. “
J. M. Sloan .....	“ “

## 40. NEWELL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. B. Newell, (C.).....Newell, N. C.

DEACONS.—J. A. Newell .....	“ “
Ed. H. Houston.....	“ “

## 41. NEW HOPE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Logan McKee.....South Point, N. C.

J. N. Hannah.....	Lowell. “
Logan Stowe.....	“ “
John M. Gaston, (C.).....	“ “

DEACONS.—John Lewis.....	South Point, “
Thos. Allison.....	“ “
E. P. Lewis .....	Gastonia, “
Wm. Rankin.....	Lowell, “

## 42. OLNEY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Alfred Dixon..... Gastonia, N. C.

G. W. Dixon.....	“ “
J. R. Kincaid.....	Pleasant Ridge, “
David J. Howe, (C.).....	“ “
W. M. Nolen.....	“ “
Wm. Holland.....	Gastonia, “
W. D. Glenn.....	Crowder's Creek, “
John H. Craig.....	Gastonia, “
S. M. Wilson .....	Gould, “

DEACONS.—W. L. Robinson.....	Pleasant Ridge, “
William Adams.....	“ “
Jas. W. Hill .....	“ “
Samuel Lewis.....	Gastonia, “
Jas. L. Wilson .....	Gould, “

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## 43. PAW CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. W. McGinn, (C.) .....	Sogo,	N. C.
Chas. Summerville.....	Sandifer,	"
T. Rossac.....	"	"
J. F. Clark.....	"	"
J. Willis Todd .....	"	"
Thos. Cathey .....	"	"
Alex. Cathey.....	"	"
Anstin Smith.....	"	"
Steven Henderson.....	"	"
DEACONS.—Luther Cathey.....	"	"
Andy Cathey.....	"	"
Newton Todd.....	"	"
J. W. S. Todd.....	"	"
Elam McCord.....	"	"
E. O. Johnson .....	"	"
J. N. Lee.....	"	"
D. Campbell.....	"	"
Mack Summerville.....	"	"
Walter Smith.....	"	"

## 44. PHILADELPHIA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—T. J. Flow, (C.).....	Mint Hill, N. C.
S. S. Miller.....	" "
C. J. Biggers.....	Hoods, "
G. C. L. Junker .....	Kingwood, "
J. L. Hooks.....	Matthews, "
DEACONS.—T. A. Hartis.....	Mint Hill, "
F. B. McWhirter.....	" "
D. A. Henderson.....	" "
P. L. Ritch.....	" "

## 45. PINEVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Oswald Alexander .....	Pineville, N. C.
W. C. Barnett.....	" "
Jno. W. Moffow, (C.).....	" "
Jas. L. Weeks.....	" "
C. P. Elliott.....	Hebron, "

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DEACONS.—Jas. J. Morrow.....	Pineville, N. C.
J. D. Culp.....	" "
Jno. S. Miller.....	" "
Robt. B. Johnston.....	" "
T. J. Smith.....	" "
46 PLEASANT HILL CHURCH.	
RULING ELDERS.—Jas. Sledge.....	Ranalsburg, N. C.
Thos. N. Knox.....	" "
Jno. R. Porter, (C.).....	" "
J. J. Neely.....	" "
Josiah F. Alexander.....	Pineville, "
A. A. Erwin.....	Shopton, "
DEACONS.—J. Sam. Choate.....	Ranalsburg, "
H. Lee Milwee.....	" "
Dr. Jno. Knox.....	" "
Berry M. Garrison.....	" "
Wm. D. Stewart.....	" "
47. POLKTON CHURCH.	
RULING ELDERS.—Dr. F. O. Hawley, (C.).....	Charlotte, N. C.
DEACONS.—None.	
48. PROVIDENCE CHURCH.	
RULING ELDERS.—W. M. Ross, (C.).....	Pineville, N. C.
W. F. Kuykendall.....	Davenport, "
W. H. Downs.....	Tampa, "
Dr. H. Q. Alexander.....	Davenport, "
DEACONS.—Wm. A. Pierce.....	Pineville, "
Jno. P. McGinnis.....	Tampa, "
Jno. B. Coffee.....	" "
49. RAMAH CHURCH.	
RULING ELDERS.—M. E. Caldwell.....	Caldwell, N. C.
W. S. Caldwell, (C.).....	" "
D. W. Mayes.....	" "
J. W. Brown.....	Huntersville, "
J. E. Stenhouse.....	" "
DEACONS.—M. T. Oehler.....	" "
Wm. Bradford.....	" "
Jno. M. Wilson.....	Caldwell, "



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50. ROBINSON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—C. B. Cross, (C.)	Burdett,	N. C.
D. A. Johnson	"	"
Charles Miller	"	"
J. L. Morrison	Harrisburg,	"
DEACONS.—A. C. Welch	Burdett,	"
J. W. Miller	"	"
Archibald McLelland	"	"
John Alexander	Harrisburg,	"

51. RUTHERFORDTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. J. W. Harris	Rutherfordton, N. C.
J. F. Flack	" "
L. P. Erwin, (C.)	" "
DEACONS.—Dr. E. B. Harris	" "
John F. Arrowood	" "
C. C. Reid	" "

52. SALEM CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

53. SANDY PLAINS CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. V. Sevier	Green River, N. C.
DEACONS.—Jas. K. Simpson	Sandy Plains, "
Martin Cornwall	" "

54. SHARON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Chalmers Kirkpatrick	Cottonwood, N. C.
J. Walker Kirkpatrick	" "
Zenas Porter	Hebron, "
DEACONS.—R. H. Elliott	" "
Parks Kirkpatrick	" "
Victor Brown	Cottonwood, "
Morgan Kirkpatrick	Rankin, "

55. SHELBY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. W. Kerr	Shelby, N. C.
J. F. Tiddy, (C.)	" "
F. H. Curtis	" "
R. L. Ryburn	" "

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DEACONS.—Jno. M. Black.....	Shelby, N. C.
Lee Kerr.....	“ “
B. B. Babington.....	“ “
D. F. McSween.....	“ “
A. C. Miller.....	“ “

## 56. SHILOH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. J. Carrol.....	Grover, N. C.
Dr. B. T. Price.....	“ “
DEACONS.—D. R. Hambright.....	“ “
E. A. Patterson.....	“ “

## 57. SILER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. E. Campbell.....	Davenport, N. C.
W. A. Biggers.....	Price's Mill, “
Thos. Davis.....	“ “
A. A. Davis, (C.).....	Wolfesville, “
DEACONS.—Jno. D. Biggers.....	Price's Mill, “
E. G. Dees.....	Wolfesville, “
Andrew W. Davis.....	“ “

## 58. STANLEY CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. L. Pegram, Jr., (C.).....	Stanley, N. C.
J. C. Robinson.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. H. Abernethy.....	“ “
R. C. Nance.....	“ “

## 59. STEEL CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. G. Neel, (C.).....	Shopton, N. C.
B. F. Brown.....	Dixie, “
R. D. Collins.....	“ “
W. P. Brown.....	“ “
J. S. Collins.....	“ “
W. W. Davenport.....	“ “
R. C. Freeman.....	“ “
C. A. Spratt.....	Charlotte, “
J. W. Potts.....	Steel Creek, “
John McDowell.....	Nimrod, “
B. T. Price.....	Lodo, “
A. H. McCombs.....	“ “

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DEACONS.—P. A. Neal .....	Shopton.	N. C.
S. W. Whitesides .....	"	"
C. B. Campbell.....	"	"
L. H. Robinson.....	"	"
L. H. Grier.....	"	"
A. H. Brown.....	Dixie.	"
C. F. Brown.....	"	"
J. W. Sadler.....	"	"
J. C. Bigham.....	Lodo,	"
F. B. Brown.....	"	"
G. A. Cathey .....	"	"
J. K. Price.....	Nimrod.	"

60. STEVENS' CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—G. Medlin.....	Indian Trail, N. C.
T. W. Harkey.....	Charlotte, "
DEACONS.—W. L. Cuthbertson.....	Indian Trail, "
W. J. Robinson.....	" "

61. SUGAR CREEK CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. T. C. Neal.....	Derita, N. C.
Chas. W. Robinson.....	" "
J. M. Caldwell.....	Charlotte, "
J. M. Davis.....	" "
F. S. Neal, (C.).....	" "
DEACONS.—S. N. Alexander .....	Shamrock, "
C. H. Caldwell.....	Charlotte, "
L. J. Ruple .....	Derita, "
Jos. H. Robinson.....	" "
M. A. Barnett.....	Nevin, "
Jno. K. Alexander.....	Newell, "

62. UNION CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Geo. A. Patrick.....	Begonia, N. C.
J. B. F. Riddle .....	" "
Dr. G. R. Patrick.....	" "
J. T. Glenn, (C.) .....	" "
M. C. Huffstetter.....	" "

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RULING ELDERS.—Wm. Nolen .....	Begonia, N. C.
Jos. M. Huffstetter.....	"    "
Robt. Ratchford.....	"    "
DEACONS.—J. Newton Henderson .....	"    "
J. W. Riddle.....	"    "
Jas. W. Moore .....	"    "
R. A. Ratchford .....	"    "
Jos. M. Nolen.....	"    "
Jno. W. Huffstetter.....	"    "

## 63. UNITY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Lee Cherry, (C.).....	Triangle, N. C.
C. R. Kelly.....	"    "
Robt. Nixon.....	"    "
J. R. Luckey.....	"    "
John M. Moore.....	Lucia,    "
DEACONS.—David Cherry.....	Triangle,    "
J. A. Nixon.....	"    "

## 64. WACO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. G. Brown, (C.).....	Waco,    N. C.
W. E. Robinson .....	"    "
DEACONS.—John D. Brown.....	"    "
W. T. Quinn.....	Rutherfordton,    "

## 65. WADESBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. McLaughlin, (C.).....	Wadesboro, N. C.
H. H. McKeithan.....	"    "
J. A. McLaughlin.....	"    "
J. A. McRae .....	"    "
DEACONS.—J. T. Bradley.....	"    "
Jno. E. McLaughlin.....	"    "

## 66. WAXHAW CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. M. Williams.....	Waxhaw, N. C.
D. C. McDonald.....	"    "
J. L. Rodman.....	"    "
J. Erwin McCain, (C.).....	"    "
DEACONS.—Jas. C. Davis.....	"    "
H. W. Broom.....	"    "
Jno. H. Sechrest.....	"    "

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**67. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. C. Hutchinson, (C.) .....	Martindale, N. C.
R. W. Hunter.....	Nevin,     "
I. A. Frazier ..	Charlotte, "
J. L. Jamison.....	"     "
W. H. Puckett.....	"     "
DEACONS.—J. W. Little.....	Martindale, "
W. Joseph Hutchinson.....	Nevin,     "
Ben Puckett.....	Croft,     "
Wm. McIntosh .....	Martindale, "
Wm. McConnell.....	Charlotte, "

**VI—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.**

**1. GRASSY CREEK CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—J. Nat. Daniel.....	Bullock, N. C.
Wm. R. Daniel.....	"     "
C. L. Lewis.....	Carthage, "
DEACONS.—C. T. Morrow.....	Roland,   "

**2. NUTBUSH CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—V. M. Eppes .....	Woodworth, N. C.
T. A. Eppes.....	"     "
J. M. B. Hunt.....	Townesville, "
Nat. D. Morton .....	"     "
Walter Bullock.....	Williamsboro, "
DEACONS.—Geo. T. Bullock .....	Columbia, S. C.

**3. NEWBERN CHURCH.**

RULING ELDERS.—C. E. Foy.....	Newbern, N. C.
T. A. Henry.....	"     "
D. F. Jarvis.....	"     "

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DEACONS.—Geo. N. Ives.....	.....	Newbern, N. C.
Chas. L. Ives.....	.....	“ “
C. S. Hollister.....	.....	“ “
E. K. Bryan.....	.....	“ “
A. R. Dennison.....	.....	“ “
Wm. Hollister.....	.....	Hoboken, N. J.
4. RALEIGH FIRST CHURCH.		
RULING ELDERS.—A. M. McPheeters.....	.....	Raleigh, N. C.
B. R. Harding.....	.....	“ “
Jas. Dinwiddie.....	.....	“ “
S. W. Whiting.....	.....	“ “
C. P. Wharton.....	.....	“ “
Wm. S. Primrose.....	.....	“ “
Jno. B. Burwell.....	.....	Statesville, “
DEACONS.—Julius Lewis.....	.....	Raleigh, “
W. C. Stronach.....	.....	“ “
H. W. Jackson.....	.....	“ “
W. A. Withers.....	.....	“ “
G. W. Thompson.....	.....	“ “
C. G. Whiting.....	.....	“ “
Jno. M. Monie.....	.....	“ “
J. W. Thackston.....	.....	“ “
D. H. Hill.....	.....	“ “
W. D. Hay.....	.....	“ “
D. S. Hudgins.....	.....	Keysville, Va.
5. OXFORD CHURCH.		
RULING ELDERS.—J. S. Amis.....	.....	Oxford, N. C.
M. V. Lanier.....	.....	“ “
T. D. Clement.....	.....	“ “
L. C. Taylor.....	.....	“ “
Jno. Webb.....	.....	“ “
Jos. A. Webb.....	.....	“ “
DEACONS.—W. O. Baskerville.....	.....	“ “
Wm. Landis.....	.....	“ “
Jno. B. Booth.....	.....	“ “
C. D. Osborne.....	.....	“ “
H. G. Cooper.....	.....	“ “

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6. WASHINGTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Jns. L. Fowle .....	Washington, N. C.
	R. W. Wharton.....	“ “
	Jno. R. Ross.....	“ “
	Jno. B. Sparrow.....	“ “
	C. M. Brown.....	“ “
DEACONS—	C. G. Buckman.....	“ “
	Geo. E. Buckman.....	“ “
	T. F. Brown.....	“ “
	Howard Wiswall.....	“ “
	M. F. McKeel .....	“ “

7. WARRENTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	W. B. Crinkley.....	Warrenton, N. C.
	J. L. Henderson.....	“ “
	John Graham .....	Ridgeway, “
	Truman Chapman.....	Concord, “
DEACONS.—	Geo. V. Boyd.....	Warrenton, “
	Jno. Crinkley.....	Sweet Gum, Tenn.

8. LOUISBURG CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Wm. P. Webb.....	Louisburg, N. C.
DEACONS.—	None.	

9. SHILOH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	J. K. Clement.....	Brownsville, N. C.
	H. C. Nelson.....	Clarksville, Va.
DEACONS.—	Jno. Nelson.....	“ “

10. GENEVA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—	Jno. H. Webb.....	Stem, N. C.
	A. G. Clement .....	“ “
	W. T. Allen .....	Oxford, “
	T. B. Daniel .....	“ “
DEACONS.—	T. L. Daniel.....	Berea, “
	S. H. Jones.....	Culbreth, “

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## 11. GOLDSBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—L. H. Castex .....	Goldsboro, N. C.
W. C. Munro.....	“ “
A. J. Brown.....	“ “
W. J. Gulick.....	“ “
I. J. Foust.....	“ “
Jno. Slaughter.....	“ “
W. W. Faison.....	“ “
Daniel Reid .....	“ “
H. W. Burwell.....	Winston, “
DEACONS.—None.	

## 12. OAK HILL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—N. B. Daniel.....	Satterwhite, N. C.
J. F. Cole .....	Oxford, “
DEACONS.—J. W. Morton.....	Satterwhite, “
J. T. Morton.....	“ “

## 13. HENDERSON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jno. R. Clack.....	Henderson, N. C.
R. A. Bullock.....	“ “
J. A. Gilmer.....	“ “
Samuel Watkins.....	“ “
Edw. Hines.....	“ “
Jas. R. Young.....	“ “
DEACONS.—Jno. B. Watkins.....	“ “
C. A. Lewis.....	“ “
I. B. Gary.....	“ “
J. B. Owen.....	“ “
W. A. Hunt.....	“ “
Robt. Bunn.....	“ “
T. B. Parham.....	“ “

## 14. TARBORO CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Orren Williams.....	Tarboro, N. C.
J. J. Whitehurst.....	“ “
F. S. Royster .....	“ “



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DEACONS.—A. Williamson .....Tarboro, N. C.  
 W. F. Hargrave..... " "  
 Geo. Howard, Jr..... " "  
 R. B. Peters..... " "

15. LITTLETON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—R. A. Patterson .....Aurelian Springs, N. C.  
 I. W. Hawkins.....Littleton, "

DEACONS.—None.

16. ROCKY MOUNT CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. J. White.....Rocky Mount, N. C.  
 S. K. Fountain..... " "

DEACONS.—L. F. Tillery..... " "  
 H. E. Brewer ..... " "

17. NAHALAH CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Colin C. Gray.....Scotland Neck, N. C.

DEACONS.—None.

18. LA GRANGE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—H. E. Dillon.....LaGrange, N. C.  
 H. M. McDonald..... " "

DEACONS.—H. V. Williams..... " "  
 L. J. Herring..... " "

19. WILSON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Ino. Hutchinson.....Wilson, N. C.  
 N. R. Strickland..... " "

Geo. D. Green..... " "  
 DEACONS.—Calvin Brownley..... " "  
 Geo. T. Purvis..... " "

20. CANN MEMORIAL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. F. Lamb.....Elizabeth City, N. C.

DEACONS.—Sam'l. L. Sheep.. " " "

21. GREENVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—B. D. Evans.....Greenville, N. C.

DEACONS.—J. R. Moore ..... " "

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## 22. KINSTON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Wm. M. Payne.....	Kinston, N. C.
H. H. Wilson.....	"    "
H. E. Shaw.....	"    "
DEACONS.—Wm. H. Hickson .....	"    "
Oscar Boney.....	"    "
M. H. Wooten.....	"    "

## 23. STRICKLAND CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. D. Strickland.....	Wilson, N. C.
DEACONS.—None.	

## 24. FALKLAND CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

## 25. OLIVET CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Almon Fountain.....	Leggett, N. C.
DEACONS.—None.	

## 26. MACKEY'S FERRY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. B. Headen.....	Fremont, N. C.
DEACONS.—C. F. Richle.....	Mackey's Ferry, "

## 27. AURORA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jas. H. Jarvis.....	Aurora, N. C.
DEACONS.—Geo. W. Colbert.....	Gilmerton, Va.

## 28. DOVER CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons

## 29. ROANOKE CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

## 30. PARMELE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—F. G. Buhmann .....	Parmele, N. C.
DEACONS.—Jas. A. McIver.....	"    "

## 31. YOUNG MEMORIAL CHURCH.

No Elders and no Deacons.

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VII.—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

I. ASHEVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. V. Brown.....	Asheville, N. C.
B. R. Fakes.....	" "
W. P. Blair.....	" "
W. A. Blair.....	" "
L. V. Brown.....	" "
Robert Bingham, LL. D.....	" "
C. E. Graham.....	" "
E. E. Eagan.....	" "
J. D. Murphy.....	" "
H. N. Lockwood, (C.).....	" "
B. M. Lee.....	" "
DEACONS.—A. H. Cobb.....	" "
J. D. Robertson.....	" "
Geo. S. Powell.....	" "
W. E. Collins.....	" "
Jno. H. McDowell.....	" "
T. S. Morrison.....	" "
F. E. Mitchell.....	" "
E. C. Barnhardt.....	" "
B. Burnett.....	" "

2. BETHANY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Moses Hunter.....	Asheville, N. C.
J. S. Chambers, (C.).....	" "
DEACONS.—W. A. Brown.....	" "
C. J. Morrow.....	" "

3. BETHEL CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. J. Osborne.....	Garden Creek, N. C.
T. B. Edmonston.....	Retreat, "
W. S. Terrell, (C.).....	Sonoma, "
DEACONS.—O. L. Allen.....	Waynesville, "

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## 4. BREVARD CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—J. M. Orr.....	Brevard, N. C.
T. S. Boswell.....	“ “
Ervin Blythe.....	“ “
DEACONS.—Thos. S. Wood.....	“ “
L. North.....	“ “

## 5. BRYSON CITY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. M. Fry, (C.).....	Bryson City, N. C.
DEACONS.—T. E. Simpson.....	“ “
R. L. Leatherwood.....	“ “

## 6. CENTER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—E. L. Slagle, (C.).....	Crawford, N. C.
DEACONS.—T. M. Slagle.....	“ “

## 7. DAVIDSON RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Wm. E. Deaver.....	Davidson River, N. C.
Chas. Patton.....	“ “
DEACONS.—L. C. Neill.....	“ “
C. C. Patton.....	“ “

## 8. DRUSILLA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jas. T. Hendley.....	Dysartville, N. C.
Robt. G. Howard, (C.).....	“ “
DEACONS.—T. Bradshaw Hemphill.....	“ “
M. L. Kirksey.....	Brindletown, “

## 9. FRANKLIN CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—N. P. Rankin, (C.).....	Franklin, N. C.
DEACONS.—J. G. Siler.....	“ “
Jno. C. Wright.....	“ “

## 10. HENDERSONVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—L. T. Williams.....	Hendersonville, N. C.
W. G. Carson, (C.).....	“ “
Wm. C. Connell.....	“ “
DEACONS.—None.	

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11. HIWASSEE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. F. Davis..... Haysville, N. C.  
 Jas. A. Slagle..... Andrews, "  
 DEACONS.—None.

12. MIDWAY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—W. C. Jordan..... Boilston, N. C.  
 O. P. Orr..... Bowman's Bluff, "  
 Calvin M. Woodfin..... Hendersonville, "  
 DEACONS.—None.

13. MILLS RIVER CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Mont Brittain..... Mills River, N. C.  
 L. E. Brittain..... " "  
 J. M. Burgin..... " "  
 J. D. Reid..... " "  
 DEACONS.—Robt. Allen..... " "  
 J. J. Osborne..... " "  
 J. T. Williams..... " "

14. MORRISON CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Geo. R. McPherson, (C.)..... Franklin, N. C.  
 Robt. McPherson..... " "  
 Geo. Gray..... " "  
 DEACONS.—Lucius W. Moore..... " "  
 Zebulon Angel..... " "

15. MURPHY CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. Don Towns, (C.)..... Murphy, N. C.  
 DEACONS.—W. T. Corder..... " "  
 A. J. Gurley..... " "

16. OAK FOREST CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Dr. D. M. Gudger..... Acton, N. C.  
 S. F. Venable..... " "  
 Chas. E. Tennent..... Asheville, "  
 DEACONS.—None.

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## 17. SOUTHSIDE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—A. T. Summey, (C.).....	Asheville, N. C.
Jas. L. West.....	“ “
Jno. B. Shope.....	“ “
DEACONS.—Thos. L. Gates.....	“ “

## 18. SWANNAHOA CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Sam W. Davidson, Jr.....	Swannanoa,	N. C.
Geo. N. Alexander.....	“	“
Robt. H. Young.....	“	“
Jas. McNair.....	Black Mountain,	“
DEACONS.—G. W. Young.....	Swannanoa,	“
A. N. Alexander.....	“	“
T. L. White.....	“	“

## 19. WAYNESVILLE CHURCH.

RULING ELDERS.—Jas. Parks.....	Jonathan's Creek, N. C.
Dr. H. L. McFadgen.....	Waynesville,
D. M. Killian.....	“
W. H. Faucett, (C.).....	“
DEACONS.—I. J. Brown . . . . .	“
J. P. Swift.....	“



