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CHARLOTTE, N. C., Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1911.

The Synod of North Carolina met in its Ninety-Eighth Annual Sessions on Tuesday, November 7, 1911, at 8 o'clock P. M. in the Second Presbyterian Church, Charlotte N. C. and was opened with a sermon by the Rev. Melton Clark, at the request of the retiring Moderator, Hon. A. M. Scales, on the text—"We ought to obey God rather than men" Acts 5:29.

After the sermon the Synod was called to order by the Moderator, Hon. A. M. Scales, and constituted with prayer by the Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D.

The Stated Clerk called the Roll by Presbyteries, and the following members, having been enrolled, answered to their names, or were enrolled during the Sessions of Synod.

I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
D. I. Craig, D. D.	Col. J. N. Craig	Reidsville
C. W. Robinson	J. E. Finley	N. Wilkesboro
	L. M. Pharr	Wilkesboro
J. W. Goodman	A. E. Rankin	Buffalo
	W. A. Aydelette	Midway
C. E. Hodgkin	E. P. Wharton	Westminster
E. R. Leyburn, D. D.		
S. M. Rankin	J. W. Summers	Springwood
J. S. Morrow, (Col.)		
H. S. Bradshaw		
E. H. Harding, D. D.		
Donald McIver	B. R. Sellars	Burlington
R. M. Williams	J. R. Brown	Ch. of the Cov.
Melton Clark	A. M. Scales	Greensboro, 1st
J. A. Gilmer		
Neal L. Anderson, D. D.	J. M. Rogers	Winston, 1st
M. McG. Shields		

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
W. O. Sample		
Carl Barth		
J. A. Wilson		
A. S. Caldwell	W. C. Herndon	High Point
W. S. Wilhelm		
W. T. Thompson, Jr.		
W. B. McIlwaine, Jr.	A. C. McAlister	Asheboro
W. F. Hollingsworth	J. L. Scott, Jr.	Graham
	Geo. McKee	Chapel Hill

The following ministers of Orange Presbytery were absent: B. B. Palmer (col.), R. W. George, E. C. Murray, D. D., R. L. Wharton, B. W. Mebane, D. D., P. H. Gwynn, F. M. Hawley, N. R. Claytor, H. H. Cassady and J. L. Bowers.—10.

The following churches were not represented: Asbury, Alamance, Bethany, Bethlehem, Bessemer Ave., Bethesda, Beulah, Bethel, Clark Memorial, Cross Roads, Carson Memorial, Danbury, Dan River, Durham 2nd, Ebenezer, Elkin 1st, Edgemont, Elkin (col.), Elim, Eno, Fairfield, Greenwood, Gilead, Griers, Hawfields, Efland, Jamestown, Jefferson, Lexington, Leaksville, Little River, Hillsboro, Madison, Mebane, Milton, Mt. Airy, New Hope, Obids, Pine Hall, North Eno, Pine Ridge, Pleasant Grove, Delane, Glade Valley, Red House, Roxboro, Rocky Ridge, Sandy Ridge, Stoneville, Saxapahaw, Speedwell, Stony Creek, Smyrna, Thomasville, Wentworth, Worthville, Yanceyville and Durham 1st.—58.

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
C. A. Munroe		
J. B. Shearer, D. D.		
W. S. Wilson	S. W. Stevenson	Mooresville, 1st
J. A. Scott, D. D.		
C. M. Richards, D. D.	C. R. Harding	David. College
J. P. Hall, 2*		
L. M. Kerschner		
Edgar Tufts		
W. M. Walsh	W. B. Gibson	Front Street
	W. B. Parks	Barium Springs
H. F. Beatty		
Byron Clark, D. D.	F. R. Brown	Salisbury
Dugald Munroe		
E. D. Brown	C. Fulps	Concord (Ire.)

*The figures denote the day of taking his seat in Synod.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
J. M. Grier, D. D.	D. G. Caldwell. 2	Concord, 1st
R. W. Culbertson	J. W. A. Kerr	Center
R. A. Lapsley, Jr.	J. H. MacLelland	Newton
	Dr. W. E. Wilson	Sherrill Ford
E. P. Bradley	T. B. Bailey	Mocksville
	C. L. Smart 2	Cooleemee
J. G. Garth		
Dr. T. W. Lingle		
James Lapsley	L. H. Alexander	Rocky River
C. E. Raynal	J. A. Vaughn	Statesville
J. E. Summers	C. T. Allison	Poplar Tent
	M. A. Emerson	Gilwood
W. T. Walker		
L. L. Moore	H. J. Burke	Taylorsville
	J. S. Clodfelter	New Salem
C. T. Squires	G. W. F. Harper	Lenoir
F. A. Barnes	S. Q. Perkins	McKinnon
G. W. Shipley	J. C. Query	Cannonville
	I. T. Avery	Morganton
	J. K. Goodman	Back Creek
	J. H. Carson	Third Creek

The following ministers of Concord Presbytery were absent: W. W. Pharr, D. D., J. W. Davis, D. D., B. L. Beall, L. McKinnon, D. D., E. Pressley, J. C. Kennedy, J. A. Harris, J. M. Gibbs L. H. Query, Cornelius Miller, G. N. Thomas, C. L. Rogers and J. C. Story.—13.

The following churches were not represented: Bald Creek, Bayless Memorial, Blowing Rock, Bridgewater, Banner Elk, Bethany, Bethpage, Bethesda, Brummetts, Chestnut Hill, Cleveland, Clio, Elmwood, Estatoe, Forbes, Fifth Creek, Franklin, Glen Alpine, Grassy Creek, Houstonville, Harrisburg, Hughes, Hickory, Kannapolis, Mooresville 2, Micaville, Marion, Moseley Chapel, Newdale, Oak Grove, Old Fort, Plum Tree, Paint Gap, Patterson Mills, Pineola, Prospect, Quaker Meadow, Spencer, Shearer, Shiloh, Siloam, Spruce Pine, Tabor, Thyatira, Troutman, Turkey Cove, Unity, Vine Valley, White Hall, Waldensian, Yadkinville, Beattie Memorial, Buck Hill, Mortimer, Oak Hill and Powder Mill.—56.

III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
H. G. Hill, D. D.	G. B. Patterson 2	Maxton
	W. W. McGirt	Center
P. R. Law, D. D.		
W. R. Coppedge		
C. G. Vardell, D. D.		

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
J. M. Rose, D. D.	W. D. B. McEachin	Laurinburg
J. K. Roberts	Dr. Gilbert McLeod 2	Carthage
L. Smith 2		
R. S. Arrowood		
W. M. Fairley		
L. W. Curtis		
A. W. Crawford		
J. H. Dixon		
W. C. Brown		
A. R. McQueen		
J. M. Forbis		
T. H. Spence		
J. McL. Wicker		
A. W. Shaw		
V. R. Gaston	A. A. Conoly	Antioch
I. N. Clegg		
G. F. Kirkpatrick		
R. E. Steele		
	E. Currie	Lumber Bridge
	O. C. Fulk	Midway
	B. F. McMillan	Red Springs
	A. C. Munroe 2	Sandy Grove
	R. E. Carrington	Sanford
	J. H. Currie	Galatia
	Lauchlin McDonald	Big Rockfish

The following ministers of Fayetteville Presbytery were not present: David Fairley, D. D., K. A. McLeod, M. D. McNeill, L. L. Little, W. C. Buchanan, G. T. Pace, E. W. Souders, J. D. A. Brown, R. W. Jopling, S. H. Williamson, J. M. McLain, H. M. Dixon, F. B. Rankin, C. V. Cavitt, A. E. Grove, C. L. Bragaw, J. B. Cochran, M. N. McIver, and J. K. Hall.—18.

The following churches were not represented: Aberdeen, Ashpole, Bakers, Barbecue Bensalem, Bethcar, Bethel, Bethesda, Bluff, Brainard, Broadway, Biscoe, Buffalo, Cameron, Cameron Hill, Cameronian, Church of the Covenant, Culdee Cyprus, Duke, Dundarrach, Ellebe Springs, Elise, Elrod, Euphronia, Fayetteville, Flat Branch, Gibson, Godwin, Gulf, Hamlet, Haywood, Hillside, Hope Mills, Ida Mills, Iona, Jackson Springs, Jonesboro, Kenly, Laurel Hill, Lebanon, Lillington, Longstreet, Lumber-ton, Macedonia, Manley, Marks Creek, McMillan, McPherson, Mt. Carmel, Mt. Vernon, Oakland, Parkton, Pee Dee, Pembroke, Philadelphus Phillipi, Pittsboro, Pocket, Raeford, Roberdel, Rockingham, Rowland, Salem, Sardis, Shannon, Sherwood Shiloh, Smithfield, Smyrna, Selma, Summerville, Sunnyside, St. Andrews, St. Pauls, Troy, Union, Vass, Wadeville and White Hill.—84.

IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
A. D. McClure, D. D.	Joseph Akerman	St. Andrews
J. M. Wells, D. D.	Geo. C. Worth	Wilmington 1st
J. S. Crowley, 2		
W. P. M. Currie, 2	D. S. Williams,	Rockfish
W. M. Sikes		
F. B. Smith		
	O. L. Clark	Clarkton

The following ministers of Wilmington Presbytery were absent. P. McInyre, J. E. L. Winecoff, W. M. Shaw, L. E. Wells, E. B. Carr, P. L. Clark, J. M. Plowden, and L. T. Newland.—8.

The following churches were not represented: Black River, Bethcar, Bethirel, Bolton, Bladenboro, Bowden, Beulah, Burgaw, Calypso, Caswell, Chadborne, Chinquepin, Cobbs Mills, Croatan, Cronly, Duplin Roads, Elizabethtown, Faison, Grave's Memorial, Grove, Hallsville, Harmony, Hebron, Hopewell, Immanuel, Jacksonville, Keith, Mayesville, Maple Hill, Mt. Horeb, Mt. Olive, Mt. Williams, Mt. Zion, New Hope, Oakplain, Pike, Pollockville, Smiths, Southport, South River, Staunford, Sweet Home, Teachey's, Topsail, Warsaw, White Hall, White Plain, Whiteville and Wildwood.—49.

V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
William Black		
J. R. Bridges, D. D.		
G. C. Huntington		
A. J. Crane		
M. E. Sentelle, D. D.		
A. R. Shaw, D. D.	Z. A. Hoves	Tenth Ave.
W. E. West	L. P. Hunter	Will. Memorial
J. E. Berryhill	M. G. Clark	Paw Creek
	W. A. Johnston, 2	Cook's Memo'l
W. A. Daniel, 2	Dr. J. S. Abernethy, 2	Hopewell
F. D. Jones	D. S. Monteith	Westminster
A. A. McGeachy, D. D.	Dr. I. W. Faison	Charlotte 2nd
K. A. Campbell		
J. W. Grier	D. W. Mayes	Ramah
W. R. McCalla	J. M. Davis	Sugar Creek
J. E. Wool, 2	G. S. Mayes	Cornelius
W. A. Cleveland	W. W. Davenport	Steele Creek
H. M. Pressly	J. A. Patterson	West Ave.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
W. E. Furr	J. A. Henderson	St. Pauls
R. F. Kirkpatrick	W. H. Belk	Monroe
R. J. McIlwain, 2		
C. C. Carson	T. O. Ross	Providence
C. E. Robertson	R. N. Nisbet	Waxhaw
T. D. Cartledge	D. A. Johnston	Pegram St.
W. E. McIlwaine, D. D.		
J. L. Caldwell, D. D.		
Chas. Kingsley	W. C. Barnette	Pineville
Leonard Gill		
T. B. Anderson	D. K. Bennett	Norwood
H. E. Gurney	W. W. Alexander	Carmel
	A. G. Brenizer	Charlotte, 1st
	T. W. Morrison	Morven
	J. A. Kendell	Pee Dee

The following ministers of Mecklenburg Presbytery were absent: S. C. Boyce, J. W. Moore, A. J. McKelway, D. D., Geo. H. Atkinson, G. P. Stevens, R. T. Coit, J. A. Caligan, W. W. Davidson, J. L. Beattie, C. W. Erwin.—10.

The following churches were not represented: Albemarle, Alton, Amity, Banks, Bethel, Bethlehem, Beulah, Groveton, Huntersville, Locust, Lilesville, Little's, Matthews, Mulberry, Mallard Creek, Marshville, Newell, New London, Pleasant Hill, Philadelphia, Polkton, Porter, Robinson, Salem, Sharon, Seversville, Siler, Wadesboro, Walkersville.—29.

VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
W. D. Morton, D. D.	S. K. Fountain	Rocky Mount
J. S. Wood		
J. A. McClure		
H. B. Searight, 2	C. M. Brown	Washington
W. McC. White, D. D.	D. H. Hill	Raleigh 1st
J. N. H. Summerell, D. D.		
Geo. W. Belk		
V. G. Smith		
J. C. Shive		
J. E. Ballou	Geo. Howard	Howard Mem'l

The following ministers of Albemarle Presbytery were absent: J. H. Jarvis, R. W. Alexander, Carr Moore, H. C. Nelson, J. F. Coleman and J. B. Black.—6.

The following churches were not represented: Atkinson Memorial,

Aurora, Bellhaven, Cann Memorial, Cavalry, Edenton Enfield, Farmville, Faulkland, Geneva, Goldsboro, Grassy Creek, Greenville, Henderson, LaGrange, Littleton, Louisburg, Brookston Makelyville, Nahalah, Newbern, Nutbush Oak Hill, Olivet, Oxford, Payne Memorial, Pinetop, Roanoke, Roanoke Rapids, Scotland Neck, Shiloh, Strickland, Warrenton, Weldon, Williamston, Wilson and Youngs Memorial.—38.

VII.—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
R. F. Campbell, D.D.	S. D. Holt	Asheville 1st
R. P. Smith		
R. B. Grinnan, D. D.		
W. H. Davis, 2		
W. P. Chedester		
A. H. Temple		
R. J. Hunter		
E. A. Sample		
Lewis Collins		
E. L. Siler, 2	J. G. Miller	Montreat
A. M. McLaughlin	J. H. Gudger	Ora Street

The following ministers of Asheville Presbytery were absent: P. P. Winn, E. D. Kerr, P. F. Brown, J. Q. Wallace, and C. B. Yeargan.—6.

The following churches were not represented: Andrews, Bethel, Black Mountain, Brevard, Bryson City, Canton Covenanters, Crabtree, Davidson River, Dillsboro, Entowah, Franklin, Hendersonville, Hayesville, Hazelwood, Jennie Spear Memorial, Memorial, Mills River, Morrison, Murphy, Oakdale, Oak Forest, Preston, Pidgeon Gap, Robbinsville, Shortoff, Swannanoa, Waynesville.—28.

VIII.—KINGS MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERY.

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
J. J. Kennedy, 2		
R. A. Miller		
W. R. Minter	Edgar Love	Lincolnton
T. C. Croker	J. E. McFarland	Forest City
S. L. Cathey, 2	A. Whitener	Stanley Creek
R. C. Anderson		
James Thomas, 2	A. C. Miller, 2	Shelby
A. S. Anderson		
Geo. L. Cook, 2		
S. S. Oliver	J. T. R. Dameron	Bessemer City

MINISTERS	RULING ELDERS	CHURCHES
R. S. Burwell	J. F. Ratchford	New Hope
W. J. Sechrest		
W. S. Lacy	W. W. Davis	Belmont
	R. L. Falls	Olney
	J. F. Flack, 2	Rutherfordton
	J. F. Jackson	Gastonia

The following ministers of Kings Mountain Presbytery were absent: G. A. Sparrow, C. H. Little, R. C. Deal and T. E. P. Woods.—4

The following churches were not represented: Bethany, Bostic, Brittain, Castanea Grove, Cherryville, Cliffside, Columbus, Dallas, Drusilla, Duncan's Creek, Henrietta, Hephzibah, High Shoals, Ironton, Kings Mountain, Long Creek, Loray, Lowell Machpelah, Mooresboro, Mt. Holly, Sandy Plains, Shiloh, Union, Union Mills, Unity, and Waco.—27.

The foregoing roll shows the names of 141 Ministers and 95 Ruling Elders in attendance, making a total membership of 236. Besides these there were as many as ten Corresponding Members and a number of visiting brethren present. The Corresponding members were Revs. W. W. Moore, D. D., W. L. Lingle, D. D., S. H. Chester, D. D., W. E. Boggs, D. D., H. H. Sweets, D. D., W. J. McKay, D. D., J. G. Suedecor, M. B. Porter, Alexander Martin, and L. K. Glasgow.

Seventy-five Ministers were absent, and 369 Churches were not represented.

The Rev. W. R. Minter, of Kings Mountain Presbytery, was elected Moderator by acclamation, and the Rev. J. E. Summers, of Concord Presbytery, and the Rev. J. W. Goodman, of Orange Presbytery, were elected Temporary Clerks.

A communication from the Center Church in Iredell County was received and read, inviting the Synod as a body to be the guests of said church on tomorrow, Nov. 8, 1911, the occasion being the unveiling of a Tablet commemorating the organization of the "Synod of the Carolinas" at said church Nov. 5 1788. The erection of the Tablet and the exercises of the day, being under the direction and supervision of the Presbyterian Historical Society through its President, Prof. W. A. Withers of the A. & M. College, Raleigh, N. C.

It was also understood that through the kindness of the Committee on Arrangements of the Second Church, Charlotte, a special train of cars had been secured, at greatly reduced rates to the body, to carry the Synod not only to Center Church, but also to the Orphan's Home at Barium Springs, and providing for a stop over at Davidson College on return.

The invitation from the Center Church was accepted with thanks, and all standing Rules and Orders for tomorrow were temporarily suspended.

In view of this action the following recommendations were adopted:

1. That the hours of the daily sessions be as follows: From 9:30 a. m. to 1 p. m., 3 p. m. to such time as Synod sees fit to recede from business, and from 8 p. m. until adjournment, except that to-morrow (Wednesday) the Synod shall meet at 9 instead of 9:30 and Rev. Dr. J. B. Shearer be asked to conduct devotional exercises.

2. That the last part of Standing Rule 14 which reads "All applications for Special Orders shall be referred by the Moderator to this Committee before action thereupon by the Synod" be temporarily suspended together with Standing Orders 1, 2 and that Synod recede from business at 10:15 a. m. to visit Centre church, Barium Springs and Davidson College.

3. That it be made a Special Order to-morrow morning following the appointment of the Standing Committees to hear Rev. Dr. W. L. Lingle 15 minutes in behalf of Union Theological Seminary and President H. L. Smith 15 minutes in behalf of Davidson College.

4. That following its recess Thursday evening the Synod meet at the Presbyterian College for Women for an hour's musical entertainment following which the evening session will be held in the College Auditorium.

A. A. McGEACHY,
Chairman.

It was ordered that from 10 to 11 o'clock on Thursday morning the Synod hear Mr. W. C. Smith and others in reference to the consolidated work of the General Assembly.

The Synod then adjourned, with prayer by the Rev. W. D. Morton D. D., to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C, Wednesday, November 8, 1911.

The Synod met at 9 o'clock A. M. and the devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D.

The Minutes of last evening's Session were read, corrected, and approved.

The following Ad-Interim Minutes were read and approved.

AD-INTERIM MINUTES.

Since the last meeting of Synod three Ministers have died, viz.—Wm. M. Kincaid, D. D., Archibald McFayden, and R. J. Beattie.

The Moderator appointed, according to Standing Rule, the Rev. A. R. Shaw, D. D., Rev. A. D. McClure D. D., and the Rev. W. M. Fairley with Rev. J. K. Roberts and Rev. L. McIver, respectively, to prepare a memorial sketch of the life and labors of the aforesaid deceased brethren.

On January 13, 1911, the Moderator appointed a Committee on Systematic Beneficence, and assigns the following reasons for the appointment.

To Rev. D. I. Craig D. D., Stated Clerk.

Dear Sir:—In view of the fact that the plan of the General Assembly in consolidating the work of the various Executive Committees contemplates a committee in each Synod to be known as the Committee on Systematic Beneficence, which committee seems to be a necessary one if the plans of the General Assembly are to be successful in our bounds.

And whereas, the Synod at its recent meeting in Rocky Mount consolidated its Executive Committees, in accordance with the Assembly's plan, although it did not directly provide for the appointment of the Committee on Systematic Beneficence.

And whereas, it would seem by fair inference that such a committee was intended to be appointed.

Now therefore, as Moderator of the Synod I appoint as a Committee on Systematic Beneficence, until the next meeting of Synod, the following members, all of whom are Chairmen of Synod's Committees:

Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., Chairman; Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., Rev. W. M. Walsh, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., and Rev. M. McG. Shields.

Yours very truly,

A. M. SCALES, Moderator.

The Moderator also appointed the Hon. R. L. Ryburn, a Ruling Elder of Kings Mountain Presbytery, to fill out the unexpired term of the Rev. A. McFadyen, deceased, as a Director of Union Theological Seminary.

All of these brethren were duly notified of their appointment.

On June 22, 1911, the Moderator also enlarged the Synod's Committee on Systematic Benevolence by the appointment of the Chairman of each Presbyterial Committee on that Cause, as additional members.

ATTEST:

D. I. CRAIG

Stated Clerk.

The Minutes of the Pro-re-nata Meeting of Synod were read and approved, as follows:

The Synod of North Carolina met in the Second Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N. C. on Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1911, at 12.30 o'clock p. m. under the following call of the Moderator:

GREENSBORO, N. C., Oct. 6, 1911.

"The Constitutional requirements having been met, I hereby call a special meeting of the Synod of North Carolina to be held in Charlotte, in the Second Presbyterian Church, at 12:30 p. m., on Tuesday the 17th of Oct. 1911, to change the date of the regular meeting of the Synod to a later day, on account of the Charlotte Fair which opens the 24th of Oct. to continue open during the entire session of Synod.

Signed:—A. M. SCALES,

Moderator.

The Rev. A. R. Shaw, D. D., the last Moderator present, took the chair and called the Synod to order, and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. P. R. Law, D. D.

The following members were present: Ministers, D. I. Craig, D. D. and Melton Clark, of Orange Presbytery; J. M. Grier, D. D., of Concord Presbytery; P. R. Law, D. D., of Fayetteville Presbytery; A. A. McGeachy, D. D., A. R. Shaw, D. D., H. M. Pressley, F. D. Jones, W. E. Furr, J. E. Berryhill, C. G. Huntington, W. A. Cleveland, Chas. Kingsley; T. D. Cartledge, Leonard Gill, of Mecklenburg Presbytery; and R. A. Miller, James Thomas, R. S. Burwell, and A. S. Anderson, of Kings Mountain Presbytery; and Ruling Elders, Jno. R. Pharr, J. M. Davis, Dr. H. J. Walker, Dr. J. R. Walker, Dr. J. R. Alexander and Richard Stewart, of Mecklenburg Presbytery.

There being a quorum present, the call for the meeting was read and declared to be in order.

The question of changing the date of the meeting of Synod to a later day, was taken up and freely discussed. After hearing from the brethren of Charlotte, and from others, the following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted.

RESOLVED:—That the Standing Rule, fixing the time for the regular meeting of Synod, be temporarily suspended, and that the Synod of North Carolina meet in the Second Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N.

C. on Tuesday the 7th day of November, 1911, at 8 o'clock p. m., instead of Oct. 24, 1911, at 8 o'clock p. m., and that it be so ordered.

The business for which the meeting was called, now being completed, the Synod adjourned with prayer by the Rev. James Thomas.

ATTEST: D. I. CRAIG,
Stated Clerk.

The Moderator announced the following Standing Committees:

1. DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES.—Rev. A. A. McGeachy, D. D., Ruling Elder I. W. Faison.

2. SPECIAL ORDERS—Revs. R. C. Anderson, R. F. Campbell, D. D., C. M. Richards, D. D., S. M. Rankin, Ruling Elders Geo. C. Worth and B. F. McMillan.

3. BILLS AND OVERTURES—Revs. Melton Clark, C. A. Munroe, W. P. Chedester, J. A. McClure, A. R. Shaw, D. D. R. A. Miller, and Ruling Elders A. G. Brenizer, O. L. Clark, E. Currie, Edgar Love and I. F. Avery.

4. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE—Revs. C. E. Raynal, R. M. Williams, J. K. Roberts, W. M. Sikes, W. A. Cleveland, V. G. Smith, A. S. Anderson, and Ruling Elders G. D. Holt, R. N. Nisbet, and C. R. Harding.

5. ADDRESS TO THE CHURCHES—Ruling Elders J. M. Rogers, G. W. F. Harper, W. D. B. McEachin, W. W. Davenport, Revs. R. F. Kirkpatrick, J. M. Wells, D. D., V. R. Gaston, and J. G. Garth.

6. MINUTES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY—Revs. J. M. Grier, D. D., H. G. Hill, D. D., Byron Clark, D. D., J. E. Berryhill, and Ruling Elders Joseph Akerman, T. B. Bailey, J. N. Craig and J. E. McFarland.

7. UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—Revs. C. G. Vardell D. D., A. D. McClure, D. D., W. S. Wilson, W. S. Lacy, W. C. Brown, F. D. Jones, and Ruling Elders D. S. Monteith, Frank R. Brown, and E. P. Wharton.

8. REPORT OF THE REGENTS OF ORPHANS HOME—Revs. R. P. Smith, R. A. Lapsley, Jr., J. M. Rose, D. D., W. R. McCalla, J. C. Shive, and Ruling Elders R. Lee Falls, D. H. Hill, J. M. Davis, and C. T. Allison.

9. SYSTEMATIC BENEFICENCE.—Revs. W. S. Wilson, W. J. Sechrest, A. R. McQueen, W. E. Furr, J. S. Wood, and Ruling Elders W. C. Barnette, Lauchlin McDonald, and J. Alex. Vaughn.

10. STATISTICAL REPORTS OF PRESBYTERIES.—Revs. E. D. Brown, J. E. Ballou, S. S. Oliver, C. W. Robinson and Ruling Elders J. R. Brown, G. W. Stevenson and T. W. Morrison.

11. AUDITING COMMITTEE—Ruling Elders C. M. Brown, Z. M. Hoves, L. H. Alexander, Revs. W. M. Walsh, W. M. Fairley, and T. D. Cartledge

12. RECORDS OF SYNOD.—Revs. J. N. H. Summerell, D. D., E. A. Sample, R. S. Burwell and Ruling Elders J. F. Ratchford, L. P. Hunter. and H. J. Burke.

13. RECORDS OF PRESBYTERIES.—

(a) Orange—Revs. W. T. Walker, T. C. Croker, and Ruling Elder R. E. Carrington.

(b) Concord—Revs. J. M. Forbis, H. S. Bradshaw, and Ruling Elder A. C. McAllister.

(c) Fayetteville—Revs. Donald McIver, Edgar Tufts, and Ruling Elder J. E. Finley.

(d) Wilmington—Revs. W. E. West, C. E. Robertson, and Ruling Elder W. W. McGirt.

(e) Mecklenburg—Revs. R. B. Grinnan, D. D., A. M. McLauchlin, and Ruling Elder D. A. Johnston.

(f) Albemarle—Revs. J. W. Grier, Leonard Gill and Ruling Elder Angus A. Conoley.

(g) Asheville—Revs. W. R. Coppedge, A. W. Shaw, and Ruling Elder L. H. Alexander.

(h) Kings Mountain—Revs. L. L. Moore, R. W. Culbertson, and Ruling Elder John K. Goodman.

14. LEAVE OF ABSENCE—Revs. A. J. Crane, H. M. Pressley, and Ruling Elder D. K. Bennett, F. O. Ross, and Z. A. Hoves.

15. RESOLUTION OF THANKS—Revs. T. W. Lingle, Carl Barth, L. M. Kerschner, Ruling Elders J. C. Query, and M. A. Emerson.

According to the Special Order taken last night, the Synod now heard the Rev. Walter L. Lingle, D. D. and the Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., in brief addresses, in the interest of Union Theological Seminary; and also, President Henry Louis Smith in the interest of Davidson College.

At the close of these addresses the Synod recessed from business until 8 o'clock P. M.

NOTE--The Synod as a body, according to the program, proceeded by rail to Center Church, situated about twenty-five miles north of Charlotte, near the railroad in Iredell County. The occasion of this visit was the unveiling of a Tablet in the Church, under the direction of the Presbyterian Historical Society, to commemorate the organization of the "Synod of the Carolinas" at this place on November 5, 1788. The program consisted in special music for the occasion, an address of welcome by the pastor of the church, Rev. R. W. Culburtson, introductory remarks by Prof. W. A. Withers, President of the Society, an address on the History of the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina, by the Rev. D. I. Craig D. D., an address of presentation by the Hon. A. M. Scales and unveiling the Tablet, an address of acceptance by Mr. R. R. Clark, Editor of the Statesville Landmark, and the benediction by the beloved and venerable Rev. W. W. Pharr D. D., who for nearly a half century was the pastor of Center Church. After the completion of the program, a bountiful dinner, which had been prepared and spread in the church yard, was served and greatly enjoyed, notwithstanding the very inclement weather.

The Synod then proceeded to visit the Orphan's Home at Barium Springs, and on the return trip to Charlotte paid a short visit to Davidson College.—Stated Clerk.

SECOND DAY—EVENING SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Wednesday, Nov. 8, 1911.

The Synod met at 8 o'clock p. m. and resumed business.

The Stated Clerk read the report of the Board of Directors and Trustees of Union Theological Seminary, which was

received and referred to the Standing Committee on the U. T. Seminary. See report in the Appendix.

The report of the Treasurer was read and referred to the Auditing Committee.

The following Overtures were read and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures:

1. From Albemarle Presbytery. (a) That the bounds of the Presbytery be so extended as to include all of Lenoir county, south of the Neuse river now in Wilmington Presbytery. (b) That the Permanent Committee on Religious work among students of State Institutions, take up the matter of the needs of the church at Greenville, N. C.

2. From Wilmington Presbytery.—To so change the boundary lines, "That the County of Lenoir shall be entirely within the bounds of Albemarle Presbytery."

3. From the Presbytery of Mecklenburg.—That the Synod give its consent to the transfer of the church of Pageland in Bethel Presbytery, S. C. to the jurisdiction of Mecklenburg Presbytery.

4. From Fayetteville Presbytery. (a) To appoint an Ad-interim Committee looking to the division of the Synod into at least ten Presbyteries. (b) To overture the Assembly to change the ecclesiastical year so as to conform to the calendar year.

5. From the Synod of Texas.—To overture the Assembly to consider the founding of a great Presbyterian University.

An invitation, in the nature of an Overture, was received from the Alamance church, Guilford county, inviting the Synod to hold its Centennial Sessions with said church in 1913, and requesting the appointment of a special Committee to arrange program of exercises for this Centennial event. The invitation and request were referred to a special Committee to report to the Synod of 1912, and subsequently the Moderator appointed the following Committee:—Revs. S. M. Rankin, J. A. Gilmer, W. R. Coppedge, J. M. Grier, D. D., A. S. Caldwell, and C. E. Hodgin.

The Standing Order for the evening, viz. The report of Committee on Foreign Missions, and to hold a popular meeting, was now taken. The Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., Chairman, read the report and introduced the Rev. S. H. Chester, D. D., Secretary, the Rev. J. F. Preston, of Korea, and the Rev. H. F. Beatty, of Cuba, all of whom addressed the Synod.

The report as a whole was adopted, which see in the Appendix. The following are the recommendations:

In view of the growing prosperity and corresponding demands of the church's work abroad, which can be met only by increasing contributions at home, four committees would recommend the following action:

1. Synod learns with regret that some of our churches, which, by taking a separate every member canvass, had entered the Forward Movement, are making the introduction of the Assembly's plan the occasion of dropping their foreign mission pledges already secured, and of reporting smaller pledges for Foreign Missions in the every-member canvass taken for all the causes together.

Attention is called to the fact that the Assembly's new plan is a flexible one, leaving it optional with the churches whether they shall take one every-member canvass for all the causes, or one for the work at home and one for the work abroad (see Assembly's, Minutes, 1911, p. 22.)

Synod would hereby urge all its Forward Movement churches to stand by the pledges already made to Foreign Missions, and to make these the starting point in any new canvass that may be taken; or at least to see to it that in any new every-member canvass, the amount pledged to Foreign Missions shall not be less than that pledged heretofore, but more if possible.

2. Synod would also call attention to the fact that in asking for a contribution of \$550,000 for Foreign Mission this year, the Assembly distinctly named that amount as the minimum to be raised; and that our Missionary Platform is still in full force, which names \$1,000,000 a year, or an average of \$4 a member, as the goal which every church should strive to reach as speedily as possible.

Synod therefore expresses the earnest hope that the roll of churches giving \$4 per member will be largely increased during the year by the addition to that roll of many churches within the bounds of this Synod.

The Rev. Dr. J. G. Snedecor was now heard in the interest of Assembly's Home Missions, especially in regard to the work among foreigners within our borders.

The Committee on Special Orders, Rev. R. C. Anderson, Chairman, made a partial report which was adopted.

The Synod then adjourned with prayer by the Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D. to meet to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

CHARLOTTE N. C., Thursday, November 9, 1911.

The Synod met at 9:30 o'clock A. M. and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. W. R. Coppedge.

The Minutes of yesterday's Sessions were read and approved.

On motion the special order for this morning at 10 o'clock was deferred until 3 o'clock P. M. and in lieu thereof the Permanent Committee on Assembly Home Missions and Colored Evangelization, submitted its report. The report was presented by the Chairman, Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., and adopted—See Appendix.

The Ad-Interim Committee, on holding a Biblical and Evangelistic Institute, made the following report which was adopted.

The Committee appointed at last Synod to hold one or more evangelistic institutes during the year, if in its discretion, the same seemed advisable, reports that on account of the very full prolonged program of exercises at the Montreat Assembly, the same was not held this year, but recommends that the Committee be continued with power in its discretion to hold one or more such institutes during the coming year. The Committee is as follows: Rev. Mess. Wm. Black, Chairman; A. D. McClure, C. G. Vardell, W. McC. White, R. P. Smith, M. McG. Shields, Elders, T. B. Bailey, J. R. Young, A. M. Scales, A. M. Smyre, W. H. Belk.

The Permanent Committee on Christian Education and Ministerial Relief submitted its report through the Rev. J. B. Shearer D. D., Chairman, and pending the adoption of the report, the Rev. W. E. Boggs D. D., of the Synod of Florida, and Assembly Secretary, was heard. The report was then adopted.—See Appendix.

The Rev. W. E. Boggs D. D., the Rev. Dr. A. W. Verner, of the Synod of Pennsylvania, and Rev. M. B. Porter, of the Synod of Virginia were invited to sit as corresponding members and introduced to Synod.

The Rev. Dr. J. B. Shearer presented the report of the Committee on Synodical Schools and Colleges which was received, and pending the order of the day it went over as unfinished business.

The standing order to hear the report of the Regents of the Orphan's Home was now observed.

The Rev Dr. H. G. Hill, President of the Board, read the report of the Regents, and pending its consideration, the Hon. A. M. Scales addressed the Synod in behalf of the Regents on the needs, and a better support and equipment for the Home, asked for in the report to the amount of \$50,000. The Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D. followed Mr. Scales in an earnest appeal for immediate action, and pledges were taken on the floor of Synod amounting to about \$14,000.

The report was then referred to the Standing Committee on the Report of the Regents.—See the report in the Appendix.

The Rev. Dr. Bomar, of the Baptist Church, was invited to sit as a visiting brother, and the Revs. W. J. McKay, D. D. and Alex. Martin of the Synod of South Carolina were invited to sit as Corresponding Members, and all were introduced to Synod.

The Rev. M. B. Porter was now heard in a most interesting address in behalf of the American Bible Society.

On motion of the Stated Clerk a Nominating Committee was ordered, and the Moderator appointed the following brethren to compose it: Ruling Elders A. M. Scales, W. A. Adyelette, A. C. Miller, J. H. McLelland, G. P. Patterson, W. H. Belk and Revs. J. M. Rose, D.D., C. M. Richards, D. D., W. D. Morton, D.D., J. M. Wells, D.D., E. R. Leyburn, D. D., F. D. Jones and S. L. Cathey.

The Synod then took recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Thursday November 9, 1911.

The Synod met at 3 o'clock P. M. and resumed business.

The unfinished business was taken up, and Dr. Shearer completed his report on Synodical Schools and Colleges. The report was received, amended and adopted.—See Appendix.

The Standing Committee on the Minutes of the General Assembly, Rev. J. M. Grier, D. D., Chairman, made the following report which was adopted.

Your Committee on the Minutes of the Assembly would report that the only matter calling for action on the part of the Synod is the direction that the Synod nominate two Ministers and two Elders for Assembly's Permanent Committee on Systematic Beneficence. We recommend that this be referred to Synod's Committee on Nominations.

The Rev. H. H. Sweets, D. D., of the Synod of Kentucky, was invited to sit as a corresponding member and introduced to Synod.

The report of the Committee on Systematic Beneficence was presented by the Chairman, Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., and during its consideration, Mr. W. C. Smith, Editor of the "Missionary Survey," was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Synod on the every member canvass plan. The report was adopted as a whole, and a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Smith for his illuminating address.—See the report in the Appendix. The recommendations are as follows:

1. That the Synod heartily endorse the Assembly's plan and urge upon the Presbyteries the importance of reaching at the earliest possible moment the minimum amount asked for by the Assembly for its causes.
2. That Synod urge that emphasis be laid upon the every member canvass feature of the new scheme as the essential element in the plan.
3. That Presbyteries be urged to make out their Tables of Apportionments at the Fall meetings.
4. That Synod specially commend the holding of Elders and Deacons' Conferences on this important subject.
5. That Presbyteries be directed to see that the Diaconate is not neglected in the carrying out of the new scheme of Beneficences.

The Standing Committee on the Statistical reports of the Presbyteries, Rev. E. D. Brown, Chairman, submitted the following tabulated report which was adopted.

COMMITTEE ON STATISTICAL REPORT

	Ministers	Churches	Licentiates	Candidates	Communicants	Added on Profession	Added on Certificate	Funds Raised	Ministers Received	Ministers Dismissed	Churches Organized	Churches Dissolved	Licentiates Received	Licentiates Dismissed	Candidates Received	Candidates Transferred	Ministers Died	Ordinations	Installations	Pastoral Relation Dissolved	Licensures	Pastors	Evangelists	Stated Supplies	Foreign Missionaries	Churches Supplied	Ministers in Charge of Churches	Vacant Churches	Sunday Schools	Young People Societies	Women Societies	Average Pastor's Salary	Number of Manse	Value of Manse Property	Counties without Minister or Church
Orange.....	32	74	2	19	7414	428	236	\$119,155	3	5	2	1	1	1	9	1	1	2	5	4	3	25	2	1	1	57	26	58	37	37	\$ 900	22	\$ 65,500		
Concord.....	41	80	1	36	7752	365	381	80,575	5	11	2	1	1	1	9	1	1	2	11	9	1	19	4	1	1	62	26	18	48	48	800	20	\$ 55,800		
Payetteville.....	41	98	1	23	10067	421	419	93,871	4	6	3	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	6	5	1	25	1	3	2	80	29	4	46	84	836	13	\$ 37,300		
Wilmington.....	14	53		11	4788	284	132	82,944	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	10	1	2	1	53	12	38	31	952	8	\$ 35,000			
Meeklenburg.....	39	53		30	8036	395	284	98,667	9	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	3	2	2	24	3	1	3	40	25	46	57	1,400	27	\$ 81,150			
Albemarle.....	16	40	1	8	2831	182	163	45,215	2	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	13	2	1	23	15	17	10	25	1,140	12	\$ 40,000	14		
Asheville.....	17	31		8	1899	74	100	23,518	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	23	11	8	18	950	6	\$ 11,000	1			
Kings Mountain ..	17	37		10	3129	145	147	25,504	4	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	32	14	26	8	16	950	12	\$ 19,950		
Totals.....	217	466	4	137	45965	2294	1862	\$ 669,459	28	12	6	1	3	3	24	5	3	4	36	21	9	136	15	28	9	368	159	374	209	319	\$ 6,198	120	\$ 348,800	15	

Two Presbyteries made no report as to the average of Pastor's salaries. The average of those reporting is \$1,033.00.
Respectfully submitted.

E. D. BROWN, Chairman.

The Standing Committee on Special Orders made a partial report which was adopted.

The Standing order to hear the report and to hold a popular meeting in the interest of the Sabbath and Family Religion was now observed. The report was read by the Chairman, Rev. W. D. Morton D. D., and pending its adoption, the Rev. J. C. Shive addressed the Synod on the Modern Encroachments on the Sanctity of the Sabbath, Rev. E. R. Leyburn, D. D., on the Influence of the Christian Home, and Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., on the Maintenance of Family Worship. The report together with its recommendations was adopted.—See report in Appendix.

The following are the recommendations.

1. Your Committee would request the Ministers and Elders of your body to use earnest efforts continually to secure the erection of family altars in every house hold where it is neglected, and if diffidence or timidity is urged in palliation of its neglect that their attention be called to resolutions, page 32 of our last Assembly in the report on the Sabbath and Family Religion.

2. We call the attention of pastors, sessions and the church at large to the helpful suggestions now being published by the Publication Committee in the Home Department Quarterly designed to stimulate systematic study of the Bible and to promote family worship through the use of short forms of prayers printed for each day of the month.

3. We recommend that our pastors and sessions commend to our families not observing family worship, the use of the helps offered in the Home Department Quarterly, and that the Publication Committee be requested to incorporate similar helps in the Earnest Worker.

4. We recommend that the pastors of our churches be urged to preach specially at least once a year on both the subjects of family religion and the observance of the Sabbath.

The Rev. H. H. Sweets D. D. was now heard in behalf of the Assembly's new plan of Systematic Beneficence.

At the close of Dr. Sweet's address, by Special Order, Mr. Willis Thompson was heard in a brief address in the interest of the Union Theological Seminary's Magazine.

The place for the next Meeting of Synod was taken up, and the First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N. C. was chosen as the place.

Recess was now taken until after the concert tonight, given by the Faculty of the Presbyterian College, when the Synod will re-assemble in the College Auditorium.

THIRD DAY—EVENING SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C. Thursday, November 9, 1911.

The Synod met at 9.30 o'clock P. M. in the College Auditorium after the Concert or Musical entertainment and resumed business.

The Standing Order to hear the report of the Executive Committee on Synodical Home Missions was observed. The Rev. M. McG. Shields, Superintendent and Chairman, read the report of the Committee, and pending its consideration and adoption, most earnest addresses were made by Rev. W. McC. White, D D., Rev. J. M. Wells, D.D. and Rev. R. C. Anderson. Dr. White especially emphasized the great need of building up and sustaining the country churches. On motion of Dr. Wells the amount asked for in the report (\$15,000.) to be apportioned among the Presbyteries, was increased to the amount of \$20,000.

The report, thus amended, was adopted.—See Appendix. The following are the recommendations:

1. That Synod gratefully repeats its appreciation of the liberality of those individuals through whose assistance it has been possible to keep in the field for the past three years an additional General Evangelist.

2. That the profound thanks of the Synod are due, and are hereby cordially extended to the two Ruling Elders who by their munificent liberality made it possible to put two additional workers in the field last year.

3. That all the churches adopting the Every Member Canvass be urged to give Synodical Home Missions a place in their scheme of benevolences. But where this plan has not been adopted the churches be urged to contribute to this cause in January and July.

4. That the Sabbath Schools, where the Every Member Canvass has not been put into operation, be asked to contribute to this cause on the first Sunday in July, or as early thereafter as possible.

5. That Synod commends the Ladies' and Young People's Societies

which have supported this work, and asks other societies to remember this cause in their contributions, if the way be clear.

7. That the Presbyteries be urged to secure suitable Ruling Elders to hold religious services in the vacant churches within their bounds.

8. That the Synod endeavor to raise \$20,000 for this cause during the year and that the apportionments of the Presbyteries be as follows: Albemarle, \$1,700; Asheville, \$900; Concord, \$3,625; Fayetteville, \$4,200; Kings Mountain, \$900; Mecklenburg, \$4,550; Orange, \$2,100; Wilmington, \$2,025.

On motion the Rev. M. McG. Shields, Superintendent, Rev. William Black, General Evangelist, and Rev. G. W. Belk, District Evangelist, were re-elected for another year to their respective positions, by a rising vote of the Synod.

On motion the same Ruling Elders, from the several Presbyteries, now on the Committee of Home Missions, were re-elected for another year.

The Committee on Devotional Exercises, Dr. A. A. McGeachy, Chairman, reported, recommending that the Communion and Memorial Services be held tomorrow morning as the first order of the day, and that the Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., Rev. E. H. Harding, D. D. and Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D. be appointed to conduct the Communion Services, assisted by the Ruling Elders named in the report. The report was adopted.

The Standing Committee on the Address to the Churches, based upon the Narratives of the Presbyteries, Elder J. M. Rogers, Chairman, made the following report which was adopted.

ADDRESS TO THE CHURCHES.

Your Committee on the Address to the Churches on the State of Religion in the Synod beg to report that it has tabulated the different Presbyterian Reports of the eight (8) presbyteries in such a form as to give the results in a form of per centages for each item, and thus has struck an average for the Synod in answer to each question.

Two of the presbyteries, namely, Mecklenburg and Kings Mountain, failed to respond to all these items, and this affects thus far the averages herein reported.

The general view of the state of religion as indicated in these percentages is as follows.

1. The attendance of members and others on the services of the sanctuary is about 75 per cent of what it ought to be for the morning congregations, and 50 per cent for the evening services.

2. About 18 per cent of the families observe family worship.

3. The reports show that about 67 per cent. of our people observe the Sabbath properly. One Presbytery, however, laments the increasing patronage of Sunday trains, and papers, and that many people use the day for driving in carriages and automobiles. This lament is well founded and probably of wider application than to only one section of our State.

4 and 5. About 50 per cent of our homes are careful about training the children in the Scriptures and Catechisms of the church, while 75 per cent. of the Sabbath Schools observe this training of the youth. This indicates that the home is relegating this important duty too much to the Sabbath School teacher, and is in line with the laxness of Sabbath observances and the decline of the family altar and the prevalence of worldliness as reported below.

6. About 65 per cent of our churches are systematically contributing to the support and extension of the gospel.

7. About 74 per cent of the churches have paid their pastor's salaries in full.

8. Special manifestations of the Holy Spirit's power are reported by 30 per cent of the churches.

9. Worldly conformity seems to exist in 50 per cent of the churches.

10. Evangelistic work is done by 23 per cent of the churches outside their own congregations.

11. About 26 per cent of our Ministers seek to secure recruits for the gospel ministry.

12. Eighty-one per cent of the churches of the Synod have been supplied with preaching during the past year, in whole or in part.

Signed,

J. M. ROGERS
G. W. F. HARPER
W. De. B. MCEACHIN
W. W. DAVENPORT
R. F. KIRKPATRICK
J. M. WELLS
V. R. GASTON
J. G. GARTH

The Synod then adjourned with prayer by the Rev. W. McC. White, D. D. to meet tomorrow morning in the church at 9:30 o'clock.

FOURTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Friday, November 10, 1911.

The Synod met at 9:30 o'clock A. M. and in accordance with the special order of the day, the Synodical Communion was observed.

The devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. Drs. H. G. Hill and E. H. Harding, who also presided at the table and made suitable remarks, and they were assisted in the Communion Service by twelve Ruling Elders of the Synod.

At the close of this service the following Memorials of brethren deceased since the last meeting, were read by the Committees appointed to prepare them.

WILLIAM MORRIS KINCAID, D. D.

William Morris Kincaid was born in Utica, N. Y., in 1850 and died in Charlotte, N. C., January 2, 1911.

He began his education in the public schools of Utica. After his graduation from the Utica Free Academy he entered Williams College, from which he received his degree. He was one of the ten highest honor men in his class. After mature deliberation and earnest prayer he resolved to enter the gospel ministry. His theological course was taken at the Baptist Seminary, Rochester, N. Y.

His first pastorate was at the First Baptist church, Cortland, N. Y.

His second pastorate was at the Second Baptist church, Rondout, N. Y.

His third pastorate was at the First Baptist church, San Francisco, Cal. He served this church eleven years. The date of the dissolution of this pastoral relationship marked a change in his theological belief. After embracing the Presbyterian ministry he accepted a call to the Andrew Presbyterian Church, Minneapolis. From this church he was called to the Union Congregational Church, Honolulu. His next pastorate was at the First Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N. C. This pastorate began in March, 1907, and continued nearly four years. During this period there were about four hundred additions to the membership of the church.

Says another: "Dr. Kincaid was a good preacher in that he preached always a gospel of hope and consolation and encouragement." In be-

gining the delivery of his sermon it was his wont to step to the right of the pulpit, and without manuscript or notes, to speak in a manner which impressed the hearer with the richness of his vocabulary, the fluency of his utterance, the retentiveness of his memory and the earnestness of his desire to be a blessing to others and to promote the Lord's Kingdom.

Dr. Kincaid was not a regular attendant upon our church courts, the reason of which was probably twofold: First, his long connection with churches which had adopted the independent or congregational form of government; and second, the partial impairment of his hearing which evidently occasioned more or less embarrassment and measurably disqualified him for participation in the business of the courts. As the years sped by Dr. Kincaid felt a deep unwaning interest in the study of sociological problems. His was a growing conviction that to a degree, the church had failed in the application of the great principles of Christianity to the social questions of the day. He was an exceptionally fine pastor—Always courteous, considerate and systematic in this department of his work. Suffering humanity, irrespective of social standing or church affiliation, found in him a warm unfailing friend. It was during a visit to the jail late one evening that he fell into a street excavation and sustained injuries from which he never recovered. This fall served to aggravate the disease which had been making steady inroads on his frail physical constitution.

To those who knew him best, and especially to his many friends in Charlotte, his kindly bearing, genial disposition, sympathetic spirit, unflagging zeal, christian courage and cordial acquiescence in the allotments of Providence, will ever be a fragrant memory and a perpetual inspiration.

How comforting is the assurance that even in the midst of acute and prolonged suffering he experienced a tranquility of soul which nothing could disturb,—a repose as serene as the unruffled lake which reflects the heavens from its bosom. A good man has gone to his reward.

A. R. SHAW, Committee

REV. ARCHIBALD McFAYDEN.

Archibald McFayden was born in Cumberland County, N. C., April 6, 1836 and died in Clarkton, N. C., April 27, 1911.

He graduated from the University of North Carolina with the degree of A. B. in 1862. Entered the Confederate Army and became lieutenant. He was captured at Gettysburg. He graduated from Union Theological Seminary in 1868. Was licensed by the Presbytery of Fayetteville

April 11, 1868 and ordained by the Presbytery of Wilmington April 16, 1870.

His entire ministry was in the bounds of Wilmington Presbytery, except a short time in the churches of Monroeville and Scotland in Alabama. He was pastor of the Bladenboro, Beth Car, Clarkton, Cronly, Elizabethtown, Lumberton, Mt. Horeb, South River, and White Plain churches. For many years he was Stated Clerk of Wilmington Presbytery, being the same time pastor of the church at Clarkton.

He professed faith in Christ when twelve years of age, was received into the church and lived an exemplary life. He was a cherry christian. Children loved him. Everybody trusted him. He was the last of a company consisting of D. B. Black, Colin Shaw, Kenneth McDonald and others who made the meetings of Wilmington Presbytery solemn in its spirit yet breaking out in good humor and full of fun with sallies of wit and wisdom. Oh, how we miss him and them. A noble man, dutiful son, devoted husband, loving father, and faithful friend. "He loved everybody and everybody loved him." God give us more men and ministers like him. He loved God and little children.

"He lives by faith,
He still lives.
Believest thou this."

A. D. McCLURE, Committee.

REV. ROBERT JACKSON BEATTIE.

Rev. Robert Jackson Beattie, after an illness of several months, fell asleep in Sanford, N. C., Saturday afternoon, September, 16th 1911. He was born in Baria, Simcoe, Ontario, Canada, June 15th, 1847; the youngest child of Robert and Beesy Jackson Beattie. He received his elementary education at the High School of Baria, Ontario, was a student of Knox College, and graduated from Princeton with honors—He was installed pastor of the Fort Edward's Presbyterian Church, N. Y., on March 22nd, 1875. He was married to Miss Susan McCoy, who was his faithful companion to the close of his earthly journey.

Bro. Beattie served acceptably the Presbyterian Churches of Fort Edwards, Spencer, Port of Rochester, N. Y.—and in Canada, the churches of Port Hope Ontario, and Knox Church of Guelph. In 1897 he moved to the South on account of failing health, and greatly endeared himself to the people whom he served in Tuscombua, Ala., Government Street Church, Mobile, and in Home Mission Work in Alabama and in Kosciusko, Miss. Three years ago last July, he accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church, Sanford, N. C., supplying at the same time Buffalo Church.

Brother Beattie was an active and progressive minister, and an unusually strong and forceful preacher, loyal to Jesus Christ in the exposition of the word, gifted in prayer, and possessed, in a large measure, those gentle sympathies and loving traits of character which cement the relation between pastor and people. He was a faithful Presbyterian and even in declining health did his part of the Presbytery's work with zeal and energy. A Good Shepherd has fallen asleep.

On Wednesday afternoon September, 20, 1911, he was laid to rest, by loving hands, in the graveyard at Buffalo Church.

W. M. FAIRLEY, Committee.

The foregoing Memorials were adopted by a rising vote, and ordered to be spread upon our Records.

The Minutes of yesterday's sessions were read and approved.

The Standing Committee on Union Theological Seminary, Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D., Chairman, submitted their report which was recommitted for amendment, and afterwards was received and adopted. It is as follows:

The report of Union Theological Seminary has been referred to your committee, which notes with profound gratitude to God the manifest tokens of his favor towards this cherished institution. The ninety-five students in attendance during the past session is considerably the largest enrollment of theological students in all the history of our church and the number enrolled at the beginning of the present session indicates a continued enlargement in the great work of ministerial training.

We are gratified that in addition to the regular courses, which now includes the study of of Foreign Missions, Church Finance, Christianity and the Social Order, and Sunday School Work, that recently provision has been made to bring each session some of the leading men of the Christian world to the Seminary as special lecturers upon vital topics.

Your committee desires to make special mention of the successful issue of the recent campaign for the Centennial Fund and that instead of the \$200,000.00 which remained to be raised about a year ago that more than \$220,000.00 was secured. Having all indebtedness removed and an income sufficient for present salaries and expenses assured, will enable us to participate in the celebration next year with greater satisfaction and hope.

Your Committee respectfully recommends:

1. That the Synod express its appreciation of the addresses of Drs. W. L. Lingle and W. W. Moore.
2. That the Synod take suitable steps to participate in the celebration of the one hundredth year of service of our school of the prophets and

to this end that the following brethren be appointed as a Committee on arrangements to carry out the purpose stated above, viz.—Rev. W. McC. White, D. D., Mr. J. R. Young, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., Mr. Geo. W. Watts and Rev. E. R. Leyburn, D. D.; and furthermore, that the Standing Rule fixing the date of Synod's meeting be temporarily suspended, and that the Synod meet next year on the third Tuesday in October at 11 o'clock A. M.

3. That the following directors, whose times expire, be re-elected: Rev. P. R. Law, D. D., Mr. C. M. Brown, Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D., Mr. R. L. Reyburn.

4. That the Synod gratefully recognize the faithful and efficient labors of Rev. W. S. Lacy in raising a large part of the Centennial Fund.
C. G. VARDELL, Chairman.

The following resolution, in the form of a Standing Rule, designed to take the place of Standing Rule 14, was adopted.

It shall be the duty of the Moderator, immediately following the selection of the next place of meeting, to appoint a Committee of Arrangement, whose period of responsibility shall extend from the close of that Synod to the close of the next, and whose business shall be to arrange the entire program of business for the next meeting of Synod conformably to the Standing Orders of Synod—This Committee to consist of five members, one of whom shall always be the pastor of the church where the Synod is to meet, and another the retiring Moderator.

The Committee on Special Orders made a partial report which was adopted.

The Standing Committee on the Systematic Beneficence Reports of the Presbyteries, Rev. W. S. Wilson, Chairman, submitted the following tabulated report, which was adopted.

SYSTEMATIC BENEFICENCE.

PRESBYTERIES.	Foreign Missions		Assembly Missions		Local Home Missions.		Colored Evangelization.		Ministerial Relief.		Ministerial Education.		Schools and Colleges.		Orphan's Homes		Publication and S. S. Work.		Bible Cause.		Home and School.		Church Erection		Miscellaneous.	
	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Orange . . .	\$18,303	\$1,654	\$9,349	\$575	\$524	\$4,714	\$13,048	\$5,569	\$650	\$245	\$446	\$104	\$7,377													
Concord . . .	7,299	916	6,460	271	491	616	10,299	4,802	842	161	244	982	2,373													
Fayetteville . . .	11,259	2,142	5,748	380	746	804	14,715	5,258	572	205	345		2,215													
Wilmington . . .	17,855	600	6,990	798	276	12,341	5,165	1,773	301	122	105		4,349													
Mecklenburg . . .	10,998	2,441	10,157	280	334	1,235	6,876	3,772	402	117	120		6,547													
Albemarle . . .	2,928	774	3,296	229	232	2,417	2,343	2,139	315	103	210	1,832	3,016													
Asheville . . .	1,042	314	3,152	201	73	92	1,208	1,047	89	88	81	209	375													
Kings Mountain . . .	2,236	237	2,717	132	202	248	2,224	780	122	62	71	117	1,112													
Totals . . .	\$71,920	\$9,078	\$47,869	\$2,866	\$2,878	\$22,467	\$55,878	\$25,140	\$3,293	\$1,103	\$1,622	\$3,244	\$27,364													

The contributions of the whole Synod for all causes amounted to \$274,722.

On motion Fraternal Greetings were sent to the Western North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in session at Statesville, N. C. as follows:

“Now the Lord of peace Himself give you peace always by all means. The Lord be with you all.”—II Thessalonians 3:16

Signed, W. R. MINTER,
Moderator

The following answer was received after the adjournment of Synod:

The Western North Carolina Conference has received your gracious fraternal greetings, and instructs me to convey to our Presbyterian brethren our sincere christian regards: Ephesians 1:2-6.”

Signed, W. L. SHERRILL,
Secretary.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures, Rev. Melton Clark, Chairman, submitted the following report on Overtures the answers to which were adopted separately and as a whole.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BILLS AND OVERTURES.

The following overtures have come into the hands of your Committee:
1st. An overture from the Synod of Texas with reference to the establishment of a Presbyterian University by the Assembly.

The Committee reports that it is unwise to take action at this time.

2nd. From the Presbyteries of Albemarle and Wilmington touching a rearrangement of bounds between the two Presbyteries, about which the Presbyteries concerned are agreed.

The Committee reports favorably and recommends the adoption of the overture.

3rd. From the Presbytery of Albemarle touching religious work among students at the State Institution at Greenville.

The Committee recommends that the overture be not granted since no action is needed because the work referred to has already been placed under the care of the Committee by Synod in creating the Committee.

4th. Overture from Presbytery of Fayetteville to appoint an ad Interim Committee to divide Synod into ten Presbyteries This Committee to report to the next Synod.—Approved.

5th. From Presbytery of Mecklenburg touching the transfer of Page-land Church of South Carolina, Presbytery of Bethel, to the jurisdiction of Presbytery of Mecklenburg.—Approved.

6th. From Presbytery of Fayetteville touching the change of ecclesiastical year.

Recommend that this be docketed for next Synod and also be sent down to the Presbyteries for consideration as to its advisability.

MELTON CLARK, Chairman.

The appointment of the Ad-interim Committee called for in the above report, looking to the division of Synod into ten Presbyteries, was referred to the Committee on Nominations.

The Permanent Committee on Religious Work among students in State Institutions made the following report, which was adopted.

Your Committee appointed at the last meeting of Synod, met and organized within three weeks after the adjournment of Synod. At this meeting Hon. A. M. Scales was elected secretary and treasurer. A full and free discussion was then entered upon to formulate plans and to define the nature and scope of the work committed to the committee's care. This was deemed necessary (1) that the Committee might work with unity of purpose and definiteness of aim (2) that the ideas which gave birth to this Committee, at the last meeting of Synod of an enlarged and more dignified and effective work in behalf of our Presbyterian Sons at State Institutions might be approved and accepted by the ministers and laymen of our church, and (3) in order that the right sort of man might be secured to take charge of the work.

The Committee has from the outset been unanimous in the opinion that the field of work among the students at the State University at Chapel Hill is second in importance to none within the bounds of the Synod: that the opportunities presented to the minister and the prospects of results, are in some ways greater and brighter than those to be found in any other pastoral charge.

There are enrolled this year at the University 148 Presbyterian boys of which number 115 are members of their respective home churches. In addition to these 148 young men of our own "Household" there are at least 150 who are practically unattached to any church. The University pastor will therefore have a field composed of some 300 young men, to whom, because of the nature and conditions of University life, he will be related in a peculiar way. He will have the privilege of exerting a definite influence upon the lives and destinies of more young men in one year, than any other minister in the Synod will have in five years, with the exception of the pastor of our own College at Davidson.

There is nothing gained by saying that these Presbyterian boys ought to attend our Church College. The fact remains that they are at the State University. It was stated by Dr. Craig, in his address at the

unveiling of the tablet at Center Church, that the State University was founded by Presbyterian men, trained under three pioneer Presbyterian preachers in North Carolina, and for a number of years the State University was manned almost exclusively by Presbyterian scholars.

These boys who are there now come from many of the best and most prominent families in the State. This Synod cannot afford longer to neglect them. They can be reached by the church. There is not a single sound reason that can be given to show why these 115 young men who are communing members in churches of which many of you ministers are pastors, cannot be trained during their four years in the University to be and to continue to be active useful church workers and Bible students. Nor will any one dare maintain that the 33 unconverted Presbyterian boys may not be led to accept Jesus Christ as their Saviour during this year.

Your committee would present these thoughts to the consideration of the Synod that you might sympathize with us as we bear the responsibility of the work and that you might cooperate with us in making the work a success.

The Committee regrets to report that as yet the man has not been secured as pastor at the University.

Eleven hundred dollars a year for five years has been secured from the Synod at large and the congregation promises \$500.00 a year, we need \$400.00.

An overture from Albemarle Presbytery urges the Committee to take up the work in the State Institution at Greenville, N. C.

This work will require at least \$1,000.00.

Your Committee hopes soon to be able to report that the right man has been secured for the University.

The Committee realizes the importance of the work at Greenville where there are 500 students, and hopes at a latter date to be able to report some plan to take up the obligations of our work there.

Respectfully submitted,

MELTON CLARK, Chairman.

In accordance with a special order the claims of "Montreat" were presented by the Rev. Dr. H. G. Hill and Rev. R. C. Anderson, and on motion the Synod gave "Montreat" its hearty approval and endorsement.

The interests of the "Presbyterian Standard" were presented by the Revs. C. A. Munroe, C. E. Raynal, T. D. Cartledge and G. W. Belk, and on motion it was heartily endorsed and earnestly recommended to every home in the Synod.

The Rev. Mr. Baldwin, of the M. E. Church, South, was invited to sit as a visiting brother, and Rev. L. K. Glasgow, of the Synod of Virginia as a corresponding member, and both were introduced to the Synod.

The report of the Permanent Committee on Women and Young People's Societies, was submitted by the Chairman, Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D., and adopted. The recommendations are as follows.—See the report as a whole in Appendix.

We call Synod's attention to the recommendations adopted by the North Carolina Delegation at the Woman's Conference, Montreat, which are as follows:

“We, the North Carolina delegation to the Women's Conference at Montreat do recommend:

1. That the Presbyterian Unions of the Synod of North Carolina, send two delegates from each Union to form a Synodical Conference as approved by the General Assembly of 1910, pages 46 and 47 of Minutes, to meet once a year to discuss matters of common interest in connection with the work of the Presbyterian Unions.

2. That the first meeting of the Conference be held at Montreat August, 1912, directly following the Woman's Conference.

3. That the Synod of North Carolina appoint a Committee on Woman's work through which the proposed Synodical Conference may report to that body and which shall act in an advisory capacity, both to the Synodical Conference and Presbyterian Unions ad-interim.”

We call Synod's attention especially to the suggestion that each Union send two delegates to form a Synodical Conference, and recommend that the Synod approve the same, with this added suggestion to the Unions, that the President and Secretary of each Union be considered *ex officio* members of the Conference, thus making four delegates from each Union.

We would recommend, first, that Synod grant the request of the Conference, and instruct the Committee on Woman's Societies to receive any report brought before it by the Synodical Conference for transmission to the Synod, and that the Committee shall act in an advisory capacity both to the Synodical Conference and the Presbyterian Unions ad interim.

We recommend, second, that Synod relieve this Committee of the care of, and reports from, the Young People's Societies, Covenanters and Brotherhoods.

According to the last recommendation above, a new additional Committee was ordered, and the naming of its members was referred to the Committee on Nominations.

A resolution commending and endorsing "The Men and Religious Forward Movement" was adopted.

The Permanent Committee on Church and Manse Erection, Rev. C. M. Richards, D. D., Chairman, submitted its report which was adopted as a whole.

Your Committee on Church and Manse Erection would respectfully report as follows:

1. Only five applications for aid, properly endorsed, have reached us. In each case assistance has been granted as will appear in the financial statement below, but in most cases the appropriation has been less than was asked for.

2. There are at present on our books subscriptions that promise, in round numbers, \$500.00 per call. There have been many withdrawals, and our last effort to increase the number of subscribers did not yield results that seemed to justify the expense of employing a man to continue the canvass.

3. But two calls have been made on subscribers since the last meeting of Synod. There being of late no large number of applications for assistance the treasurer has not felt it necessary to make calls for money against applications that might be made. The last of the calls yielded but little more than half what might have been expected, many of the subscribers paying no attention to it.

4. The following financial statement shows the amounts received and disbursed and the congregations assisted:

Balance on hand reported to last Synod	\$ 94.84
Received from subscribers	731.50
Total	<u>\$826.34</u>
Appropriated Marshville Manse, Mecklenburg Presbytery	\$100.00
High Shoals Church, Kings Mountain Presbytery	100.00
Albemarle Manse, Mecklenburg Presbytery	100.00
Farmville Church, Albemarle Presbytery	300.00
Pittsburg Manse, Fayetteville Presbytery	100.00
Refund	2.00
Office Supplies	7.04
	<u>\$709.04</u>
Balance on hand unappropriated	117.30
	<u>\$826.30</u>

The appropriations to Pittsburg Manse and Farmville Church have not been called for and are still in the treasurers hands, so there is a total balance of cash on hand at this meeting of Synod of \$517.30.

We would recommend that the work of this Committee be transferred to the Committee on Synodical Home Missions.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That the Synod request the Presbyteries not to adjourn to meet during the meetings of Synod, and that the Stated Clerk of Synod be instructed to notify the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries of this action.

The Standing Committee on Resolutions of Thanks presented the following paper which was adopted by a rising vote.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS AND THANKS.

If hospitality be measured by the frequency with which it is extended, the Presbyterians of Charlotte have but one superior in the entire State and only three equals. Fayetteville has entertained the Synod 14 times in a hundred years; while Charlotte, like Salisbury, Wilmington, and Raleigh, has been the host on eight occasions in the same period of time. In the present instance, however, Charlotte has the distinction of entertaining the largest Synod, in point of attendance, yet known in the history of Presbyterianism in North Carolina. Seldom has a host risen to the occasion in better form. The Committee on Entertainment, under its genial and business like Chairman, has had the situation completely in hand from the very beginning. The homes and hearts of the Presbyterians of Charlotte and of their friends have been open to us. We hope that in a great many cases the presence of the guest has been a benediction to the home.

The pastor and officers of this church have been a large factor in various ways in contributing to the success of this meeting of Synod. The presence and co-operation of the pastors and officers of other Charlotte churches has also been a matter of gratification to the members of this body.

The Historical Society, the pastor and congregation of Center Church, and the Southern Railroad Company did all in their power to give the Synod a grand excursion to Center Church, Barium Springs and Davidson College.

The Presbyterian College of Charlotte gave the members of Synod a delightful hour of entertainment.

The press of Charlotte, both secular and religious, is sparing no effort in giving the public a full account of the proceedings of Synod.

To all of these parties and to any others, who have contributed to the success of this meeting, and to the pleasure and comfort of the delegates, the Synod desires to bring a hearty expression of its appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. LINGLE, Chairman

The Synod then took recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Friday, November 10, 1911.

The Synod met at 3 o'clock P. M. and resumed business.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved: That Synod, having heard with interest and pleasure the remarks of Rev. W. E. Boggs, D. D., General Assembly's Secretary of Schools and Colleges, would recommend that our pulpits be open to him and commend his cause to the cordial consideration of our people.

The Permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools and Publication, Rev. W. M. Walsh, Chairman, submitted its report which was adopted as a whole. See report in Appendix. The following are the recommendations:

1. That a larger place be given the Sabbath School in the meetings of our Presbyteries. As a general thing the report of the Committee is rushed through without comment.
2. That the name of "Bible School," instead of Sunday School, be kept before the people as far as may be practicable.

The following is the report of the Treasurer:

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D., Treasurer, in account with the Synod of North Carolina, for the year ending, November 7, 1911—would respectfully submitted the following report:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Bank, October 25, 1910	\$279.31
Kings Mountain Presbytery for the year 1910	20.00
Wilmington Presbytery " " " 1911	35.00
Mecklenburg Presbytery " " " 1911	65.00
Orange Presbytery " " " 1911	55.00
Concord Presbytery " " " 1911	60.00
Albemarle Presbytery " " " 1911	20.00
Asheville Presbytery " " " 1911	15.00
Fayetteville	
Kings Mountain	
Total	<u>\$549.31</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Expense Account of Dr. Moore to Synod 1910	\$ 4.80
For Book Case in Union Theological Seminary Library	20 00
Paid Type Writer for Copying Reports	2.00
To Loftin & Co. for Printing Minutes etc. 1910	174.62
For Mailing, Minutes, Memorials, Express etc	3.80
To J. E. Smith for Printing Blanks	1.25
To Stated Clerk—Salary for 1910	100.00
Expense Account of Stated Clerk—Express on Records to Assembly and Synod, Office Expenses, Mailing Minutes, Stationary, General Postage etc	13.15
Paid the "Record Office" Greensboro, N. C., for Printing 320 Postal Cards for the Moderator in Calling an Extra Meeting of Synod	4.25
Total	<u>\$323.87</u>
Balance in Bank, November 7, 1911	\$225.44

The Presbyteries of Fayetteville and Kings Mountain are in arrears to the Synods Contingent Fund for the year ending November 7, 1911.

There are no outstanding debts.

Respectfully submitted,

D. I. CRAIG, Treasurer.

Charlotte, N. C. Nov 7, 1911.

The Standing Auditing Committee, Elder C. M. Brown, Chairman, made the following report which was adopted:

The Auditing Committee of the Treasurers Report and Books, report that they have examined the same and found them correct and report check or voucher on hand to sustain expenditures.

They also report Fayetteville and Kings Mountain Presbyteries in arrears for 1911 and urge payment as soon as possible.

We also have examined the Books of Superintendent of Home Mission and found the same correct and sustained by check or voucher and approve the same.

The Committees as a whole, on the Records of the Presbyteries, Rev. W. T. Walker, Chairman, made the following report which was adopted:

Your Committees on the Records of the Presbyteries make the following report:

That the records of the Presbyteries of Orange, Concord, Wilmington, Albemarle, Kings Mountain and Fayetteville be approved.

That the Minutes of Mecklenburg Presbytery be approved with the following exception: That the Minutes were not brought to Synod for review in 1910.

That the Minutes of Asheville Presbytery be approved with the following exception: On page 143 there is no record showing the subjects on which Rev. A. M. McLaughlin was examined for admission into the Presbytery. Nor of his being required to sign the prescribed obligation.—(Book Chapter 75-76.)

The following resolutions, offered by Rev. Wm. Black were adopted:

WHEREAS, the churches and other institutions, in and near the place where Synod meets out of the kindness of their hearts, frequently provide various and sundry entertainments for the Synod, and they must necessarily presume that Synod will accept them, thus placing the Synod in a position that a refusal would seem discourteous: And whereas the acceptance of the same frequently greatly interferes with the proper consideration and transaction of the Synod's business: And whereas the business of the Synod is further interfered with by the arrival of its members sometimes a day or two late, or by the leaving of many of its members before its sessions are concluded.

Now, therefore, be it Resolved:

1. That while the Synod recognizes the kind spirit that prompts the entertainments given in its honor, and hereby expresses its warm appreciation of the same, that it is the policy of this Synod hereafter to decline invitations to all such entertainments as interfere with the transaction of its large and growing business, and it would kindly ask all churches entertaining the Synod, to refrain from providing such entertainments for the Synod.

2. That it is the duty of all members of Synod, Ministers and Elders, to arrive in time for the first meeting, and to attend all its sessions till its business is concluded, and to be present at the final roll-call before adjournment.

3. That the Stated Clerk of Synod is directed to mail a copy of these resolutions to the Clerks of Church Sessions and to all of our ministers and request that the same be read from the pulpit of every church.

The Chairman of the Historical Committee, Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D., made a verbal report:—Stating that an adequate Book Case had been erected in the Library of Union Theological Seminary, to contain all deposited books and papers of the Synod, according to previous order; and also, that the Presbytery of Orange had taken steps to erect a suitable

monument over the unmarked grave of the Rev. Hugh McAden, at Red House Church in Caswell County, and that the Synod of North Carolina be requested to unite with the Presbytery of Orange in this enterprise, and assist in raising the funds for this purpose.

The report was received as information and approved, and the Rev. Dr. Craig was authorized to receive funds for this purpose.

The Standing Committee on the Report of the Regents of the Orphan's Home, Rev. R. P. Smith, Chairman, made the following report which was adopted:

Your Committee has considered all the papers placed in its hands. The Synod is gratified to learn that the institution is free from debt. We heartily appreciate the special efforts that have been put forth to bring about this desirable state of things, and we rejoice that the Board of Regents have become aroused to the necessity of making greater improvements on the equipment of the plant.

We find the Rev. W. T. Walker, the Superintendent, faithful and efficient in his arduous labors, and the Synod should certainly give him all necessary support.

We make the following recommendations:

1. That the Synod comply with the terms made in the amended Charter, and appoint Regents from the Presbyteries which have not had members in the Board heretofore:—That J. R. Young and George Howard be appointed from Albemarle Presbytery, Col. Robert Bingham from Asheville Presbytery, W. R. Miater and A. M. Smyre from Kings Mountain Presbytery, and W. H. Sprunt and Oscar Clark from Wilmington Presbytery, that six of these be appointed for five years, that one, Col. Bingham, be appointed for three years, and that Geo. W. Watts be re-elected for five years.

2. That we undertake to raise the \$50,000 asked for the equipment:—that said amount be apportioned among the Presbyteries in the ratio already made for the support fund, and that the Board of Regents be authorized to take such steps as will enable them to secure this fund.

3. That the Church and Sabbath Schools be enjoined to take such collections for the Orphanage as are ordered by Synod: that pastors and Sessions use all diligence to largely increase the gifts, specially for the Support Fund.

The Standing Committee on the Records of Synod, Rev. J. N. H. Summerell, D. D., Chairman, made the following report which was adopted:

Your Committee reports that the Synod is to be congratulated on the beautifully neat appearance of the Minutes, as well as upon their exactness, for which the Stated Clerk is again commended. The Book was received and approved by the General Assembly.

We recommend that our Clerk be allowed to send a certified copy of the printed Minutes to the Assembly for review, instead of the written Records—thus our Synod will fall in line with all the other Synods.

The Permanent Committee on the Bible Cause, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., Chairman, submitted its report which was received and adopted. See report as a whole in Appendix. The following are the recommendations:

1. That those churches of our Synod that have not yet celebrated the Tri-Century of our Authorized Version, be asked to give one service before the close of the year to a consideration of what our English Bible has meant to us.
2. That our Presbyteries be earnestly requested to raise the \$1,600. asked of our Synod by the General Assembly as its quota of the \$10,000. expected from our church.
3. That a serious effort be made by our ministers and churches, in co-operation with other denominations to place a Bible in every home within their bounds.

Most hearty thanks were extended to the Rev. M. B. Porter for his admirable address in behalf of the work of the American Bible Society.

The Committee on Nominations, Elder A. M. Scales, Chairman, made the following report which was adopted.

Your Committee on Nominations respectfully beg leave to report the following nominations:

1st. Ruling Elder Dr. W. A. Withers and Rev. T. W. Lingle, Ph. D. as members of the Historical Committee for a term ending in 1913.

2nd. Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., Chairman, and the Chairmen of the Presbyterial Committees on Systematic Beneficence as the Permanent Committee on Systematic Beneficence.

3rd. Rev. W. McC. White, D. D. as a member of the Permanent Committee of Synod on Religious Work among students of the State Educational Institution for a term of two years.

4th. As the Ad-Interim Committee to divide Synod into ten Presbyteries:

Orange—Ruling Elder E. P. Wharton.

Concord—Rev. J. M. Grier, D. D.

Wilmington—Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D.

Fayetteville—Rev. L. W. Curtis.

Mecklenburg—Ruling Elder, W. H. Belk.

Albemarle—Ruling Elder, Hon. J. R. Young.

Asheville—Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.

Kings Mountain—Rev. W. R. Minter.

This Committee is to be called to meet by Rev. W. R. Minter, and is to elect its own Chairman.

5th. As the Committee on Special Orders the Moderator, W. R. Minter, Chairman, the pastor of the church at Raleigh, Rev. W. McC. White, D. D., and Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D., Rev. W. S. Wilson and Rev. W. T. Thompson, Jr.

6th. As Chairman of the Permanent Committee on Assembly's Home Missions, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. N. L. Anderson, D. D., Rev. A. A. McGeachy, D. D.

7th. As the Committee on Young People's Societies, Covenants and Brotherhoods Rev. R. F. Kirkpatrick and the Chairmen of the similar Presbyterial Committees when appointed.

8th. As Trustees of Synod for a term of four years:

Dr. J. R. Irwin, Chairman, Charlotte; Mr. J. C. Burroughs, Charlotte; Hon. A. C. Avery, Morganton; Mr. P. B. Fetzer, Concord; Mr. F. A. Sherrill, Statesville; Mr. P. S. Gilchrist, Charlotte; Mr. R. A. Dunn, Charlotte.

9th. As nominees to the General Assembly from which it may elect members of the Committee on Systematic Beneficence.

Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., Rev. W. McC. White, D. D., Ruling Elder W. J. Martin, Ruling Elder A. M. Scales.

Respectfully submitted,

A. M. SCALES, Chairman.

The following Statistical Report was submitted by the Stated Clerk, approved, and ordered to be forwarded to the General Assembly.

To the General Assembly in the United States:

The Synod of North Carolina respectfully reports to the General Assembly in the United States that it consists of Eight Presbyteries, and that these consist in whole of 217 Ministers and 465 Churches, and that

these have under their care 4 Licentiates, 137 Candidates, and 45,966 Communicants, distributed as follows:

PRESBYTERIES.	Ministers.	Churches.	Licentiates.	Candidates.	Communi- cants.
Orange	32	73	2	19	7,444
Concord	41	80	0	36	7,752
Fayetteville	41	98	1	23	10,067
Wilmington	14	53	0	11	4,788
Mecklenburg	39	53	0	30	8,056
Albemarle	16	40	1	8	2,831
Asheville	17	31	0	0	1,899
Kings Mountain	17	37	0	10	3,129
Totals	217	465	4	137	45,966

The Synod further reports that the next Stated Meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N. C., on Tuesday the 15th day of October, 1912, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Charlotte, N. C.

D. I. CRAIG,

Nov. 10, 1911.

Stated Clerk.

The Judicial Committee, Rev. C. E. Raynal, Chairman, reported that no business had come into their hands and asked to be discharged—Adopted.

The following resolution offered by Elder A. M. Scales was adopted.

Resolved, That Synod requests the various Presbyteries at the Spring Meetings to appoint Permanent Committees on Young People's Societies, Covenanters, and Brotherhoods, so that these Committees may correspond to the Synod's Committee.

The Committee on a "Home for the Aged," Rev. Melton Clark, Chairman, made a verbal report which was received as information and approved, and the Committee was continued.

The Committee on Devotional Exercises, Rev. A. A. McGeachy, Chairman, presented the names of various brethren appointed to preach in the several pulpits of Charlotte next Sabbath—Approved.

The Standing Committee on Leave of Absence, Rev. A. J. Crane, Chairman, made the following report which was approved.

Your committee on Leave of Absence would report that we have excused the following brethren for good and sufficient reasons rendered to the Committee.

1. We have excused for non-attendance upon the meeting of last year—1910, Revs. L. M. Kerschner, A. J. Crane, H. M. Pressley, G. C. Huntington, A. W. Shaw, and S. L. Cathey.

2. We have excused for non-attendance upon this meeting—1911, Revs. J. A. Caligan, J. A. Harris, J. K. Hall, T. E. P. Woods, G. H. Atkinson, P. H. Gwyn, W. M. Shaw, Cornelius Miller, J. L. Bowers, and E. C. Murray, D. D.

3. We have excused for tardiness upon this meeting—Revs. J. E. Wool, G. L. Cook, W. A. Daniel, D. Munroe, E. L. Siler, E. P. Bradley, J. L. Beattie and W. L. Curtis.

4. We have excused, after Wednesday night, W. D. B. McEachin.

5. After Thursday Morning—T. B. Bailey.

6. After Thursday night—Revs. R. W. Culbertson, E. A. Sample, J. C. Shive, J. K. Roberts, R. S. Arrowood, A. W. Crawford, L. Smith, W. P. M. Currie, J. A. Gilmer, Dr. J. B. Shearer, and Elders Geo. McKee, J. W. Summers, I. T. Avery, Dr. Gilbert McLeod, M. A. Emerson, J. F. Jackson, F. L. Brown, J. M. Rodgers, J. K. Goodman, A. E. Rankin and J. C. Querey.

7. After Friday noon—R. B. Grinnan, S. D. Holt, W. W. Davenport, J. E. McFarland, C. S. Smart, E. P. Bradley, W. D. Morton, R. F. Campbell, D. Monroe, W. B. McIlwaine, Jr., J. H. Gudger, L. M. Pharr, L. H. Alexander, A. J. Crane, W. J. Sechrest, J. H. Dixon, J. F. R. Dameron, A. W. Shaw, T. C. Allison, J. M. Rose, W. C. Herndon, M. McG. Shields, A. C. Miller, D. G. Caldwell, J. M. Forbis, R. M. Williams, S. L. Cathey, W. C. Barnett, B. F. McMillan, E. Currie, Geo. Howard and J. F. Ratchford.

According to the above report, and omitting the names of Foreign Missions and Infirm Ministers, no excuse was rendered this year for non-attendance last year (1910) by the following Ministers:—B. B. Palmer, R. W. George, J. S. Morrow, D. McIver, R. M. Williams, W. O. Sample:—J. A. Harris, J. P. Hall, E. Tufts, W. F. Hollingsworth, J. M. Gibbs, J. M. Grier, L. H. Query, C. W. Erwin, T. E. P. Woods, E. P. Bradley, James Lapsley, R. E. Steele, T. B. Anderson, F. N. Thomas, C. L. Rogers:—K. A. McLeod, M.

D. McNeill, G. T. Pace, E. W. Souders, R. S. Arrowood, J. D. Brown, J. H. Dixon, S. H. Williamson, H. M. Dixon, C. V. Cavitt, A. E. Grover, C. L. Bragaw, M. B. McLaughlin:—J. R. Bridges, M. E. Sentelle, W. R. West, J. A. Caligan, W. W. Davidson, W. A. Daniel, A. A. McGeachy, K. A. Campbell, J. W. Grier, W. R. McCalla, W. E. Furr, R. J. McIlwain, J. L. Beattie:—J. H. Jarvis, R. W. Alexander, Carr Moore, G. B. Thompson, H. C. Nelson:—R. A. Miller, G. A. Sparrow, T. C. Croker, A. S. Anderson S. S. Oliver, J. K. Hall, R. S. Burwell:—W. H. Davis, W. P. Chedester, A. H. Temple, E. L. Grau, P. P. Winn, L. Collins, P. F. Brown, E. D. Kerr, J. C. Brown, C. B. Yeargan, J. Q. Wallace.

The following Ministers have rendered no excuse for non-attendance upon this meeting, (1911):—B. B. Palmer, R. W. George, F. M. Hawley, N. R. Claytor, H. H. Cassady—J. M. Gibbs, L. H. Query, G. N. Thomas, C. L. Rogers, J. C. Story:—D. Fairley, K. A. McLeod, M. D. McNeill, G. T. Pace, E. W. Souders, J. D. A. Brown, S. H. Williamson, J. M. McLain, H. M. Dixon, F. B. Rankin, C. V. Cavitt, A. E. Grove, C. L. Bragaw, J. B. Cochran, M. N. McIver:—P. M. McIntyre, J. E. L. Winecoff, L. E. Wells, E. B. Carr, P. L. Clark, J. M. Plowden, L. T. Newland:—A. J. McKelway, W. W. Davidson, J. L. Beattie, C. W. Erwin.—J. H. Jarvis, R. W. Alexander, Carr Moore, H. C. Nelson, J. B. Black:—P. P. Winn, E. D. Kerr, P. F. Brown, J. C. Brown, J. Q. Wallace, C. B. Yeargan:—G. A. Sparrow, C. H. Little, R. C. Deal.

The motion to adjourn was now made.

The Minutes of today's Sessions were read and approved.

The Stated Clerk called the Roll, and the members present answered to their names, and the following members were noted as "Absent without Leave," as they did not respond to the Roll-call, and as their names do not appear in the list of those reported and excused by the Committee on Leave of Absence.—Revs. D. McIver, W. F. Hollingsworth, Edgar

Tufts, J. P. Hall, Bryan Clark, J. M. Grier, L. L. Moore, C. T. Squires, V. R. Gaston, R. E. Steele, I. B. Smith, G. C. Huntington, M. E. Sentelle, J. W. Grier, W. R. McCalla, W. A. Cleveland, R. J. McIlwaine, C. C. Carson, Chas. Kingsley, L. Gill, H. E. Guerney, J. E. Ballou, W. P. Chedester, A. H. Temple, T. C. Croker, A. S. Anderson, S. S. Oliver, and Elders—B. R. Sellars, J. R. Brown, J. L. Scott, J. E. Finley, E. P. Wharton, W. B. Parks, W. B. Gibson, G. W. F. Harper, J. S. Clodfelter, J. A. Vaughn, H. J. Burke, J. H. Carson, G. B. Patterson, O. C. Fulk, O. L. Clark, D. S. Williams, G. C. Worth, W. W. Alexander, W. A. Johnston, G. S. Mayes, J. S. Abernethy, T. W. Morrison, D. K. Bennett, D. A. Johnston, J. A. Henderson, L. P. Hunter, J. A. Patterson, R. N. Nisbet, D. H. Hill, S. K. Fountain, C. M. Brown, W. W. Davis, J. F. Flack, A. Whitner.

The Synod now united in singing the usual hymn—"Blest be the tie that binds our hearts, etc." and the Synod did adjourn with prayer and the Apostolic Benediction by Rev. E. H. Harding, D. D., to meet in the First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N. C., on Tuesday the 15th day of October, 1912, at 11 o'clock A. M.

W. R. MINTER, Moderator.

J. W. GOODMAN }
J. E. SUMMERS } Temporary Clerks

ATTEST: D. I. CRAIG,
Stated Clerk.

APPENDIX

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A

STATISTICAL REPORT OF PRESBYTERIES

1.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Orange reports.

1. 33 ministers, 73 churches, 2 licentiates, 19 candidates, 7,444 communicants, and one hundred and nineteen thousand and one hundred and sixty-five (\$119,165.00), aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$22,320.00 more than was raised the year before.

2. 664 members were added to the Churches during the year. (a) on examination 428, (b) on certificate 236.

3. Three ministers were received, viz: H. H. Cassady, June 6, 1911, W. F. Hollingsworth, September 27, 1911 and J. L. Bowers from the Reformed Church, September 27, 1911.

4. Two ministers were transferred, viz: R. T. Liston, October 26, 1910. M. N. McIver, April 19, 1911.

5. No churches organized.

6. One church dissolved, viz: Snow Hill, September 28, 1911.

7. One licentiate received, viz: W. B. McIlwaine, Jr., November 14, 1910.

8. One licentiate transferred, viz: H. L. Cathey, April 19, '11.

9. One candidate received, viz: Carl E. Rankin, September 28, 1911.

10. One candidate transferred, viz: W. R. Pritchett, May 22, 1911.

11. No minister died.

12. Two ordinations, viz: W. B. McIlwaine, Jr., December 15, 1910, N. R. Claytor, June 6, 1911.

13. Five installations, viz: W. B. McIlwaine, Jr., at Asheboro, December 15, 1910; N. R. Claytor, at Milton, June 6, 1911; and at Red House, August 6, 1911; W. S. Wilhelm, at Eno and North Eno churches, 1911.

14. Four dissolutions of pastoral relations, Between Rev. B. W. Mebane, D. D., and Hawfields, Bethlehem, Saxapahaw and Bethany churches, September 27, 1911.

15. Three licensures, viz: N. R. Claytor, C. H. Phipps and George W. Lee, May 22, 1911.

16. Thirty ministers in charge of 63 churches; 25 pastors; 2 stated supplies, 4 evangelists; 2 licentiates; 1 foreign missionary; 55 Sunday schools; 32 Y. P. Societies; 37 woman's societies.

17. Ten churches vacant.

18. \$900 about average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19. Twenty-two manses, aggregate value, \$65,500.00.

20. No county without a minister or a church.

21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Burlington on 16th day of April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

D. I. CRAIG,

Stated Clerk.

At Midway Church, on 26th day of September, 1911

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Concord reports.

1. Forty-one ministers, 80 churches, no licentiates. 36 candidates. 7,752 communicants, and eighty thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars, (\$80,575.00), aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$23,963 more than was raised the year before.

2. 746 members were added to the churches during the year. (a) on examination 365, (b) on certificate 381.

3. Five ministers were received, viz: L. L. Moore, January 24, 1911; J. C. Story, April 19, 1911; C. T. Squires, April 19, 1911; F. A. Barnes, May 18, 1911; G. W. Shipley, Sept. 6, 1911.

4. Five ministers were transferred, viz: C. W. Ervin, Nov. 22, 1910; D. P. McGeachy, Jan. 24, 1911; T. E. P. Woods, April 20, 1911; W. F. Hollingsworth, May 18, 1911; T. B. Anderson, May 18, 1911.

5. Two churches organized, viz: Moseley Chapel, Feb. 12, 1911; Grassy Creek, March 20, 1911.

6. No churches transferred or dissolved.

7. No licentiates received.

8. No licentiates transferred.

9. Nine candidates received, viz: Pierre Wilds DeBose and Fred Jay Hay, Sept. 26, 1910; August F. Ulm, Jan. 24, 1911; R. G. Ross, Apr. 20, 1911; John Carriker, May 18, 1911; Matt McMurray Grey, Roy Smith, John Edward Johnston and Thomas Kirby Currie, Sept. 7, 1911.

10. One candidate transferred, viz: J. W. Rowe to Lexington Presbytery, April 20, 1911.

11. No ministers died.

12. No ordinations.

13. Eleven installations, viz: W. M. Walsh, Front Street and Barium Springs, Feb. 19, 1911; L. L. Moore, Shiloh, May 28, 1911, and Taylorsville and New Salem, June 4, 1911; C. T. Squires, Lenoir, June 4, 1911; F. A. Barnes, Mooresville, Second, June 11, 1911; J. C. Story, Marion, June 18, 1911; Dugald Monroe, Unity and Franklin, July 2, 1911, and Third Creek, July 9, 1911.

14. Nine dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz: C. W. Ervin, Cannonville and Patterson Mill, Oct. 15, 1910; E. D. Brown, New Salem, Jan. 1, 1911; D. P. McGeachy, Lenoir, Jan. 24, 1911; W. M. Walsh, Back Creek and Thyatira, Jan. 24, 1911; T. B. Anderson, Bethpage, May 18, 1911; W. F. Hollingsworth, Morganton, July 1, 1911; G. N. Thomas, Oakwood, Sept. 6, 1911.

15. No licensures.

16. Twenty-six ministers in charge of 62 churches; 19 pastors; 3 stated supplies; 4 evangelists; no licentiates; 2 foreign missionaries; 58 S. Schools; 33 Y. P. Societies; 48 woman's societies.

17. Eighteen churches vacant.

18. Salaries not reported.

19. Twenty manses, aggregate value, \$55,800.00.

20. No county without minister or church.

21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Salisbury, N. C., on 23rd day of April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

J. E. SUMMERS,
Stated Clerk.

At Gilwood Church, on 7th day of September, 1911.

III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Fayetteville reports.

1. Forty-one ministers, 98 churches, 1 licentiate, 23 candidates, 10,067 communicants, and \$93,871 dollars, aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$12,-909.00 more than was raised the year before.

2. 840 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination 421, (b) on certificate 419.

3. Four ministers were received, viz: I. N. Clegg from Central Mississippi Presbytery, April 13, 1911; M. N. McIver from Orange Presbytery, June 14, 1911; J. K. Hall from Kings Mountain Presbytery, Sept. 27, 1911; R. E. Steele from Concord Presbytery, Sept. 27, 1911.

4. Two ministers were transferred, viz: A. E. Baker to Montgomery Presbytery, Dec. 1, 1910; M. B. McLaughlin to Pee Dee Association, April 14, 1911.

5. Three churches organized, viz: Elrod, Oct. 30, 1910; Vass, Jan. 29, 1911; Haymount Church, Fayetteville, June 5, 1911.

6. No churches transferred or dissolved.

7. One licentiate received, viz: G. F. Kirkpatrick from Presbytery East Hanover, June 13, 1911.

8. One licentiate transferred, viz: T. N. Bulla to East Hanover, June 14, 1911.

9. Eight candidates received, viz: A. P. McNeil, Jan. 3, 1911; Neil D. Ray, June 13, 1911; Chas. H. Rowan, June 13, 1911; C. L. Wicker, June 14, 1911; J. E. Purcell, Jr., Sept. 12, 1911; John L. Fairley, Sept. 12, 1911; J. H. Smith, Sept. 27, 1911; A. C. Gillis, Sept. 27, 1911.

10. One candidate transferred, viz: J. E. Purcell to Lexington Presbytery, Sept. 27, 1911.

11. One minister died, viz: R. J. Beattie, Sept 16, 1911.

12. One ordination, viz: G. F. Kirkpatrick, July 2, 1911.

13. Six installations, viz: W. R. Coppedge, Mt. Carmel Church, Nov. 14, 1910; M. D. McNeil, Cypress Church, Jan. 11, 1911; J. B. Cochran, Dundarrach, Dec. 8, 1910; J. B. Cochran, Parkton, Jan. 17, 1911; G. F. Kirkpatrick, Kenly, July 2, 1911; A. W. Shaw, St. Andrews, Aug. 17, 1911.

14. Five dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz: A. E. Baker, Lumberton Church, Dec. 1, 1910; H. M. Dixon, Lumber Bridge, Jan. 1, 1911; J. M. McLain, Iona, June 13, 1911; T. H. Spence, Kenly, June 13, 1911; A. E. Grover, Jonesboro, June 13, 1911.

15. One licensure, viz: T. N. Bulla, June 14, 1911.
16. Twenty-eight ministers in charge of 80 churches; 25 pastors; 3 stated supplies, 1 evangelist, 1 licentiate; 2 foreign missionaries, 104 Sunday schools; 46 Y. P. Societies; 84 woman's societies.
17. Four churches vacant.
18. \$856, average salary paid ministers in charge of churches. Some for only part of year.
19. Thirteen manses, aggregate value, \$37,300.00.
20. No county without a minister or church.
21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Dunn on 19th day of April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

A. W. CRAWFORD,

Stated Clerk.

IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Wilmington reports.

1. Fourteen ministers, 53 churches, no licentiates, 11 candidates, 4,788 communicants, and \$82,944 dollars, aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$1,281 less than was raised the year before.
2. 416 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination 284, (b) on certificate 132.
3. No ministers were received
4. No ministers were transferred.
5. No churches organized.
6. No churches transferred.
7. No licentiates received.
8. No licentiates transferred.
9. One candidate received, viz: A. J. Howell, of First Church, Wilmington, Dec. 27, 1910.
10. No candidates transferred.
11. One minister died, viz: Rev. Arcibald McFayden, June 27, 1911.
12. One ordination, viz: LeRoy T. Newland, June 7, 1911.
13. Four installations, viz: Rev. E. B. Carr, South River, Jan. 15, 1911; Caswell, Jan. 22, 1911; Black River, April 23, 1911; Harmony, April 23, 1911.
14. One dissolution of pastoral relation, viz: Rev. E. B. Carr and the Chadbourn Church, Dec. 27, 1910.

15. One licensure, viz: LeRoy Tate, Newland, June 6, 1911.
16. Twelve ministers in charge of 53 churches; 10 pastors; 2 stated supplies; 1 evangelist; 20 licentiates; 1 foreign missionary; 38 Sunday schools; 32 Y. P. Societies; 34 woman's societies.
17. No churches vacant.
18. *952.40 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.
19. Eight manses, aggregate value, \$35,000.00.
20. No county without a minister or church.
21. The nett stated meeting of Presbytery at Warsaw on 10th day of April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

W. P. M. CURRIE,
Stated Clerk.

At Mt. Zion Church, on 5th day of Oct. 1911.

*This was the average for 1909. Since that time there has been no column on our statistical blanks for pastor's salary, and I have no way of knowing.

V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Mecklenburg reports.

1. Thirty-nine ministers, 53 churches, no licentiates, 30 candidates, 8,056 communicants, and ninety-eight thousand six hundred and sixty-seven dollars (\$98,667.00), an aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$15,059.00 more than was raised the year before.

2. 679 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination 395, (b) on certificate 284.

3. Nine ministers were received, viz: T. D. Cartledge and C. E. Robertson, April 15, 1911; W. E. McIlwaine, D. D., and J. L. Caldwell, D. D., May 5, 1911, Chas. Kingsley, July 31, 1911; Leonard Gill, and T. B. Anderson, Henry E. Gurney, Sept. 7, '11.

4. One minister was transferred, viz: R. M. Mann, July 31, 1911.

5. No churches organized.

6. No churches transferred or dissolved.

7. No licentiates received.

8. No licentiates received.

9. One candidate received, viz: T. T. Stixrud, a candidate for medical missionary.

10. Two candidates transferred, viz: A. S. Crowell, May 15, 1911; W. A. Ramsay, Sept. 7, 1911.

11. One minister died, viz: Rev. Wm. M. Kincaid, Jan. 2, 1911.

12. No ordinations.

13. Four installations, viz: C. C. Carson in Providence and Banks churches; T. D. Cartledge in Pegram Street Church; C. E. Robertson in Waxhaw Church; A. J. Crane in Marshville Church, Feb. 12, 1911; Chas. Kingsley in Pineville Church.

14. Two dissolutions of pastoral relations, viz: Rev. A. J. Crane, Newell and Robinson Churches, Dec. 12, 1910; Rev. R. M. Mann, Wadesbororo Church, July 3, 1911.

15. No licensures.

16. Twenty-five ministers in charge of 40 churches; 24 pastors; 1 stated supplies; 3 evangelists; no licentiate; 3 foreign missionaries; 45 Sunday schools; 40 Y. P. Societies; 57 woman's Societies.

17. Five churches vacant.

18. \$1,400 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.

19. Twenty-seven manses, aggregate value, \$84,150.00.

20. No county without a minister or church.

21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Pineville on Tuesday before the full moon in April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

A. J. CRANE,
Stated Clerk.

At Providence Church, on 7th day of September, 1911.

VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Albemarle reports.

1. Sixteen ministers, 40 churches, 1 licentiate, 8 candidates, 2,831 communicants, and \$45,215.00, aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$4,681 more than was raised the year before.

2. 345 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination; (b) on certificate 163.

3. Two ministers were received, viz: Rev. J. E. Ballou, Oct. 25, 1910; Rev. J. B. Black, April 12, 1911.

4. One minister was transferred, viz: Rev. G. B. Thompson, Sept. 1, 1911.
5. No churches organized.
6. No churches transferred or dissolved.
7. One licentiate received, viz: J. E. Hemphill, July 14, 1911.
8. No licentiates transferrd.
9. Two candidates received, viz: W. C. Copeland, April 27, 1911; Robert King, Oct. 4, 1911.
10. No candidates transferred.
11. No ministers died.
12. No ordinations.
13. Three installations, viz: Rev. J. E. Ballou, Howard Menil, Nov. 18, 1910; Rev. J. B. Black, Cann Menil, April 30, 1911; Rev. J. S. Wood, Littleton, April 30, 1911.
14. One dissolution of pastoral relation, viz: Rev. G. B. Thompson and Oxford church, Sept. 1, 1911.
15. No licentiates.
16. Fifteen ministers in charge of 23 churches; 13 pastors; no stated supplies; 2 evangelists; 1 licentiate; no foreign missionaries; 22 Sunday schools; 10 Y. P. Societies; 25 woman's societies.
17. Seventeen churches vacant.
18. \$1,140 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.
19. Twelve manses, aggregate value, \$40,000.00.
20. No minister or church in 14 counties, viz: Camden, Tyrell, Greene, Hertford, Perquimans, Dare, Currituck, Pamlico, Bertie, Washington, Gates, Northhampton, Franklin and Martin.
21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery undecided.
By order of Presbytery.

J. A. McCLURE,
Stated Clerk.

At Falkland Church, on 5th day of October, 1911.

VII.—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Asheville reports.

1. Seventeen ministers, 31 churches, no licentiates, no candidates, 1,899 communicants, and \$23,518.00), aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$2,560.00 more than was raised the year before.

2. 174 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination; (b) on certificate 100.

3. One minister was received, viz: Rev. A. W. McLauchlin. October, 1911.
 4. No ministers were transferred.
 5. No churches organized.
 6. No churches transferred or dissolved.
 7. No licentiates received.
 8. No licentiates transferred.
 9. No candidates received.
 10. No candidates transferred.
 11. No ministers died.
 12. No ordinations.
 13. Two installations, viz: Rev. J. J. Wallace and Hazelwood, April 30, 1911; Rev. T. L. Siler and Montreat, Nov. 13, '10.
 14. One dissolution of pastoral relation, viz: Rev. E. D. Kerr and Waynesville church, Sept. 14, 1911.
 15. No licensures.
 16. Eleven ministers in charge of 23 churches; 8 pastors; 12 stated supplies; 1 evangelist; no licentiates; no foreign missionaries; 25 Sunday schools; 8 Y. P. Societies; 18 woman's societies.
 17. Eight churches vacant. All except one had some preaching during the past year.
 18. \$950 average salary paid ministers in charge of churches.
 19. Six manses, aggregate value, \$11,100.00.
 20. No minister or church in one county, viz: Madison.
 21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Bryson City on 16th day of April, 8 p. m., 1912.
- By order of Presbytery.
- Attest:
- R. B. GRINNAN.
Stated Clerk.
- At Oak Dale Church, on 5th day of October, 1911.

VIII.—KINGS MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Kings Mountain reports.

1. Seventeen ministers, 37 churches, no licentiates, 10 candidates, 3,129 communicants, and twenty-five thousand five hundred and four dollars, (\$25,504.00), aggregate of funds raised during the year ending March 31, 1911, being \$6,001 more than was raised the year before.

2. 292 members were added to the churches during the year, (a) on examination 145; (b) on certificate 147.
3. Four ministers were received, viz: R. C. Deal, Nov. 29, 1910; T. E. P. Woods, May 16, 1911; W. S. Lacy, Sept. 13, 1911, and W. J. Sechrest, April 12, 1911.
4. Two ministers were transferred, viz: J. M. Harris, July 31, 1911; J. K. Hall, Sept. 13, 1911.
5. One church organized, viz: Bostic, Nov, 27, 1911.
6. No churches transferred or dissolved.
7. No licentiates received.
8. One licentiate transferred, viz: A. A. McLean, May 16, '11.
9. Two candidates received, viz: Alden S. Anderson, Nov. 29, 1910; B. O. Shannon, Sept. 13, 1911.
10. No candidates transferred.
11. No ministers died.
12. No irdinations.
13. Two installations, viz: R. S. Burwell, Oct. 2, 1910; R. C. Deal, Dec. 11, 1910.
14. One dissolution of pastoral relation, viz: R. C. Deal, April 12, 1911.
15. One licensure, viz: A. A. McLean, May 16, 1911.
16. Fourteen ministers in charge of 32 churches; 12 pastors; 5 stated supplies; 1 evangelist; no licentiate; no foreign missionaries; 26 Sunday schools; 8 Y. P. Societies; 16 woman's societies.
17. Five churches vacant.
18. Average salary paid ministers in charge of churches, not known.
19. Twelve manses, aggregate value, \$19,950.00.
20. No county without a minister or church.
21. The next stated meeting of Presbytery at Lowell, N. C., on 16th day April, 1912.

By order of Presbytery.

Attest:

S. L. CATHEY,
Stated Clerk.

At Stanley Creek Church, on 14th day of Sept. 1911.

B**REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIES ON SYSTEMATIC
BENEFICENCE.****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, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS.

43 To Foreign Missions			\$18,303.00
42 To Assembly's Home Missions:—			
Home Missions, proper	\$ 1,654.00		
Colored Evangelization	575.00	2,229.00	
49 To Local Home Missions:—			
Presbyterial Home Mission	8,170.00		
Synodical Home Missions	1,179.00		
Church and Manse Erection	104.00	9,453.00	
45 To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—			
Ministerial Education	4,714.00		
Ministerial Relief	524.00		
Schools and Colleges	13,048.00		
Assembly's Home and School	446.00	18,732.00	
38 To Publication and Sabbath School Extension		650.00	
30 To Bible Cause		245.00	
43 To Orphan's Homes		5,569.00	
25 To Miscellaneous		7,377.00	
Total			\$62,558.00

Being \$20,758.00 more than was raised the year before. Fifty-nine churches reported, and twenty-one of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and thirty-eight to one or more of them.

Fifteen churches made no report.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

D. I. CRAIG,
Stated Clerk.

At Midway Church on the 26th of September, 1911.

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, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS.

49 To Foreign Missions		\$ 7,299.00	
To Assembly's Home Missions—			
37 Home Missions, proper . . . \$	765.00		
11 Evangelistic Work	51.00		
28 Colored Evangelization	271.00		1,187.00
To Local Home Missions—			
54 Presbyterian Home Missions .	5,050.00		
41 Synodical Home Missions . .	1,410.00		
12 Church and Manse Erection .	982.00		7,442.00
To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief—			
39 Ministerial Education	616.00		
43 Ministerial Relief	491.00		
31 Schools and Colleges	10,299.00		
19 Assembly's Home and School	244.00		11,650.00
38 To Publication and Sabbath School Extension			842.00
26 To Bible Cause			161.00
42 To Orphan's Homes			4,802.00
28 To Miscellaneous			2,373.00
Total			\$35,756.00

Being \$11,408 more than was raised the year before. Sixty-three churches reported, and twelve of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and fifty-one to one or more of them.

Seventeen churches made no report, viz: Bald Creek, Beattie Memorial, Bridgewater, Franklin, Houstonville, Hughes, Micaville, Oak Hill, Old Fort, Paint Gap, Pineola, Powder Mill, Tabor, Troutman, Turkey Cove, Waldensian, Yadkinville.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

J. E. SUMMERS,
Stated Clerk.

At Gilwood Church on the 7th of September, 1911.

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, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS:

89	To Foreign Missions		\$11,259.00
80	To Assembly's Home Missions:—		
	Home Missions, proper	\$ 2,142.00	
	Colored Evangelization	380.00	2,522.00
93	To Local Home Missions:—		
	Presbyterial Home Missions	2,734.00	
	Synodical Home Missions	3,014.00	5,748.00
87	To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—		
	Ministerial Education	804.00	
	Ministerial Relief	746.00	
	Schools and Colleges	14,715.00*	
	Assembly's Home and School	345.00	16,610.00
69	To Publication and Sabbath School Extension		572.00
31	To Bible Cause		205.00
72	To Orphan's Homes		5,258.00
28	To Miscellaneous		2,215.00
	Total		\$44,389.00

Being \$12,815 more than was raised the year before. Ninety-three churches reported, and nineteen of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and seventy-four to one or more of them.

Four churches made no report, viz: Bakers, Brainerd, Selma, Vass.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

A. W. CRAWFORD

Stated Clerk.

*To Davidson College, Southern Presbyterian College, Union Theological Seminary and Elise High School.

IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Wilmington respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS:

29	To Foreign Missions		\$17,854.71
26	To Assembly's Home Missions:—		
	Home Missions, proper \$	600.14	
	Colored Evangelization	798.01	1,398.15
28	To Local Home Missions:—		
	Presbyterial Home Missions . . .	6,098.24	
	Synodical Home Missions	892.17	6,990.41
25	To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—		
	Ministerial Education	12,241.11	
	Ministerial Relief	275.92	
	Schools and Colleges	5,265.21	
	Assembly's Home and School . . .	105.21	17,887.45
24	To Publication and Sabbath School Extension		301.50
14	To Bible Cause		122.10
24	To Orphan's Homes		1,773.25
14	To Miscellaneous		4,349.11
	Total		<u>\$50,676.68</u>

Being \$8,324.47 more than was raised the year before. Thirty-seven churches reported, and eight of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and thirty-seven to one or more of them.

Sixteen churches made no report, viz: Beth Car, Bethbire, Bladenboro. Bolton, Beulah, Cronly, Hebron, Maple Hill, Mayesville, Stanford, Topsail, White Hall, Smith's, Sweet Home, Faison, Southport.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

W. P. M. CURRIE,
Stated Clerk.

At Mt. Zion Church on the 4th of October, 1911.

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, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS:

41	To Foreign Missions		\$10,998.00
33	To Assembly's Home Missions:—		
	Home Missions, proper	\$ 2,441.00	
	Colored Evangelization	280.00	2,720.00
40	To Local Home Missions		10,157.00
35	To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—		
	Ministerial Education	1,235.00	
	Ministerial Relief	334.00	
	Schools and Colleges	6,876.00	
	Assembly's Home and School	120.00	8,565.00
33	To Publication and Sabbath School Extension		402.00
20	To Bible Cause		117.00
38	To Orphan's Homes		3,772.00
26	To Miscellaneous		6,547.00
	Total		\$43,278 00

Being \$5,360 more than was raised the year before. Forty-two churches reported, and twelve of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and thirty to one or more of them.

Ten churches made no report, viz: Littles, Pee Dee, Walkersville, Carmel, Porter, Lilesville, Locust, New London, Polkton, Groveton.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

A. J. CRANE

Stated Clerk.

At Providence Church on seventh day of September, 1911.

VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Albemarle respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS:

20 To Foreign Missions			\$ 2,928.00
20 To Assembly's Home Missions:—			
Home Missions, proper	\$	774.00	
Colored Evangelization		229.00	1,003.00
20 To Local Home Missions:—			
Presbyterial Home Missions		2,065.00	
Synodical Home Missions		1,231.00	
Church and Manse Erection.. . . .		1,832.00	5,748.00
20 To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—			
Ministerial Education		2,417.00	
Ministerial Relief		232.00	
Schools and Colleges		2,343.00	
Assembly's Home and School		210.00	5,202.00
19 To Publication and Sabbath School Extension			315.00
12 To Bible Cause			103.00
21 To Orphan's Homes			2,139.00
15 To Miscellaneous			3,016.00
Total			<u>\$19,834.00</u>

Being \$4,826 more than was raised the year before. Twenty-nine churches reported, and ten of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and nineteen to one or more of them.

Eleven churches made no report, viz, Pinetops, Shiloh, Atkinson Memorial, Apex, Farmville, La Grange, Strickland, Scotland Neck, Aurora, Roanoke, Roanoke Rapids.

By order of Presbytery.

ATTEST:

J. A. McCLURE,
Stated Clerk.

At Falkland Church on fifth day of October, 1911.

VII.—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Asheville respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS.

20 To Foreign Missions			\$1,042
17 To Assembly's Home Missions:—			
Home Missions, proper	\$	314	
Colored Evangelization		301	515
26 To Local Home Missions:—			
Presbyterial Home Missions		2,900	
Synodical Home Missions		252	
Church and Manse Erection		209	3,351
To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—			
12 Ministerial Education		92	
15 Ministerial Relief		73	
7 Schools and Colleges		1,208	
8 Assembly's Home and School		81	1,454
15 To Publication and Sabbath School Extension			89
5 To Bible Cause			88
16 To Orphan's Homes			1,047
11 To Miscellaneous			375
Total			\$7,961

Being \$1,557 more than was raised the year before. Twenty-six churches reported, and four of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and twenty-one to one or more of them.

Six churches made no report, viz: Preston, Dillsboro, Murphy, Hayesville, Crabtree, Jennie Spier Memorial.

By order of Presbytery.

ATTEST:

R. B. GRINNAN,
Stated Clerk.

At Oak Dale Church on the 5th of October, 1911.

VIII.—KINGS MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERY.

To the Synod of North Carolina:

The Presbytery of Kings Mountain respectfully submits the following report on Systematic Beneficence for the year ending March 31, 1911.

NUMBER OF CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING AND AMOUNTS.

27 To Foreign Missions		\$ 2,236.00	
29 To Assembly's Home Missions:—			
Home Missions, proper	\$ 237.00		
Colored Evangelization	132.00		369.00
30 To Local Home Missions Approx.			
Presbyterial Home Missions	2,276.00		
Synodical Home Missions	441.00		
Church and Manse Erection	117.00		2,834.00
25 To Christian Education and Ministerial Relief:—			
Ministerial Education	248.00		
Ministerial Relief	202.00		
Schools and Colleges	2,224.00		
Assembly's Home and School	71.00		2,745.00
22 To Publication and Sabbath School Extension			122.00
17 To Bible Cause			62.00
27 To Orphan's Homes			780.00
To Miscellaneous			1,112.00
Total			\$10,260.00

Being \$3,423 more than was raised the year before. Thirty churches reported, and nine of them contributed to all objects conducted by the church, and twenty-one to one or more of them.

Six churches made no report, viz: Columbus, Sandy Plains, Henrietta, Drusilla, Mooresboro, and Bostic.

By order of Presbytery:

ATTEST:

S. L. CATHEY

Stated Clerk.

At Stanley Creek Church on 14th of September, 1911.

C

ANNUAL REPORT OF UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY IN
VIRGINIA.

The Board of Directors and Trustees of Union Theological Seminary in Virginia, with grateful acknowledgement to the Head of the Church for the abounding favor which He has shown to the institution during the past session, would respectfully report to the Synod of North Carolina:

1. That in point of attendance this has been the most successful year the Seminary has ever known, the registration for the session being ninety-five, the largest enrollment of theological students in the history of our church; that sixty-five of these were full college graduates, and thirty were without degrees, though only three were without some college training; that the students have been blessed with almost uniformly good health and have applied themselves to their studies with exemplary diligence and gratifying success; that they have continued with unabated zeal their Gospel work in the destitute districts of Richmond and vicinity, and have maintained the long and honorable record of the institution for liberality and zeal in the cause of Foreign Missions.

2. That the seven instructors have done their work with fidelity and thoroughness; that, in addition to the courses of study regularly given, special instruction has been provided throughout the session in voice culture and vocal music; and that the institution has enjoyed the benefit of a course of special lectures on Sunday School Pedagogy and Paidology by Rev. A. F. Schaufler, D. D., Chairman of the International Sunday School Lesson Committee.

3. That diplomas with the degree of Bachelor of Divinity were awarded to the following members of the Senior Class:

Oliver May Anderson, Jackson, Miss.

James Andrew Armstrong, A. B., M. E., Martinsburg, W.

Va

John Tillman Barr, Jr., Hope, Ark.

Robert Dabney Bedinger, A. B., Brookneal, Va.

Thomas McNeill Bulla, A. B., Fayetteville, N. C.

Numa Reid Claytor, A. B., Chapel Hill, N. C.

Charles LaCoste Crane, A. B., Decatur, Ga.

Andrew Secrest Crowell, A. B., M. A., Taylor, Miss.

Edgar Graham Gammon, A. B., Fredericksburg, Va.
 Guy Tilman Gillespie, A. B., Duck Hill, Miss.
 James Edwin Hemphill, Griffin, Ga.
 Robert King, A. B., Summerville, Ga.
 Nathaniel White Kuykendall, A. B., Charleston, W. Va.
 Augustus Alexander McLean, Gastonia, N. C.
 Joseph Kenton, Parker, A. B., A. M., Lynchburg, Va.
 Charles Henry Phipps, A. B., Greensboro, N. C.
 Waldo P. Robertson, A. B., Liberty, Mo.
 J. Harvey Viser, A. B., Fredericksburg, Va.
 Robert H. Viser, A. B., Fredericksburg, Va.
 Thomas Kay Young, A. B., Kayford, W. Va.

That certificates of proficiency in the parts of the course taken by them were awarded to the following members of the Senior Class:

G. F. Kirkpatrick, Austin, Texas.
 William Denham, Monticello, W. Va.
 Samuel Baldwin Hannah, Jr., Arborvale, W. Va.
 Charles W. Reed, Russellville, Tenn.

And that two Fellows have been appointed for the next year on the Moses D. Hoge Foundation for post-graduate study, viz: Mr. Robert King, A. B., B. D., of Summerville, Ga., and Mr. Joseph Kenton Parker, A. B., A. M., B. D., of Lynchburg, Va.

4. That in point of additions to the financial resources of the institution also this has been far the most successful year in our history. Through the agency of Rev. W. S. Lacy, the Field Secretary, with the co-operation of the professors, trustees, Presbyterian Committees, and friends of the Seminary in general, a very large sum has been subscribed to our funds the last eight months. Mr. George W. Watts, the honored President of our Board, whose gifts to the Seminary have been so numerous and so generous, has crowned all his former benefactions by the gift of \$50,000.00, \$5,000.00 of which is set apart for the maintenance of Watts Hall, our main building, and \$45,000.00 of which he designates for the creation of the Walter W. Moore Foundation as a permanent provision for the salary of the president of the Seminary. The whole amount subscribed to our funds during the session is \$220,887.48 which, added to what had been secured during the former three years of our canvass for the Centennial Fund, makes a total for that fund of \$322,396.48. The Board desires to record its profound gratitude to God for these signal evidences of the confidence and affection with which the Seminary is regarded by our people. We would express to

all who have contributed to the Seminary's need our grateful appreciation of their gifts. And we would respectfully ask the Synod to rejoice with us in the observance of the centennial anniversary which we propose to celebrate with deeply thankful hearts in May, 1912. While the generous gifts referred to will enable us to wipe out the harassing annual deficit on our current expenses which has resulted from our steadily enlarging work through recent years, we are at the same time admonished by the unprecedented increase in the number of our students this year that the economical management of our resources to which we have been so long schooled must be continued with unabated care.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. MILLER,

Secretary.

The terms of the following members of the Board expire with this meeting: Rev. P. R. Law, D. D., Mr. C. M. Brown. Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Your committee would respectfully report that the aggregate sum contributed by the churches of this Synod to Foreign Missions during the year is \$72,207.00, which is \$1,492.00 less than last year, but nearly \$14,000.00 in excess of the preceding year.

The contributions by Presbyteries are as follows:

Albemarle—\$2,922, which is \$613 more than last year.

Asheville—\$1,042, which is \$519 less than last year.

Concord—\$7,299, which is \$194 more than last year.

Fayetteville—\$11,259, which is \$405 more than last year.

Kings Mountain—\$2,185, which is \$493 more than last year.

Mecklenburg—\$10,998, which is \$40 more than last year.

Orange—\$18,298, which is \$5,520 more than last year.

Wilmington—\$18,204, which is \$8,238 less than last year.

The per capita contribution for the Synod is \$1.57.

The per capita for the Presbyteries this year and last are as follows.

Albemarle, this year \$1.03, last year 84c.

Asheville, this year 55c., last year 80c.

Concord, this year 94., last year 94c.

Fayetteville, this year \$1.12, last year \$1.10.

Kings Mountain, this year, 70c., last year 59c.

Mecklenburg, this year \$1.36, last year \$1.42.

Orange, this year \$2.46, last year \$1.76.

Wilmington, this year \$3.82, last year \$5.77.

The following churches constitute the Synod's Roll of Honor, having contributed over \$4.00 per member to Foreign Missions: Hendersonville, Ida Mills, Mooresville First, Gulf, Fayetteville, Laurel Hill, St. Paul, Banks, Marshville, Monroe, Ashboro, Durham First, Greensboro First, North Wilkesboro, Westminster of Greensboro, Winston First, and Wilmington First—seventeen churches in all, or against fourteen last year and five two years ago.

In view of the growing prosperity and corresponding demand of the church's work abroad, which can be met only by increasing contributions at home, your committee would recommend the following action:

1. Synod learns with regret that some of our churches, which, by taking a separate every-member canvass, had entered the Forward Movement, are making the introduction of the Assembly's plan the occasion of dropping their foreign mission pledges

already secured, and of reporting smaller pledges for foreign missions in the every-member canvass taken for all the causes together.

Attention is called to the fact that the Assembly's new plan is a flexible one, leaving it optional with the churches whether they shall take one every-member canvass for all the causes, or one for the work at home and one for the work abroad (See Assembly's Minutes, 1910, p. 22.) Synod would hereby urge all its Forward Movement churches to stand by the pledges already made to foreign missions, and to make these the starting point in any new canvass that may be taken; or at least to see to it that in any new every-member canvass, the amount pledged to foreign missions shall not be less than that pledged heretofore, but more if possible.

2. Synod would also call attention to the fact that in asking for a contribution of \$550,000 for foreign mission this year, the Assembly distinctly named that amount as the minimum to be raised; and that our missionary platform is still in full force, which names \$1,000,000 a year, or an average of \$4 a member, as the goal which every church should strive to reach as speedily as possible. Synod therefore expresses the earnest hope that the roll of churches giving \$4 per member will be largely increased during the year by the addition to that roll of many churches within the bounds of this Synod.

R. F. CAMPBELL, Chairman.

ASSEMBLY HOME MISSIONS.

In making its report on Assembly Home Missions the Synodical Committee desire to call attention to the consummation of the plans for the consolidation of the Assembly's Executive Committees on Home Missions and Colored Evangelization.

The purpose and scope of the work of the consolidated Committees is admirably set forth in the following official statement:

"The Executive Committee of Home Missions is the Assembly's agency for looking after the needs of the weaker Presbyteries, and the exceptional and dependent populations within our borders."

The field of operations of the Assembly's Committee has grown from year to year until it reaches almost every Synod in the Church. It embraces the work in the mountains, among the Indians, the Negroes, the people of foreign speech and the unchurched regions of the West."

"This work is divided into four great departments as follows:

"Church Erection, Mission Schools, Sustentation, Evangelistic."

For this work the Committee of the Assembly represent as its minimum requirements for the current year the sum of \$190,000.00, or 25 per cent. of the total amount asked for by the General Assembly for all of its causes. To this sum should be added \$100,000 asked for as a Semi-Centennial Church Building Fund.

The apportionment of the Synod of North Carolina for this cause, exclusive of the Building Fund, for the year 1911-12 is \$30,323, and this amount has been apportioned by your Committee to the several Presbyteries, but as the meeting of the Assembly was held after the Spring meetings of Presbyteries when the apportionments for the current year were made up this apportionment had to be submitted as the basis for an apportionment at the Fall meetings for the ensuing ecclesiastical year, 1912-13. As will be seen from the report of the Synodical Committee on Systematic Beneficence most of the Presbyteries have accepted this apportionment for the coming year.

Last year, according to the Minutes of the Assembly of 1911, the churches of the Synod gave only \$8,991 to this cause, or only about one-fourth of the amount asked for as a minimum for the current year. As the amount given last year was only 1-21 of the total amount represented as a minimum for this year, and as the amount asked of the Synod for this year is only a trifle less than one-sixth of the total amount needed, it will be seen how

vital it is to this cause that the churches raise as large a sum as possible for the present year.

Your Committee calls especial attention to the fact that the receipts for this cause, so far under the new scheme of collections, are below the receipts for the same period last year, and this notwithstanding the further fact that the Executive Committee has by directin of the Assembly assumed responsibility for the work of Colored Evangelization.

We recommend that the Synod urge upon Presbyterial Chairmen for the cause the importance of seeing to it that the congregations which have adopted the new schedule of collections set aside for this cause the full 21 per cent. of the total amount received for the Assembly causes in their bounds.

It is further recommended that these Presbyteries impress on their congregations the importance of a speedy adoption of the Every-Member Canvass for all the causes of Beneficence.

The needs of homeless churches and newly organized congregations are so imperative that no more fitting method of celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of our Church could be devised than in the plan for raising a fund of \$100,000 for this purpose, and we recommend that the Synod heartily commend the effort put forth to raise this sum to the generosity of its people.

Perhaps the greatest of all needs connected with this great cause is represented by the call for the awakening of a spirit of evangelism in the Church at large. The facts connected with the issuing of this call are such as to call for the most prayerful and serious consideration of this Synod.

The number of additions to our Church last year on profession of faith was less last year than were received seventeen years ago, and this notwithstanding the large increase in the total membership during this period.

The number of additions on profession of faith last year was less than eight for every ordained minister of the Gospel, only four of every organized church, while over seventeen hundred churches report not a single spiritual child as born within their bounds during the entire year.

The Executive Committee calls for earnest prayer and effort among all the churches for a renew spirit of evangelization, and believe that we should pray and work for not less than 50,000 additions to our communion on profession of faith during the present year.

Your Committee recommend that the Presbyteries be directed to plan for special evangelistic work within their bounds.

We regret to report that under the plan of consolidation of the Home Mission and Colored Evangelistic Committees there seems to be no quickening of interest on the part of the churches in the latter cause. The most discouraging feature of this work is the lack of funds for its enlargement, and the most encouraging elements of the problem are the splendid work done at the Stillman Institute, and the successful Sunday school work maintained in a few of the churches. The work of Rev. John Little has demonstrated the possibilities of this feature of the efforts to evangelize the Negroes, and we recommend that Presbyteries be urged to put forth special efforts to secure the founding of such schools within their bounds.

NEAL L. ANDERSON, Chairman.

SYNODICAL HOME MISSIONS.

Historical: At the fourth annual meeting of the Synod of the Carolinas, held at Thyatira Church, in October, 1791, the Synod resolved "to send out four missionaries to act in the destitute regions each side of the Alleghanies, the direction of these missionaries to be in the Commission of Synod during recess of Synod." The men appointed were Rev. James Templeton and Rev. Robert Hall of the Presbytery of South Carolina, and Rev. Robert Archibald and Licentiate John Bowman of Presbytery of Orange. This work was continued by the Synod with varying success for twenty-one years, missionaries being sent to destitute regions in North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia and Mississippi. In 1812, just one year before the formation of the Synod of North Carolina, this work was resigned into the hand of the General Assembly and the churches were enjoined to support it with their contributions. For sixty-eight years the Synod of North Carolina, as such, did no Home Mission work. In 1881 the constitutional right of the Synod to do this work was settled in the affirmative. For seven years little more was done. In 1888 the movement was successfully launched, which has done so much for the Presbyterian Church in this State. Fifteen counties, before untouched by our Church, have been entered, seventy-five churches and one hundred Sabbath schools have been organized, 20,884 persons have been led to confess Christ as their Saviour, and 11,417 members have been added to the Presbyterian church.

Standing as we do on this eminence and looking back on this period of uninterrupted blessing, your committee now having this work in charge, in presenting its twenty-third annual report, humbly and gratefully acknowledges the continued manifestation of the divine blessing, expresses its appreciation of the cooperation of Presbyteries, pastors and churches, and cordially commends the diligence of the missionaries and evangelists since the last meeting of the Synod. The year has had its lights and shadows, its encouragements and disappointments. Unpaid installments of subscriptions made last year to special objects still rest upon our people. Additional subscriptions to other special objects were made this year. The confusion incident to putting into operation the Assembly's new method of raising the benev-

cient funds has interfered with the regular contributions. The low price of cotton has been felt very keenly in a large portion of the Synod. The Superintendent, by advice of his physician, was forced to lay aside visitations of the churches for one month. And yet, the blessing of God has been so graciously with us that we can report only one field vacant for the entire year, thirty-one men in the employment of the Committee for the whole year or a part of the time, 1,792 professions of faith, 740 additions to the Presbyterian Church, and \$11,110.95 contributed to this cause, which is the largest amount ever given in any one year except 1900 and 1910, when special efforts were made to raise long-standing deficits. The work has been entirely sustained this year and \$764.75 paid on our deficit, leaving this deficit \$1,000.

The Superintendent—with the exception of the thirty days referred to above, the Superintendent has discharged the duties of the position he occupies, superintending the work on the field, visiting Presbyteries, churches and societies in the interest of Home Missions, issuing circulars and writing letters to individuals, churches, Sabbath schools and societies, receiving and disbursing the funds, and writing articles for the church papers to acquaint the church at large with the progress and needs of the work. In addition to these, which constitute the duties of his office as Superintendent, he has made full time as an evangelist, holding meetings in the following churches: Young Memorial, Elmira Chapel, Loray, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Dunn, Olivet, Burgaw, Front Street, Farmville, Falkland, Geneva, Beulah, Mt. Vernon Springs, Gulf, Warsaw, Selma and Tenth Avenue, in which there were 130 professions of faith, most of whom joined the Presbyterian Church. During the year he visited forty-six churches and delivered 288 sermons or addresses on Home Missions.

Rev. William Black—In the years he has served the Synod as General Evangelist, none has been more fruitful than the year just closing. He has preached 401 times in twenty-six different places, and in these meetings there were 1,338 professions of faith and 410 of these joined the Presbyterian Church. Others meant to do this and doubtless did but the evangelist has no record on this point. He collected \$1,782.81 for Synodical Home Missions and \$1,450 for Congregational purposes and Church Erection. He organized two Young Men's Prayer Leagues, one Sabbath school and prepared the way for the organization of one church. His unusual qualifications as an evangelist are recognized throughout the South., and he was absent two months hold-

ing meetings in other States, during which time he received no salary from the Synod.

Rev. G. W. Belk—Enough new work had been opened to tax the energies of the available men and the liberality of the churches, hence this brother, instead of exploring counties unoccupied by our Church, has spent the past year in strengthening the feebler portions of our fields and doing the work of a General Evangelist. In this latter capacity he held meetings at Cornelius, Norwood, Joyner's, Cooleemee, Grassy Creek, Spencer, Oxford, Snow Hill, High Point, Roanoke Rapids, Bryson City, Hazlewood, Shortoff, Robbinsville, Memorial, Little River and Glade Valley, in all seventeen meetings. He has preached 340 times in 28 places, witnessed 124 professions of faith, and received into the Presbyterian Church 69 members. Others expressed the purpose to unite later, and perhaps did, but no report to this effect was sent the evangelist. Though these were nearly all weak, mission churches, they were strengthened through his instrumentality and contributed \$357.01 to Synodical Home Missions.

Albemarle Presbytery—All the Synodical Mission fields in this Presbytery have been supplied for at least a portion of the year. Rev. G. W. Belk gives three-fourths of his time to this Presbytery, and Synod last year assisted Revs. J. B. Black, J. H. Jarvis, Carr Moore, H. C. Nelson and J. S. Wood, and during the summer, Candidates Robert King, H. F. Morton, W. U. Guerant, and R. V. Lancaster, who did unusually faithful and successful work. The assistance needed by two of these mission fields was rendered through this Committee by two brothers, both consecrated elders of our Church. On the mission fields of this Presbytery there were last year 70 professions of faith, 62 additions to the church, \$156 raised for Home Missions, \$1,443 for pastors' salaries, and \$1,220 for other purposes.

Asheville Presbytery—No vacancies have occurred in the Synodical Home Mission fields of this Presbytery during the past year. Assistance has been rendered the fields served by Revs. J. C. Brown, Paul F. Brown, W. P. Chedester, W. H. Davis, R. J. Hunter and J. Q. Wallace. These men have done faithful service amid many hardships, and the Master blessed them with 72 professions of faith, 63 additions to the church, \$165 given to Home Missions, \$1,620 to pastoral support and \$1,192 to other causes. The fields in this Presbytery show a constant and commendable progress toward self-support.

Concord Presbytery—Among the Synodical Home Mission fields of the State, the only vacancy for the entire year has been the Waldensian Church, in this Presbytery, owing to the difficulty of securing a minister who speaks their native tongue. There is good prospect of supplying this church at an early date. The Synod gave assistance last year to Revs. G. N. Thomas and Edgar Tufts, for a part of the time to Revs. J. A. Harris, P. H. Burney and T. E. P. Woods, and for the summer to Rev. E. A. Sample and Candidate T. W. Clapp. On the fields served by these brethren 43 persons gave their hearts to Christ, 30 united with the Presbyterian Church, \$22 were given to Home Missions, 212 to pastoral support, and \$66 to other purposes.

Fayetteville Presbytery—One member of this Presbytery, Rev. R. S. Arrowood, is assisted by Synod's Committee. He has charge of the Elise High School and serves three churches and several mission points. From this school eight Candidates for the Ministry have already come, and others have the matter under consideration. Seventeen of the pupils united with the church last year and ten this year.

Kings Mountain Presbytery—In this Presbytery also aid is given to one minister, Rev. T. C. Croker. He has been in labors more abundant over much of Rutherford and Cleveland counties, and all of Polk. His churches have grown under his faithful ministry, and a church of much promise has been organized and the building erected at Bostic City. He also reports one Sabbath school organized, five members added to the churches, \$10 raised for Home Missions, \$240 for pastor's salary and \$323 for other purposes.

Wilmington Presbytery—This Presbytery received help from the Synod last year for the Brunswick field, for Rev. L. E. Wells, and for Rev. F. B. Smith, for a portion of the time. The Brunswick field is supplied in connection with the First Church, Wilmington. All reports received indicate earnest and successful work on the part of the laborers.

Mecklenburg and Orange Presbyteries—These Presbyteries make no request to the Synod for financial aid, but through their Presbyterial Committees reach the destitutions within their borders, and they loyally support the work which blesses other parts of the Synod. In Mecklenburg Presbytery three meetings were held last year by the Superintendent, one by Rev. G. W. Belk and one by Rev. William Black. In Orange two meetings were held by Rev. William Black and two by Rev. G. W. Belk.

Financial Statement—The following is an itemized statement of the amounts received for Synodical Home Missions:

Presbytery.	Paid.	Apportioned.
Albemarle	\$1,235.26	\$ 1,000.00
Asheville	465.99	500.00
Concord	1,291.31	2,160.00
Fayetteville	2,769.18	2,500.00
Kings Mountain	426.48	500.00
Mecklenburg	1,106.94	2,700.00
Orange	1,021.85	1,250.00
Wilmington	1,310.25	1,210.00
Individuals	1,483.69	
Total	\$11,110.95	

Of this amount the Ladies' Societies gave \$405.02, the Young People's Societies \$65.97, the Children's Societies \$57.92, and the Sabbath Schools \$154.59. Three Presbyteries exceeded their apportionments: Albemarle, Fayetteville and Wilmington. The increase in the contributions of Asheville and Fayetteville Presbyteries is particularly noticeable.

Home Missions in the Presbyteries—In addition to the work done by the Synod, and, in most instances, in connection with it, the Presbyteries are engaged in Home Mission work, each within its own bounds. The following figures give at a glance the work thus done and its results:

Number of Mission Fields: Albemarle, 11; Asheville, 10; Concord, 18; Fayetteville, 12; Kings Mountain, 5; Mecklenburg, 8; Orange, 12; Wilmington, 5; Total, 81.

Organized Churches: Albemarle, 29; Asheville, 26; Concord, 46; Fayetteville, 30; Kings Mountain, 18; Mecklenburg, 15; Orange 34; Wilmington, 17; Total 215.

Mission Points: Albemarle, 11; Asheville, 14; Concord, 18; Fayetteville, 25; Kings Mountain, 6; Mecklenburg, 8; Orange, 14; Wilmington, 5; Total, 101.

Mission Fields Supplied. Albemarle, 7; Asheville, 9; Concord, 10; Fayetteville, 10; Kings Mountain, 4; Mecklenburg, 7; Orange, 12; Wilmington, 5; Total 64.

Mission Fields Vacant: Albemarle, 4; Asheville, 1; Concord, 8; Fayetteville, 2; Kings Mountain, 1; Mecklenburg, 1; Orange, 0; Wilmington, 0; Total, 17.

Churches Organized: Albemarle, 1; Asheville, 1; Concord,

2; Fayetteville, 3; Kings Mountain, 1; Mecklenburg, 1; Orange, 0; Wilmington, 1; Total, 10.

Sabbath Schools Organized: Albemarle, 4; Asheville, 0; Concord, 7; Fayetteville, 3; Kings Mountain, 0; Mecklenburg, 4; Orange, 13; Wilmington, 0; Total, 31.

Professions of Faith: Albemarle, 196; Asheville, 45; Concord, 264; Fayetteville, 144; Kings Mountain, 64; Mecklenburg, 175; Orange, 183; Wilmington, 16; Total, 1,151.

Additions to Churches: Albemarle, 178; Asheville, 30; Concord, 251; Fayetteville, 117; Kings Mountain, 64; Mecklenburg, 100; Orange, 125; Wilmington, 10; Total, 875.

Given to Pastoral Support: Albemarle, \$2,850; Asheville, \$2,580; Concord, \$641; Fayetteville, \$5,600; Kings Mountain, \$1,100; Mecklenburg, \$1,508; Orange, \$4,163; Wilmington, \$450; Total, \$18,892.

Given to other Causes: Albemarle, \$1,455; Asheville, \$2,200; Concord, \$497; Fayetteville, \$4,404; Kings Mountain, \$782; Mecklenburg, \$720; Orange, \$9,236; Wilmington, \$294; Total, \$19,588.

Total Spent by Presbytery: Albemarle, \$1,777; Asheville, \$2,000; Concord, \$3,090; Fayetteville, \$3,500; Kings Mountain, \$1,267; Mecklenburg, \$1,825; Orange, \$4,311; Wilmington, \$900; Total, \$18,670.

Amount Spent for Congregational Missions: Albemarle, \$1,700; Asheville, 0; Concord, \$2,174; Fayetteville, \$500; Kings Mountain \$600; Mecklenburg, \$2,700; Orange, \$3,700; Wilmington, \$3,500; Total, \$14,874.

From these figures it is seen that there are in these Presbyteries 81 Mission Fields, in which there are 215 organized churches and 101 Mission Points. Sixty-four of these fields are supplied with preaching and 17 are vacant. During the year 10 new churches and 31 Sabbath Schools were organized. There have been on these mission fields 1,151 professions of faith in Christ and 875 persons added to the Presbyterian Church. To Pastoral Support these mission fields have given \$18,892, for other purposes \$19,588, making a total of funds contributed by these feeble churches for all causes \$38,480. The Presbyteries have spent \$18,670 to sustain these fields, and individual churches have given \$14,874 for mission work within their congregational bounds.

Adding to this the work done by the Synod in these Presbyteries and not included in the above figures, we have as a total result of the combined efforts of the Presbyteries and the Synod 2,943 professions of faith, 1,615 additions to the church, and \$44,655 expended on Home Mission work in the State.

Statement of Treasurer—Receipts—

Balance from last year	\$ 18.37
Received from all sources	11,110.95
Total Receipts	\$11,129.32

Disbursements—

Pastors and Evangelists	\$10,948.46
Bladesville Church, Special	17.00
Interest on note in Bank	60.00
Sabbath School Banner	3.35
Stationery	3.50
Printing	48.65
Postage	48.36
Total Disbursements	\$11,129.32

Recommendations—1. That Synod gratefully repeats its appreciation of the liberality of those individuals through whose assistance it has been possible to keep in the field for the past three years an additional General Evangelist.

2. That the profound thanks of the Synod are due, and are hereby cordially extended to the two Ruling Elders who by their munificent liberality made it possible to put two additional workers in the field last year.

3. That all the churches adopting the Every-Member Canvass be urged to give Synodical Home Missions a place in their scheme of benevolences. But where this plan has not been adopted the churches be urged to contribute to this cause in January and July.

4. That the Sabbath schools, where the Every-Member Canvass has not been put into operation, be asked to contribute to this cause on the first Sunday in July, or as early thereafter as possible.

5. That Synod commends the Ladies' and Young People's Societies which have supported this work, and asks other societies to remember this cause in their contributions, if the way be clear.

6. That the Presbyteries be urged to secure suitable Ruling Elders to hold religious services in the vacant churches in their bounds.

7. That the Synod endeavor to raise \$20,000 for this cause during the coming year, and that the apportionments of the Presbyteries be as follows: Albemarle, \$1,700; Asheville, \$900; Concord, \$3,625; Fayetteville, \$4,200; Kings Mountain, \$900; Mecklenburg, \$4,550; Orange, \$2,100; Wilmington, \$2,025.

Respectfully submitted,

M. McG. SHIELDS,
Superintendent and Chairman.

REPORT OF SYNOD'S COMMITTEE OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND MINISTERIAL RELIEF.

The Synod's Committee properly bears the name of the consolidated Executive Committee of the Assembly and is charged with the interests of six departments of work within the bounds of the Synod.

1. Ministerial Education.
2. Ministerial Relief-Annual Fund.
3. Ministerial Relief-Endowment Fund.
4. Assembly's Home and School.
5. Schools and Colleges-Assembly's.
6. Student's Loan Fund.

We take these up in order:

I.—Ministerial Education.

For the year ending April 1st. 436 Candidates were reported, a gratifying, continued increase in answer to the prayers of the church. Of these, 285 received aid. But the increase of contributions fell short of the amount needed to meet the maximum appropriation of \$100 to each candidate and the amounts paid were cut down seventeen and a half per cent in order to avoid making a debt. The danger is that there will be a more serious scaling this year.

Now what can our Synod do about it? According to the latest statistics there are 136 candidates in our Synod. Of these, 91 were helped by the Assembly's committee to the extent of \$7,224.00. The collections from our churches were only \$2,843. a difference of \$4,382.00, which was drawn from other Synods to help our candidates. If we had supported our own candidates there would have been no scaling of the scant appropriations of all candidates. This ought not to be. It is no lack of means. We are justly proud that we take the lead in several causes with a large and increasing liberality, and we ask none to help us. Why then should we fall so far behind in this suffering cause?

We do well to aspire to be the banner Synod in Foreign Missions, Home Missions, and Education, why may we not aspire also to raise up and educate men and women who shall carry the Gospel banner at home and abroad, and then help others also.

It may be argued, however, that we furnish nearly one-third of the candidates in the whole church, and we might reasonably expect the other thirteen Synods to help us educate them. There is some force in this, and there would be more if we were poor.

or if the giving of our sons impoverished us. The fourteen Synods, the strong and the weak, averaged \$2,000 for this cause last year and the strong Synod of North Carolina gave forty per cent above the average. If we set the example of a large liberality here also, it may be that at an early day all the other Synods shall realize their responsibility both for candidates and for the money to aid them even more generously than in the past.

We wish to call the attention of our churches to the first Sunday in December, named by the Assembly for prayer for the young men of our church and also for presenting the claims of the Gospel ministry.

II.—Ministerial Relief. Annual Fund.

The efficiency of this cause is increasing, and the outlook is more hopeful, though the appropriations to aged and infirm ministers, widows and orphans are still far too small. The collections in our Synod last year amounted to \$2,408.00, two hundred and eight churches contributed nothing. The appropriations within our bounds were \$3,145.00. The excess was evidently drawn from the interest on the endowment fund. The Assembly asks for much larger collections for this cause. Appropriations are limited to the needy. The average appropriation to a minister is \$195; to a widow \$130; and to an orphan \$85. The increase barely keeps pace with the increased cost of living.

III.—Ministerial Relief. Endowment Fund.

This fund has reached \$306,000 safely invested and the interest is thrown into the annual fund for distribution. The Assembly asks "the continued interest of our churches in behalf of this endowment fund" in order to increase it to \$500,000.

Your committee does not know how much of the \$306,000 has been contributed within the bounds of the Synod, but we find that we added nearly \$900 during the past year. It will be necessary for us to devise liberal things—say \$15,000 or \$20,000 as our fair proportion in order to add the remaining \$194,000 to this fund. Much of the work has been done in the past by personal contributions rather than by church collections, and doubtless it will be so in the future.

IV.—Assembly's Home and School.

For seventeen years past, since the founding of this institution there has been no settled policy for its conduct, and in some cases the instructions of the Assembly have been contradictory. It is a matter of grave concern to the Assembly's Executive Com-

mittee to define its future permanent policy, and to define its relations to the Home and Foreign Mission Committees and to Ministerial Relief proper. The last Assembly appointed an ad-interim committee to consider all matters pertaining to the Home and School, and "recommend a permanent policy as to the future of its existence and work. Suffice it now to note.

(1) The last report says they have seventy-four Home and School students in school and seven children not, and twenty widows, making a total of one hundred and one persons enjoying directly or indirectly the privileges of the institution.

(2) The sum of \$530 was paid last January, when due, reducing the bonded debt to \$12,476. Interest also paid.

(3) The real and personal property of the Home and School is estimated at \$40,700, and carries a lien to secure the debt above mentioned.

(4) One hundred and fifty of our churches and sundry persons contributed last year \$1,800 for the Home and School, and much or more is needed for the current year.

V.—Assembly's Schools and Colleges.

The Assembly had adopted the term "Assembly's Schools and Colleges" and "Synodical Schools and Colleges," and directed a collection for each at appointed times, and they dropped the previous name "Church and Christian Education." When the consolidations were made the new executive committee received the name "Christian Education, etc.." restoring the old name in part and for substance. This executive Committee appointed a sub-committee of Schools and Colleges ignoring the distinction of Synodical Schools and Colleges. This has led to a great deal of confusion which cannot be corrected in this report.

Dr. W. E. Boggs, secretary, has been directly engaged in building up a loan fund which we will presently consider. He has also been working to find some means of promoting the "Spiritual welfare of Presbyterian youths, and some worthy teaching of the Bible in State universities and other undenominational schools." (See Minutes, 1910, p. 42.)

He has visited seventeen such institutions and corresponded with others in order to ascertain their spiritual condition and their needs. He reports an open door and a hearty welcome to all efforts of the churches to work in close contact with them. Fifty-three churches are credited by \$395 for the past year.

VI.—Student Loan Fund.

Dr. W. E. Boggs, secretary, reports that forty-five scholarship

of \$400 each have been subscribed, aggregating \$18,000, of which over \$5,000 has been paid in. These are memorial scholarships established mainly by persons, and a few churches, and a few societies. These loans shall be made to deserving students, \$100 a year for four years, under rules and regulations adopted by the Executive Committee of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. SHEARER, Chairman.

SABBATH AND FAMILY RELIGION.

For years past we have listened to the reports on this subject filled with lamentations as they have come up from the churches. We fear that as a church we have become indifferent in a measure to the claims of this subject by repeatedly hearing without some aggressive doing on our part to remedy the evils. These reports denounce in strong terms Sunday newspapers, Sunday railroad trains, open shops, etc. We see and fully realize that these are great evils, which strike at the very heart of the Christian religion, but who is responsible for their existence? We are fully persuaded that professing Christians are perhaps more responsible than any other class for these flagrant sins which flourish in this land where we take pride in proclaiming to the world that ours is a Christian nation. Men, who conduct these enterprises, tell us frankly that they exist because professing Christians patronize them freely, and some even join with non-professors and demand that they be maintained.

The laboring man is pleading for the Sabbath as a day of rest and we Christian people are not helping him to get it. The Post Office Department at Washington stands ready to help us in this matter. The Christian people of the United States by acting unitedly can get almost anything they want along these lines. It is a well known fact that many of our brethren sit in our church courts and help to pass pious resolutions and recommendations on the subject of Sabbath observance and family religion and then go down into the world and act on the contrary. Under such circumstances what right have we to expect non-professors to give due respect to the church and her ordinances? Wordy resolutions and injunctions count for little unless followed up by earnest doing. Perhaps it would be better for us to give less time to finding fault with the outside world and give more attention to our own short comings. Let us remove the beam from our own eye, and then we can help the brother with his mote

We are not unmindful of the fact that the proper observance of the Sabbath in this age is attended by many perplexing problems. Our rapidly increasing population, new inventions, ever changing methods of business, imported custom, etc., necessarily bring new adjustments for the Sabbath. Withal, let it be remembered that the spirit of God's law remains the same and we must take heed thereto so that none of our adjustments violate any of its wise and holy principles. Man has wrought out many

inventions in the way of excuses for breaking the Sabbath. He says that modern business methods demand an open postoffice and the Sunday newspaper. Canada, our neighbor, does without either; yet she transacts much business and is prosperous. Our banks and stores close on the Sabbath, then why not the postoffice and the printing press?

We would remind our people that the Sabbath is a day for rest and especially a day for worship. The fourth is the oldest commandment of the Decalogue, it was in force long before Moses received from the hand of God the two tables of stone on Mt. Sinai. Some of Israel's severest punishments came from violating this commandment. In fact, no nation has ever prospered that has wilfully neglected and broken this holy law of Jehovah.

For proper training in this and in all other Commandments we must look to the family for a right beginning. Here is the fountain from which issue streams of blessing or streams that blight and poison the social, the political, and the religious life of the nation. With shame we confess that our branch of the church is not maintaining its former standard in the matter of family religion. The pushing, pressing, commercial spirit of the times has crept into our homes and is robbing our families of the quiet hour for worship. The clang of business has hushed the voice of praise at many of our altars.

We beg parents to save their children from much of the pernicious literature of the day which is teaching irreverence, disobedience, and infidelity. Even some of our public school teachers and some of the textbooks boldly teach that evil is a mere intrusion. Hence as parents we cannot afford to turn our children over to others to give them the only moral and religious instruction, which they are to receive; the God-given responsibility is on us and we must give them the truth from the Scriptures in our homes. It has been well said, "There were two institutions established in the beginning of the race, the Sabbath and the family. They are both fundamental. The family is the place and the Sabbath is the special time for training a holy seed for God."

Much of the trouble arises from a misconception of the nature and the design of these two institutions. Many regard the Sabbath as a mere holiday for recreation and pleasure seeking. In like manner the marriage tie is looked upon as an ordinary contract that may be annulled by a capricious will. "If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do?" Can we afford to be indifferent and silent since we face such condi-

tions? There is an urgent call for all of our ministers to do some plain, earnest preaching on this subject. All apostacy begins in the family, likewise all reformation must begin there too.

This report is not meant to be pessimistic, it has simply stated facts in plain terms. Notwithstanding the sadness wrought by these evils, we have much to encourage us. The Lord's Day Alliance is doing much faithful work with splendid results. Laboring men are beginning to claim the Sabbath as a day of rest, and the legislator is turning an attentive ear to their petitions. Many godly men of power are writing and pleading for the family to be maintained according to the teachings of God's Word. Let us as a Synod join with these efforts and help to bring God's blessings on our homes as they came to that of Obed-edom.

W. D. MORTON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BIBLE CAUSE.

Your committee on the Bible Cause presents the following report:

The past year has been a notable one in the history of this cause. 1911 is the 300th anniversary of the publication of our authorized version. Through meetings all over our church and country we have been reminded of what this book has meant to us.

It has largely made and marverously kept the English language what it is. It has for three centuries now, perfected and enriched our literature and it is loved and honored and treasured today, we believe, as it has never been before.

The trust funds of the American Bible Society have grown until they have reached the magnificent sum of \$2,808,024. The opportunity and the ability to translate and publish the Bible throughout the whole world, are greater than ever before. The presses of the society are practically six months behind in supplying the work.

During the year the society issued 3,231,722 copies of the Bible or parts of the Bible, one-half here at home and one-half from their presses in the mission field.

We need to remember that the endowment yields only one-seventh of the money needed to carry on the work.

That the call of the foreign fields and the home land for the Scriptures constitute a powerful call to God's people for the money to answer the call and supply the need.

We would respectfully recommend:

1. That those churches of our Synod that have not yet celebrated the Ten-centenary of our Authorized Version, be asked to give one service before the close of the year to a consideration of what our English Bible has meant to us.

2. That our Presbyteries be earnestly requested to raise the \$1,600 asked of our Synod by the General Assembly as its quota of the \$10,000 expected from our churches.

3. That a serious effort be made by our ministers and churches, in co-operation with the other denominations, to place a Bible in every house within their bounds.

J. M. WELLS, Chairman.

SABBATH SCHOOLS AND PUBLICATION.

Your committee on Sabbath Schools and Publication submit the following report:

We wish to call the careful attention of Synod to some facts gathered from an examination of the reports to the several Presbyteries:

The total enrollment of the eight Presbyteries is 35,368, including the cradle roll and home department which shows that there are about 10,000 more on the rolls of our churches than there are in the Sabbath schools. The number added to the churches from the Sabbath school during the past year is 1,011, our against 983 for last year. This does not include Mecklenburg which made no report on this point.

There has been a degree of liberality in contributing to the causes of the churches, showing that our young people are being taught the grace of giving; in some schools an effort is on foot to make the giving systematic.

In reply to the question, Do your pupils memorize the Bible? we find food for thought: Albemarle answers, very little; Fayetteville, one third; Asheville names the definite number, 8, while the others give us no reason to hope that the pupils are generally trained in the Scriptures outside of the International Lessons. We find also that the good old practice of the pupils carrying their Bibles to the church and to the Sabbath school has been practically abolished. We earnestly urge pastors, superintendents and teachers to try to revive this practice, the advantages of which are evident.

To the question, are your schools under the control of the Session: Wilmington leads in average with 30 out of 31; Asheville, next with 18 out of 19. However we remind Synod of the fact that in many cases this does not mean that the Session actually appoints the officers and teachers.

We are glad to report that progress is being made in Sabbath school organization throughout the Presbyteries, with special attention to the Primary Department.

We recommend especially the aggressive work of Fayetteville in having a S. S. evangelist, devoting his whole time to the work within the bounds of Presbytery.

In all the Presbyteries our own literature is used with few exceptions and we take pleasure in commending the splendid work

of the Committee of Publication in getting out its good work in supplying mission Sabbath schools with free literature.

Most of our schools are open all the year. Asheville Presbytery reports 18 out of 19 that are ever-green, and this in spite of the severe winter climate of that section.

We recommend:

1. That a larger place be given the Sabbath school in the meetings of our Presbyteries. As a general thing the report of the committee is rushed through without comment.

2. That the name of Bible School instead of Sunday School be kept before the pupils as far as may be practicable.

W. M. WALSH, Chairman.

REPORT ON SYNODICAL SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

Synod's Committee on Schools and Colleges beg leave to report. Reports from all the schools and colleges within our bounds and in which Synod is directly interested, indicate continued and increasing prosperity. This report is made largely statistical in order to present a bird's eye-view of the Church and Christian education within our bounds.

1. Davidson College, in which all our Presbyteries are directly interested: Teachers and officers 16, pupils 342, value of plant \$350,000, increase of plant last year \$20,000, endowment paid in \$200,000, increase of endowment last year \$100,000.

2. Peace Institute, in which several Presbyteries are interested: Teachers 18, pupils 189, plant \$150,000, large additions last year.

3. Albemarle Presbytery has one mission school. No report.

4. Asheville Presbytery: Three mission schools, teachers 8, pupils 195, plant \$18,00, collections for current expenses \$1,500.

V.—Concord Presbytery.

Statesville Female College: Teachers and officers 15, pupils 140, plant \$60,000, current expense fund \$100.

Lees-McRae Institute: (a), Girls department—Teachers 8, pupils 130, plant \$20,000, improvements last year \$5,000; (b) Boys department—teachers 4, pupils 100, plant no report.

Primary Mission Schools. four schools reported: Teachers 8, pupils 250, expense fund \$155.

Mast Seminary, no report.

Other Mission Schools not reported.

VI.—Kings Mountain Presbytery.

Westminster School: Teachers and officers 4, pupils 75, plant \$20,000, funds contributed last year \$3,394.

VII.—Fayetteville Presbytery.

Presbyterian College and Conservatory of Music: Teachers and officers 35, pupils 321, plant \$175,000, money raised last year \$45,000 to extinguish debt.

Elise High School: Teachers 4, pupils 80, plant \$11,000.

VIII.—Mecklenburg Presbytery.

Presbyterian College for Women: Teachers and officers 25, pupils 245, plant \$125,000, money raised last year for current expenses, repairs, and betterments \$10,000.

Albemarle Normal and Industrial Institute: Teachers and

workers 14, pupils 100, plant \$15,000, expense fund and betterments \$12,627.

Porter Academy: Teachers 3, pupils 20, plant \$5,000, expense fund and betterments \$1,200.

Stanley Hall: Teachers 1, pupils 60, plant \$5,000, expense fund \$100.

IX.—Orange Presbytery.

Glade Valley High School: Teachers and officers 6, pupils 100, plant \$14,000, expended on plant last year \$3,000.

X.—Wilmington Presbytery.

James Sprunt Institute: Teachers 8, pupils 90, plant \$10,000, current expenses and loan fund \$550.

Faison Male Academy: Teachers 3, pupils 30, plant \$5,000, expense fund \$95.00.

XI.—Synod's Orphan Home.

Teachers and officers, 20, pupils 180, plant \$60,000, support fund \$20,000, for improvements \$10,200, endowment \$1,000.

Summary.

Number of colleges and schools reporting 23, teachers and officers 191, pupils 2,412, plants \$1,070,000, endowment \$201,000, added to endowments last year \$100,000, contributions last year to current expenses, debts, repairs, and improvements \$132,921.00

This summary is very encouraging when compared with a possible report fifteen years ago. Is it not the earnest and pledge of what shall be accomplished in the years to come?

It is pertinent to notice here that your committee on Synodical Schools and Colleges, (formerly Church and Christian Education), was first appointed fifteen or eighteen years ago with the undersigned chairman. He was sick when Synod met last year. He finds that this Committee was inadvertently left out of the last printed minutes of Synod. There is no evidence in those minutes that Synod intended to abolish this Committee or to merge its work into the Assembly's Consolidated Executive Committee of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief. On the contrary, the presumption is that all Synod's local interests remain the same as before the consolidation of the Assembly's Committees. With this assumption, your Chairman has prepared this report.

There is submitted herewith the usual financial statement of money passing through his hands or reported through him. This

statement has always been limited to money contributed for current expenses and does not include money raised for plant or endowment.

We beg leave to make the following recommendations:

1. That Synod rehabilitate the committee on Synodical Schools and Colleges.
2. That Synod request the Presbyteries to do the same also or refer this subject to some proper committee, in the interest of local institutions.
3. That Synod's committee consist of a chairman appointed by Synod, as heretofore, a vice-chairman, and the chairmen of the committees on this cause in the Presbyteries.
4. That this committee in conference with the Presbyteries shall make such apportionment to the churches as may be agreed upon for the present with the hope and expectation of putting this cause in the forefront with other great causes.
5. That the money collected for this cause shall be divided as heretofore, one-half to the current expenses of Davidson College, and the other half to foster the presbyterial work. This half shall be disbursed by Synod's committee at their best discretion, or on terms agreed on with the Presbyteries.
7. That the chairman of this committee be also the treasurer as heretofore.
8. That the collection for this cause be taken in the month of February, except where it shall be superceded by the budget system or by the every-member canvass in any congregation.
9. Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., shall continue as Synodical chairman of this committee (by order of Synod) and Dr. T. W. Lingle shall be vice-chairman.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. SHEARER, Chairman.

Financial Statement.

RECEIPTS.

Albemarle Presbytery.

No report.

Asheville Presbytery.

Special collections reported \$ 1,500.00

Concord Presbytery.

General collections 13.96

Special collections 65.00

Special collections reported 255.00

Fayetteville Presbytery.

General collections 95.90

Kings Mountain Presbytery.	
General collections	64.78
Mecklenburg Presbytery.	
General collections	142.67
Special collections reported	23,926.00
Orange Presbytery.	
General collections	236.95
Wilmington Presbytery.	
General collections	117.72
Special collections reported	550.00
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Total	\$26,967.98

DISBURSEMENTS.

To printing and postage	\$ 7.50
To Asheville Pres. Schools, special	1,500.00
To Statesville Female College, special	165.00
To Concord Mission Schools, special	155.00
To Elise High School	23.68
To So. College and Conser. of Music	23.68
To Presbyterian College for Women, special as reported	10,000.00
To Albemarle Industrial School, special expense fund as reported	12,626.00
To Porter Academy, special expense fund as re- ported	1,200.00
To Stanley Hall, special as reported	100.00
To special Mecklenburg schools	138.67
To Jas. Sprunt Institute, special as reported	550.00
To Faison Academy, special	78.48
To Glade Valley High School	118.48
To Davidson College	281.49
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Total	\$26,967.98

WOMEN'S AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

Your Committee on Women's and Young People's Societies finds that it has, in reality, four reports to make,—Women's Societies, Brotherhoods, i. e., Men's Societies, Covenanters and Young People's Societies. Why the Covenanters should have a separate report and Miriams not have one, is one of the unexplained matters.

We therefore present four separate reports, as follows:

BROTHERHOOD

Presbytery	Societies	Membership	Current Exp.	Causes
Albemarle	0	0	0	0
Asheville	No Report.			
Concord	3	212	\$10.00	\$207.00
Fayetteville	1	62	6.00	50.00
Kings Mountain	0	0	0	0
Mecklenburg	No Report.			
Orange	2	65	30.00	11.48
Wilmington	No Report.			
Totals	6	339	\$46.00	\$268.68

This is indeed a pitably small showing for the Synod of North Carolina. Your Committee is really ashamed to make the report. It seems to us that the Church should either do something with this organization or throw it away. We understand that there are societies of men organized for Church work, but these do not seem to be included in any of the reports.

Your Committee has no recommendation to make under this head.

COVENANTERS

Presbytery	Societies	Membership	Current Exp.	Causes
Albemarle	No Report.			
Asheville	No Report.			
Concord	4	141	\$210.00	\$ 12.50
Fayetteville	6	162	20.00	116.00
Kings Mountain	2	30	1.00	10.00
Mecklenburg	No Report.			
Orange	4	92	6.00	60.00
Wilmington	No Report.			
Totals	16	425	\$237.00	\$199.10

JOINED THE CHURCH:—Kings Mountain, 9; Fayetteville, 13; Orange, 13; Totals, 38.

Your Committee finds that there seems to be very little general interest in organizing Covenanter bands. We note also that 1250 boys are enrolled in Young People's Societies. Would it not be possible to transfer these into Covenanter bands?

Your Committee has no recommendations to make under this head.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

Presbytery	Societies	Membership	Contg Ex	Causes
Albemarle	10	335	\$ 13 00	\$ 175.00
Asheville	14	347	77.00	177.00
Concord	33	713	31 00	679.00
Fayetteville	46	810	41.00	1,051.00
Kings Mountain	8	159	32.00	175.00
Mecklenburg	16	616	25.00	612.00
Orange	32	769	138 00	830.00
Wilmington	32	508	85 00	272.00
Totals	191	4257	\$442 00	\$3 971 00

Your Committee has no recommendations to make under this head.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

Presbytery	Societies	Membership	Contributions
Albemarle	25	548	\$1,729 00
Asheville	18	405	2,329 00
Concord	48	1285	5,979 00
Fayetteville	84	1920	6,419 00
Kings Mountain	16	455	1,609.00
Mecklenburg	57		7,266.00
Orange	37	1125	3,898 00
Wilmington	33	782	3,214 82
Totals	318	6519	\$32,443 82

The Synod can have nothing but words of commendation for the above splendid showing. We note the fact that in the mother Presbytery, Orange, the women gave \$4.66 per capita, but one of her grand-children, and nearly the youngest, Asheville, gave \$5.75 per member.

We call Synod's attention to the recommendations adopted by the North Carolina Delegation at the Women's Conference, Montreat, which are as follows:

"We, the North Carolina delegation to the Women's Conference at Montreat, do recommend:

1. That the Presbyterian Unions of the Synod of North Carolina, send two delegates from each Union to form a Synodical Conference, as approved by the General Assembly of 1910, pages 46 and 47 of Minutes, to meet once a year to discuss matters of common interest in connection with the work of the Presbyterian Unions.

2. That the first meeting of the Conference be held at Montreal August, 1912, directly following the Woman's Conference.

3. That the Synod of North Carolina appoint a committee on Woman's work through which the proposed Synodical Conference may report to that body and which shall act in an advisory capacity, both to the Synodical Conference and Presbyterian Unions ad interim.

4. We call Synod's attention especially to the suggestion that each Union send two delegates to form a Synodical Conference, and recommend that the Synod approve the same, with this added suggestion to the Unions, that the President and Secretary of each Union be considered ex officio members of the Conference, thus making four delegates from each Union.

We would recommend, 1st, that Synod grant the request of the Conference, and instruct the Committee on Women's Societies to receive any report brought before it by the Synodical Conference for transmission to the Synod, and that the Committee shall act in an advisory capacity both to the Synodical Conference and the Presbyterian Unions ad interim.

We recommend, 2nd, that Synod relieve this Committee of the care of, and reports from, the Young People's Societies, Covenanters and Brotherhoods.

C. G. VARDELL, Chairman.

REPORT ON SYSTEMATIC BENEFICENCE.

The Synodical Committee on Systematic Beneficence was appointed by the Moderator at the request of the Assembly's Permanent Committee, the chairman of Presbyterial Committees on this cause being made members of the Synodical Committee.

The Committee has co-operated with the Presbyterial Committees in placing the new Plan before every congregation in the bounds of the Synod; and with the assistance of the Presbyterial Stated Clerks sent to every Session a question blank to be sent to the Presbytery with the reports of the local congregation.

A meeting of the Committee was held at Montreat the latter part of July, at which time the Committee adopted the recommendation of the Assembly asking for \$3.25 per member for the Assembly causes, as the basis of the apportionment to the Presbyteries, leaving to each Presbytery the apportionment of the amount asked for among its various churches on whatever plan might commend itself to the Presbyteries.

The total amount asked for Assembly Causes by the Assembly itself, from the Synod of North Carolina is \$144,395, or \$3.25 per member on the basis of the Minutes of 1910. In accordance with the action of the Synodical Committee the amount asked from the various Presbyteries on this basis was as follows:

Presbytery of Albemarle	\$ 8,957
Presbytery of Asheville	6,324
Presbytery of Concord	24,502
Presbytery of Fayetteville	31,843
Presbytery of Kings Mountain	9,178
Presbytery of Mecklenburg	25,083
Presbytery of Orange	23,627
Presbytery of Wilmington	14,833

According to the Assembly's plan these amounts are to be distributed among the various causes, 60 per cent. for Foreign Missions; 21 per cent. for Home Missions; 14 per cent. for Education; 4 per cent. for Publication and Sunday School work, and 1 per cent for Bible Cause.

It was recommended that the Presbyterial Committee add to these totals the amounts required for the various Synodical and Presbyterial Causes, making a complete table of Apportionments, and it was urged that the Table so prepared should be adopted at the Fall meeting of Presbyteries so that the new ecclesiastical year 1912-13 might be begun under the New Plan.

Reports received from the Presbyteries at their Fall meetings are summarised below:

ALBEMARLE—Adopted Assembly's Plan last Spring, with a table of apportionments calling for "about half asked for." Presbytery to act on Assembly's recommendations and Synodical Committee's report at the adjourned meeting of Presbytery at Synod. Planning for an Elders and Deacons Convention on this cause at Wilson, November 28th-29th.

ASHEVILLE—Presbytery increases apportionment for Assembly causes to \$2,400, an increase of 20 per cent. over last year. The amount to be apportioned to the churches by the Presbyterial Committee on Systematic Beneficence.

Held an open Conference on the cause with good attendance of visiting elders and deacons, with indications that the result will be an adoption of the Plan by the various churches.

CONCORD—Presbytery adopted the Assembly's Plan and apportioned an amount to the different churches on a basis sufficient to raise the \$3.25 per member, 1912-13. In making apportionments to churches they were divided into four groups representing congregations of different financial ability. No definite action taken on proposed Conference of elders and deacons.

FAYETTEVILLE—Presbytery adopted by a unanimous vote the recommendation of the Presbyterial Committee to make an every member canvass and to report back to the Committee not later than March 15th. "Declined to levy a per capita apportionment, but in its stead emphasized the apportionment made last Spring and placed it on the churches for the ensuing year.

KING'S MOUNTAIN—Presbytery adopted the entire report of the Committee, apportioning \$3.25 per member to the churches on per capita basis, with Assembly's percentages. Churches were urged to carry out the every member canvass; and two Conventions of Elders and Deacons were called for the purpose of agitating the Plan and securing its adoption by all the churches.

MECKLENBURG—"Presbytery adopted the Plan and the per capita of \$3.25 and urged each church to adopt it and use it for next year's Budget. A few of the churches have followed the Plan wholly or in part the past year."

ORANGE—Plan adopted in full, Presbytery accepting its apportionment on basis of \$3.25 per member, and pro rating same among its churches on a plan of its own. Presbytery ordered an Elders and Deacons Convention to be held in the month of February, 1912.

WILMINGTON—Plan adopted at Spring meeting of Presbytery. Stated Clerk instructed at Fall meeting to confer with each Session and have them give reasons for not adopting the Plan, if

not adopted by Spring meeting in 1912. Apportionments made out on per capita basis, but not yet adopted.

From these reports it is evident that there is great interest in all the Presbyteries in the new Plan, and that in every Presbytery the prime importance of having each congregation make an Every Member Canvass for the causes is appreciated.

Your Committee recommend:

1. That the Synod heartily endorse the Assembly's Plan and urge upon its Presbyteries the importance of reaching at the earliest possible moment the minimum amount asked for by the Assembly for its causes.

2. That Synod urges that emphasis be laid upon the Ever Member Canvass feature of the new scheme as the essential element in the Plan.

3. That Presbyteries be urged to make out their Tables of Apportionments at the Fall meetings.

4. That Synod specially commend the holding of Elders and Deacons' Conferences on this important subject.

5. That Presbyteries be directed to see that the Diaconate is not neglected in the carrying out of the new scheme of Beneficences.

NEAL L. ANDERSON, Chairman.

REPORT OF REGENTS OF ORPHANS' HOME.

The condition of the Barium Springs Orphans' Home for the year covered by this report presents many things for gratitude and thanksgiving. During the time no important buildings has been erected, but many desirable improvements have been made, or are approaching completion on the property. The sewerage system, the water system, and the electric light plant, costing about \$10,000, have been nearly completed, and will be in full operation in a few weeks. The ladies of the "Barium Springs Circle" of Greensboro First Church have had the Lee's cottage painted, inside, calcimined in part and furnished with new bedsteads, mattresses and some furniture. Mr. Geo. W. Watts has had the "Annie Louise" cottage repaired and painted at a cost of \$250. Mr. J. C. Burroughs has had the Art Building repaired and painted. The Synod's cottage has had some improvements made in it, though others are needed. One hundred and eighty children have been cared for in the Home during the year, and their health has been uniformly good. The household, including employes, numbers two hundred. There have been a few cases of fever that have recovered, and one death from acute appendicitis. In every department the institution is well organized, having efficient teachers, competent matrons and faithful, diligent officers. The support fund has been sufficient for maintaining the Home, and after paying expenses has to its credit \$336.10. By the closest economy the children have been cared for and our Superintendent reports a small balance, but we do not think that the Synod provides a sufficient support for their institution. The Press fund has been self-supporting, and from the earnings of the year shows \$51.31 in excess of annual expenditures. The Permanent fund has received gifts during the year amounting to \$7,634.07, including \$2,300 in legacies that may be used for improvements. A \$1,000 gift has been given by a friend who withholds his name, for endowing a scholarship.

The Superintendent's Report—The report of Superintendent Rev. W. T. Walker presents some items of general interest. The farm has been well conducted, but on account of drought during spring and summer the crops of grain, fruits and vegetables have not been so good as last year. There will be sufficient forage, but some corn will be needed. The dairy has been of essential service in furnishing some milk and butter for the Home. But the supply is not adequate. The herd of cows now numbers twenty, and has been increased during the year. There should

be thirty milk cows, but to care for them more pasturage and barns are needed. The workshop has aided in making repairs and has been the source of some income from outside. It, with the laundry, has been efficiently conducted, but could do more and better work with additional machinery.

The printing office he reports as being conducted in a satisfactory manner, as having 1,600 subscribers to the paper, a decided increase in the advertising, and as a helpful adjunct to the Home. He states that the boys in the office have applied themselves well in printing the paper and learning the business. They have now an experienced printer as foreman, able with proper material not only to print a good paper, but to do excellent job work.

The school work is being well done. The teachers are competent and diligent, and the children apply themselves well to their studies, and many of them have been promoted to higher grades.

The work in the church has been encouraging. The first of last February Rev. W. M. Walsh was secured as pastor, and he has won the heart of the children and inmates of the Home and the church members generally. Earnest efforts are being made by all the workers to promote here the spiritual interests of Christ's Kingdom.

Some valuable donations have been made. From the will of the late Capt. A. F. Brevard, \$300 for improvements; from Judge Thos. B. Womack's estate paid \$2,000 for improvements; from a Friend for endowing a scholarship in memory of a brother, \$1,000; from Dr. W. W. Moore and wife, of Richmond, Va., two desirable lots at Montreat, N. C.; from the Tenth Avenue Church, Charlotte, N. C., and some Dentists, a dental chair and outfit estimated at \$600; from a Friend, an insurance policy of \$1,000 on which he proposes to pay the premiums; from Mr. Geo. W. Watts, \$250 for improvements on Annie Louise cottage; from the Ladies of "Barium Springs Circle," First Church, Greensboro, N. C., improvements on Lee's cottage; from Mr. J. C. Burroughs, repairs and painting of Art Building; from North Carolina Granite Corporation, of Mount Airy, a car load of crushed granite for improving walks; from sundry parties, gifts in kind to Home, including fertilizers worth \$600; from Churches, Sabbath Schools and individuals, gifts in clothing for children, \$175; from the Mooresville picnic were received \$250.

The Superintendent's report mentions certain improvements in the equipment of the Home that should be made in the near

future, or as soon as possible. A Central Heating Plant, a New School Building and Auditorium, a new Barn for Horses, Mules and Storage, a Better Equipped Machine Shop, Shoe Shop, Laundry, Printing Office; one or two cottages built; Rumble Hall School rooms converted into Dormitories; a Thoroughly Equipped Infirmary; Some Property contiguous to the Home should be purchased if possible; a roomy Storage Building; Pasturage for Cattle provided by more fencing. The Superintendent specially urges the \$300 or \$400 still needed for paying for sewerage, water works, and electric plant be promptly raised, that funds for repairs be provided, and that the Synod take steps for the more complete equipment of the Home.

The Editor's Report—The Editor of "The Fatherless Ones" reports 1,600 subscribers; income from subscriptions during the year, \$1022; from advertising, \$599.57; that he has visited forty-one places and collected \$900 for the water and light plants. He states that the expense of publishing the paper amounts to \$1,332.75, and that the property in the office, including presses, type, fixtures and paper on hand is estimated to be worth \$1,070. To equip the office with type and machinery for doing varied and efficient job work would probably cost from \$200 to \$300.

Your Regents heartily approved the avowed purpose of the young men of Rocky River Church to raise in the Synod, especially in the country churches, some \$2,500 to build a barn at the Home, and promises them all needed co-operation. They also, while aware that all needed equipment at the Home can not be secured immediately, would emphasize the following matters as of pressing necessity: Repairs on buildings, two barns, central heating plant, school building, additional lands, and an improved infirmary, and they have appointed Hon. A. M. Scales, one of their body, to present the claims of these objects before the Synod.

The Treasurers' Report—Rev. W. T. Walker, Treasurer, reports as follows:

Cash on hand October 1, 1910	\$ 1,865.79
1911—Receipts—	
October 1, Received for Support Fund.....	\$ 19,469.93
October 1, Received for Press Fund	1,333.02
October 1, Received for Permanent Fund	7,634.07
October 1, Received for Endowment	1,000.00
On hand October 1, 1910	1,865.79
Total	\$31,302.81

Disbursements—

October 1, For Support Fund	\$ 19,516.03
October 1, For Press Fund	1,880.76
October 1, For Permanent Fund	6,393.57
Whole balance on hand October 1, 1911	3,512.45
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Total	\$31,302.81
Balance to credit of Support Fund	336.10

The Auditing Committee have examined this report and find it correct.

The deficiency in the Press Fund of \$206.66, October 1, 1911, is more than cancelled by receipts from advertising and subscriptions earned during the year and since received.

Amount to the credit of the Permanent Fund, October 1, 1911, \$2,383.00.

The Endowment Fund, from two sources, about \$2,000.00.

The Regents recommend for the support of the Home for 1912 the sum of \$20,000, apportioned among the Presbyteries as follows: Albemarle, \$1,500; Asheville, \$500; Concord, \$3,400; Fayetteville, \$3,800; Kings Mountain, \$1,000; Mecklenburg, \$3,500; Orange, \$4,800; Wilmington, \$1,500; Total, \$20,000.

(The Summary furnished, shows contributions by Presbyteries, from the Churches, to the Home Causes, as follows:

Albemarle, \$1,942.73; Asheville, \$167.20; Concord, \$4,490.36; Fayetteville, \$5,444.97; Kings Mountain, \$1,359.90; Mecklenburg, \$3,339.85; Orange, \$5,594.81; Wilmington, \$1,263.18.—S. clt.)

The terms of Rev. Geo. H. Atkinson and Mr. Geo. W. Watts expire at this session and will have to be filled.

Respectfully submitted, H. G. HILL, President.

D**STANDING RULES OF SYNOD.**

Revised and Adopted October, 1905.

I.—GENERAL RULES.

(Pertaining to the Synod as a Body.)

1. The Stated Meetings of this Synod shall be held annually, and unless otherwise ordered, in the month of October, beginning on the Fourth Tuesday of said month at 11 a. m.

2. The Parliamentary Rules of Order, adopted by the General Assembly, and published in the Book of Church Order, shall be the Rules of Order for the guidance of Synod.

3. The officers of the Synod shall be a Moderator, a Stated Clerk, a Treasurer, two Temporary Clerks and a Board of Trustees consisting of five Members. The Moderator and the temporary Clerks shall be elected at each Stated Meeting and the Stated Clerk, the Treasurer, and the Board of Trustees shall be elected every three years counting from 1886.

4. The Synod shall elect annually:

(a) A Superintendent of Synodical Home Missions.

(b) A General Evangelist.

(c) Three Members of the Board of Directors of Union Theological Seminary, whose term of office shall be four years.

(d) *Two members of the Board of Regents of the Orphans' Home, term of office shall be for five years.

5. The Synod shall elect triennially, counting from 1886, the following Committees which shall be known as the "Permanent Committees" of the Synod.

(a) On Synodical Home Missions, consisting of the Chairman of each of the several Presbyterial Committees on Home Missions, and one Ruling Elder from each Presbytery. The Superintendent of Synodical Home Missions shall be "ex-officio" Chairman, and the General Evangelist shall be "ex-officio" a member of this Committee and it shall be charged with the conduct of the work of "Synodical Home Missions" under the direction of the Synod and in harmonious co-operation with the several Presbyteries.

* The number Regents changed from 10 to 16—(1910.)

- (b) On Foreign Missions.
- (c) On Assembly's Home Missions, including Colored Evangelization and Evangelistic work. (1910.)
- (d) On Christian Education and Ministerial Relief, including the Causes of Schools and Colleges and the Assembly's Home and School. (1910.)
- (e) On Publication and Sabbath Schools.
- (f) On the Sabbath and Family Religion.
- (g) On the Bible Cause.
- (h) On Women's Societies.
- (i) On Synodical Schools and Colleges—1911.
- (j) On Young People's Societies, Brotherhoods, Covenanters, etc.—1911.
- (k) On Systematic Beneficence—1911.

These Committees, except the first named, shall consist each of a Chairman appointed by the Synod, together with the Presbyterial Chairman of the Several Causes, respectfully. And it shall be the duty of the Committees to take into consideration everything bearing upon the Causes which they represent calculated to inspire interest to increase knowledge, and to promote the growth and glory of Christ's Kingdom, and to report in writing through their Chairman at each meeting of Synod.

(l) A Historical Committee, consisting of three members including the Stated Clerk, who shall be "ex-officio" Chairman. It shall be the duty of this Committee to be a medium of communication and information with other like Committees or Societies, and to have a watchful care for the preservation of all records, documents and papers belonging to the Synod and, to collect and preserve all possible material of historical value pertaining to the Synod, and report from time to time on all matters of historic value and interest.

6. The Stated Clerk, the Pastor of the Church in which Synod shall meet, and the Ruling Elder appointed to represent said Church, shall constitute a Committee on Enrollment. This Committee shall meet in the Church at a time appointed before the opening of Synod and prepare the roll of Synod, and to this Committee each member shall be required to report for enrollment. The roll thus prepared shall be called at the organization of Synod. Additional enrollment shall be made by blank slips distributed through the Synod and collected by tellers appointed by the Moderator.

7. The first half hour of each Morning Session shall be spent in devotional exercises conducted by the Moderator or by some one appointed by him, and the last hour of each morning session shall be given to the hearing of a sermon, or of a public address on some cause of the Church.

8. The Synod shall recess from business during the afternoon of the second day, in order that the various Committees may meet and prepare their work.

II.—SPECIAL RULES.

(Pertaining to the Duties of Officers and Committees.)

9. **The Moderator.** It shall be the duty of the Moderator, at an early hour in the proceedings of the regular meeting to appoint the following Standing Committees, which shall usually consist of not less than three members each.

- (a) On Devotional Exercises.
- (b) On Special Orders.
- (c) On Bills and Overtures.
- (d) A Judicial Committee.
- (e) On Address to the Churches.
- (f) On the Minutes of the General Assembly.
- (g) On the Report of the Directors of Union Theological Seminary.
- (h) On the Report of the Regents of the Orphans' Home.
- (i) On the Presbyterian Reports on Systematic Beneficence.
- (k) On the report of the Treasurer and his books—Auditing Committee.
- (l) On the Records of Synod.
- (m) On the Records of the Presbyteries—Eight Committees.
- (n) On Resolutions of Thanks.
- (o) On leave of absence. To these Committees shall be referred without a vote, unless there is objection, all reports, documents, communications, and other matters pertaining to the several subjects upon which they are appointed, and it shall be their duty to formulate reports upon the matters referred to them and to present the same to the Synod for action.

It shall also be the duty of the Moderator, in the interim of the meetings of Synod when a vacancy occurs, in any offices of the Synod, by death, resignation, or removal from our bounds, to fill such vacancies by appointment, until the next meeting of Synod. And also, upon the occasion of the death of a minister, it shall be his duty to appoint a committee of one, to prepare a

Memorial sketch of the deceased, to be read in the Synod ensuing, and to be spread upon the Records.

10. The Stated Clerk. It shall be the duty of the stated Clerk when he is elected and enters upon the duties of his office, at the opening of Synod immediately succeeding that at which he is elected to report to the Synod in writing and in full whatever he has received from his predecessor, in the way of Records, Books, Papers, Documents, Furniture, etc., and the condition of the same when received.

The Stated Clerk shall conduct the correspondence of the Synod and he shall be the permanent (ex-officio) Chairman of the Standing Committees on Special Orders and Statistics. He shall publish a notice of the time and place of the meeting of Synod at least one month before the appointed day. He shall secure such reduced rates of Railroad travel as may be possible, and he shall sign all necessary certificates for the same, or for other official purposes of the Synod or its members. He shall prepare a detailed Docket of business for the next meeting, and cause the same to be published in the Appendix of the Minutes of the last meeting. He shall have at each meeting of the Synod, accessible to the Moderator a sufficient number of Dockets, a copy of the last printed Minutes of the General Assembly, and a copy of Alexander's Digest. He shall duly engross the Minutes of the Synod after their approval, and transcribe the same into a book to be known as the "Synod's Official Records," and he shall transmit said Records annually to the General Assembly for review. He shall cause to be published annually, in pamphlet form, at least one thousand copies of the Minutes of each meeting, as soon as practicable after adjournment, and distribute the same among the members and Church Sessions. He shall cause to be published in the Appendix of the Printed Minutes, the reports of the Presbyteries on Statistics and Systematic Beneficence, the reports of the permanent Committees without their recommendations, the annual report of the Directors of Union Theological Seminary, a roll of the Ministers of Synod by Presbyteries, and a list of the officers, appointees and Permanent Committees, together with the Standing Rules. He shall cause to be published every five years according to Rule adopted in 1874, but counting from 1896, the names of the Ruling Elders and Deacons with their respective postoffices, belonging to the Churches composing the Synod, and the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries shall be required to furnish the Stated Clerk of the Synod with the necessary information for the execution of this rule. He shall

forward a copy of the printed Minutes, annually to the Librarians of Union Theological Seminary, Davidson College and the Presbyterian Historical Society, in Philadelphia, and he shall file at least three copies in the Archives of the Synod. He shall also from time to time have the Printed Minutes bound in suitable volumes and deposited in the Archives of the Synod. The Stated Clerk shall be charged with the further duty of reporting to the Moderator any vacancies to be filled by him, and of any deaths in the Ministry that may occur, and of reporting to the Synod the expiration of the terms of appointment of its officers and Committees according to the Standing Rules.

11. **The Treasurer.** It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep a strict and accurate account of all the funds received and disbursed, showing what Presbyteries have paid or have not paid their assessments, and for what purpose the funds have been disbursed. He shall submit to the Synod annually, his book, together with a report of the Receipts and expenditures, presenting vouchers for the same.

12. **The Trustees.** It shall be the duty of the Board of Trustees, as the Synods medium, or agency, in all matters requiring the use or aid of the Civic Law (to receive, take charge of, and manage to the best advantage, and account to Synod for, according to law, all property and estate belonging, or which may accrue and enure to this Synod; and they shall hold in trust, subject to the order of Synod, the said property, and all legacies and bequests which may be willed to the Synod in behalf of charitable and other objects under its control, and they shall make a full report, in the premises, whenever occasion or circumstances shall require.

13. **The Permanent Committee.** It shall be the duty of any or all of the Chairmen of the Permanent Committees, including the President of the Board of Regents of the Orphans' Home, if deemed advisable to arrange for, and to hold popular meetings in the interest of the respective causes they represent. These popular meetings, if held, shall be in connection with, and at the time of the presentation of the Report of the Committee, and they And it shall be the rule, as far as practicable, to hear in this connection and at this time the Secretaries of the General Assembly, and other representative brethren, in the interest of the corresponding cause which they may represent. And it shall be the duty of the Chairmen of the several Committees, in arranging for the aforesaid meetings, to correspond with the representative brethren, who are expected to be present prior to the meeting of

Synod, as to the time when they are expected to be heard agreeably to the Standing Rules.

It shall be the duty of the Moderator immediately following the selection of the next place of meeting to appoint a Committee of Arrangement whose period of responsibility shall extend from the close of the Synod to the close of the next and whose business shall be to arrange the entire program of business for the next meeting of Synod conformably to the Standing Orders of Synod. This Committee to consist of five members one of whom shall always be the pastor of the church where the Synod is to meet and another the retiring Moderator.

15. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee on the Records of Synod to examine the Official Records, and report with special reference to the condition of the same, and as to the neatness and faithfulness in the execution of the work, and whether or not the records have been sent up and approved by the General Assembly.

16. It shall be the duty of the Several Standing Committees on the Record of the Presbyteries to confer with the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries whose Records they are appointed to examine before submitting their reports to the Synod in order that the Clerks may have opportunity to make explanation in regard to the records before the matter is brought before the Synod. And after the records are examined, the Chairmen of the Several Committees shall meet in Committee of the whole and compare, classify and adjust to a common Standard of Judgment their criticisms and exceptions. They shall then elect one of their number who shall act as Chairman of the Committee of the whole, and who shall submit the judgment or criticism of all the Committees on all the Records in his one report to Synod.

17. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee on Leave of Absence to receive and pass upon, before presenting their reports to Synod for approval, all excuses for absence from the last and present meeting of Synod, for tardiness, for absence without leave from the last meeting, and for leave of absence from the present meeting. All excuses shall be rendered to this Committee and this rule shall apply to all the members of Synod, except Foreign Missionaries, and infirm ministers who are not required to attend the meetings of their Presbyteries. It shall be the duty of this Committee to refuse leave of absence to any member, except upon urgent reasons.

18. It shall be the duty of the ad interim Committee on Memorials, to write simply and briefly a sketch, and not an extended

history of the deceased. It is designed for obvious reasons, that shall in no wise interfere with the Standing Orders of the Synod, the sketch shall embrace only the chief dates and main facts in reference to the life, work and death of the deceased.

III.—MISCELLANEOUS RULES.

19. 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.

20. It shall be the duty of the Stated Clerk of the several Presbyteries to furnish the Stated Clerks of the Synod, when applied to with all necessary information required, and with a corrected roll of Ministers and their postoffices annually, and also a roll of the Elders, Deacons and Churches, with their postoffices once every five years. The Stated Clerks are enjoined to be careful, accurate and punctual in filling out all blanks sent to them, and in returning them to the Stated Clerk before the meeting of Synod.

21. It shall be the duty of all members of Synod, and especially the Chairmen of Committees in preparing written reports to be presented to this body, to write the same in a plain and legible handwriting, and with ink if possible. And it is desirable that the Chairmen of the Permanent Committees furnish the Stated Clerks with an extra copy, if possible, of their annual reports, respectively.

22. The roll shall be called at each meeting before final adjournment and those who are absent without permission shall be noted by the Clerk as "absent without leave" and they shall be required to report to the Committee on Leave of Absence at the next meeting and answer for the irregularity..

23. It shall be a standing Rule, until otherwise ordered that the Treasurer of Synod pay the expenses of the representative of Union Theological Seminary in attending the annual meeting of Synod—1906.

24. It shall be a Standing Rule that the Devotional Exercises at the opening of each day's session of the Synod be put into the hands of the Standing Committee on Devotional exercises—1906.

IV.—STANDING ORDERS.

The following Standing Orders shall be observed by the Synod.

(1) The Synodical Communion shall be held at eleven o'clock a. m. of the second day without a sermon.

(2) The Memorials of the deceased Ministers shall be read immediately after the Synodical Communion Service.

(3) The Popular Meeting in the interest of Foreign Missions shall be held on the evening of the second day.

(4) The Popular Meeting in the interest of the Synod Orphans' Home shall be held at eleven o'clock on the morning of the third day.

(5) The Popular Meeting in the interest of Assembly's Home Missions shall be held in the afternoon of the third day at three o'clock.

(7) The Popular Meeting in the interest of the Sabbath and Family Religion shall be held in the afternoon of the third day at four o'clock.

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GENERAL DIRECTORY.

MODERATORS OF THE SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Moderators.	Place of Meeting.
1813 *Rev. Robert H. Chapman, D. D.	Alamance church.
1814 *Rev. Samuel C. Caldwell	Thyatira church.
1815 *Rev. Wm. McPheeters, D. D.	Fayetteville.
1816 *Rev. John Robinson, D. D.	Raleigh.
1817 No meeting—no quorum present.	Rocky River.
1818 *Rev. Joseph Caldwell, D. D.	Fayetteville.
1819 *Rev. Jonathan Ottis Freeman, D. D.	Raleigh.
1820 *Rev. Wm. Paisley	Poplar Tent.
1821 *Rev. John M. Wilson, D. D.	Salisbury.
1822 *Rev. John Robinson, D. D.	Hillsborough.
1823 *Rev. John Witherspoon, D. D.	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 the two meetings or years of 1827 and 1828.]	
1828 *Rev. Lemuel D. Hatch	Raleigh.
1829 *Rev. John Williamson	Fayetteville.
1830 *Rev. Samuel L. Graham, D. D.	Hopewell.
1831 *Rev. Hiram P. Goodrich	Hillsborough.
1832 *Rev. Samuel Williamson, D. D.	Salisbury.
1833 *Rev. Henry A. Rowland	Wilmington.
1834 *Rev. James W. Douglas	Oxford.
1835 *Rev. Henry Pharr	Salisbury.
1836 *Rev. Joseph Brown	Fayetteville.
1837 *Rev. H. N. Harding, D. D.	Shiloh.
1838 *Rev. Stephen Frontis	Third Creek Ch.
1839 *Rev. Daniel A. Penick	Lincolnton.
1840 *Rev. Alexander Wilson, D. D.	Danville, Va.
1841 *Rev. William N. Peacock	Fayetteville.
1842 *Rev. James Phillips, D. D.	Raleigh.
1844 *Rev. Simeon Colton, D. D.	Fayetteville.
1845 *Rev. Samuel Williamson, D. D.	Charlotte.

*Deceased.

Moderators.	Place of Meeting.
1846 *Rev. Drury Lacy, D. D.	Greensborough.
1847 *Rev. Evander McNair, D. D.	Fayetteville.
1848 *Rev. Cyrus Johnston, D. D.	Salisbury.
1849 *Rev. John A. Gretter	Hillsborough.
1850 *Rev. Adam Gilchrist	Centre.
1851 *Rev. Archibald Baker	Rocky River.
1852 *Rev. Wm. M. 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. Edwin Hines	Raleigh.
1862 *Rev. Jahn S. Sherwood,	Goldsborough.
1863 *Rev. R. N. Davis	Salisbury.
1864 *Rev. A. G. Hughes	Goldsborough.
1865 *Rev. Colin Shaw	Fayetteville.
1866 *Rev. R. Hewett Chapman, D. D.	Charlotte.
1867 *Rev. Archibald Currie	New Berne.
1868 *Rev. D. D. McBride	Wilmington.
1869 *Rev. Jesse Rankin	Morganton.
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. Rumple, 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.

*Deceased.

	Moderator.	Place of Meeting.
1887	*Rev. R. Z. Johnston	Fayetteville.
1888	*Hon. A. M. Scales	Goldsbrough.
1889	*Rev. J. M. Wharey, D. D.	Charlotte.
1890	Rev. Alexander Sprunt, D. D.	Wilmington.
1891	Rev. W. E. McIlwain, D. D.	Durham.
1892	Rev. J. M. Rose, D. D.	Statesville.
1893	Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D.	Tarboro.
1894	Rev. W. B. Arrowood	Greensboro.
1895	Rev. Eugene Daniel, D. D.	Fayetteville.
1896	Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D.	New Berne.
1897	Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D.	Salisbury.
1898	Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D.	Gastonia.
1899	Rev. William Black	Asheville.
1900	Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D.	Raleigh.
1901	*Rev. Robert E. Caldwell, D. D.	Charlotte.
1902	Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D.	Winston.
1903	Rev. A. T. Graham, D. D.	Wilmington.
1904	Rev. J. M. Grier, D. D.	Durham.
1905	Mr. George W. Watts	Red Springs.
1906	Rev. W. R. Coppedge	Statesville.
1907	Rev. C. M. Richards, D. D.	Hendersonville.
1908	Rev. A. R. Shaw, D. D.	Newberne.
1909	Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D.	Red Springs.
1910	Hon. A. M. Scales	Rocky Mount.
1911	Rev. W. R. Minter	Charlotte.

*Deceased.

ROLL OF MINISTERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SYNOD, 1911.

I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
D. I. Craig, D. D.	Reidsville
B. B. Palmer (colored)	Milton
C. W. Robinson	North Wilkesboro
R. W. George	Francisco
E. C. Murray, D. D.	Graham
R. L. Wharton	Cardenas, Cuba
J. W. Goodman	Greensboro
C. E. Hodgkin	Greensboro
E. R. Leyburn, D. D.	Durham
S. M. Rankin	Greensboro
J. S. Morrow (colored)	North Wilkesboro
H. S. Bradshaw	Hillsboro
E. H. Harding, D. D.	Davidson College
Donald McIver	Burlington
R. M. Williams	Greensboro
P. H. Gwynn	Spray
Melton Clark	Greensboro
J. A. Gilmer	Mt. Airy
Neal L. Anderson, D. D.	Winston
W. O. Sample	Mebane
M. McG. Shields	Greensboro
Carl Barth	Durham
J. A. Wilson	Greensboro
A. S. Caldwell	High Point
W. S. Wilhelm	Rognemont
F. M. Hawley	Mebane
W. E. Thompson, Jr.	Lexington
W. B. McIlwaine, Jr.	Asheboro
Numa R. Claytor	Milton
W. F. Hollinsworth	Cherry Lane
J. L. Bowers	Brim

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
W. W. Pharr, D. D.	Mooreville
John W. Davis, D. D.	Soochow, China
B. L. Beall	Greensboro
C. A. Munroe	Hickory
L. McKinnon, D. D.	Clinton

J. B. Shearer, D. D.	Davidson
E. E. Pressley	Statesville
J. C. Kennedy	Mt. Mourne
J. A. Harris	Toecane
J. A. Scott, D. D.	Statesville
W. S. Wilson	Mooreville
C. M. Richards, D. D.	Davidson
J. P. Hall	Plumtree
L. M. Kerschuer	Salisbury
Edgar Tufts	Banner Elk
J. M. Gibbs	Statesville
W. M. Walsh	Statesville
H. F. Beaty	Placetas, Cuba
Byron Clark, D. D.	Salisbury
Dugald Munroe	Woodleaf
E. D. Brown	Loray
J. M. Grier, D. D.	Concord
R. W. Culbertson	Mooreville
L. H. Query	Cleveland
E. P. Bradley	Mocksville
R. A. Lapsley, Jr.	Newton
J. G. Garth	Hickory
Thos. W. Lingle, Ph. D.	Davidson
Jas. Lapsley	Harrisburg
C. E. Raynal	Statesville
J. E. Summers	Concord
W. T. Walker	Barium Springs
Cornelius Miller	Dalton
G. N. Thomas	Concord
C. L. Rogers	Glen Alpine
L. L. Moore	Taylorville
J. C. Story	Marion
C. T. Squires	Lenoir
F. A. Barnes	Mooreville
G. W. Shipley	Kannapolis

III.—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
David Fairley, D. D.	Manchester
H. G. Hill, D. D.	Maxton
P. R. Law, D. D.	Charlotte
K. A. McLeod	Fayetteville
M. M. McNeill	Cameron

L. L. Little	Kiangyn, China
W. R. Coppedge	Rockingham
W. C. Buchanan	Nagoya, Japan
C. G. Vardell, D. D.	Red Springs
J. M. Rose, D. D.	Laurinburg
G. T. Pace	Red Springs
J. K. Roberts	Carthage
L. Smith	Mt. Gilead
E. W. Sonders	Southern Pines
R. S. Arrowood	Hemp
J. D. A. Brown	Aberdeen
W. M. Fairley	Fayetteville
L. W. Curtis	Hamlet
A. W. Crawford	Rowland
J. H. Dixon	Laurinburg
S. H. Williamson	Carbonton
J. M. McLain	Rowland
W. C. Brown	Raeford
H. M. Dixon	Red Springs
A. R. McQueen	Dunn
F. B. Rankin	Hamlet
C. V. Cavitt	Jonesboro
A. E. Grove	Jonesboro
J. M. Forbis	Rockingham
T. H. Spencer	Smithfield
J. McIver Wicker	St. Paul's
C. L. Bragaw	Broadway
A. W. Shaw	Pittsboro
V. R. Gaston	Red Springs
J. B. Cochran	Parkton
I. N. Clegg	Laurinburg
M. N. McIver	Maxton
G. F. Kirkpatrick	Kenly
J. K. Hall	Lillington
R. E. Steele	Lumberton

IV.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
Peter McIntyre	Faison
A. D. McClure, D. D.	Wilmington
J. E. L. Winecoff	Kenansville
Wm. M. Shaw	Wilmington
J. M. Wells, D. D.	Wilmington

L. E. Wells	Teacheys
J. S. Crowley	Wilmington
W. P. M. Currie	Wallace
E. B. Carr	Atkinson
P. L. Clark	Clinton
J. W. Plowden	Wilmington
W. M. Sikes	Burgaw
F. B. Smith	Whiteville
L. T. Newland	Kwang Ju, Korea

V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
S. C. Boyce	Monroe
J. W. Moore	Susaki, Japan
William Black	Charlotte
J. R. Bridges, D. D.	Charlotte
G. C. Huntington	Charlotte
A. J. McKelway, D. D.	Washington, D. C.
Geo. H. Atkinson	Albemarle
A. J. Crane	Marshville
M. E. Sentelle	Davidson
A. R. Shaw, D. D.	Charlotte
G. P. Stevens	Suchien, China
W. E. West	Charlotte
R. T. Colt	Kwan Ju, Korea
J. E. Berryhill	Paw Creek
J. A. Caligan	Spout Springs
W. W. Davidson	Charlotte
W. A. Daniel	Huntersville
F. D. Jones	Charlotte
A. A. McGeachy, D. D.	Charlotte
K. A. Campbell	Matthews
J. W. Grier	Huntersville
W. A. McCalla	Charlotte
J. E. Wool	Cornelius
W. A. Cleveland	Charlotte
H. M. Pressley	Charlotte
W. E. Furr	Charlotte
R. F. Kirkpatrick	Monroe
R. J. McIlwaine	Monroe
J. L. Beattie	Derita
C. W. Erwin	Charlotte
C. C. Carson	Matthews

F. D. Cartledge	Charlotte
C. E. Robertson	Waxhaw
W. E. McIlwaine, D. D.	Charlotte
J. L. Caldwell, D. D.	Charlotte
Charles Kingsley	Pineville
Leonard Gill	Wadesboro
T. B. Anderson	Norwood
H. E. Gurney	Charlotte

VI.—ALBEMARLE PREEBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
W. D. Morton, D. D.	Rocky Mount
J. H. Jarvis	Scranton
R. W. Alexander	Washington, Ga.
Carr Moore	Warrenton
J. S. Wood	Weldon
J. A. McClure	Henderson
W. McC. White, D. D.	Raleigh
H. B. Searight	Washington
J. N. H. Summerell, D. D.	Newbern
H. C. Nelson	Tarboro
G. W. Belk	Wilson
J. F. Coleman	Stovall
V. G. Smith	Goldsboro
J. C. Shive	Wilson
J. E. Ballou	Tarboro
J. B. Black	Elizabeth City

VII.—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
R. F. Campbell, D. D.	Asheville
R. P. Smith	Asheville
R. B. Grinnan, D. D.	Hendersonville
W. H. Davis	Pisgah Forest
W. P. Chedester	Franklin
A. H. Temple	Balfour
R. J. Hunter	Canton
P. P. Winn	Candler
E. E. Sample	Hendersonville
Lewis Collins	Asheville
P. F. Brown	Brevard
E. D. Kerr	Waynesville

J. C. Brown	Dillingham
C. B. Yeargan	Franklin
E. L. Siler	Montreat
J. Q. Wallace	Bryson City
A. M. McLauchlin	Asheville

VIII.—KINGS MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERY.

Ministers	Post Office
J. J. Kennedy	Gastonia
R. A. Miller	Lowell
G. A. Sparrow	Lowell
W. R. Minter	Lincolnton
T. C. Croker	Forest City
S. L. Cathey	Mt. Holly
R. C. Anderson,	Montreat
James Thomas	Shelby
C. H. Little	Charlotte
A. S. Anderson	Gastonia
G. L. Cook	Rutherfordton
S. S. Oliver	Kings Mountain
R. S. Burwell	Lowell
R. C. Deal	Elizabethtown
W. J. Sechrest	Dallas
T. E. P. Wood	Rutherfordton
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1813	*Rev. Robert H. Chapman.
1818	*Rev. Colin McIver.
1849	*Rev. Drury Lacy.
1855	*Rev. Archibald Beker.
1859	*Rev. Jacob Doll.
1878	*Rev. William S. Lacy
1886	*Rev. J. A. Ramsey.
1900	Rev. D. I. Craig, Reidsville, N. C.

*Deceased.

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Orange—Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D.	Reidsville
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Wilmington—Rev. W. P. M. Currie	Wallace
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Albemarle—Rev. J. A. McClure	Henderson
Asheville—Rev. R. B. Grinnan, D. D.	Hendersonville
Kings Mountain—Rev. S. L. Cathey	Mt. Holly

TREASURER OF SYNOD.

Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D.	Reidsville, N. C.
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Fayetteville—Rev. W. C. Brown	Raeford
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Fayetteville---Mrs. Robert N. Page, Biscoe, N. C.
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ROLL OF CHURCHES, RULING ELDERS AND DEACONS, IN THE SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA.

I.—ORANGE PRESBYTERY.

1. Alamance.

RULING ELDERS—	W. C. Rankin, C.	Greensboro, R. F. D.
	R. A. Gilmer	"
	Dr. S. C. Gilmer	"
	D. H. Coble, T.	"
	John Forsythe	"
	J. A. Alred	"
	J. M. Phipps	"
DEACONS—	J. R. Coble	"
	John Weatherly	"
	G. M. Glass	"
	D. F. Causey	"
	J. R. Pritchett	"
	R. S. Phipps	"
	H. S. Andrew	"
	H. L. Hanner	"
	Levi Scott	"

2. Asbury.

RULING ELDERS—	J. E. Jessup	Francisco
DEACONS—	Frank Mills	Peters Creek, Va.
	Jeff. Cook	Brim

3. Asheboro.

RULING ELDERS—	A. C. McAlister, C.	Asheboro
DEACONS—	S. S. Porter	"

4. Bessemer Avenue.

RULING ELDERS—	H. W. Wharton, C.	Greensboro
	H. C. Crowder	"
DEACONS—	None	

5. Bethany.

RULING ELDERS—G. S. Rogers, C. Graham
 J. H. Dixon "
 W. L. Cooper "
 DEACONS—T. J. Griffin

6. Bethesda.

RULING ELDERS—E. J. Orr Durham
 Dr. J. F. Padgett Pelham
 E. A. Allison Quick
 T. C. Neal C. McIver
 DEACONS—J. W. Cobb Danville, Va.
 J. Y. Blackwell Ruffin

7. Bethel.

RULING ELDERS—R. C. Rankin McLeansville
 J. W. Paisley, C. "
 A. C. Denny "
 W. H. McLean "
 J. D. Clapp "
 D. A. Montgomery Greensboro
 DEACONS—W. P. Wharton McLeansville
 J. C. Browning "
 W. L. Wharton "
 J. H. Rankin Whitsett
 W. L. Lindsay Gibson
 C. A. Wharton, T. "
 J. M. Dick Greensboao
 J. C. McLean Sedalia

8. Bethlehem.

RULING ELDERS—George Morrow, C. Mebane
 G. W. Oldham "
 G. W. Lasley "
 C. W. Stanford Teer
 A. R. Holmes Efland
 T. A. Morrow Graham
 DEACONS—T. J. Oldham Mebane
 H. M. McIver, T. "
 Milton Pickard Teer
 J. T. Sikes Efland

9. Beulah (col.)

RULING ELDERS—	W. J. Bynum	North	Wilkesboro
	C. F. Turner	"	"
	W. Wadkins	"	"
DEACONS—	E. Golding	"	"
	W. Smith	"	"

10. Buffalo.

RULING ELDERS—	D. E. Albright	Greensboro
	J. A. Rankin, C.	"
	J. W. Wharton	"
	R. W. Wilson	"
	C. H. Field	"
DEACONS—	A. C. Rankin	"
	W. L. Wharton, T.	"
	Luther Sikes	"
	J. A. May	"
	J. W. Alexander	"
	J. S. McKnight	"

11. Burlington.

RULING ELDERS—	J. W. Sharpe, C.	Burlington
	J. D. Bason	"
	B. R. Sellars	"
	T. C. Johnston	"
	J. A. Barnwell	"
	J. M. Browning	"
	Dr. T. S. Faucette	"
	F. H. Curtis	Reidsville
DEACONS—	W. W. Tarpley	Burlington
	D. H. White	"
	T. D. Dupuy	"
	L. B. Williamson	"
	R. E. L. Holt	"
	L. B. Whitted	"
	J. E. Holt	"
	P. E. Morrow	"
	W. S. Sharpe	"
	J. R. Whitley	"

12. Carson Memorial.

RULING ELDERS---	George Cheek	Sparta
DEACONS---	None	

13. Chapel Hill.

RULING ELDERS---	Dr. F. P. Venable, C	Chapel Hill
	Prof. Geo. McKie	" "
DEACONS---	A. S. Wheeler, T	" "
	E. Donnell	" "
	J. F. Pickard	" "

14. Church of the Covenant.

RULING ELDERS---	J. G. Foushee, Jr	Greensboro
	J. R. Brown	"
	W. L. Clement	"
	T. R. Foust	"
	W. R. Denny	"
DEACONS---	R. A. Sills	"
	R. C. Chandle	"
	C. J. Kerr	"

15. Clark Memorial (col)

RULING ELDERS---	Jerry Smith	Danbury
	Win. Hawkins	"
	Geo. Smith	"
DEACONS---	James Smith	"
	Charles Smith	"
	Bud Mitchell	"

16. Cross Roads.

RULING ELDERS---	Dr. W. N. Tate, C	Mebane
	E. C. Murray	"
	W. B. Sellars	"
	J. W. Stainback	"
	J. W. Pickett	"
	R. A. Hodge	"
	James Anderson	Burlington
DEACONS---	S. E. Tate, T	Mebane
	H. C. Barnwell	"
	J. F. Garrison	"
	J. H. Smith	"
	Geo. M. McAdams	"

17. Dalane.

RULING ELDERS---	J. H. Gentry	Cherry Lane
	H. C. McCann	" "
DEACONS---	J. P. McCann	" "

18. Danbury

RULING ELDERS---	A. H. Joyce	Danbury
	H. M. Joyce, C	"
DEACONS---	N. E. Pepper	"

19. Dan River.

RULING ELDERS---	J. R. Forest	Francisco
	R. H. L. Smith	"
	J. D. Smith	Danbury
DEACONS---	James Forest	Francisco
	J. B. Smith	Smiths

20. Durham 1st.

RULING ELDERS---	Geo. W. Watts	Durham
	J. R. Patton	"
	Geo. H. Beall	"
	Jno. T. Kerr	"
	T. B. Fuller, C	"
DEACONS---	Q. E. Rawls, T	"
	W. D. Carmichael	"
	J. F. Hill	"
	Walter Holladay	"
	J. L. Conrad	"
	Jno. M. Rose	"
	Jno. F. Wiley	"

21. Durham 2nd.

RULING ELDERS---	H. C. Linthicum C	Durham
	S. L. Claytor	"
DEACONS---	J. T. Bradwey	"
	C. T. Winston	"
	Lutie Winston	"

22. Ebenezer.

RULING ELDERS---	John Burges	Wagoner
	N. L. Brooks	Ore Knob
	E. C. Severt	Rhine
DEACONS---	Cornelius Bare	Venus

23. Edgemont.

RULING ELDERS---	D. E. Ferrell	Durham
	J. C. Ferrell	"
DEACONS---	J. C. Gunter	"

24. Efland.

RULING ELDERS---	D. C. McAdams	Efland
	M. L. Efland	"
DEACONS---	D. E. Forest	"
	J. L. Efland	"

25. Elkin, 1st.

RULING ELDERS---	J. H. Ball	Elkin
DEACONS---	J. H. Chatham	"

26. Elkin (Col.)

RULING ELDERS---	Maryland Hickerson	Elkin
DEACONS---	None	

27. Elim (Col.)

RULING ELDERS---	James Wooding	Milton
	W. L. Brown	"
DEACONS---	G. J. Palmer	"

28. Eno.

RULING ELDERS---	J. P. Hughes, C.	Cedar Grove
	B. C. Patton	" "
	J. F. Andereon	" "
DEACONS---	J. H. Tolar, T.	" "

29. Fairfield.

RULING ELDERS---	David Thompson	Efland
	J. E. Hanner	"
DEACONS---	B. D. Bain	"
	John Workman	"

30. Gilead.

RULING ELDDRS---	W. H. Hagerman	Milton
	W. J. Allen	"
DEACONS---	N. Taylor	"

31. Glade Valley.

RULING ELDERS---	E. W. Thompson	Hooker
DEACONS---	W. H. Harris	Walls

32. Graham.

RULING ELDERS---	W. C. Donnell	Graham
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	L. B. Holt	"
	J. H. Watson	"
	G. W. Long	"
	McBride Holt, T.	"
	J. H. White	"
	C. P. Albright	"
	C. C. Thompson	"

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J. V. Pomeroy	"
J. L. Scott	"
J. K. Mebane	"
C. A. Tarpley	"
J. C. Walker	"
W. E. Walker	"
F. A. Miller	"
C. A. Scott	"
W. H. Anderson	Haw River

33. Greensboro, 1st.

RULING ELDERS—W. S. Moore	Greensboro
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J. W. Scott	"
Thos. J. Shaw	"
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J. F. Smith	"
H. S. Donnell	"
W. F. Pickett	"
G. A. Grimsley	"
S. C. Williams	"
E. M. Sellars, Secretary	"

34. Greenwood.

RULING ELDERS—Fred M. Clack	Reidsville, N. C.
DEACONS—Hugh Johnston	"

35. Griers

RULING ELDERS—	D. E. Wilkinson	Ridgeville
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	J. D. Butler	Leesburg
	L. Smith	Hightowers
	C. C. Smith	"
	R. L. Mitchelle, C.	Yanceyville
DEACONS—	A. Graham	Leesburg
	L. A. Walker	Hightowers
	E. W. Long	Riegeville
	S. C. Wilkerson, T.	"

36. Hawfields.

RULING ELDERS—	R. W. Scott C.	Mebane
	E. C. Turner	"
	J. R. White	"
	J. W. Bason	"
	J. S. Gibson	"
	J. A. Patton	"
DEACONS—	James Crumpton	"
	J. W. Gibson	"
	J. M. Baker	"
	P. A. Dixon	"
	T. B. Thompson	"
	W. H. Bason	"
	J. H. Freshwater	"

37. High Point.

RULING ELDERS—	E. A. Snow, C.	High Point
	W. C. Herndon, T.	" "
	G. L. Taylor	" "
	W. T. Rankin	" "
DEACONS—	W. F. Norman	" "
	G. M. Tucker	" "
	T. M. Barbee	" "
	W. A. Hayes	" "

38. Hillsboro.

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. C. D. Jones	Hillsboro
	S. Strudwick, C.	"
DEACONS—	R. P. Blackwood	"
	Frank Nash	"
	G. A. Durham, T.	"

39. Jamestown.

No Session.

40. Jefferson.

RULING ELDERS--	E. A. McNeill, C	Jefferson
	A. R. Vail	"
DEACONS--	Harry Proctor	"
	R. F. Gentry	"

41. Leaksville.

RULING ELDERS--	W. R. Walker	Spray
	Jason Barnes	Leaksville
DEACONS--	C. S. Hamlin	"
	R. L. Moir	"
	J. S. Patterson	Spray
	J. M. Washburne	"
	Jno. P. Price	"

42. Lexington.

RULING ELDERS--	G. W. Montcastle	Lexington
	W. B. Hamner	"
	F. C. Robbins	"
	S. S. Hunter	"
	J. T. Lowe	"
DEACONS--	Z. I. Walser	"

43. Little River.

RULING ELDERS--	W. R. McKee	Rougemont
	T. H. Wilson	"
	D. W. Villines	"
	Joseph Woods	Hurdle Mills
	David Allison	Cedar Grove
	James Allison	" "
DEACONS--	John Kinion	" "
	John McKee	" "
	I. J. Wilson	Rougemont
	Dr. Loch McKee	"
	John Woods	Cedar Grove

44. Madison.

RULING ELDERS--	Dr. C. A. Baird	Madison
	W. G. Anderson	"
	Samuel Smith	"
	W. T. Chambers, C	"
DEACONS--	J. S. King, T	"
	C. H. Pratt	"
	H. N. Binford	"
	S. H. Campbell	"

45. Mebane.

RULING ELDERS--	T. M. Cheek	Mebane
	H. O. Jobe	"
	H. A. Bason	"
	A. V. Craig	"
	T. B. Pettigrew	"
	J. T. Dick	"
	J. S. White	"
DEACONS--	J. S. Cheek	"
	E. P. Cheek	"
	W. E. White	"
	J. E. White	"
	W. A. Murray	"
	H. A. Bason, Jr	"
	H. E. Wilkinson	"
	W. W. Corbett	"

46. Midway.

RULING ELDERS--	A. T. Whitsett, C	Greensboro
	N. C. Rankin	"
	H. L. Cannon	"
	W. A. Aydelette	"
DEACONS--	A. H. Murray	"
	H. A. Wilson	"
	J. D. Donnell	"

47. Milton.

RULING ELDERS--	D. M. Hines, C	Milton
	R. L. Walker	"
DEACONS--	Edward Hines, T	"

48. Mt. Airy.

RULING ELDERS--	W. T. Carter	Mount Airy
	N. G. Trotter, C	" "
	S. A. White	" "
DEACONS--	W. W. Burke, T	" "
	J. D. Smith	" "
	N. H. Wright	" "
	David Allen	" "

49. New Hope.

RULING ELDERS--	C. W. Johnstou	Chapel Hill
	J. D. Long	Hillsboro
	W. E. Kirkland, C	Chapel Hill
DEACONS--	I. A. Hogan	Hillsboro
	E. A. Dickson, T	"

50. North Eno

RULING ELDERS---	C. A. McDade, C	Hillsboro
	W. A. Anderson	"
DEACONS---	W. B. Allison, T	"
	W. F. Pittard	Cedar Grove

51. North Wilkesboro

RULING ELDERS---	J. E. Finley	North Wilkesboro
	J. R. Finley	" "
	L. Vyne	" "
DEACONS---	A. A. Finley	" "
	J. R. Coffin	" "
	J. L. Clements	" "

52. Obids

RULING ELDERS---	Jesse Baker	Obids
DEACONS---	R. S. McNeill	"

53. Pine Hall

RULING ELDERS---	W. C. Paris	Pine Hall
	G. F. Daniel, C	" "
DEACONS---	J. P. Dalton	" "

54. Pine Ridge

RULING ELDERS---	J. E. Cook	Pilot Mountain
	H. F. Cook	" "
DEACONS---	None	

55. Pleasant Grove

RULING ELDERS---	Samnel Cobb	Yanceyville
	William Cook	"
DEACONS---	J. W. Lunsford	"
	William Cobb	"

56. Red House

RULING ELDERS---	W. G. Smith	Milton
	J. M. Long, C	"
	J. N. Rainey, T	Semora
	W. O. Smith	"
	J. A. Long	Haw River

57. Reidsville

RULING ELDERS---	R. P. Richardson	Reidsville
	Col. J. N. Craig	"
	E. F. Hall	"
	R. W. Morphis	"
	Francis Womack	"
	H. W. Hines	"

DEACONS---C. H. Fetzer, T	Reidsville.
W. B. Millner	"
J. A. Fetzer	"
D. A. Hendrix	"
W. R. Dalton	"
W. F. Burton	"
D. E. Purcell	"

58. Rocky Ridge

RULING ELDERS---G. K. Caldwell	Topia
Jesse Reynolds	Stratford
DEACONS---J. R. Taylor	Penen

59. Roxboro

RULING ELDERS---Henry Field	Roxboro
Dr. J. A. Wise, C	"
DEACONS—E. G. Thompson	"

60. Sandy Ridge

RULING ELDERS—J. H. Amos	Sandy Ridge
J. B. Ally	" "
DEACONS—None	

61. Saxapahaw

RULING ELDERS—G. T. Williamson, C	Saxapahaw
Reuben Lasley	"
J. W. Stockard	"
DEACONS—B. J. Williamson	"
J. O. Corbett	"

62. Smyrna

RULING ELDERS—R. S. Smith	Wentworth
W. G. Rakestraw	"
DEACONS—Robt. Lasley	"
G. W. Rakestraw	"

63. Speedwell

RULING ELDERS—Robt. Moore	Speedwell
T. S. Mallay, C	"
T. F. Rankin	"
DEACONS—N. W. Smothers, T	"
W. R. Pritchett	"
J. M. Hopkins, Jr	"

64. Springwood.

RULING ELDERS—	J. W. Summers, C	Whitsett
	Albert Ingle	Burlington
	J. E. Clapp	"
DEACONS—	E. B. Wheeler, T	Whitsett
	Q. Q. Boon	"
	John Sharp	Burlington
	G. M. R. Clapp	"

65. Stoneville.

RULING ELDERS—	Thos. L. Smith	Stoneville
DEACONS—	None	

66. Stony Creek.

RULING ELDERS—	J. H. Tarpley	Burlington
	J. L. Barnette	"
	J. H. Walker	"
	J. Mc. Garrison	"
	A. G. Garrison	"
	J. H. Maynard	Altamahaw
DEACONS—	T. B. Baker, T	"
	N. C. Garrison	Burlington
	J. H. E. Garrison	"
	T. A. Barnett	"
	W. L. Barnett	Union Ridge

67. Thomasville.

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. Joseph Bird, C	Thomasville
	P. S. Easley, T	"
DEACONS—	None	

68. Wentworth.

RULING ELDERS—	J. V. Price	Madison
DEACONS—	None	

69. Westminster.

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. Wharton	Greensboro
	Dr. W. P. Beall, C.	"
	E. P. Wharton	"
	T. G. McLean	"
	M. G. Newell	"
	E. J. Davis	"
	W. C. Denny	"
	W. E. Anderson	"

DEACONS—G. S. Seargeant	Greensboro
R. W. Murray	"
A. L. Rankin	"
M. F. Kersey	"
O. C. Wysong	"
C. C. McLean, T.	"
E. R. Wharton	"
D. C. Clapp	"
E. E. White	"

70. Wilkesboro.

RULING ELDERS---L. M. Pharr	Wilkesboro
J. M. Kunkle	"
DEACONS---D. E. Smoak	"

71. Winston 1st.

RULING ELDERS---T. J. Brown	Winston-Salem
J. W. Shepherd	"
J. M. Rogers	"
Thomas Patterson	"
E. L. Anderson	"
Robert Critz	"
M. N. Norfleet	"
R. B. Glenn	"
G. W. Mastin	"
DEACONS—E. D. Vaughn	"
Henry Roan	"
G. S. Norfleet	"
R. W. Gorrell	"
R. E. Johnston	"
Thomas Mastine	"
R. C. Norfleet	"
G. T. Brown	"
James Lentz	"
J. L. Patterson	"
C. L. Glenn	"

72. Worthville.

RULING ELDERS—R. H. Shaw	Worthville
J. A. Withers	"
DEACONS--None	

73. Yanceyville.

RULING ELDERS—T. Y. Chandler	Yanceyville
Dr. S. A. Malloy, C.	"
DEACONS—B. A. Harris	Blanche
T. J. Florence	Yanceyville
Geo. Williamson	"

II.—CONCORD PRESBYTERY.

I. Back Creek

RULING ELDERS---	G. H. Brown	Mt. Ulla
	Dr. G. A. Brown	" "
	H. E. Shoaf	" "
	S. E. Sloop	" "
	Jno. K. Goodman C.	" "
DEACONS---	S. B. Hart, T.	Mooresville, RFD
	J. A. Stewart	" "
	S. R. Knox	Bear Poplar
	D. A. Deitz	Mt. Ulla
	Jas. A. Bailey	" "

2. Bald Creek

RULING ELDERS---	C. W. Burton, C.	Bald Creek
DEACONS---	N. W. Horton, T.	" "

3. Banner Elk.

RULING ELDERS---	L. D. Lowe C.	Banner Elk
	F. H. Stinson	" "
	Dr. W. C. Tate	" "
	Isaac Greer	" "
	Hiram Brooks	" "
	Geo. Banner	" "
DEACONS---	R. O. Banner	" "
	W. L. Norman	" "

4. Bayless Memorial.

RULING ELDERS---	J. E. Rogers (C)	Concord
DEACONS---	R. L. Sloop (T)	"
	John Simpson	"

5. Barium Springs.

RULING ELDERS---	W. B. Parks, C.	Barium Springs
	J. W. Clark	Statesville, R. F. D.
DEACONS---	G. M. Young	Troutman
	W. R. Bailey	Barium Springs

6. Beattie Memorial

RULING ELDERS---	S. F. Harper, C.	Lenoir, Route
DEACONS---	Jay Harper, T.	" "

7. Bethany

RULING ELDERS---	W. H. Crawford	Statesville, Route
	J. W. Houpe	" "
	Dr. E. A. Hall, C.	" "
	W. L. Dunlap, T.	Dunlap
DEACONS---	J. W. Vickry	Statesville, Route
	G. W. Watts	" "
	E. R. McAuley	Dunlap

8. Bethesda

RULING ELDERS---	W. P. Goodman	Mt. Ulla, Route
	Ed. R. Holder	Troutman, Route
	W. A. McNeely	Statesville "
	J. W. Lentz, C.	" "
DEACONS---	G. W. McNeely, T.	" "
	A. W. Cook	Troutman, "
	W. L. Cook	" "
	Tom Morrow	Mt. Ulla "

9. Bethpage

RULING ELDERS---	W. D. Gillon	Glass, Route
	C. M. Peatra	" "
	E. L. Icenhour, C.	" "
	H. H. Goodnight	Landis, "
DEACONS---	J. R. McKinley, T.	Glass, Route
	R. D. Winecoff	" "
	C. R. Walker	" "
	W. H. Parks	" "
	W. G. Rumble	" "

10. Blowing Rock

No Session.

11. Bridgewater

RULING ELDERS---	S. E. Plackburn, C.	Bridgewater
DEACONS---	C. G. Anthony, T.	"

12. Brummetts

RULING ELDERS---	J. B. Masters, C.	Brummetts
	S. H. Hughes	"
DEACONS---	Walter Masters, T.	"

13. Buck Hill

RULING ELDERS---	L. M. Benfield, C.	Plumtree
DEACONS---	None	

14. Cannonville

RULING ELDERS---	C. R. White, C	Concord
	J. C. Thompson	"
	J. C. Query	"
DEACONS---	J. M. Thompson	"
	T. H. McLelland	"
	N. F. White	"
	C. W. Frieze	"
	Lee Martin	"

15. Center.

RULING ELDERS—	J. W. A. Kerr	Mooreville
	F. O. Johnston	Davidson
	T. F. Young	Mt. Mourne
	B. S. Templeton, C.	" "
DEACONS—	T. J. Williams	Mooreville
	J. Y. Templeton, T.	"
	T. O. Brawley	"
	J. A. Black	"

16. Chestnut Hill.

RULING ELDERS—	W. D. Watson, C	Salisbury
	W. B. Gheen	"
DEACONS—	W. G. Watson	Salisbury, R. F. D.
	W. M. Baker	"

17. Cleveland.

RULING ELDERS—	R. M. Rosebro, C.	Cleveland
	J. B. Kincaid	"
DEACONS—	J. A. Lyerly, T.	"
	W. L. Carson	"
	W. W. Roseman	"

18. Clio.

RULING ELDERS---	R. R. Hill, C	Statesville, R. F. D. 2
	R. L. Bailey	" "
	H. S. King	" "
DEACONS---	C. M. Hill	" "
	J. W. Hager, T	" "
	W. B. McLelland	Stony Point, R. F. D. 2

19. Concord (Iredell)

RULING ELDERS---	H. C. Summers, C	Statesville, R. F. D. 2
	L. F. Stevenson	Loray
	J. P. Watt	"
	Cicero Fulp	"
	T. W. Vickery	"

DEACONS---	A. F. Lewis	Statesville
	J. B. Summers	“ R. F. D. 6
	C. A. McLeland, T.	“ “
	H. L. Stevenson	Loray
	L. C. Stevenson	“
	H. D. Lackey	Statesville, R. F. D. 6
	J. R. Murdock	Scotts

20. Concord, First.

RULING ELDERS---	C. R. White	Concord
	M. M. Gillon	“
	S. W. White	“
	P. B. Fetzer	“
	Jno. P. Allison	“
	Dr. D. G. Caldwell	“
	Dr. J. S. Lafferty	“
	J. F. Hurley	“
	D. B. Morrison	“
	H. I. Woodhouse, C.	“
DEACONS---	Elam King	“
	G. M. Love	“
	E. C. Barnhardt	“
	E. F. White, T.	“
	J. F. Goodson	“
	J. W. Cannon	“
	S. J. Ervin	“
	W. L. Bell	“
	Geo. W. Brown	“
	J. A. Kimmons	“

21. Cooleeme

RULING ELDERS---	G. W. Fowler, C.	Salisbury, Route
	C. S. Smart	Cooleeme
	C. M. Penninger	Woodleaf
DEACONS---	T. V. Terrell, T.	Cooleeme
	John Foard	Salisbury

22. Davidson College

RULING ELDERS---	Dr. H. L. Smith	Davidson
	J. F. Knox, C.	“
	Dr. C. R. Harding	“
	Dr. W. J. Martin	“
	Dr. W. R. Grey	“
	Dr. A. A. McFadyen	“
	J. H. Reid	“
	L. R. Smith	“
	J. D. Kerns	“

DEACONS---	S. C. Scofield	Davidson.
	V. B. Stirewalt	"
	W. H. Thompson	"
	C. L. Grey	"
	J. M. McConnell	"
	W. A. Jetton	"
	J. R. Withers	"
	J. L. Douglas	"
	A. Currie	"
	J. F. Caldwell	"

23. Elmwood

RULING ELDERS---	B. E. Arey	Elmwood
	H. L. Fleming	"
	R. W. Pou, C.	"
DEACONS---	J. M. Arey	"
	J. A. Early	"

24. Estatoe

RULING ELDERS---	E. M. Westall	Harvard
	C. C. Robinson	"
	A. M. Patton, C.	"
DEACONS---	D. S. Ballard	"
	R. S. Gibbs	"

25. Fifth Creek

RULING ELDERS---	P. R. Houpe	Statesville
	R. A. Montgomery	"
	M. P. Beard	" Route
	H. T. Foster	Cleveland "
	J. V. Niblock, C.	" "
DEACONS---	V. C. Montgomery, T.	Statesville "
	C. H. Knox	" "
	D. W. Montgomery	" "

26. Forbes

RULING ELDERS---	W. H. Garland	Forbes
	Jason Masters	"
DEACONS---	David Gortney, T.	"
	John W. Bailey	"

27. Franklin

RULING ELDERS---	W. T. Gheen, C.	Salisbury, Route
	G. W. Overman	" "
	C. L. Kluttz	" "
	R. F. Shuping	Rutherfordton
DEACONS---	C. A. Jacobs, T.	Salisbury, Route
	M. A. Powlass	" "

28. Front Street

RULING ELDERS—	W. B. Gibson	Statesville
	L. K. Overcash	“
	W. R. Summers	“
	T. M. Phifer, C	“
DEACONS—	C. B. Morrison, T	“
	J. A. Lackey	“
	John Stevenson	“

29. Gilwood

RULING ELDERS—	J. H. Johnston	Concord, Route
	C. H. Hamilton	Davidson “
	M. A. Emerson	Concord “
	J. R. Bradford	“ “
	J. O. Mowver, T	Davidson “
	G. W. Reading	“ “
DEACONS—	W. A. Chester	“ “
	E. W. Morrison	“ “
	J. C. Johnston	Concord “
	C. L. Johnston	“ “

30. Glen Alpine

RULING ELDERS—	J. M. Giles, C	Glen Alpine
DEACONS—	T. A. Simpson	“ “
	J. H. Giles	“ “

31. Grassy Creek

RULING ELDERS—	Geo. W. Conley, C	Woodlawn
	H. F. Lawrence	Spruce Pine
DEACONS—	None.	

32. Harrisburg

RULING ELDERS—	D. L. Morrison	Harrisburg
	D. B. McEachren, C	“
	J. F. Alexander	“
DEACONS—	Zeb. M. Stafford	“
	J. E. Morrison, T	“
	S. W. Houston	“

33. Hickory

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. W. B. Ramsay, C	Hickory
	J. E. Haithcock	“
	G. W. Hall	“
	H. M. Doll	“
	Dr. T. F. Stevenson	“
	H. E. McComb	“

DEACONS—W. B. Menzies	Hickory
N. M. Seagle	"
E. B. Cline	"
G. W. Killian	"
W. E. Holbrook	"
D. M. McComb	"
W. A. Hall, T.	"

34. Houstonville

RULING ELDERS—P. B. Kennedy, C. & T.	Houstonville
Jas. A. Barnard	"
DEACONS—Lee Barnard	"

35. Hughes.

No Session.

36. Kannapolis.

RULING ELDERS—A. J. Winecoff	Kannapolis
G. D. McIntosh	"
S. E. Sloan, C.	"
DEACONS—J. W. Walters	"
J. M. Goodnight	"
Lee Woodall	"

37. Lenoir.

RULING ELDERS—G. W. F. Harper, C.	Lenoir
G. L. Bernhardt	"
J. G. Hall	"
J. H. Thompson	"
E. F. Reid	"
S. A. Grier	"
DEACONS—J. M. Bernhardt, T.	"
J. H. Beall	"
Geo. F. Harper	"
C. M. Sigmon	"
J. R. Boulware	"
R. H. Spainhour	"

38. Marion

RULING ELDERS—Col. P. J. Sinclair	Marion
John W. Kirby	"
J. E. Guy	"
W. B. Ratliff C.	"

DEACONS--	C. M. McCall	"
	G. S. Kirby, T.	"
	E. H. Dysart	"
	Dr. G. I. White	"
	T. A. White	"

39. McKinnon

RULING ELDERS--	C. A. Suther, C.	Concord
	R. W. Henry	"
	S. A. Perkins	"
	J. W. Cook	"
	P. B. Simpson	China Grove
	W. H. Henry	Morganton
DEACONS--	L. R. Crooks	Concord
	R. H. Cook, T.	"
	C. A. Henry	"
	L. L. Cochran	"
	C. W. Phillips	"
	J. A. Sharp	"

40. Micaville

RULING ELDERS--	C. I. Bowditch, C.	Micaville
DEACONS--	James Thomason, T.	"

41. Mocksville

RULING ELDERS--	E. L. Gaither	Mocksville
	S. A. Woodruff	"
	T. B. Bailey, C.	"
DEACONS--	J. B. Johnston, T.	"
	R. B. Sanford	"

42. Mooresville, First

RULING ELDERS--	W. N. Johnston	Mooresville
	R. C. Lentz	"
	J. E. Sherrill	"
	Dr. S. W. Stevenson	"
	Dr. N. G. Moore	"
	R. W. Allison	"
	Z. V. Turlington	"
	T. N. Hall, C.	"
DEACONS--	D. C. Brawley	"
	S. A. Lowrance	"
	C. K. Melchor	"
	G. C. Goodman	"
	W. M. Neel	"
	E. W. Brawley	"
	J. P. Mills	"
	W. M. Lentz	"
	C. P. McNeely, T.	"

43. Mooresville, Second.

RULING ELDERS—O. A. Proctor, Mooresville
 DEACONS—None.

44. Morganton

RULING ELDERS—R. K. Presnell, C Morganton
 G. P. Erwin "
 W. A. Ross "
 A. C. Avery "
 J. A. Dickson "
 T. V. Archer "
 S. J. Erwin "
 I. E. Avery "
 DEACONS—E. L. Bell, T "
 C. E. Ross "
 A. M. Ingold "
 C. J. Forney "
 J. D. Boger "
 L. G. Beall "

45. Mortimer

RULING ELDERS—E. B. McCollum, C Mortimer
 J. F. Bradshaw "
 DEACONS—F. R. Robertson "
 J. G. Braswell "

46. Mosley

RULING ELDERS—T. M. Sparks, C Flinty
 J. M. Green Wing
 D. H. Sparks Flinty
 C. W. Green Wing

47. Newdale

RULING ELDERS—R. L. Young Newdale
 Dexter Cox, C. Flinty
 DEACONS—D. R. Cox "
 H. H. Gurley Newdale
 J. D. McNeill, T. Flinty

48. New Salem

RULING ELDERS—J. D. Elliott Stony Point, Route
 W. W. Bobbitt " " "
 W. D. Martin, C. " " "
 J. S. Clodfelter Eufola "
 DEACONS—W. D. McLelland, T. Stony Point "
 B. F. Hines " " "
 N. P. Alexander " " "
 H. M. Harris " " "
 W. E. Morrison " " "

49. Newton

RULING ELDERS—A. J. Seagle	Newton
J. A. Garvin	“
L. L. Witherspoon	“
W. B. Gaither	“
W. C. Feimster	“
J. H. McLelland, C.	“
DEACONS—Dr. G. H. West	“
A. H. Crowell	“
R. B. Knox	“
J. A. Gaither, T.	“

50. Oak Hill

RULING ELDERS—Alton R. Cates, C.	Ingall
DEACONS—Jno. G. Phillips, T.	“

51. Oakwood

RULING ELDERS---W. M. McLean, C.	Lenoir, Route
W. B. Hood	“ “
DEACONS---O. M. Setzer	“ “
J. T. Lefener	“ “

52. Old Fort

RULING ELDERS—Dr. D. M. McIntosh, C.	Old Fort
J. B. Burgin	“ “
C.H. Burgin	“ “
J. C. Beach	“ “
DEACONS—G. M. Hyams	“ “
A. C. Tate, T.	“ “

53. Paint Gap.

RULING ELDERS---J. A. Parrott, C.	Paint Gap
Robert Ingold	“ “
R. E. Piercy	“ “
DEACONS—J. A. Holcombe, T.	“ “
Will Shepherd	“ “

54. Patterson Mill

RULING ELDERS—P. P. Townsend, C.	Harrisburg, Route
W. L. Morris	Concord
W. J. McLaughlin, T.	“ “
DEACONS—W. P. Martin	“ “
W. G. Townsend	“ “

55. Pineola

No Session.

56. Plumtree

RULING ELDERS—	F. L. Burlison, C	Plumtree
	R. M. Burlison	“
	Dr. E. H. Sloop	“
DEACONS—	T. B. Vance	“
	W. B. Burlison	“

57. Poplar Tent

RULING ELDERS---	G. J. Untz, C	Concord, Route
	S. S. Johnston	“ “
	C. T. Allison	“ “
	W. F. Cannon	“ “
	R. V. Caldwell	“ “
DEACONS---	C. A. Fisher	“ “
	W. G. Allison	“ “
	F. F. Allison	“ “
	C. P. Caldwell	“ “
	C. L. Cannon, T.	“ “

58. Powder Mill

RULING ELDERS---	John Young, C	Senia
DEACONS—	None.	

59. Prospect

RULING ELDERS—	T. C. Beatty	Mooreville
	D. A. Sloop	“
	D. W. Lowrance, C	“
	J. M. Furr	Glass
DEACONS--	W. L. Matheson	Mooreville
	E. B. Young	“
	W. A. Williford	“
	V. C. Edmiston, T.	Mt. Ulla

60. Quaker Meadows

RULING ELDERS—	M. E. Whisenant, C	Morganton, Route
	G. S. Ramsaur	“
DEACONS--	W. E. McConnaughay	“ “
	J. A. Alexander	“ “
	J. W. Avery	“ “
	Ed. Spainhour	“ “

61. Rocky River

RULING ELDRS---	J. W. White	Concord, Route
	L. M. Morrison	“ “
	J. H. White	“ “
	E. C. Davis, C	Harrisburg “
	L. H. Alexander	“ “
	J. W. Ervin	Concord “

DEACONS--	W. E. Harris	Harrisburg "
	Ed. S. Ervin, T.	Concord "
	R. A. Gourley	" "
	Wm. Spears	Harrisburg "
	Lafayette Stafford	" "
	Arthur Alexander	" "

62. Salisbury, First

RULING ELDERS--	O. D. Davis, T.	Salisbury
	E. B. Neave	"
	W. G. Watson, C.	"
	J. Samuel McCubbins	"
	Frank R. Brown	"
DEACONS--	D. A. Atwell	"
	Theo. F. Kluttz	"
	J. Allen Brown	"
	W. L. Kluttz	"
	J. M. Brown	"
	J. M. McCorcle	"
	S. H. Wiley	"
	S. W. Harry	"
	T. M. Kesler	"
	R. W. Price	"
	M. C. Quinn	"
	Dr. R. L. Ramsay	"
	W. L. Campbell	"

63. Shearer

RULING ELDERS--	R. F. Brawley	Mooresville, R. F. D.
	J. L. Ballard, C.	" " " "
	R. L. Patterson	Davidson
DEACONS--	L. F. Christenberry, T.	Mooresville, R. F. D.
	Jno. W. Johnston	" " " "

64. Sherrill's Ford

RULING ELDERS--	Dr. W. E. Wilson, C.	Sherrill's Ford
	T. J. Sherrill	Terrell
DEACONS--	J. A. Gabriel, T.	Sherrill's Ford
	E. J. Goodson	" "

65. Shiloh

RULING ELDERS--	M. A. Abernethy	Eufola, R. F. D.
	W. R. Bradford	" "
	T. P. Guy, C.	" "
DEACONS--	J. R. Abernethy, T.	" "
	J. B. Sherrill	" "
	W. H. Clark	" "

66. Siloam

RULING ELDERS—	H. A. Tate	Old Fort
	J. C. McKoy, C.	" "
DEACONS—	W. R. McKoy, T.	" "
	T. L. Tate	" "

67. Spencer

RULING ELDERS—	J. N. Boone	Spencer
	J. A. Morton, C.	Salisbury, R. F. D.
	G. W. Connell	Spencer
	Jesse Boles	East Spencer
DEACONS—	J. C. Small	Spencer
	A. L. Swicegood	"
	W. H. Kizziah	"
	Eugene Horn	"
	James Connell	"
	Arthur Horn	"

68. Spruce Pine

RULING ELDERS—	J. P. Bailey, C.	Spruce Pine
DEACONS—	None.	

69. Statesville, First

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. M. R. Adams	Statesville
	J. P. Bradley	"
	R. H. Rickert, C.	"
	F. A. Sherrill	"
	S. W. Stimson	"
	J. C. Steele	"
	C. M. Steele	"
	J. A. Vaughn	"
	J. H. Hill	"
DEACONS—	J. A. Brady	"
	J. B. Gill, T.	"
	W. F. Hall	"
	J. R. Hill	"
	J. T. Montgomery	"
	W. J. Poston	"
	L. Stimson	"
	W. W. Turner	"
	E. B. Watts	"
	C. H. Summers	"
	J. E. Sloop	"

70. Tabor

RULING ELDERS—	J. M. Holmes	Olin, R. F. D.
	Columbus Hayes, C. and T.	“ “
	Alvin Holmes	“ “
DEACONS—	None.	

71. Taylorsville

RULING ELDEERS---	Jno. W. Moore	Taylorsville
	E. M. Stevenson	“
	A. H. Matheson	“
	H. J. Burke	“
	H. P. Feimster, C.	“
DEACONS—	Jno. Hayden Burke, T.	“
	Thos. E. Sharpe	“
	Jas. A. Smith	“

72. Third Creek

RULING ELDERS—	J. H. Carson	Barber, Route
	J. I. Steele	Cool Springs
	W. L. Steele	Cleveland, Route
	T. C. Niblock	“ “
DEACONS—	C. J. Fleming	“
	W. A. Luckley	“
	Henry Wilhelm	“ “
	F. A. Niblock	“ “

73. Thyatira

RULING ELDERS—	J. W. Sloan, C.	China Grove
	A. F. Goodman	“ “
	J. S. McCorkle	“ “
	H. W. Silliman	“ “
	E. S. Miller	Mt. Ulla
	J. F. Turner	“ “
DEACONS---	G. F. Houck	China Grove
	S. F. Baker, T.	“ “
	J. S. Hall	Barber
	Jacob Deal	“
	C. A. Sloop	Mt. Ulla
	J. C. Carrigan	“ “

74. Troutman

RULING ELDERS---	M. Holtshouser	Troutman
	L. S. Waugh, C.	Statesville
DEACONS---	None.	

75. Turkey Cove

No Session

76. Unity

RULING ELDERS--	R. B. Bailey	Woodleaf
	H. G. Lippard	"
	N. N. Fleming, C.	"
	J. A. Lippard	Cleveland
DEACONS--	J. G. Lyerly, T.	Salisbury, Route
	R. C. Lyerly	Woodleaf
	I. T. Bailey	"
	J. K. Culbertson	"

77. Vines Valley

RULING ELDERS--	Joseph Bowditch, C.	Toecane
	J. C. Burlison	"
DEACONS--	J. C. Steward, T.	"

78. Waldensian

RULING ELDERS--	Henry Pascal	Valdese
	John H. Pascal	"
	Henry MarSinat	"
DEACONS--	Antoine Grill, C.	"
	John L. Garron, T.	"

79. White Hall

RULING ELDERS--	J. B. White, C.	Concord
DEACONS--	None.	

80. Yadkinville

RULING ELDERS--	J. E. Zachary, C.	Yadkinville
	J. W. Wells	"
DEACONS--	J. A. Logan, T.	"
	H. B. James	"

III—FAYETTEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

1. Aberdeen

RULING ELDERS---	J. A. McNeill, C	Laurel Hill
	A. H. McDonald, T	" "
DEACONS---	R. L. McGugan	" "

2. Antioch

RULING ELDERS---	Hiram Conoley	Shannon
	Joe A. McBride	" "
	J. H. Morgan	" "
	A. A. Conoley	" "
	H. F. Currie	Maxton
	A. A. Graham	Red Springs
	J. A. Hodgkin, C	" "
DEACONS---	G. B. Conoley	" "
	J. A. Brown	" "
	J. M. McBryde	" "
	A. J. Currie	" "
	M. B. McNeill	" "
	J. A. McPhane	Shannon
	J. A. Johnson	" "

3. Ashpole

RULING ELDERS—	J. E. Alford	Rowland, Route
	D. J. McKay	" "
	N. T. McLean	" "
	C. B. Cox	" "
	A. L. Bullock	" "
	Alexander McGirt	" "
	W. F. Bullock	" "
	G. R. Campbell	Whitesville
	Alex. Alford	Rowland, Route
	Graham McKinnon	" "
	John A. McCormick, C	" "
DEACONS—	J. B. Bullock	" "
	E. M. Hines	" "
	Alex. Watson	" "
	A. D. McKenzie	" "
	John A. McGirt, Jr.	" "
	Brown McCullum	" "

4. Bakers

RULING ELDERS—Henry Flowers Lumberton
 DEACONS—None.

5. Barbecue

RULING ELDERS—John Darrach Jonesboro, Route
 D. McNeill Harrington
 Hugh McLean Leaflet
 D. B. Cameron Swanns Station
 A. A. Clark, C. Jonesboro, Route
 DEACONS---Malcom Darrach, T. " "
 John D. Godfrey " "
 John W. Campbell " "
 H. McL. Cameron Pine View
 Daiei B. Stewart Leaflet

6. Bensalem

RULING ELDERS—J. C. McDuffie Biscoe, Route
 D. C. McKinnon, C. " "
 J. C. Britt Eagle Springs, R.
 J. C. Monroe " " "
 H. A. Kelly " " "
 E. E. McDonald West End
 K. M. Currie Carthage, Route
 DEACONS---W. C. Dowd Biscoe "
 D. A. Seawell " "
 N. S. Britt Eagle Springs
 Mc. I. Kennedy " "
 Alex. Morrison " "
 E. C. Matheson " "
 J. C. Stutts " "
 W. M. Seawell Candor

7. Bethcar

RULING ELDERS---J. P. Brown Fairmont
 F. L. Blue, C. "
 J. D. Lewis "
 DEACONS—David McLean "
 Robt. Rorby "
 A. L. Jones "

8. Bethel

RULING ELDERS—M. A. Clark Raeford, Route
 W. J. McDiarmid, C. " "
 R. J. McNeill Red Springs Route

DEACONS---	J. D. McLeod	" "	"
	W. A. McLean	Raeford	"
	A. C. Keith	"	"

9. Bethesda

RULING ELDERS---	John Blue	Aberdeen
	J. A. McNeill	"
	D. J. Campbell	"
	J. W. Graham, C.	"
DEACONS---	H. A. Keith	"
	J. A. McKeithan	"
	J. McN. Johnson	"
	G. W. Graham	Raeford

10. Big Rockfish

RULING ELDERS---	J. A. McFadyen	Hope Mills, Route
	Fleet Culbreth	Parkton "
	Lauchli McDonald, C.	Cotton
DEACONS---	J. R. Brown, T.	Parkton
	D. A. McMillan	"
	W. A. McLean	Hope Mills, Route
	J. C. Culbreth	Parkton, Route

11. Biscoe

RULING ELDERS---	W. D. Blue, C.	Sprouls
DEACONS---	D. M. Hunsucker	Biscoe
	J. W. Ewing, T.	"

12. Bluff

RULING ELDERS---	J. R. Bowden, C.	Wade
	H. A. Bain	"
	W. M. McConquodale	"
	Neill McMillan	"
DEACONS---	Alex. McNeill	"
	Auguish Ray	"
	Don McDonald	"
	Josiah Cook	"
	J. H. Waynes	"

13. Brainard

RULING ELDERS---	R. H. Morrison	Rockingham
	Solomon McLean	"
	D. E. Walker, C.	"
DEACONS---	J. A. McIntyre	"
	J. A. McNair	"

14. Broadway

RULING ELDERS—	M. A. McLeod, C.	Broadway
	D. E. Lassater	"
	G. M. Harrington	"
DEACONS—	E. H. Lassater, T.	"
	J. L. Foushee	"
	J. A. McNeill	"

15. Buffalo

RULING ELDERS—	J. D. McIver	Sanford
	J. H. Wicker	"
	J. W. Wicker, C.	"
	J. W. Knott	"
	A. B. Cole, C.	"
DEACONS—	J. D. McPherson, T.	"
	E. B. McIver	"
	K. E. Seymore	"
	W. A. Williamson	"
	J. W. Oldham	"

16. Cameron

RULING ELDERS—	N. A. McNeill	Cameron
	D. J. Pierce	"
	Donald McDonald	"
	M. M. L. McKarthen, C.	"
	A. J. Keith	" R. F. D.
DEACONS—	H. P. McPherson	"
	J. A. Gilchrist	" "
	T. B. Maples	" "

17. Cameronian

RULING ELDERS—	E. S. Hart	Rockingham
	G. A. Whitley	"
	A. D. William	"
	N. H. Reynolds	"
	H. B. Hart, C.	"
	J. T. Bernoist	"
DEACONS—	D. M. McInnis, T.	"
	W. A. Patterson	"
	J. N. Hastey	"
	W. F. Hart	"
	H. T. Balwin	"

18. Cameron Hill

RULING ELDERS—D. C. Cameron	Pineville
T. M. Cameron	“
DEACONS—Jno. D. Cameron	“

19. Carthage

RULING ELDERS---Jas. D. McIver	Carthage
D. McS. Kelly	“
John Campbell	“
Jno. H. McDonald	“
Jno. L. Currie	“
W. J. Kelly	“
George C. Graves	“
M. H. Caldwell	“
Gilbert McLeod, C.	“
DEACONS---D. A. McDonald, T.	“
H. A. McCallum	“
M. McL. Kelly	“
A. C. Kelly	“
K. M. Fry	“
D. S. Ray	“
M. G. Dalrymple	“
Jno. A. Wadesworth	“
R. L. Tyson	“
W. V. Carter	“
M. B. Morris	“

20. Centre Presbyterian

RULING ELDERS—A. A. Watson	Maxton
Jas. McBryde	“
Daniel Wilkinson	“
W. W. McGirt	“
A. M. McKinnon	“
Daniel Watson, C.	“
DEACONS—J. D. McLean, T.	“
J. K. McGirt	“
Dory McNair	“
Artemas McKay	“
Paul Sinclair	“
T. B. Russell	“

21. Church of the Covenant

RULING ELDERS—J. A. McFarland, C.	Manchester
W. A. Nicholson	Davidson
DEACONS---J. A. Murchison	Manchester
A. A. McCormick	“

22. Culdee

RULING ELDERS---	D. J. McKenzie, C.	Carthage, Route
	T. H. Caddell	" "
	H. A. McCollum	" "
	D. A. Blue	" "
	Z. V. Blue	" "
	N. P. McKenzie	West End
DEACONS---	W. R. McKenzie	Carthage, Route
	E. H. Caddell	" "
	D. S. Blue	" "
	A. A. McKaskill	" "

23. Cypress

RULING ELDERS---	J. H. McCallum	Cameron
	D. M. Cameron	Lobelia
	A. D. McLauchlin, C.	Vass
DEACONS---	D. B. McKeithen	"
	T. J. Smith	"
	Daniel McGill	Lobelia
	P. H. Monroe	Cameron
	Walter Baker	"

24. Duke

RULING ELDERS---	C. M. Eason	Duke
	F. M. McKay, C.	"
	W. M. McKay	"
DEACONS---	C. J. Smith	"
	F. W. McKay	"
	J. K. Giles	"

25. Dundarrah

RULING ELDERS---	Edgar Hall	Dundarrah
	L. A. McInnis, C.	"
DEACONS---	N. J. McLauchlin	Red Springs Route
	L. B. Monroe	Raeford, Route

26. Dunn

RULING ELDERS---	James Pearsall	Dunn
	H. A. Blacks	"
	S. J. Hooks, T.	"
	J. D. Williams	Dunn, Route
	M. L. Wade, C.	"
DEACONS---	Edward Smith	" "
	J. W. Purdie	"
	Dr. C. H. Sexton	"

27. Elise

RULING ELDERS—	N. J. Carter, C	Hemp
	W. G. Carter	Carter's Mills
DEACONS—	J. W. Brown	Hemp
	H. M. Shields	"

28. Ellerbe Springs

RULING ELDERS--	Nelson McAskill, C	Rockingham, R.
	J. M. McGaskill	Ellerbe
	Dr. N. J. Coppedge	"
	Daniel Henderson	" Route
	N. G. Nicholson	Covington
	A. D. McLean	Bragg
DEACONS—	Alexander Quick	Ellerbe, Route
	John Thomas	" "
	N. A. McAskill	Rockingham, R.

29. Elrod

RULING ELDERS—	None.
DEACONS--	W. D. Campbell Elrod
	D. D. McCall "

30. Euphronia

	E. J. Harrington	Coles Mills, Route
	J. F. Blackman	" " "
	C. C. Underwood	" " "
	Geo. Willcop, C	Carbonton
DEACONS—	Alexander McRae	Coles Mills, Route
	C. G. Wadsworth	" " "
	J. L. Knight, T	" " "
	N. A. Underwood	Sanford, Route

31. Fayetteville.

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. J. W. McNeill	Fayetteville
	W. L. Hawley	"
	A. E. Rankin	"
	R. M. Prior	"
	T. J. Whitted	"
	N. H. Smith	"
	E. H. Williamson, C	"
	Dr. S. A. Rose	"
	J. H. Culbreth	"
DEACONS—	A. A. McKeithan	"

W. G. Hall	Fayetteville
H. McD. Robinson	"
R. McMillan	"
J. R. Boyd	"
J. C. McDiarmid	"
W. D. Foster	"
C. T. Rose	"
A. A. McKeithan, T	"
A. P. Johnston	"

32. Flat Branch

RULING ELDERS—H. D. McCormick	Cambro
H. D. McDonald	Argo
D. Darrach	"
J. G. Shaw	Cambro
N. B. McDonald, C	"
W. K. Black	Lillington
DEACONS—J. S. Shaw	Westville
A. A. Shaw	Cambro
D. J. Smith	"
Niven Ray	"
William Knight	"
D. H. Bain	"
John McArtan	Linde
Gilbert Campbell	Lillington
E. S. Smith, T.	"

33. Galatia

RULING ELDERS—D. A. Blue	Hope Mills
R. D. Brady	" "
J. H. Currie	Fayetteville
A. A. McInnis	Rockfish
D. J. Ray	Raeford
Dr. W. G. Ray	Hope Mills
A. D. McGill, C	Fayetteville
DEACONS—D. B. Gill, T	Fay
D. G. Blue	"
W. E. McGill	"
J. T. Ritter	Rockfish
W. G. Gillis	Hope Mills
N. B. Lindsay	" "
Rod McMillan	" "

34. Gibson

RULING ELDERS—L. M. Blue, C. & T	Gibson
DEACONS—None.	

35. Godwin.

RULING ELDERS—	John Graham	Godwin
	Alexander Graham	“
	J. M. McIntyre	“
	J. C. Williams, C.	“
DEACONS—	C. C. McLellou, T.	“
	J. A. Wade	“
	N. A. Williams	“
	J. R. McIntyre	“

36. Gulf

RULING ELDERS—	J. M. McIver, C.	Gulf
	W. S. Russell	“
	George Cole	Carbonton
DEACONS—	Dr. A. W. Palmer	Gulf
	J. H. Kennedy	“
	H. A. Russell	“
	Carl Cole	Carbonton

37. Hamlet

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. Neimyer, C.	Hamlet
	D. McNair	“
	J. R. Gordon	“
	E. C. Terry	“
DEACONS—	M. B. Nicholson	Carolina Springs
	B. Whiting	Hamlet
	S. O. Bonenfield	“
	G. W. Pillow	“
	C. Lane	“

38. Haymount

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. McDiarmid, C.	Haymount
	Smith M. Reed	“
DEACONS—	Jno. M. DeVane	“
	Hal. V. Worth	“

39. Haywood

RULING ELDERS—	W. C. Kimball, C.	Haywood
	J. J. Thomas	“
	J. E. Bryan	Moncure
DEACONS—	E. E. Walden	Haywood

40. Hillside

RULING ELDERS—	J. E. Smith, C.	Rowland, Route
	M. C. McQueen	“ “
DEACONS—	James McLaurin	Maxton, “
	J. H. McQueen	Rowland, “

41. Hope Mills

RULING ELDERS---	M. Morgan	Hope Mills
	G. W. Stancil	" "
	D. M. McL. Holt	" "
	J. H. McPhane, C.	" "
DEACONS---	J. B. Driver	" "
	M. L. McPhail	" "

42. Ida Mills

RULING ELDERS--	Hector McLean	Laurinburg
	T. B. Elmore	Laurel Hill
	J. B. Calhoun	Laurinburg
	J. B. Maxwell	"
	D. McDonald	"
	L. C. Gibson	"
	R. Morrison, C.	Laurel Hill
DEACONS--	L. Calhoun, T.	Laurinburg
	John Cassidy	"
	F. M. Gibson	"
	J. T. Flythe	Laurel Hill

43. Iona

RULING ELDERS--	T. S. Greyard	McDonald
	J. A. McMillan	"
	M. C. McIntyre	Lumberton
	J. E. Price, C.	Fairmont, Route
DEACONS--	Arthur Davis	"
	J. M. Davis	"
	J. F. Parker	"
	D. A. McCormac	McDonald

44. Jackson Springs

RULING ELDERS--	D. W. McDonald	Rockingham
	N. D. J. Clark	Jackson Springs
	A. McN. Currie	" "
	M. Brown	" "
	J. F. Patterson	" "
	M. A. Clark	" "
	J. M. McDowell, C.	" "
	A. C. Ray	Patterson
DEACONS--	D. E. Patterson	Jackson Springs
	A. L. Currie	" "
	W. M. McKenzie	" "
	W. L. Holliday	" "
	W. A. Clark	" "
	K. A. McLeod	" "
	E. A. Currie, T.	" "

45. Jonesboro

RULING ELDERS---	J. Alton McIver	Carthage
	C. H. Russell	Jonesboro
	R. C. McNeill	"
	A. A. F. Seawell	"
	Redin Bryan, C.	"
DEACONS--	Dr. E. M. McIver	"
	W. S. Murchison	"
	Jno. A. Dalrymple	"
	Jas. R. Dalrymple	"
	R. A. Watson, T.	"

46. Kenly

RULING ELDERS--	S. A. Watson	Kenly
	Dr. J. C. Grady	"
	W. H. Edgerton	"
	J. H. Kirby, C.	"
DEACONS--	R. H. Alford, T.	"
	J. T. Edgerton	"

47. Laurel Hill

RULING ELDERS---	D. Z. Hardin	Laurinburg
	H. McN. Lytch	"
	L. McNeill	"
	A. F. Patterson, C.	Laurel Hill
DEACONS--	J. M. McLean, T.	Laurinburg
	H. McMillan	"
	A. F. Lytch	"

48. Laurinburg

RULING ELDERS---	A. L. James	Laurinburg
	W. D. B. McEachin, C.	"
	Angus Fairley	"
	Angus Blue	"
	D. C. McNeill	"
	L. A. Tatum	"
DEACONS--	Calvin McKinnon, T.	"
	W. R. McEachin	"
	J. C. Morgan	"
	Jno. C. Phillips	"
	John M. McCormick	"

49. Lebanon

RULING ELDERS--	Alexander McKenzie	Rowland
DEACONS---	None	

50. Lillington

RULING ELDERS—	C. McArtan	Lillington
	J. E. Bryan, C.	“
DEACONS—	O. L. Johnston, T.	“
	N. McLauchlin	“
	H. T. Atkins	“

51. Longstreet

RULING ELDERS—	N. D. McClark, C.	Fayetteville, RFD.
	J. F. McFadyen	Argyle
	J. D. Monroe	“
DEACONS—	A. B. McFadyen	“
	E. Monroe, T.	“
	D. McL. Holt	Hope Mills

52. Lumber Bridge

RULING ELDERS—	N. Shaw, C.	Lumber Bridge
	Thos. Stamps	“ “
	J. D. Malloy	“ “
	H. M. John	“ “
	Dr. C. S. Shaw	“ “
	Edward Currie	“ “
	D. M. Hall	“ “
DEACONS—	L. L. Shaw, T.	“ “
	J. M. McIver	“ “
	D. W. Monroe	“ “
	J. W. Hall	“ “
	A. C. McGougan	“ “

53. Lumberton

RULING ELDERS—	J. A. McAllister, C.	Lumberton
	Abner Nash	“
DEACONS—	H. McL. McAllister, T.	“
	Alph. H. McLeon	“
	T. A. McNeill	“
	A. W. McLean	“

54. Macedonia

RULING ELDERS—	John B. McCaskill, C.	Biscoe
	John G. Seawell	“
	Alexander Martin	“
	Archie Northcote	Candor
	Malcom McCaskill	“
	John H. Gillis	Biscoe
DEACONS—	S. T. Ewing, T.	Candor
	John C. Munn	“

55. Manly

RULING ELDERS—	J. E. Buchan, T	Manly
	D. A. Blue, C	Southern Pines
DEACONS—	C. W. Shaw	“ “
	D. P. Kelly	“ “
	G. McG. Cameron	“ “
	J. H. Priest	Envemen

56. Marks Creek

RULING ELDERS—	M. L. Morrison	Hoffman
	W. A. Wilkes	Cognac
	C. V. Williams	Hamlet
	N. A. Campbell, C. & T	“
DEACONS—	John Wilkes	Cognac
	Angus McLean	Keyser
	J. O. McKoy	Cognac
	A. C. Wilkes	“
	J. H. McDuffie	Hamlet
	S. W. McRae	“
	W. D. Cameron	Old Hundred

57. Maxton

RULING ELDERS—	John C. McCaskill	Maxton
	W. J. Currie, C	“
	Elijah Fuller McRae	“
	John Daustin	“
	Gilbert B. Patterson	“
	L. L. McGirt	“
DEACONS—	Dr. J. D. Croom	“
	A. McL. Morrison	“
	J. S. McRae	“
	A. H. Currie	“
	D. A. Patterson	“
	H. C. Alford	“
	H. C. McNair	“

58. McMillan

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. Bain	Wade, Route
	S. A. Bain	“ “
	D. A. McMillan	“ “
	J. M. McMillan, C.	“ “
DEACONS—	W. H. Williams, T.	“ “
	D. J. McMillan	“ “
	D. A. Bain	Fayetteville
	N. H. Williams	Wade, Route
	J. T. Matthews	Cooper, Route

59. McPherson

RULING ELDERS—	W. H. McPherson	Fayetteville
	Alex. Leslie	“
	J. A. McArthur	“
	D. B. Currie, C.	“
DEACONS—	Ruffin Vaughn	“
	Neill McFadyen	“
	N. S. McArthur, T.	“

60. Midway

RULING ELDERS—	Geo. C. Fisher, C.	Maxton
	D. M. McRae	“ R. F. D. 1
	Oliver C. Falks, T.	“ R. F. D. 3
DEACONS—	D. H. Smith	“
	D. L. McLean	“ “ 1
	M. A. McLean	“ “ 3

61. Montpelier

RULING ELDERS—	Chas. A. Purcell, C.	Red Springs, Route
	D. S. Alderman	“ “ “
	Charlie Livingston	Maxton
	Dr. W. G. Shaw	Laurinburg
	E. F. Murray	“
DEACONS—	W. G. Buie	Wagram
	J. R. Bandy	“
	Jno. P. Livingston	Maxton
	F. P. McNeill	Raeford

62. Mt. Carmel

RULING ELDERS—	Miles McInnis	Ellerbe
	Alfred McNair, C.	Norman
	T. C. Munn	Ellerbe
	Malcom Ray	Norman
DEACONS—	D. W. McDonald, T.	Dry Creek
	Duncan McLean	Norman
	John McInnis	Ellerbe
	Duncan McRae	“

63. Mt. Gilead

RULING ELDERS—	W. A. McAulay, C.	Mt. Gilead
	A. S. McRae	“ “
	John C. McAulay	“ “
	John A. McAulay	“ “
DEACONS—	Geo. T. McAulay	“ “
	John C. McKinnon, T.	“ “

64. Mt. Pisgah

RULING ELDERS—	Neill McLeod	Broadway
	W. L. M. Harrington	“
	M. J. McNeill	“
	N. A. McLean	“
	D. W. Buie	“
	John McLeod, C.	“
DEACONS—	M. A. McLeod	“
	T. W. Harrington	“
	B. F. McLeod	“
	John A. McLean	“
	R. J. McLeod	“

65. Mt. Vernon Springs

RULING ELDERS—	R. R. Vann	Mt. Vernon Springs
	L. T. Lane	Ore Hill
	D. Y. White	“ “
DEACONS—	I. T. Womble, T.	Siler City
	F. A. Houston	Mt. Vernon Springs
	I. T. Brooks	Pittsboro

66. Mt. Tabor

RULING ELDERS—	J. T. Denny	Cromartie
	J. D. Johnston, C.	Red Springs, Route
DEACONS—	W. A. Smith	“ “ “
	D. H. Brown	“ “ “
	J. F. McIntyre	“ “

67. Oakland

RULING ELDERS—	J. H. Smith, C.	Smithfield, Route
	W. R. Long	“
	C. C. Young	Willow Springs
	E. S. Edmundson	“ “
DEACONS—	W. S. Lmith, T.	Smithfield, Route
	Dr. G. A. McLemore	Clayton, Route
	Jas. A. Myatt	“ “
	Samuel W. Brooks	“ “
	Jas. E. Jones	“ “

68. Pembroke

RULING ELDERS—	D. A. Shaw, C.	Pembroke
	Neil McInnis	“
DEACONS—	C. F. Lawler	“

69. Parkton

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. D. Hughes	Parkton
	Neill McNeill	"
	H. C. McMillan	"
	Z. T. McMillan	"
	Preston Stamp	Hope Mills
	A. C. McCormick, C.	Parkton
DEACONS—	R. F. Council	"
	J. B. McCormick	"
	J. B. Malloy	"
	I. J. Lancaster, T.	"
	J. G. Hughes	"

70. Pee Dee

RULING ELDERS—	R. R. Little, C. & T.	Little's Mills
	P. A. Ledbetter	" "
	W. A. Smith	Mangum
DEACONS—	None.	

71. Philippi

RULING ELDERS—	D. C. Gills, C.	Rae ford
	C. N. Monroe	"
DEACONS—	A. B. McGill, T.	"
	B. P. D. Johnson	"

72. Philadelphia

RULING ELDERS—	J. A. McCallum, C.	Red Springs
	Paisley McMillan	" "
	J. M. Brown	" "
	J. A. Humphrey	" "
DEACONS—	D. M. McKay, T.	" "
	A. D. McCallum	" "
	I. T. Brown	" "
	G. A. McKay	" "
	Alexander McKenzie	" "

73. Pittsboro

RULING ELDERS—	R. H. Hayes, C. & T.	Pittsboro
DEACONS—	Jacob Thompson	"
	D. L. E. Farthing	"

74. Pocket

RULING ELDERS—	D. A. McIntosh	Sanford
	O. B. Murchison	"
	J. P. Gilliam, C.	"

DEACONS—T. C. Campbell, T	“
J. D. Cameron	“
N. E. Poe	“

75. Raeford

RULING ELDERS—J. W. McLaughlin	Raeford
Jeptha Peele	“
H. McC. Currie	“
McLean Campbell	“
Geo. A. Graham, C.	“
DEACONS—A. A. Williford	“
J. W. Johnson	“
N. S. McLean, T.	“
J. A. McDiarmid	“
H. R. Cromartie	“
Neill A. McNeill	“

76. Red Springs

RULING ELDERS—John McLean, C.	Red Springs
W. J. McLeod,	“ “
A. D. McLeod	“ “
R. F. Currie	“ “
N. B. Brown	“ “
Peter McQueen	“ “
Dr. B. F. McMillan	“ “
J. W. Hodgkin	“ “
L. McRae	“ “
J. A. McNeill	“ “
DEACONS---W. M. Roberts, T	“ “
A. T. McCallum	“ “
Dr. J. L. McMillan	“ “
M. McKinnon	“ “
J. N. Buie	“ “
Hector Currie	“ “
W. E. Garrett	“ “
W. J. Johnston	“ “

77. Roberdel

RULING ELDERS—S. P. Stogner	Roberdel
C. L. Wicker, C	“
DEACONS---B. H. LeGrand	“
E. T. Green, T.	“
D. L. Wicker	“
J. F. Meacham	Rockingham

78. Rockingham

RULING ELDERS---	D. M. Morrison	Rockingham
	J. A. McNair	"
	John D. Cameron, C	"
	Frank Roberts	"
	O. L. Cloud	"
DEACONS--	J. A. McAuly	"
	John P. Cameron	"
	John M. McNair, T	"
	A. B. Nicholson	"

79. Rowland

RULING ELDERS--	S. L. Adams	Rowland
	Dr. W. E. Evans, C	"
	A. C. Johnson	"
	Geo. K. McNeill	"
DEACONS--	A. T. McKellar, T	"
	D. D. McLaurin	"
	C. D. Smith	"
	W. C. Bracy	"

80. Salem

RULING ELDERS--	J. L. Shepperd, C	Sanford Route
	J. J. Weldon	" "
	N. A. Dalrymple	Jonesboro, Route
	L. E. McNair	" "
	D. R. McIver	" "
DEACONS--	R. J. Weldon, T	Sanford, Route
	R. W. Shepperd	" "
	A. J. Sloan	" "
	J. D. Copeland	Jonesboro, Route
	T. C. Dalrymple	" "

81. Sandy Grove

RULING ELDERS--	N. S. Blue	Raeford
	D. J. Gillis	Timberland
	A. C. Munroe	Raeford
	M. A. Patterson, C	Timberland
DEACONS---	S. J. Cameron	Raeford
	M. A. Gillis	Timberland

82. Sanford

RULING ELDERS--	D. E. McIver	Sanford
	A. L. McNeill	"
	W. S. Witherspoon	"

	W. A. Monroe	Sanford
	Lynn McIver, C	"
	H. M. Williams	"
	Jack Jones	"
	R. C. Carrington	"
	A. G. Carter	"
	I. A. Riddle	"
DEACONS—	Jno. W. McIntosh	"
	J. C. Williams	"
	Jesse Carter	"
	E. M. Underwood, T.	"
	W. F. Cheers	"
	L. P. Wilkins	"
	W. H. Fitts	"
	H. M. Willer	"

83. Sardis

RULING ELDERS—	W. L. Williams	Duke, Route
	J. E. Elliott	Thornwall
	J. M. Hodges, C.	Linden
DEACONS---	G. D. Elliott	"
	John Williams	"
	J. T. Smut	Duke, Route

84. Selma

RULING ELDERS---	T. M. Benoy	Selma
DEACONS—	Johu A. Mitchner	"

85. Sherwood

RULING ELDERS---	Duncan Davis, C.	Fayetteville, R.
	Peter McK. Williams	" "
DEACONS—	M. R. McGirt	" "
	D. T. Smith	" "

86. Shannon

RULING ELDERS—	N. McL. Conoly	Shannon
	T. Currie, C.	Red Springs
DEACONS—	D. S. Klarpp	Shannon
	G. . Klarpp	"
	Calvin Conoly	"

87. Shiloh

RULING ELDERS—	N. A. Brown	Timberland
DEACONS---	H. A. Currie	"

88. Smithfield

RULING ELDERS—	H. L. Groves	Smithfield
	I. T. Turlington, C.	" "
DEACONS—	None.	

89. Smyrna

RULING ELDERS—	John M. Graham, C.	Laurinburg, Route
	C. S. McArthur	" "
	J. C. Stewart	Johns Station
	D. M. Stewart	Maxton, Route
	J. G. Whitlock	" "
DEACONS—	J. D. Hester	Laurinburg, Route
	Robert Stewart	Johns Station
	J. B. Whitlock	Maxton

90. St. Andrews

RULING ELDERS—	D. Pierce	Jonesboro, Route
	J. A. McPhail	" "
	A. G. Thomas	Swanns Station
	W. J. McDonald	" "
	A. B. Johnson	Lemon Springs
	W. F. Edwards, C.	" "
DEACONS—	D. F. Nicholson	Jonesboro, Route
	W. B. Wicker	" "
	J. B. Cameron, T.	" "
	J. J. Edwards	Lemon Springs
	C. W. R. Thomas	" "
	N. McD. Johnson	" "

91. St. Pauls

RULING ELDERS—	L. Shaw	St. Pauls
	W. N. McLean	" "
	A. R. McEachern	" "
	L. McLinnis	" "
	D. A. McGougan, C.	" "
DEACONS—	L. A. McGeachey	" "
	L. L. McGougan	" "
	McL. McGeachey	" "
	L. L. Northrop, T.	" "
	J. W. Alford	" "
	J. McArthur	" "

92. Summerville

RULING ELDERS—A. M. McKay	Lillington, Route
N. McK. Murchison	“ “
J. H. Withers, C.	“ “
DEACONS—H. T. Faucette, T.	“ “
W. H. Faucette	“ “
H. J. McDonald	“ “
John M. Ballard	“ “
Paul McKay	“ “

93. Sunny Side

RULING ELDERS—A. C. Holmes	Fayetteville, Route
T. D. Bulla	“ “
L. D. Smith, C.	“ “
DEACONS—J. Evans	“ “
William McCaskel	“ “
E. McLaurin	“ “

94. Troy

RULING ELDERS—L. R. Lisk, C. & T.	Troy
C. J. Poole	“
R. B. Garris	“
S. H. McCall	“
DEACONS—B. A. Garris	“
E. D. McNeill	Carmel

95. Union

RULING ELDERS—John A. Blue	Carthage
Martin Blue	“
John A. McLeod	“
J. R. McQueen	Lakeview
R. D. Rowan, C.	Cameron
DEACONS—T. B. Phillips, T.	Carthage
J. S. McLaughlin	“
T. D. McLean	“
A. A. Ray	“
Francis Deaton	“
R. A. McLaughlin	“
R. A. Smith	Lakeview
D. M. McLean	Cameron
D. J. Monroe	“

*** 96. Vass**

RULING ELDERS—	E. L. McNeill	Vass
	W. D. Smith	"
	D. A. McLaughlin	"
	D. McNeill, C	"
DEACONS—	J. A. Keith	"
	J. W. Kaneer	"
	H. C. Cameron, T	"

97. Wadeville

RULING ELDERS—	D. D. McKinnon	Wadeville
	D. F. Robinson	"
DEACONS—	T. B. Hurley	"
	Claude McKinnon	"
	Theodore Robinson	"

98. White Hill

RULING ELDERS—	D. D. Kelly	Carthage
	J. A. Cole	Cameron
	W. S. Foushee	Sanford
	N. B. Cameron, C	Carthage
	J. D. Cole	"
	W. G. Wicker	Sanford
DEACONS—	J. M. Cole, T	Carthage
	H. Jackson	Sanford
	M. Q. Lemon	"
	C. W. Spivy	"

VI.—WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY.

1. Bethcar

RULING ELDERS—A. W. Davis Tar Heel
 DEACONS—James Robeson “ “

2. Bethbirel

RULING ELDERS—Dr. T. C. Moore Phoenix
 John McRae “
 J. W. Murrell “
 DEACONS—W. L. Robbins “

3. Black River

RULING ELDERS—Neill Beatty Ivanhoe, Route
 J. N. Corbette “ “
 Geo. Bannerman “ “
 DEACONS—Robert Johnson “
 Raymond Corbette “
 Hugh Corbette “ “
 Joe Beatty “ “

4. Bladenboro

RULING ELDERS—S. N. Ferguson Bladenboro
 DEACONS—None.

5. Bolton

No Session.

6. Bowden

RULING ELDERS—C. H. Cromartie Bowden
 DEACONS—None

7. Beulah

RULING ELDERS—J. W. Mercer Beulahville
 R. Gresham “
 DEACONS—None.

8. Burgaw

RULING ELDERS—J. H. Moore Burgaw
 W. M. Hand “
 Dr. R. H. Bradford “
 DEACONS—A. B. Croom Jr “
 R. T. Murray “
 A. H. Paddison “
 W. D. Croom “

9. Calypso

RULING ELDERS--	T. R. Cameron	Calypso
	J. H. Carr	"
	N. B. Sloan	"
	E. B. Sutton	"
DEACONS--	D. A. Cameron	"

10. Caswell

RULING ELDERS--	E. E. Murphy	Atkinson
	G. J. Moore	"
	J. W. Colvin	"
	Dr. Geo. F. Lucas	Currie
DEACONS--	W. R. Walker	"
	J. A. Murphy	Atkinson
	James H. Colvin	"
	R. P. Paddison	Point Caswell

11. Chadbourn

RULING ELDERS--	S. T. Loman	Chadbourn
	J. T. Newland	"
	A. T. Coltas	"
DEACONS--	E. H. Miller	"
	D. C. Whitted	"
	A. Gouser	"

12. Clarkton

RULING ELDERS--	G. H. Cromartie	Clarkton
	M. L. Cromartie	"
	D. A. McKee	"
	O. L. Clark	"
	N. A. Currie	"
	Snowden Singletary, Jr.	"
DEACONS--	J. N. Kelly	"
	S. G. Wooten	"
	Dr. G. L. Clark	"
	F. A. Harrington	"
	J. W. Ward	"
	A. S. McEwen	Abbotsburg

13. Chinquepin

RULING ELDERS--	D. J. Williams	Rose Hill
	J. E. Farrior	" "
	R. N. Cole	Chinquepin
DEACONS--	J. R. Quinn	"
	J. F. Landin	"
	Ned Hall	Sloan

14. Cobb Mill

RULING ELDERS—R. Wooten	Kinston, Route
N. Wooten	“
J. P. Kelly	“
DEACONS—R. L. Kelly	“

15. Croatan

RULING ELDERS—B. E. Williams	Croatan
V. A. Tolson	“
C. Simpson	Riverdale
DEACONS—H. C. Wood	“
R. D. Tolson	Croatan

16. Cronly

RULING ELDERS—E. W. Wells	Acme
D. R. Wells	“
DEACONS—None.	

17. Duplin Road

RULING ELDERS—S. W. Clement	Wallace
C. B. Johnson	“
J. L. Boney	“
W. F. Murphy	“
DEACONS—D. E. Boney	“
J. A. Cavanaugh	“
G. L. Boney	“
Jacob Powell	“

18. Elizabethtown

RULING ELDERS—R. B. Cromartie	Elizabethtown
Alexander Newton	“
William Whitted	“
R. S. White	“
DEACONS—James McLeod	“

19. Faison

RULING ELDERS—Isham R. Faison	Faison
Isaac L. Faison	“
W. J. Otes	“
Dr. J. M. Faison	“
A. D. Hicks	“
A. R. Hicks	“
DEACONS—M. McD. Williams	“
William E. Thornton	“

20. Grove

RULING ELDERS--Henry Farris	Kenansville
Lawrence Southerland	"
S. D. Ferrell	Magnolia
DEACONS--C. J. Southerland	Kenansville

21. Graves Memorial

RULING ELDERS--B. F. Grady	Clinton
A. F. Johnson	"
L. A. Bethune	"
J. M. Powell	"
R. F. Herring	"
DEACONS--W. S. Patrick	"
F. B. Johnson	"
H. McKinnon	"
J. D. Kerr, Sr.	"

22. Hallsville

RULING ELDERS--S. O. Middleton	Hallsville
R. J. Miller	"
DEACONS--John Houston	"
Thomas Smith	"

23. Harmony

RULING ELDERS--Prof. Irvin Shaw	Ivanhoe
Scott Robinson	Delta
David Newkirk	Kerr
DEACONS--D. I. Robinson	"
William Devane	"
Dudley Shaw	"
John Ennis	"

24. Hebron

RULING ELDERS--W. H. Grady	Albertson
J. R. Smith	Leon
J. G. Smith	"
DEACONS--Moses Westbrook	"

25. Hopewell

RULING ELDERS--Geo. W. Murray	Watha, R. F. D.
W. R. Rich	" "
J. D. Saunders	" "
DEACONS--Thomas C. Murray	" "
Theo. T. Rivenbark	" "

26. Immanuel

RULING ELDERS---None.

DEACONS---	James M. Evans	Wilmington
	J. W. Dale	"
	Ed. Register	"
	J. W. Bradshaw	"

27. Jacksonville

RULING ELDERS--H. M. Foy Jacksonville

DEACONS--	E. I. Wood	"
	J. J. Cole	"

28. Keith

RULING ELDERS---R. W. Collins Burgaw, R. F. D.

	A. D. Ward	Currie
DEACONS--	E. J. Walker	" "

29. Maple Hill

RULING ELDERS---Gibson James Springer

	John James	Maple Hill
	G. Cowan	" "
DEACONS--	John James	Springer
	John N. Cowan	Maple Hill
	John James, Jr.	" "

30. Mayesville

No Officers.

31. Mt. Horeb

RULING ELDERS--J. A. Wooten White Hall

	A. S. McKay	Rosindale
DEACONS--	F. F. Dickson	Council
	C. Monroe	Rosindale
	Walter Russ	"
	C. V. Hines	Council

32. Mt. Olive

RULING ELDERS---J. E. Kelly Mt. Olive

	A. J. Davis	" "
	H. R. Southerland	" "
	A. S. Grady	" "
	Dr. W. C. Steel	" "
	Robert Karnegay	" "

DEACONS---None.

33. Mt. Williams

RULING ELDERS—	R. T. Williams	Burgaw, R. F. D.
	J. R. Bannerman	"
	A. V. Armstrong	Shaken
DEACONS—	L. Thigpen	Burgaw
	Jas. B. Williams	"
	Robert F. Humphrey	"
	William J. Player	Darlington, S. C.

34. Mt. Zion

RULING ELDERS—	Gibson Carr	Burgaw
	T. Boney	Rose Hill
	Geo. W. Boney	" "
	S. B. Newton	" "
	E. McN. Carr	" "
	W. B. Southerland	" "
	C. S. Carr	" "
DEACONS—	Solon Carr	Burgaw
	R. D. Carr	Magnolia, R. F. D.
	A. R. Bland	Rose Hill

35. New Hope

RULING ELDERS—	Jackson Johnson	Winnabow
	John S. Henry	"
DEACONS—	Edwin Taylor	"

36. Oakplain

RULING ELDERS—	W. I. Hall	Rose Hill
	Bryant F. Williams	" "
	N. W. Bonum	Magnolia
	E. R. Chestnut	"
DEACONS—	S. W. Newkirk	"
	H. L. Chestnut	"
	Timothy Williams	Rose Hill
	David S. Williams	" "

37. Pike

RULING ELDERS—	D. S. Black	Burgaw, Route
	F. P. Sidbury	Ashton
	J. K. Cowan	Burgaw "
	J. R. Armstrong	Rocky Point
DEACONS—	T. J. Bradshaw	Burgaw, Route
	A. S. Bowden	" "
	Ed. Bowden	" "
	T. J. Brown	Rocky Point

38. Pollocksvilles

RULING ELDERS---	Geo. White	Pollocksville
	Mike Barnes	"
DEACONS---	None	

39. Rockfish

RULING ELDERS---	G. B. Carr	Wallace, Route
	J. T. Boney	" "
	D. S. Williams	" "
	W. E. Hendry	Willard "
	W. W. Alderman	" "
	J. O. Carr	Kenansville
	J. J. Wells	Teacheys
	J. M. Wells	"
DEACONS---	L. B. Carr	Wallace
	W. M. Carr	"
	R. S. Carr	" "
	J. W. Boney	" "
	Ed. Wells	Teachays
	Levi S. Wells	"
	W. D. Turner	"
	C. H. Rivenback	Wallace
	J. W. Page	Willard

40. St. Andrews

RULING ELDERS---	W. H. Sprunt	Wilmington
	O. Pearsall	"
	J. B. Hand	"
	Dr. A. D. McDonald	"
	Joseph Akerman	"
	John. H. Thomas	"
	Thomas R. Post	"
	W. B. MeLellan	"
	J. C. Stewart	"
DEACONS---	J. M. Taylor	"
	H. E. Boney	"
	T. F. Bagley	"
	W. J. Smith	"
	Geo. S. Boylon	"
	J. A. McGeachy	"
	C. L. Spencer	"
	E. Norfleet	"
	T. E. Sprunt	"
	W. P. Sprunt	"
	D. L. Latta	"
	H. H. Murphy	"

41. South River

RULING ELDERS—	William Sloan	Garland
	Angus R. Cromartie	"
	Dr. Sam Cromartie	"
	C. T. Lamb	"
DEACONS—	James Cromatie	"
	Sidney Cromartie	"
	Haywood Sloan	Ingold

42. Stanford

RULING ELDERS—	B. D. Davis	Mount Olive
	T. O. Joyner	" "
	J. N. Southerland	Kenansville
	D. J. Blalock	Monnt Olive
DEACONS—	C. H. Joyner	" "

43. Smiths

RULING ELDERS—	L. Smith	Leon
	C. H. Smith	"
DEACONS—	Frank Smith	"

44. Sweet Home

RULING ELDERS—	H. L. Mintz	Shallotte
DEACONS—	Peter Roark	"

45. Southport

RULING ELDERS—	Price Furpless	Southport
	Thomas Williams	"
DEACONS—	None.	

46. Teachey's

RULING ELDERS—	D. S. Boney	Teachey's
	J. C. McMillan, Sr.	"
DEACONS—	J. C. McMillan Jr.	"
	O. B. Turner	Rose Hill
	F. K. Knowles	Teachey's

47. Topsail

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. Nixon	Topsail
DEACONS—	Woody King	"
	Eugene King	Hampsted

48. Warsaw

RULING ELDERS---	W. L. Hill	Warsaw
	T. B. Pierce	"
	L. P. Best	"
	R. J. Williams	"
DEACONS---	J. R. Barden	"
	F. G. Middleton	"
	Joe Faison	"

49. Wilmington, First Church

RULING ELDERS---	James H. Chadbourne	Wilmington
	B. F. Hall	"
	John D. Taylor	"
	James Sprunt	"
	W. M. Cumming	"
	P. Pearsall	"
	Dr. Geo. C. Worth	"
	C. W. Worth	"
	A. M. Hall	"
	H. C. McQueen	"
	R. A. Brand	"
	A. J. Howell	"
	J. A. Springer	"
DEACONS---	Geo. R. French	"
	Col. Walter Taylor	"
	R. W. Hicks	"
	E. C. Holt	"
	C. N. Evans	"
	W. C. Smith	"
	J. O. Carr	"
	Jas. W. Little	"
	R. M. Sheppard	"
	Dr. J. W. Stanly	"

50. White Hall

RULING ELDERS---	E. Grady	Seven Springs
	J. R. Marvin	" "
	A. T. Uzzell, Jr.	La Grange
	Henry Ivey	" "
	Charley Ivey	" "
DEACONS---	T. D. Uzzell	Seven Springs
	Eugene Bradhurst	" "

51. White Plains

RULING ELDERS---	Stephen T. Buie	Elkton
	N. Graham	Rosindale
	L. R. Benson	Emerson
	D. T. Perry	Fayetteville
	J. W. Burney	Clarkton, R. F. D.
DEACONS---	Herman Clark	Emerson
	D. J. Burney	Clarkton, R. F. D.
	Dexter Burney	Emerson
	Luther Perry	"

52. Whiteville

RULING ELDERS---	Dr. W. H. Crowell	Whiteville
	Dr. J. A. McNeill	"
	J. F. Dunn	"
DEACONS---	James High	"
	Oscar High	"
	Frank Newman	Vineland

53. Wildwood

RULING ELDERS---	Tom J. Tolson	Wildwood
DEACONS---	Hugh Murdock	"

V.—MECKLENBURG PRESBYTERY.

1. Albemarle

RULING ELDERS---	E. H. Cotton	Albemarle
	S. S. Wolfe	"
	J. M. Harris	"
	J. M. Morrow	"
	A. E. Hoey	"
	F. C. Craddick	"
	J. W. Lyerly	"
DEACONS—	R. L. Hall	"
	F. E. Stearns	"
	A. S. Lentz	"
	A. C. Huneycutt	"
	D. K. Morrow	"
	E. T. Ingle	"
	S. M. Wolfe	"

2. Altan

RULING ELDERS--	R. W. Elliott	Monroe
	Joe Bruce	"
DEACONS--	W. L. Beck	"
	Eb. Lowry	"

3. Amity

RULING ELDERS--	A. D. Campbell	Charlotte
	C. B. Davis	"
	Wilson Miller	"
	C. H. Wolfe	"
	W. S. Stancill, C.	"
DEACONS--	W. P. Harkey	"
	H. D. Harkey	"

4. Banks

RULING ELDERS--	Dr. J. T. Kell, C.	Fort Mill, S. C.
	B. E. Cunningham	" "
	O. W. Potts	" "
	W. J. Stevenson	Waxhaw
DEACONS--	R. A. Hudson	"
	J. B. Ross, Jr.	Matthews
	S. H. Kell	Fort Mill, S. C.
	S. D. Howie	Osceola, S. C.

5. Bethel

RULING ELDERS—	John Knox	Huntersville
	A. F. Long	“
	J. V. Knox	“
	J. M. Potts	Davidson
	Jno. Washam	Cornelius
	T. B. Knox	“
	F. S. McConnell	“
DEACONS—	J. A. Gilbert T	Davidson
	I. R. Washam	“
	John Jetton	“
	V. B. Potts	“
	W. J. Knox	Huntersville

6. Bethlehem

RULING ELDERS—	W. A. Ross	Indian Trail
	J. T. Duncan	Unionville
DEACONS—	J. D. Crowell	Matthews

7. Locust

RULING ELDERS—	S. R. Hopkins	Locust
	J. A. Hartsell	“
	J. S. Huneycutt	“
	T. M. Hartsell	“
DEACONS—	J. A. Little	“
	W. D. Mann	Leo

8. Beulah

RULING ELDERS—	S. E. Belk	Monroe
	A. V. Williams	“
	J. B. Kelly	“
DEACONS—	None.	

9. Carmel

RULING ELDERS—	A. A. Vanderburg	Matthews, Route
	J. P. Sample	“
	C. M. Hutchison	“
	W. W. Alexander, C.	“
DEACONS—	T. B. Brown	“
	R. M. Ross	“
	W. N. Flenniken	“

10. Charlotte, 1st.

RULING ELDERS—	J. C. Burrows	Charlotte
	Geo. E. Wilson	“
	A. G. Brenizer	“
	F. H. Andrews, C.	“
	A. Graham	“
	J. H. McClintock	“
	E. T. Cansler	“
	R. A. Dunn	“
	H. Blair	“
	P. M. Brown	“
	R. E. Cochran	“
	Robt. Glasgow	“
	F. C. Abbott	“
	M. E. Boyer	“
	J. R. Curry	“
	J. P. Munroe	“
DEACONS—	R. C. Carson	“
	J. A. Elliott	“
	J. A. Fore	“
	J. W. Zimmerman	“
	W. W. Ward	“
	W. S. Alexander	“
	G. H. Brockenbrough	“
	G. A. Howell	“
	H. H. Orr	“
	J. M. Simms	“
	J. A. Elliott	“
	Dr. J. F. Robertson	“
	Dr. R. L. Gibbon	“
	Jno. M. Scott	“
	Eli S. Steele	“
	M. B. Spier	“

11. Charlotte, 2nd.

RULING ELDERS—	J. P. Alexander	Charlotte
	J. B. Ross	“
	C. N. G. Butt	“
	Geo. M. Phifer	“
	J. J. Adams	“
	Dr. W. W. Wakefield	“
	Jas. W. Pharr	“
	Dr. J. R. Irwin	“
	J. C. McNeely, C.	“

	A. C. Summerville	Charlotte
	Wm. Anderson	"
	W. A. Jamison	"
	T. W. Dixon	"
	Dr. H. J. Walker	"
	Dr. W. A. Nesbit	"
	Jas. T. Porter	"
DEACONS—	Dr. I. W. Faison	"
	J. M. Harry	"
	E. S. Reid	"
	C. C. Hayes	"
	J. W. Sheppard	"
	J. R. Pharr	"
	J. F. Jamison	"
	J. M. Oates	"
	W. J. M. Finger	"
	L. L. Sarratt	"
	B. W. Barnett	"
	I. W. Jamison	"
	O. M. Norwood	"
	J. T. Porter	"
	J. P. Long	"
	J. W. Todd	"
	J. H. Wearn	"

12. Cooks Memorial

RULING ELDERS—	W. A. Johnston, C.	Charlotte
	J. L. Lawing	"
	E. M. Rozzell	"
DEACONS—	Anderson Johnston	"
	G. W. Lawing	"
	Will Rozzell	"
	S. L. Dunn	"
	S. H. Luckey	"
	A. A. Johnston	"
	M. L. Dunn	"

13. Hopewell

RULING ELDERS—	James S. Henderson	Charlotte
	John M. Houston	"
	W. S. Abernethy	"
	Dr. J. S. Abernethy	"
	Dr. W. P. Craven, C. S.	"

	J. Mc. Sample	Huntersville
	M. M. Blythe	"
	Wm. D. Harry	Harrisburg
DEACONS—	Ross Parks	Huntersville
	James A. Wilson	"
	J. Abner Kerns	"
	John M. Underwood	"
	M. W. Vance	"
	Mac. Sample, Jr.	"
	R. Blythe Abernethy	Charlotte
	Harry F. Barnette	Derita

14. Huntersville

RULING ELDERS—	J. F. Brown	Huntersville
	H. B. Sample	"
	L. S. Deweese	"
	J. Mc. Alexander	"
	J. L. Miller	"
	J. B. Nicholson	"
DEACONS—	J. W. Montieth	"
	C. F. Alexander	"
	J. Lee Choat	"

15. Lilesville

RULING ELDERS—	E. P. Liles	Lilesville
DEACONS—	Prentiss Wall	"

16. Littles

RULING ELDERS---	Robt. J. Little	Wadesboro
DEACONS—	None.	

17. Mallard Creek

RULING ELDERS—	B. H. Garrison	Derita
	A. A. Garrison	"
	M. A. Galloway	"
	W. R. Alexander, C	"
	J. R. Hutchinson	"
	J. C. Kirk	Newell
	H. M. Dixon	"
DEACONS---	J. W. Galloway	Derita
	H. Y. Galloway	"
	J. G. Alexander	"
	Ira DeArmond	"
	F. A. Cochrane	"
	J. K. McLaughlin	"

18. Marshville

RULING ELDERS—	J. A. Marsh	Marshville
	U. T. Marsh	"
DEACONS—	E. E. Marsh	"
	S. B. Marsh	"

19. Matthews

RULING ELDERS---	S. B. Smith	Matthews
	W. E. McCall	"
	J. C. Stewart, C	"
DEACONS---	T. J. Orr	"
	A. J. Williams	"
	W. C. Hood	"

20. Monroe

RULING ELDERS—	Dr. J. M. Belk	Monroe
	W. H. Belk	"
	W. A. Lane	"
	R. A. Morrow	"
	W. H. Martin	"
	F. H. Wolfe, C	"
DEACONS---	S. O. Blair	"
	T. B. Brown	"
	S. B. Hart	"
	W. A. Henderson	"
	J. J. Lindsay	"
	W. A. Norwood	"
	J. C. Smith	"

21. Morven

RULING ELDERS---	T. W. Morrison	Morven
	W. F. McQueen C	"
DEACONS—	G. R. Martin	"
	J. C. Hines	"
	C. H. May	"
	J. E. Morrison	"

22. Mulberry

RULING ELDERS---	A. H. Rhyne	Charlotte
	W. G. Marshall	"
	H. W. Bigham	"
	J. S. Summerville	"
	J. M. Sloan, C	"
DEACONS---	H. G. Springs	"
	Z. A. Marshall	"
	J. E. Thomas	"
	J. H. Todd	"
	H. G. Rhyne	"

23. Newell

RULING ELDERS--	W. B. Newell	Newell
	C. W. Ritch	"
	R. W. Blackwelder	"
	J. M. Russell	"
	I. C. Brewer	"
	A. H. Stewart	"
DEACONS--	J. E. Query	"
	Lester Barnette	"
	Boyce Wilson	"
	G. C. Campbell	"

24. New London

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25. Norwood

RULING ELDERS--	T. Colson	Norwood
	D. N. Bennett	"
	D. K. Thompson	"
DEACONS--	I. W. Hart	"
	T. W. Hunter	"
	J. A. Kendall	Wharf

26. Paw Creek.

RULING ELDERS--	T. P. Baker	Sandifer
	S. M. Henderson	"
	M. G. Clark	"
	C. A. Summerville	"
	J. W. Todd	Charlotte, Route
	E. W. McGinn, C	"
	Austin Smith	"
	W. L. Summerville	"
	G. H. Campbell	"
	W. M. Wingate	"
DEACONS--	D. T. Campbell	Sandifer
	W. A. Cathey	"
	J. A. Cathey	"
	J. M. Norman	"
	C. W. Todd	"
	N. D. Todd	"
	J. M. Summerville	Charlotte, Route
	E. O. Johnston	"
	John Cross	Huntersville
	John Lee	Charlotte

27. Philadelphia

RULING ELDERS---	T. J. Flow	Matthews, Route
	G. W. Fesperman	"
	G. W. Davis	"
	J. M. Miller	"
	S. S. Miller	"
	G. C. S. Junker, C.	"
DEACONS---	W. A. Woods	"
	W. J. Craig	"
	P. M. Ritch	"
	W. Ashcraft	"
	J. N. Lee	"
	Walter Ashcraft	"
	Zeb. Morris	"

28. Pineville

RULING ELDERS---	J. L. Weeks	Pineville
	W. C. Barnette, C.	"
	C. P. Elliott	Charlotte
	M. E. Culp	Mint Hill
	R. B. Johnston	" "
	S. L. Hoover	" "
DEACONS---	J. R. Cunningham	Pineville
	J. S. Miller	"
	W. G. Johnston	"
	W. M. Morrow	"

29. Pleasant Hill

RULING ELDERS---	J. J. Neely	Pineville
	James Sledge	Charlotte
	John R. Porter, C.	"
DEACONS---	H. L. Millwee	Pineville, R. F. D.
	J. S. Choat	"
	R. N. Capps	"
	W. S. Hoover	"
	S. M. Neely	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	W. D. Stewart	"

30. Polkton

RULING ELDERS---	Daniel Carter	Polkton
DEACONS---	W. H. Simmons	"

31. Providence

RULING ELDERS—	W. H. Downs	Matthews
	T. O. Ross	“
	J. B. Coffey	“
	Dr. H. Q. Alexander	“
	W. M. Ross, C	Fort Mill, S. C.
DEACONS—	W. N. McKee	Matthews
	F. B. Kuykendall	“
	L. S. Knox	“
	John W. McKinney	“
	C. O. Howard	Waxhaw

32. Ramah

RULING ELDERS—	D. W. Mayes	Huntersville
	Wm. Bradford	“
	W. A. Brown	“
	W. S. Caldwell	“
	W. B. Barnett	Davidson
DEACONS—	W. D. Barnhardt	Huntersville
	John W. Deweese	“
	C. D. Bradford	“
	F. A. Barnette	“

33. Robinson

RULING ELDERS—	C. B. Cross, C	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	C. W. Miller	“
	D. A. Johnston	Harrisburg
	J. F. Stafford	“
DEACONS—	J. W. Miller	“
	C. H. Cope	“
	Jas. Campbell	Charlotte

34. Salem

RULING ELDERS—	John Richardson	Marshville
	W. E. Greene	“
DEACONS—	R. E. Sanders	“
	Fred Horton	“

35. Seversville

RULING ELDERS—	W. L. Shelby	Charlotte
	R. O. Robinson, C	“
DEACONS—	L. L. Todd	“
	W. A. Sloan	“

36. Sharon

RULING ELDERS—	H. K. Reid	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	J. W. Kirkpatrick	"
	C. P. Alexander	"
	R. C. Kirkpatrick	"
	J. W. Elliott	"
	J. V. Brown	"
	T. M. Alexander	"
	H. W. Harkey	Pineville
DEACONS—	T. J. Sammonds	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	John Caldwell	"
	R. H. Elliott	"
	C. W. Rankin	"
	W. F. Baker	"
	W. D. Stanford	"
	E. T. Brown	"

37. Siler

RULING ELDERS—	A. A. Davis	Monroe, R. F. D.
	A. G. Howie	"
DEACONS—	W. C. Davis	"
	Wm. Stephenson	"

38. Steele Creek

RULING ELDERS—	J. W. Potts	Pineville, R. F. D.
	John McDowell	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	W. W. Davenport	"
	R. C. Freeman	"
	Dr. John Knox	Pineville, R. F. D.
	I. B. Faires	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	H. W. Davis	"
	W. L. Byrum	"
	Wirt Pegram	"
	B. T. Price	"
	S. I. Price	"
	C. A. Spratt	"
DEACONS—	F. B. Brown	"
	C. F. Brown	"
	Geo. Cathey	"
	Samuel Wilson	"
	J. W. Sadler	"
	J. Bigham	"
	J. R. Price	"
	S. W. Whiteside	"

E. J. Price	Charlotte
C. B. Campbell	"
L. W. Robinson	"
L. H. Grier	"
Lester Brown	"
J. C. Bigham	"

39. St. Pauls

RULING ELDERS—J. W. Kiser	Charlotte
N. C. White	"
Dr. H. J. Walker	"
W. L. Allen	"
J. C. Purser	"
J. Arthur Henderson	"
DEACONS—W. W. Johnston	"
J. D. Woodside	"
T. D. Jamison	"
Frank Rose	"
M. W. Woodside	"
W. W. Robinson	"
A. J. Starnes	"
J. M. Barnes	"

40. Sugar Creek

RULING ELDERS—J. M. Caldwell	Charlotte, R. F. D.
J. M. Davis	"
F. S. Neal, C	"
C. L. Abernathy	"
C. W. Robinson	"
D. F. Hunter	Derita
R. W. McConnell	"
DEACONS—J. H. Robinson	Charlotte, R. F. D.
C. H. Caldwell	"
J. K. Alexander	"
M. A. Barnette	"
L. J. Ruple	Derita

41. Tenth Avenue

RULING ELDERS---Z. A. Hovis	Charlotte
G. W. Neely	"
J. P. Garner	"
W. H. Cathey	"
W. L. Wallis	"
F. E. Query	"
A. G. Randolph	"
Dr. James R. Alexander	"
W. H. C. Barkley, C	"

DEACONS—	R. W. Mitchell	“
	W. H. Todd	“
	P. W. Porter	“
	J. L. Delaney	“
	W. W. Orr	“
	H. E. Garrison	“
	W. O. Cochrane	“
	W. A. Canly	“
	A. M. Gray	“
	L. S. Boyd	“
	C. A. Dixon	“
	J. M. Davenport	“

42. Wadesboro

RULING ELDERS—	H. H. McKeithan	“
	John A. McRae	“
	Dr. James M. Covington	“
	Thomas J. Fetzer	“
	C. C. Moore	“
DEACONS---	T. W. Austin	“
	T. T. Caraway	“
	T. C. Parsons	“
	W. C. Via	“

43. Waxhaw

RULING ELDERS---	D. C. McDonald	Waxhaw
	W. R. McDonald	“
	J. W. McCain	“
	R. J. Belk	“
	R. N. Nisbit, C	“
DEACONS---	W. R. Steele	“
	G. A. McCain	“
	John G. Parks	“
	R. T. Sistair	“
	J. D. Simpson	“

44. Williams Memorial

RULING ELDERS—	John C. Hutchinson	Charlotte, R. F. D.
	W. B. Caldwell	“
	L. P. Hunter	“
	W. A. Howie	“
	J. R. Kimbril	“
	S. J. Neisler	“
DEACONS—	J. W. Little	“
	W. J. Hutchinson	“
	W. L. McConnell	“
	J. H. Auten	“

45. Westminster

RULING ELDERS--	P. S. Gilchrist	Charlotte
	G. W. M. Aiken	"
	H. C. Alexander	"
	D. S. Monteith	"
	J. P. Kirkpatrick	"
	J. W. Howell	"
	A. M. Young, C.	"
	J. A. McMillan	"
DEACONS--	C. C. Hook, T.	"
	T. W. Long	"
	Robt. McDonald	"
	H. C. Long	"
	S. S. Stokes	"
	J. L. Phillips	"
	Lloyd Brown	"
	A. D. Gilchrist	"
	Henry Culp	"
	L. Brown	"
	C. M. Scott	"
	V. M. Bayles	"
	W. T. Dunlap	"

46. Pegram St.

RULING ELDERS--	S. M. Alexander, C.	Charlotte
	D. A. Johnston	"
	W. J. Cook	"
	W. B. Blount	"
DEACONS--	D. P. Presson	"
	J. T. Robinson	"
	D. M. Hunter	"
	H. M. Warner	"
	J. F. Miller	"
	B. C. Jarrett	"
	L. C. Cook	"
	J. O. Earnhardt	"
	J. W. Houslow	"
	J. A. Green	"

47. Cornelius

RULING ELDERS--	A. J. McConnell	Cornelius
	J. S. Sossoman	"
	W. S. Hay	"
	Geo. S. Mayes, C.	"

DEACONS—J. B. Gilbert	“
R. Sossoman	“
L. H. Irvin	“
David Barclay	“
J. A. Bustle	“
J. A. Proctor	“

48. West Avenue

RULING ELDERS—Richard Stewart	Charlotte
J. H. Patterson	“
DEACONS—J. A. Sofley	“
Geo. Drum	“
D. H. Johnson	“
A. B. Johnson	“

49. Walkersville

RULING ELDERS—Henry McWhorter, C.	Waxhaw
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50. Porter

RULING ELDERS—W. H. Simpson, C.	Porter
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51. Groveton

RULING ELDERS—R. B. Alexander, C.	Charlotte
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52. Pee Dee

RULING ELDERS—E. C. Dunlap, C.	Ansonville
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53. Central Steel Creek

RULING ELDERS—W. A. Grier, C.	Charlotte
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VI.—ALBEMARLE PRESBYTERY.

1. Atkinson Memorial

RULING ELDERS—C. R. Dodson	Kinston
H. E. Shaw, C.	“
DEACONS---J. R. Ball	“
T. R. Lee	“

2. Aurora

RULING ELDERS---R. L. Jones	Aurora
DEACONS—None	

3. Brookston

RULING ELDERS--O. B. Eleanor	Henderson
DEACONS---T. B. Parham	“

4. Calvary

RULING ELDERS---W. A. Harris	Swann Quarter
H. B. Williams	“ “
DEACONS---C. H. Overton	“ “
W. Girkins	“ “

5. Cann Memorial

RULING ELDERS---C. W. Melick	Elizabeth City
S. L. Sheep, C.	“ “
DEACONS---L. S. Blades	“ “
W. B. Zimmerman	“ “

6. Enfield

RULING ELDERS—W. T. Whitehead, C.	Enfield
DEACONS--Geo. V. Boyd, T.	“
W. T. Clement	“
J. D. Whitehead	“

7. Geneva

RULING ELDERS—J. W. Davis	Oxford, Route
O. A. Daniel	“
Samuel Webb	Stem

DEACONS---Graham Daniel	Oxford
E. N. Clement	"
S. A. Jones	"
Lee Clement	"
M. Daniel	"
Luther Bowling	"
E. B. Cozart	Stem

8. Goldsboro

RULING ELDERS---L. H. Castex	Goldsboro
A. J. Brown	"
John Slaughter	"
Dr. W. W. Faison	"
W. C. Munroe, C.	"
DEACONS---Erastus Edwards	"
W. W. Pierce	"
L. N. Bizzell	"
Reed Brown	"
A. O. Clement	"

9. Grassy Creek

RULING ELDERS---J. N. Daniel	Bullock
C. L. Lewis	Stovall
W. H. Gregory, C.	"
DEACONS---A. S. Hines	"

10. Greenville

RULING ELDERS---E. P. Ficklen	Greenville
P. M. Johnston, C.	"
DEACONS---B. W. Moseley, T.	"
C. W. Harvey	"

11. Henderson

RULING ELDERS---Samuel Watkins	Henderson
J. R. Clack	"
C. A. Lewis	"
Robert Bunn	"
Edward Hines, C.	"
D. D. McIntyre	"
I. B. Gary	"
DEACONS---Jno. B. Watkins	"
J. B. Owen	"
W. A. Hunt	"
Thad R. Manning, T.	"
J. R. Rankin	"
J. W. Beck	"
A. H. Houff	"
W. T. Watkins	"

12. Littleton

RULING ELDERS—	J. A. Patterson	Airlie
	J. L. Tate	Littleton
DEACONS—	I. B. Patterson	“
	E. B. Perry	“

13. Makelyn

RULING ELDERS—	Geo. W. Ayers	Scranton
DEACONS—	S. S. Jennett	“
	D. P. Midgett	“

14. Nahalah

RULING ELDERS—	I. N. Minchew, C.	Scotland Neck
DEACONS—	T. T. Daniel T.	“ “
	J. L. Hale	“ “

15. New Bern

RULING ELDERS—	C. E. Foy, C.	New Bern
	D. F. Jarvis	“
	W. H. Bray	“
	W. D. Ellis	“
	T. A. Henry	“
DEACONS—	G. N. Ives	“
	C. L. Ives	“
	C. S. Hollister	“
	C. T. Hancock	“
	E. K. Bryan	“

16. Nutbush

RULING ELDERS—	Walter Bullock	Williamsboro
	R. A. Bullock, C.	“
	J. M. B. Hunt	Townsville
	N. D. Morton	“
	J. E. Alston	“
	S. L. Graham	Woodworth
DEACONS—	J. E. Boyd	Townsville
	J. J. White, T.	“
	John Bullock	Williamsboro
	H. W. Tucker	Townsville
	Geo. T. Bullock	Port-Rico

17. Oak Hill

RULING ELDERS—	J. T. Morton	Oxford, Route
	G. B. Daniel	“
	G. B. Royster	Vergalina

DEACONS—	W. R. Daniel	Oxford
	S. V. Morton	"
	J. W. Morton	"

18. Oxford

RULING ELDERS—	W. P. Jordan	Oxford
	G. H. Cooper	"
	W. I. Howell	"
	John Webb, C.	"
	R. T. Smith	"
DEACONS—	Wm. Landis	"
	R. P. Taylor	"
	J. A. Osborne, T.	"
	J. M. Baird	"
	J. B. Booth	"

19. Raleigh, 1st.

RULING ELDERS—	Geo. Allen	Raleigh
	J. M. Monie	"
	Franklin McNeill	"
	Jas. R. Young	"
	D. H. Hill	"
	Leo. D. Heartt, C.	"
	Julian Lewis	"
	C. P. Wharton	"
DEACONS—	C. W. Barrett	"
	E. B. Crow	"
	R. T. Gowan	"
	W. T. Harding	"
	F. F. Harding	"
	O. P. Hay	"
	B. W. Kilgore	"
	J. W. Thackston	"
	A. A. Thompson	"
	Geo. W. Thompson	"
	C. G. Whiting	"
	W. A. Withers	"
	J. C. Allison, T.	"
	F. M. Harper	"
	J. T. Jordan	"
	B. R. Lacy	"
	R. S. McGeachy	"
	G. A. Roberts	"
	W. R. Smith	"
	J. A. Scott	"
	H. J. Stockard	"

20. Rocky Mount

RULING ELDERS—	S. K. Fountain	Rocky Mount
	K. C. Barrett, C.	“ “
	W. L. Groom	“ “
DEACONS--	A. B. Jenkins	“ “
	H. E. Brewer	“ “
	L. F. Tillery, T.	“ “
	J. H. Cuthrell	“ “
	A. P. Thorpe	“ “
	F. M. Pridgen	“ “

21. Shiloh

No Session.

22. Tarboro

RULING ELDERS—	Geo. Howard	Tarboro
	Harry Smith, C.	“
	R. B. Peters	“
DEACONS--	Clarence Johnson	“
	W. S. Howard, T.	“
	Henry McNair	“
	R. C. Brown	“
	Don Williams	“
	W. A. Hart	“

23. Warrenton

RULING ELDERS—	D. F. Crinkley	Raleigh
	J. J. Crinkley	Macon
	John Graham, C.	Warrenton
DEACONS--	W. R. Crinkley	Lawrenceville
	W. H. Boyd	New York, N. Y.
	Robt. S. Booth, T.	Warrenton
	T. W. Moore	“

24. Washington, 1st.

RULING ELDERS--	S. R. Fowle	Washington
	M. F. McKeel	“
	C. M. Brown, C.	“
	R. W. Wharton	“
	Jno. B. Sparrow	“
DEACONS--	F. C. Kugler, T.	“
	Beverly Moss	“
	A. M. Dumay	“
	F. A. Moss	“
	Geo. E. Buckman	“
	Howard Wiswall	“
	L. Y. Shaw	“
	C. M. Brown, Jr.	“

25. Weldon

RULING ELDERS—W. W. Wiggins Weldon
 DEACONS—None.

26. Wilson

RULING ELDERS—Geo. D. Green Wilson
 N. S. Strickland “
 J. P. Lovelace “
 J. R. Edmondson, C. “
 H. D. Brown “
 DEACONS—S. W. Smith “
 J. H. Williams “
 W. M. Carter, T “
 Jesse R. McLean “

(The following churches are in the Presbytery but either have no officers, or will not report them.)

La Grange, La Grange, N. C.; Olivet, Leggetts, N. C.; Payne Memorial, Washington, N. C.; Roanoke, Hobgoods; Strickland, Finch, N. C.

VII—ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

1. Andrews

RULING ELDERS—J. W. Richardson Andrews
 DEACONS—None.

2. Asheville, First Church

RULING ELDERS—S. D. Holt Asheville
 R. Bingham “
 J. V. Brown “
 L. V. Brown “
 B. R. Fakes “
 Claybrook James “
 B. M. Lee “
 J. H. McConnell “
 S. R. McKee “
 T. S. Morrison “
 J. D. Murphy “
 J. F. Ramsey “
 DEACONS—F. E. Mitchell “
 Geo. H. Wright “
 P. R. Allen “
 A. H. Cobb “
 E. E. Collins “
 D. M. Hodges “
 D. L. Jackson “
 W. E. Johnson “
 R. V. Kennedy “
 H. H. Littrell “
 J. W. Moore “
 J. D. Robertson “
 W. B. Taylor “
 D. S. Watson “

3. Bethel

RULING ELDERS—W. S. Terrell Canton Route
 A. J. Osborne “
 J. F. Justice “
 I. P. Mann “
 DEACONS—H. A. Osborne “
 W. W. Hargrove “

4. Black Mountain

RULING ELDERS—J. P. Wilson Black Mountain
 DEACONS—None.

5. Brevard

RULING ELDERS—L. Worth Brevard
 M. J. Orr "
 E. W. Blythe "
 A. B. Riley "
 T. S. Boswell "
 DEACONS—Thos. S. Wood "
 C. M. Siniard "
 Pluning Ramseur "

6. Bryson City

RULING ELDERS—A. M. Fry Bryson City
 A. M. Bennett " "
 S. W. Black " "
 DEACONS—C. E. Wilhite " "
 Geo. Hill " "

7. Canton

RULING ELDERS—S. H. McNeely Canton
 J. T. Bailey "
 DEACONS—J. C. Dixon "
 Geo. C. Wyland "

8. Covenanters

RULING ELDERS—C. W. Dillingham Dillingham
 V. G. Hensley "
 W. H. Jarrett "
 DEACONS—E. F. Dillingham "
 A. W. Dillingham "
 J. R. Banks "

9. Crabtree

No Officers.

10. Davidson River

RULING ELDERS—J. E. Mackey Pisgah Forest
 W. E. Deaver Brevard, R. F. D.
 R. L. Gash " "
 L. C. Orr Etowah

DEACONS—J. S. Patton Davidson River
 J. C. Deaver Pisgah Forest
 C. C. Patton Brevard, R. F. D.

11. Dillsboro

No Officers.

12. Etowah

RULING ELDERS—None.

DEACONS—B. Greer Etowah

13. Franklin

RULING ELDERS—N. P. Rankin Franklin

DEACONS—D. W. Rankin “

J. G. Siler “

J. R. Bulgin “

14. Hayesville

RULING ELDERS—John L. Evans Hayesville

DEACONS—None.

15. Hazelwood

RULING ELDERS—D. W. Killian Waynesville, R.

Wm. Cole “

DEACONS—C. E. Gordan “

16. Hendersonville

RULING ELDERS—W. C. Connell Hendersonville

L. T. Williams “

J. R. Willean “

H. H. Carson “

A. H. Worey “

J. S. Brown “

DEACONS—J. O. Williams “

J. M. McIntyre “

C. P. Hayes “

A. H. Hawkins “

A. W. Calhoun “

S. E. McNeely “

17. Jennie Spier Memorial

RULING ELDERS—I. A. Dellingham Barnardsville

DEACONS—None.

18. Memorial

RULING ELDERS—T. M. Slagle Franklin, Route

DEACONS—Geo. Slagle “

19. Mills River

RULING ELDERS—	M. M. Brittain	Horseshoe, Route
	G. W. Brittain	"
	J. A. Burgin	"
DEACONS—	J. T. Osborne	"
	T. T. Carson	"
	W. A. Brittain	"

20. Montreat

RULING ELDERS—	I. J. Archer	Montreat
	J. D. Miller	"
	F. L. Jackson	"
DEACONS—	C. C. Lord	"
	E. D. Lansing	"
	C. B. Johnson	"

21. Morrison

RULING ELDERS---	R. H. McPherson	Franklin, Route
	G. W. McPherson	" "
DEACONS---	Javan Gray	" "

22. Murphy

RULING ELDERS---	W. W. Bell	Murphy
DEACONS—	None.	

23. Oak Dale

RULING ELDERS---	W. D. Miller	Hendersonville
	W. N. Osborne	Horse Shoe
	T. D. Brittain	Naples
DEACONS—	G. Summey	Hendersonville
	W. L. Miller	"
	W. O. Johnson	"

24. Oak Forest

RULING ELDERS---	D. W. Gudger	Candler
	A. W. Goodman	"
DEACONS---	I. P. Gaston	"
	Pink Stephens	"

25. Ora St., Asheville

RULING ELDERS--	J. H. Gudger	Asheville
	J. C. Blackwood	"
	J. B. Shope	"
DEACONS—	L. P. Aldrich	"
	A. P. Burgin	"

26. Pigeon Gap

No Session.

27. Preston

No Session.

28. Robbinsville

No Session.

29. Shortoff

RULING ELDERS—	Marion Wright	Shortoff
	Barak Wright	"
DEACONS—	Thomas Hedden	"
	Frank Wright	"

30. Swannanoa

RULING ELDERS—	A. W. Davidson	Swannanoa
	R. H. Young	"
DEACONS—	T. L. White	"
	W. D. Patton	"

31. Waynesville

RULING ELDERS—	H. C. Lindsay	Waynesville
	I. J. Brown	"
DEACONS—	J. P. Knox	"
	C. E. Quinlan	"

VIII--KINGS MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERY.

1. Brittain

RULING ELDERS—	Wm. P. Watson, C	Bostic
	C. Y. Logan, T	Rutherfordton
	D. C. Beam	Bostic
	L. L. Long	Rutherfordton
DEACONS—	I. P. Guffey	Bostic
	Wm. L. Ensley	Cliffdale
	Claude I. Logan	Rutherfordton
	R. L. Hampton	"

2. Mount Holly

RULING ELDERS---	W. B. Rutledge, C	Mount Holly
	L. R. Welch	" "
	J. M. Moore	" "
	J. M. Springs	" "
	W. F. Holland, Jr	" "
DEACONS—	W. T. Johnston, T	" "
	W. F. Holland, Sr	" "
	Walter Cavin	" "
	J. W. Holland	" "
	I. T. Welch	Caroleen

3. Unity

RULING ELDERS—	Chas. E. Ballard	Denver
	James Nixon	Stanley
	D. Cherry	"
	Rucker Kelley	"
DEACONS---	A. Lee Cherry	"
	Conrad Black	"

4. Olney

RULING ELDERS---	L. M. Ratchford	Gastonia
	O. S. Dickson	"
	Geo. M. Dickson	"
	R. Q. Howe, C.	"
	R. Lee Falls	"
	W. M. Nolen	"
	S. M. Wilson	Clover, S. C.
DEACONS—	J. J. Wilson	"
	C. P. Robinson	Gastonia
	W. T. Adams	"
	W. M. Faires	"
	D. V. Grier	"

5. Long Creek

RULING ELDERS--	T. M. A. Oates	Kings Mountain
	D. L. Arrowood	" "
	W. V. Ramseur	Bessemer City
	J. H. Ramseur	" "
	J. J. Ormond, C	" "
DEACONS---	D. M. Arrowood	" "
	M. C. Arrowood	Kings Mountain
	Jas. F. Weir, T.	" "

6. Shiloh

RULING ELDERS--	W. L. Brown	Shiloh
	Jas. M. Barber	Grover
DEACONS--	Geo. Oates	"
	C. F. Hambright, T	"
	E. A. Patterson	Kings Mountain

7. New Hope

RULING ELDERS---	Jno. N. Hanna	Lowell
	Jno. W. Lowery	"
	Jno. J. Lewis	"
	Jos. M. Ratchford	Gastonia
	W. M. Kendrick	"
DEACONS---	E. Perry Lewis	"
	G. R. Lewis	"
	W. T. Ford, T.	Lowell
	A. L. Guy	"
	Thos. L. Allison	Belmont

8. Lincolnton

RULING ELDERS--	A. Nixon, C.	Lincolnton
	S. W. McKee	"
	R. M. Roseman	"
	A. M. Hoke	"
	Edgar Love	"
	R. A. McNeely	"
DEACONS---	B. M. Ramseur, T	"
	J. B. Wright	"
	R. S. Abernathy	"
	R. F. Beal	"
	L. J. Dellinger	"

9. Hephzibah

RULING ELDERS--	S. S. Gardner	Bessemer City
	E. H. Clark	" "
	C. P. Allen	" "
	C. H. Blackburn	" "
	J. W. Clark	Crouse

DEACONS—Forest Allen	Bessemer City
M. P. Allen	" "
C. S. Clark	" "
C. A. Clark	" "

10. Rutherfordton

RULING ELDERS—J. F. Flack, C.	Rutherfordton
E. B. Harris	"
Robt. G. Howard	"
DEACONS—C. C. Reid, T.	"
W. K. Reid	"
P. W. Eskridge	"

11. Machpelah

RULING ELDERS—Chas. Bradshaw	Iron Station
J. E. McCorcle, C.	" "
DEACONS—John Reel, T.	" "
Bruce Lowe	" "
David McCorcle	" "

12. Dallas

RULING ELDERS—E. L. Wilson, C.	Dallas
P. P. Costner	"
J. L. Clemmer	"
DEACONS—C. C. Craig	"
W. R. Ratchford	"

13. Shelby

RULING ELDERS—J. F. Tiddy, C.	Shelby
R. L. Ryburn	"
A. C. Miller	"
Lee Kerr	"
L. A. Gettys	"
L. U. Arrowood	"
DEACONS—W. F. Mitchell, T.	"
Jno. M. Black	"
L. M. Hull	"
Harris Ramseur	"
W. T. Calton	"
A. Culberson	"
Felix O. Gee	"

14. Duncans Creek

RULING ELDERS—Jno. E. McFarland	Ellenboro
Jno. O. Gettys	"
DEACONS—J. W. McFarland, T.	"
Wm. G. McFarland	"

15. Drusilla

No Session

16. Union

RULING ELDERS---	Jno. W. Riddle	Gastonia
	R. B. Riddle	"
	Geo. R. Patrick	Lowell
	C. E. Huffstetler	"
	Joseph M. Huffstetler	"
	J. M. Nolen	"
	J. R. Henderson	"
	R. Wilson	Gastonia
DEACONS---	W. C. Wilson, T	"
	L. L. Henderson	"
	G. Reece Patrick	"
	Jno. W. Huffstetler	"
	W. R. Harrison	"
	Rufus Ratchford	"
	J. N. Henderson	"

17. Sandy Plains

RULING ELDERS---	J. H. Norville, C.	Columbus
DEACONS---	M. A. Cornwall, T.	Landrum, S. C.

18. Castanea Grove

RULING ELDERS---	Lee Black	Mount Holly
	Geo. Cansler	" "
DEACONS---	Chas. Miller	" "
	Calvin Finger	" "
	Will Cansler	" "

19. Gastonia, 1st.

RULING ELDERS---	J. A. Hunter, C.	Gastonia
	J. E. Page	"
	A. M. Smyre	"
	C. E. Adams	"
	G. W. Ragan	"
	J. F. Jackson	"
	J. R. Baber	"
	B. G. Bradley	"
	J. F. Thomson	"
	J. H. Kennedy	"
	A. C. Jones	"
	H. Rutter	"

DEACONS—H. F. Glenn	Gastonia
S. A. Robinson	"
J. Lee Robinson, T.	"
D. A. Page	"
T. W. Wilson	"
J. O. White	"
W. Y. Warren	"
E. J. Rankin	"

20. Kings Mountain

RULING ELDERS—C. E. Neisler	Kings Mountain
H. L. Ramseur, C.	" "
Robin Baker	" "
C. F. Hunter	" "
DEACONS—E. C. Faires	" "
E. W. Barnes	" "
G. V. Patterson	" "
Jas. Allison	" "

21. Lowell

RULING ELDERS—W. T. Ford	Lowell
D. H. Coxe	"
Frank Robinson, C.	"
DEACONS—P. P. Murphy	"
F. A. Coxe	"
G. A. Baker	"
S. M. Robinson, T.	"

22. Belmont

RULING ELDERS—W. W. Davis, C.	Belmont
A. A. Cathey	"
J. G. Hall	"
C. H. Lineberger	"
DEACONS—J. R. Gaston	"
R. L. Stowe, T.	"
H. C. Johnston	"
J. B. Hall	"

23. Waco

RULING ELDERS—R. G. Brown, C.	Cherryville
W. L. Brown	"
W. C. Robinson	"
DEACONS—J. E. Brown, T.	"
W. E. Kerr	Waco

24. Ironton

RULING ELDERS—	J. E. Reinhardt	Iron Station
	A. P. Dellinger	“ “
DEACONS---	Luther Dellinger	“ “

25. Stanley Creek

RULING ELDERS---	Wade Abernethy	Stanley Creek
	A. Whitener, C.	“ “
	J. M. Reinhardt	“ “
DEACONS—	Alfred Abernathy	“ “
	T. J. Wallace	“ “
	W. L. Mason, T.	Charlotte

26. Cherryville

RULING ELDERS---	D. F. Dellinger	Cherryville
	W. E. Farnsworth	“
	J. W. Carroll, C.	“
	E. M. Berry	“
DEACONS—	H. J. A. Carpenter	“
	D. R. Van Dyke	“
	J. A. Avery	“
	C. L. Carroll, T.	“

27. Forest City

RULING ELDERS—	G. P. Reid, C.	Forest City
	J. E. McFarland	“ “
	W. H. Powell	Charlotte
DEACONS—	W. W. Hicks, T.	Forest City
	H. C. Carson	“ “
	J. H. Gettys	“ “
	Walter Ramseur	“ “
	J. Dyer	Rutherfordton
	W. H. Wilson	“

28. Mooresboro

No Session.

29. Columbus

RULING ELDERS—	C. A. Carson, C.	Columbus
	W. A. Cannon	Lynn
	D. H. Swan	“
DEACONS---	C. C. Hampton	Columbus
	F. M. Burgess	“
	W. H. McFarland	“

30. Henrietta

No Session.

31. Bessemer City

RULING ELDERS---	J. T. R. Dameron, C.	Bessemer City
	J. H. Wilkins	" "
DEACONS--	R. C. Ormond, T.	" "
	Luther Arrowood	" "

32. Bethany

RULING ELDERS--	S. M. Beam, C.	Ellenboro
	J. M. Glover	"
DEACONS--	J. C. Wilson	"
	G. S. Harrill	"

33. Union Mills

RULING ELDERS--	W. G. Flack, C.	Union Mills
	Wm. Monteith	Gilkey
DEACONS--	R. F. Tate, T.	Union Mills
	W. W. Watson	" "

34. Loray

RULING ELDERS---	S. A. Lewis	Gastonia
	C. A. Spencer	"
	H. J. Shannon	"
	W. F. Bradley	"
	C. L. Clemmer	"
DEACONS--	T. M. McEntire, T.	"
	J. M. Kendrick	"
	C. L. Spencer	"
	S. E. Shannon	"
	M. E. Shannon	"
	Edgar Lewis	"

35. High Shoals

RULING ELDERS---None.

DEACONS--Frank Robinson High Shoals

36. Cliffside

RULING ELDERS--None.

DEACONS--G. M. Watson Cliffside
C. H. White "**37. Bostic**

RULING ELDERS--	B. F. Andrews, C.	Bostic
	J. W. Watson	"
DEACONS--	G. L. Logan	"

DOCKET.

**Of the Ninety-Ninth Annual Session of the Synod of North Carolina,
to be Held in the First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N. C.,
Tuesday, October 15th, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m.**

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| Organized | } | <p>I. ORGANIZATION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A sermon. 2. Synod Constituted with prayer. 3. Report of Committee on Enroilment and Roll Call. 4. Moderator and Temporary Clerks elected. 5. Fix the hours for the daily Session. 6. Recess or adjournment is now in order, if the Synod so wills. |
| | | <p>II. DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES. See Rule 24.</p> |
| | | <p>III. READING THE MINUTES OF LAST MEETING, AND AD-INTERIM MINUTES.</p> |
| Standing
Committees
Appointed | } | <p>IV. APPOINT THE FOLLOWING STANDING COMMITTEES:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. On Devotional Exercises. See Rules 7 and 24. 2. On Special Orders. Rule 14---Committee Announced 3. On Bills and Overtures. 4. A Judicial Committee. 5. On an Address to the Churches---Narratives. 6. On the Minutes of the General Assembly. 7. On Union Theological Seminary. 8. On Report of Regents of Orphan's Home. 9. On Systematic Beneficence---Reports of Presbyteries. 10. On Statistical Report of Presbyteries. 11. Auditing Committee on Treasurers' Books, etc. 12. On Records of Synod. Rule 15. 13. On Resolutions of Thanks. 14. Shall we appoint a Nominating Committee? No Rule. 15. Records of Presbyteries---eight: Orange, Concord, Fayetteville, Wilmington, Mecklenburg, Albemarle, Asheville, Kings Mountain. 16. On Leave of Absence. See Rule 17. |

The following Ministers were absent from the last meeting of Synod (1911) without excuse rendered:—See Minutes Vol. 7, p. 49.

- I. ORANGE—R. W. George, B. B. Palmer, F. M. Hawley, N. R. Claytor, H. H. Cassady.

2. CONCORD—J. M. Gibbs, L. H. Query, G. N. Thomas, C. L. Rogers, J. C. Story.
3. FAYETTEVILLE:—D. Fairley, K. A. McLeod, M. D. McNeill, G. T. Pace, E. W. Souders, J. D. A. Brown, S. H. Williamson, H. M. Dixon, F. B. Rankin, C. V. Cavitt, A. E. Grove, C. L. Bragaw, J. B. Cochrane, M. N. McIver.
4. WILMINGTON:—P. McIntyre, J. E. L. Winecoff, L. E. Wells, E. B. Carr, P. L. Clark, J. M. Plowden, L. T. Newland.
5. MECKLENBURG:—W. W. Davidson, C. W. Erwin.
6. ALBEMARLE:—J. H. Jarvis, R. W. Alexander, C. Moore, H. C. Nelson, J. F. Coleman, J. B. Black.
7. ASHEVILLE:—P. P. Winn, E. D. Kerr, P. F. Brown, J. C. Brown, J. Q. Wallace, C. B. Yeagan.
8. KINGS MOUNTAIN:—G. A. Sparrow, C. H. Little, R. C. Deal.

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| Reports
Presented
and
Referred. | } | V. COMMUNICATIONS READ AND REFERRED. |
| | } | 1. Narratives presented and referred. |
| | } | 2. Report of Directors of Union Theological Seminary read and referred. |
| | } | 3. Report on Systematic Beneficence presented and referred. |
| | } | 4. Statistical Reports presented and referred. |
| | } | 5. Report of Treasurer read and referred. |
| | } | 6. The Records of Synod presented and referred. |
| | } | 8. Special Orders of the day---referred. |
| | } | 9. Appointment of Directors Union Theological Seminary and Regents of Orphan's Home---referred. |

NOTE: The terms of office of the Fourth Class of Directors of U. T. S. expires at this meeting of Synod, viz: Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., Hon. A. M. Scales; and the Fifth Class of the Regents of the Orphan's Home, viz: Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D.

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| Standing
Orders. | } | VI. STANDING ORDERS OF SYNOD. |
| | } | 1. Synodical Communion, second day at 11 A. M. |
| | } | 2. Memorial Services immediately after Communion. |
| | } | 3. Devotional Exercises and Preaching each day at last morning hour. |
| | } | 4. Synod recesses from business the afternoon of 2nd day. |
| | } | 5. Popular Meeting in interests of Foreign Missions evening of the 2nd day. |
| | } | 6. Third day at 11 o'clock A. M., Devotional Exercises under the direction of the Regents of the Orphan's Home---the report and a sermon. |
| | } | 7. Popular Meeting in the interest of Synodical Home Missions, evening of the third day. |
| | } | 8. Assembly's Home Missions and Colored Evangelization, third day at 3 o'clock P. M. |
| } | 9. Popular Meeting in the interest of the Sabbath and Family Religion, in afternoon of the third day at 4 o'clock. | |

Report of
Permanent
Committees.

VII. REPORTS OF PERMANENT COMMITTEES AND POPULAR MEETINGS.

1. Foreign Missions, Wednesday night---Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D. Chairman.
2. Synodical Home Missions, Thursday night---Rev. M. McG. Shields, Supt. and Chairman.
3. Assembly's Home Missions and Colored Evangelization---Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D. Chairman, third day at 3 o'clock P. M.
4. Christian Education and Ministerial Relief---Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., Chairman.
5. Publication and Sabbath School Work---Rev. W. M. Walsh, Chairman.
6. Report of Board of Regents of Orphan's Home---third day at 11 A. M.---Dr. Hill.
7. Bible Cause---Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., Chairman.
8. The Sabbath and Family Religion---Rev. W. D. Morton, D. D., Chairman. Thursday at 4 P. M.
9. On Systematic Beneficence---Rev. A. A. McGeachy, D. D., Chairman.
10. Religious Work among Students of State Institutions ---Rev. Melton Clark, Chairman.
11. On Synodical Schools and Colleges---Rev. J. B. Shearer, D. D., Chairman and Dr. T. W. Lingle, Vice Chairman.
12. On Young People's Societies, Brotherhoods, Covenanters etc ---Rev. R. F. Kirkpatrick, Chairman.
13. Woman's Societies---Rev. C. G. Vardell, D. D., Chairman.
14. Historical Committee---Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D., Chm.

VIII. — MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS ETC.:

1. Report of Standing Committees.
2. Reports of Ad-Interim Committee:
 - (a) On Evangelistic and Biblical Institute---Rev. Wm. Black.
 - (b) On Home for the Aged---Rev. Melton Clark, Chairman.
 - (c) On Division of Synod into ten or more Presbyteries---Rev. W. R. Minter.
 - (d) On Overture to Assembly to change the Ecclesiastical Year to Co-inside with the Calendar Year. ---Sent down to Presbyteries.
 - (e) On invitation of Alamance Church, for the meeting of Synod in 1913.---Rev. S. M. Rankin.
3. Reports of Special Committees.
4. Election of Supt. of Synodical Home Missions.
5. Election of Ruling Elders on Synodical Committee.
6. Election of General Synodical Evangelists.
7. Elect the place for the next meeting of Synod.
8. Roll Call and Absentees noted.
9. Minutes read and approved.
10. Adjourn, with singing, Prayer and Benediction.

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STATED CLERK.

