BISHOP’S SURVEY 1974-75

NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE – Page One (over)

Name of Church: ST. PAUL UNITED METHODIST

Date of Report: DECEMBER 1973

Any Former Name: NONE

Address: ROUTE ONE

By: REV. ELTON B. LAWSON

Town: LINCOLNTON, GA

Position: MEMBER

Zip: 30817

County: LINCOLN

Pastor on Date

District: AUGUSTA

First Recorded Reference (when, where, by whom) on May 11, 1820, John Temple conveyed certain conveyed 73 acres of land, five miles south of Lincoln, to be used for Methodist meeting house and Camp Ground, this meeting place vacated until 1874. But in 1878, eighteen members met to organize a church at first services were held under a brush arbor, but in 1879 the present building located six miles south of Lincoln in the town community was erected from the proceeds of the sale of the Camp Ground property to Mrs. A.H. Tyler and from contributions to W.J. Brown, supplied, was pasted while services were held under the arbor.

Affiliation with Any Earlier Group or Church

Wheat Creek Methodist Camp Ground, attached to the Lincoln Charge 1879. In 1888 St. Paul was made part of the South Lincoln Circuit, during that year a parsonage was built near St. Paul for the minister who served the charge.

Date Entrance into Conference, Pastor Then

1879 - A.J. Peace and B.C. Bickett


Members Who Became Ministers

None.


Please return within month, even if incomplete. Additions can be made.

North Georgia Archives, United Methodist Center, 159 Forrest Avenue, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30303

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Location of Earlier Houses and Present Sanctuary. Give details of ownership, fires, new structures, sites, parsonages, etc.

Any Marker or Inscription on Building - yes

Availability of Records, Any Gaps Recorded with Church Secretary

Material Enclosed to be Placed in Folder at Archives

Location of Graveyard(s). Earliest dates and some prominent names. Approximate number of graves.

North-West side of Church. 93 graves

J.N. Spiers, B. 1843 - D. 1912
A H. Tyler, B. 1855 - D. 1911
Mary E. Tyler, B. 1857 - D. 1935
Geo. P. Hille, B. 1840 - D. 1935

Chadwick, B. 1825 - D. 1906
W. T. Shuel, B. 1844 - D. 1894
James & Revere, B. 1830 - D. 1915
J. H. Revere, B. 1843 - D. 1943
W. T. Ferguson, B. 1875 - D. 1944
M. H. Long, B. 1854 - D. 1940
T. E. Tyler, B. 1888 - D. 1972

Benjamin N. Smalley B. 9.29 - 1860 D. 2.25.1935
Emma H. Smalley B. 1.40 - 1860 D. 5.23.1932
W. M. Smalley B. 1881 D. 1938
H. M. Tyler Smalley B. 1888 D. 1972

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