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MANY METHODIST MINISTERS TO GET NEW PASTORATES.

Placing the Retiring District Superintendents Will Necessitate a Shakeup.

A CLEAN SWEEP IN EAST WILMINGTON.

A pastoral shakeup, the appointment of three district superintendents and the election of four delegates to the General Conference will be enlivening features of the forty-eighth annual session of the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference, which will be held in Union Church, Wilmington, next March. The presence of the Lay Electoral Conference, which meets quadrennially, will increase the interest.

Selecting pastorates for the retiring district superintendents may cause considerable ministerial shifting. Wilmington is likely to be greatly affected, and it is predicted that there will be a clean sweep of the churches on the east side. Rev. Edmund L. Hoffecker, of the Wilmington district, Rev. Robert K. Stephenson, of the Dover district and Rev. Robert Watt, of the Easton district, are the retiring district superintendents. Pastorates suggested for Dr. Hoffecker include St. Paul's and Union, Wilmington, and Bethesda, Middletown. Rev. Clinton T. Wyatt, who has been at Middletown three years, also is proposed for Union. Changing the relation of Rev. Cornelius W. Prettyman from active to retired will create a pastoral vacancy at Asbury Church, Smyrna, and it is thought Dr. Stephenson will be assigned to that charge or to the Avenue Church, Milford. There is a rumor that Dr. Watt may be given some official position by the General Conference, which will convene at Saratoga, N. Y., next May, but there is no inkling of the office. Many persons, however, believe Dr. Watt will resume pastoral work in the Wilmington Conference.

Rev. George T. Alderson, pastor Harrison Street Church, Wilmington, Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, pastor of St. Paul's, Rev. Wilbur F. Cockran, pastor of Union, and Rev. William A. Wise, pastor of Scott, are said to be aspirants to the Wilmington district superintendency. Rev. William R. Mowbray, pastor of the Avenue Church, Milford, is the choice of the ministers on the Dover district for superintendent of that district. Rev. William L. White, pastor of Ebenezer Church, Easton, Rev. George C. Williams, pastor of Centenary, Laurel, and Rev. Clinton T. Wyatt, pastor of Bethesda, Middletown, are competing for the Easton district superintendency.

Some ministers say Rev. Theodore A. H. O'Brien, superintendent of the Salisbury district, and the three retiring district superintendents will be elected delegates to the General Conference, others believe three district superintendents and one pastor will be chosen delegates, as was done in 1912. Since Dr. Hoffecker was the only district superintendent in the Wilmington Conference not elected a delegate in 1912 it is stated that his election in 1916 would be a gracious act. An admirer of Dr. Watt predicts that he will lead the 1916 delegation.

Rev. William G. Koons, who recently resigned the position of corresponding secretary of the Wilmington Conference Claimants Endowment Fund Commission, has throat tuberculosis, and his condition is so serious that he deemed it advisable to go to Saranar Lake, New York. Acceptance by Rev. Edward H. Dashiell of the corresponding secretaryship of the commission created a vacancy in the pastorate of Asbury Church, Crisfield, that may be filled by Rev. Louis E. Barrett, who is finishing his seventh year at Chestertown.

Millington Items.

Mr. William Jacobs returned last Wednesday to Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md., after spending his summer vacation with his mother, Mrs. Mary Jacobs.

Miss Marguerite Ahern is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip H. Wood, Jr., of Wilmington, Del.

Mr. I. Hollins spent a couple of days last week with relatives in Baltimore.

Services at Asbury M. E. Church tomorrow, Sept. 26th, will be follows: 10 A. M., Sunday school, subject: "Obedience and Kingship"; 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., preaching by the pastor, Rev. G. P. Smith. Friday, 7.30 P. M., prayer meeting. All are invited to attend these services.

Margaret, the 21-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Price, died at their home on South Crane street on Friday of last week. The funeral was held at their home on Sunday at 2 P. M. Rev. G. P. Smith officiated and J. L. Smith was undertaker. Interment in Millington cemetery. Masters Carlton Harris, Raymond Anthony and William and Edward Vansant acted as pall-bearers.

Mrs. Martin Bowman was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of Wilmington, Del.

Miss Elizabeth Mabrey returned last Monday to Washington, D. C., after a two weeks' stay with her mother, Mrs. Anna Mabrey, near town.

A merry-go-round is pitched on the Emory lot, between the Quaker cemetery and W. J. Tolson's residence.

Mr. Jacob Light left last week for Colorado Springs, Colorado, where he hopes the change of climate will improve his health.

Misses Esta and Louise Foster returned last Sunday to their home in Baltimore, after spending a few weeks with their aunt, Mrs. R. W. Comegys.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church, met on Thursday evening of last week at the church.

Miss Susie R. Jones left on Tuesday for Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md., where she has been enrolled as a students.

Mr. Howard Ackers, of Washington, D. C., spent last week at the home of Mrs. Anna Mabrey, near town.

Mrs. Kate R. Tonkin has returned after spending the summer at Ocean Grove, N. J., and is arranging to move to Wilmington, Del., where she expects to make her future home.

Mr. J. Paul Jacobs returned last Sunday to Baltimore after spending a few months with his mother, Mrs. Mary Jacobs.

Prof. F. C. Numbers, Jr., left on Friday of last week for Austin, Texas, where he has accepted a position as teacher in the Texas school for deaf.

Mr. Harry Bamberger and family, of Church Hill, were guests last Sundy of his mother, Mrs. Maria Bamberger.

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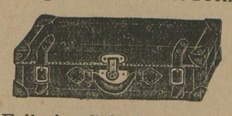

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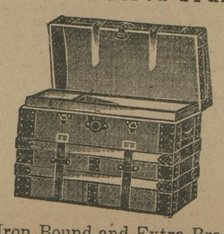

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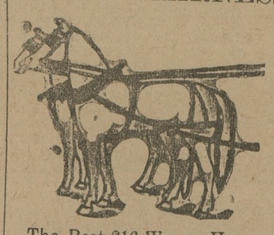

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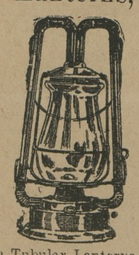

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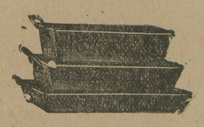

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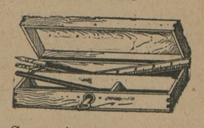

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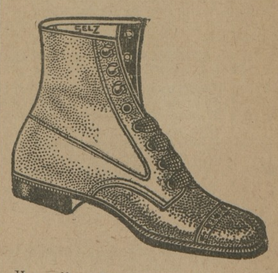

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