

HISTORY  
of  
SHANNON CHARGE

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## Oostanaula Methodist Church.

The indenture was made on Nov. 29, 1871 by Solomon L Pope and Joanna E Pope formerly of Crawford in the State of Georgia.

### Charter members.

Jonathan Cowan, Caleb White, Marcellus L Troutman, Henry B Pope, Andrew J Watters, James H Troutman and S J Henley, Mrs And Mrs H L Pope.

### Trustees.

Marcellus L Troutman, L Troutman, Henry Pope, Andrew Watters.

The church is located in Floyd County. The deeds were recorded in the Clerk's office in Floyd County Court House. Superior Court Book #75 page 697 on March 2, 1910.

In this deed there is one item that might be of interest.

"The said trustees and their successors in office forever in trust that they shall erect or cause to be erected a house thereon for use of members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South according to the rules and discipline which may from time to time be agreed upon and adopted by the ministers and preachers of said church at their general conferences and in further trust and confidence that they shall at all times forever hereafter permit such ministers and preachers belonging to said church as shall from time to time be duly authorized by the general Conference.

### FORMER PASTORS

T. J. Christian  
Rosser  
J. A. Sewell  
A. H. S. Bugg  
McBrayer  
Dr. Chastain  
Pendley  
A. B. Elizer  
W. P. Stokes  
W. N. Mchan  
A. W. Williams  
L. F. Huckaby  
Grover Irwin  
J. K. Kelly  
C. H. Smith  
W. P. Rowe  
J. M. Perryman

### OLDEST MEMBERS

Mrs. Edna Lowrey  
Robert Troutman  
Bascom Cowan  
Mrs. M. F. Mull  
Mrs. T. H. Smith

### FORMER PRESIDING ELDERS AND DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

Tom Pearce  
Rev. Ledbetter  
W. P. King  
Geo. King  
F. E. Jenkins, Sr.  
J. W. O. McKibben  
Harvey Holland  
B. Frank Pim  
W. M. Jones

### PASTORS FROM THIS CHURCH

Marcelle Troutman  
Solomon Pope - Dist. Supt. in Miss.  
Rube Cowan - Oklahoma  
Yarbrough - Went West  
S. S. Cowan