

The Duke Memorial Board of Christian Education met on September 27 with the following members present: Mr. Seeley, Mr. Bookhout, Mrs. Lee, Miss Williams, Mr. Umstead, Mr. Boddie, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Angier, Mr. Whitfoed, Miss Canada, Mr. Allen, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Windham, Miss Johnson.

Mr. Angier reported that he failed to bring the complete treasurer's report but that there is a balance of around \$1200.

Miss Johnson read the list of teachers and officers for the coming year, and the Board voted to approve this list.

The coming week being Christian Education week, promotion and the installation of new teachers and officers at the regular church service will mark our observance on this Sunday. Letters have been mailed to each person who will participate in the installation. At Worker's Conference on Monday night visiting church school pupils will be stressed. On Tuesday night a special service for all denominations celebrating the publication of the new edition of the Bible will be held. Next Sunday will be rally day for the church school.

Mrs. Bayliss has been secured as teacher for the new weekday kindergarten. This will be for five year olds on Mon., Tues., Thurs. from 9-12, limited to 20, at a cost of \$8 per month. First session will be held on Monday in the classroom for four-year-olds.

Thirty five Bibles of the new edition have been ordered for the Primaries being promoted to the Junior Department. They will be buckram, maroon, and the cost was \$179. The Bibles cannot be given out until the 30th but the three teachers of the graduating Primary classes have agreed to deliver them to the children's homes during the week.

The Anchor Class has petitioned for permission to become a separate entity and no longer a member of the Young Adult Fellowship. They want to be a couples class. In the last few months for all practical purposes the H.C. Smith class has dissolved with some of the remaining few members going into the Anchor Class. The Career Class with the present nucleus of three or four needs to be built up anew. Jim Matthewson will teach this group, and the suggestion has been made that perhaps an evening fellowship would have some appeal. The Board voted to accept the reorganization of the Anchor class and agreed to sponsor a party or some type of social for the Career Class when this can be arranged.

\* The new church ruling on the Commission of Education was announced.\*

Mr. Windham reported on the recreation facilities of a church in Fayetteville which he and other members of a special recreation committee visited. He then handed in his resignation as superintendent of the Intermediate Department, a resignation based on his doctor's orders. The Board accepted this with much regret and grateful thanks for what he has done and has meant to the Church. After his departure the Board voted to present him with one of the new Bibles in a leather







binding and voted that a letter of appreciation be written. It was agreed that Mr. Allen contact Mr. Bradshaw and ask him to function as acting superintendent for the time being.

Mr. Whitford reported that Mrs. Hutchins needs somebody to sponsor the McMannen Street group. Ill health will prevent her from doing for this group what she has done in the past. Mr. Tuttle for the Pastor's Aides class has been arranging transportation and that is no problem. A place of assembly for the children is needed and visits should be made to contact new children as well to keep up the interest of those already enrolled. The Board voted that Mr. Whitford be asked to present the matter to the Lily Duke class and ask that this class sponsor this project.

Mr. Whitford also reported that he and two others attended the adult conference at Mebane.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

Mary Canada,  
Secretary



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