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August the house was completed and ready for use by the first of September, when we commenced school in it. On Sunday, the 10th of September, the house was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God by Rev. E. P. Aldred, pastor of Galena circuit. The little house was used as a place of worship for fourteen years and is still occupied as a school house. It stands in a beautiful grove, the same as where Bros. Webb and Rich held their tent meetings years ago. In 1883 Mr. D. H. Kent, of Wilmington, Del., purchased a tract of land from Mr. H W. Archer, adjoining the school property, and built a town called Golt's Station. Soon after the town was built the school house was too small to accommodate the people, so we had to make preparations for building a church. Accordingly a lot was secured adjoining the school property and deed given. On July 25, 1884, Daniel H. Kent and Mary E. Kent, his wife, of Wilmington, Del., conveyed to Samuel Watts, Luff Spry, Sames D Davis, Edwin S. Morris, William H. Davis, George V. Peverly, Charles K. Morris and their successors, trustees of Morris' Methodist Episcopal Church, in the town of Golt's Station, for $100; one acre, more or less, for the purpose of erecting thereon a house or place of worship for the use of the Methodist Episcopal Church; to have and to hold the said lot or parcel of land and premises unto the said trustees, in trust as aforesaid, and their successors and assigns forever. In May, 1885, the foundation was laid for a building 26x40 feet. On June 4 the corner stone was laid by Rev. J. B. Quigg, into which was put a copy of the deed, a list of the names of the trustees, a copy of the discipline, Christian Advocate, Peninsula Methodist and Kent News. In July the contractor, Mr. James A. Lambdin, began framing the building, and by the 10th of October had it enclosed. On Sunday, the 11th, Rev. Andrew Manship, of Philadelphia, preached for us, and raised about $0. The mason, Mr. Wm. Sweetman, then went on with his part of the work, built the flues and plastered the house and had it ready for dedication by the 12th of December. Rev. John France, P. E., was with us on the Sabbath to preach for us and dedicate the church, provided we could raise $600, the amount of indebtedness. Bro. Manship was there to manage the finances, but Sunday proved to be a very stormy day, consequently there were very few present, and instead of $600 we raised $25. Bro. France thought we had better make another effort the next Sabbath, and he would secure Rev T. L. Tompkinson, of Millington, for the occasion. So on the next Sabbath, Dec. 20th, Bro. Tompkinson came over in the afternoon, but it was extremely cold and very blustery, and in consequence we hardly had any congregation and raised $7. We went on, however, much discouraged, until Sept. 12th, 1885, when Rev. J. B. Quigg came over from Smyrna and preached us a grand sermon.

He then made the proposition that if the people would pay all the debt except the last $200, he would get the Church Extension society to donate us that amount. We raised about $200, on that day. We continued to solicit subscriptions until October 1887, when $50, was needed, on October 22, Revs, J. D. C. Hanna of Newport Del, and Rev. R. K. Stephenson of Wilmington came to our assistance, Bro. Hanna thought we had better ask for $75. So after his grand sermon from Rev. 2 10 he took up the finances; $50 was provided for in the morning. In the afternoon, Rev. R. K. Stephenson preached very interestingly from St. John 12-32, after which the remaining $25 was provided for. The Church was then declared free of debt, when it was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, by Rev. J. D. C. Hanna, assisted by Rev. R. K. Stephenson, after which with hearts full of gratitude, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" was sung. Bro. Hanna preached for us again at night when revival services began and two penitents came forward and were converted. The meetings continued for five weeks, resulting in 16 conversions.

They now have at Golt's station a neat frame Church 26 by 40 ft. with recess pulpit in which to worship the result of 34 years of hard labor. To God be all the glory. In 1888 Rev. D. Gollie was appointed to this charge, whose labors the Lord greatly blessed. After haying spent twenty years in this long neglected part of the vineyard, we can look back from this standpoint and see that though the field was rough stony ground, and the birds may have devoured much of the seed sown, still our labor has not been altogether in vain. During these twenty years of missionary work right at home in our own Wilmington Conference in our own native County of Kent, in our own immediate neighborhood where we were raised while doing the master's work, many have been the times of refreshing from the presence of the Lord. Our supervising officers we have always found to be the right men in the right place, encouraging us by their counsels, sympathies and prayers, and bidding us God speed in the good work, God bless those noble men. Our prayer is that we with them may have a home in heaven. As teaching and preaching go together, we can not close this history without a few remarks in regard to our school work, in that as well as in the missionary work, we have been greatly aided and encouraged by those in authority. We feel deeply grateful to the County board of school commissioners for granting all our requests, and sparing no expense in making us comfortable in our work, and passing our many imperfections by. In our worthy superintendent, Major E. F. Perkins we always found a firm solid friend, in whom there was no flaw. His visits to our school were always pleasant ones, leaving us better prepared for the prosecution of our work by having visited us, and who in our humble opinion and we believe all the teachers in old Kent will bear us out in it, as a presiding officer had no superior. During the past fifteen years the Church has been served by the following Ministers 1888-9 D. Gollie, 1890-91 Eben Welch, 1892, F. E. McKinsey, 1893, J. W. Talley, 1894-5-6-7, W. N. Conway, 1898, J. Taylor 1899-19-00, Daniel Wilson, 1901 ,Andrew Matzen, 1902, A. C. Jones. Bro. Jones left the work in good shape. The Church is in a prosperous condition, and what is now needed is an up to date Parsonage, to make it desireable appointment, we hope the officials will rise up and build in the near future.

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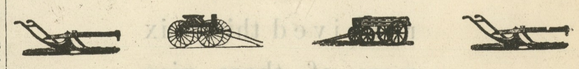

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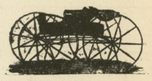

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