

Bishops of Arkansas' Southwest Conference • 1879 - 1972

Methodist Episcopal Church (North) : Little Rock Conference 1879 - 1928 • Southwest Conference 1929 - 1938

The Methodist Church: Southwest Conference 1939 - 1967

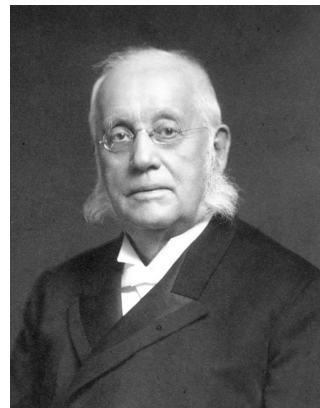
The United Methodist Church: Southwest Conference 1968 - 1972

The Methodist Episcopal Church (North) formed a conference within the bounds of Arkansas in 1879 called the Little Rock Conference. In 1929 the conference changed its name to Southwest Conference.

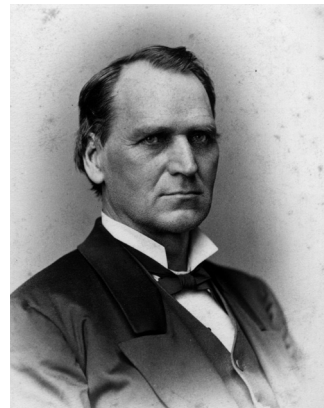
In 1939 the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South merged into The Methodist Church.

In 1968 The Methodist Church and the Evangelical United Brethren Churches merged into The United Methodist Church.

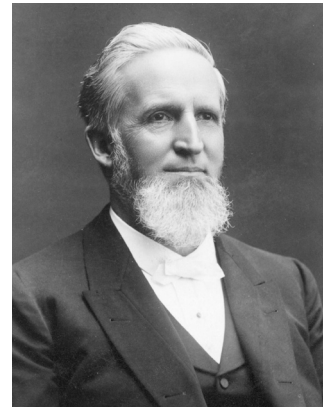
In 1972 the Southwest Conference merged with the North Arkansas Conference and the Little Rock Conference.



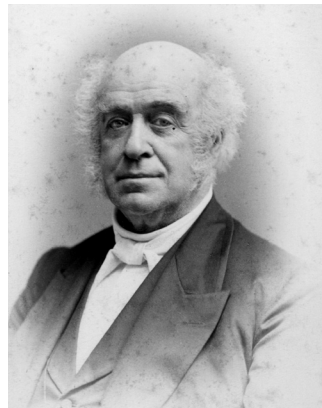
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1879, 1897



Bishop Stephen Mason Merrill
1880, 1898



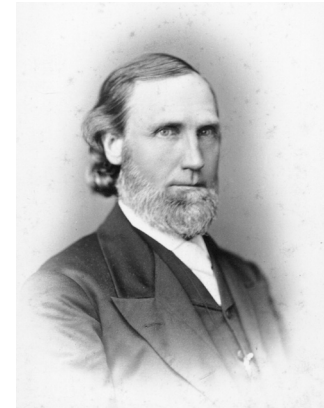
Bishop Cyrus David Foss
1881



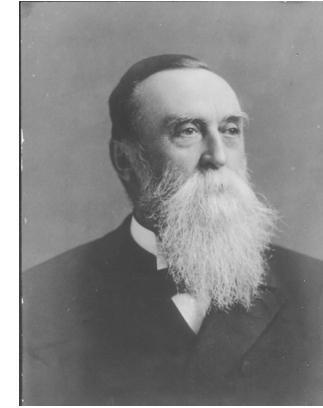
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1882



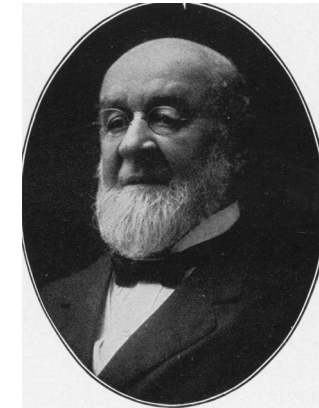
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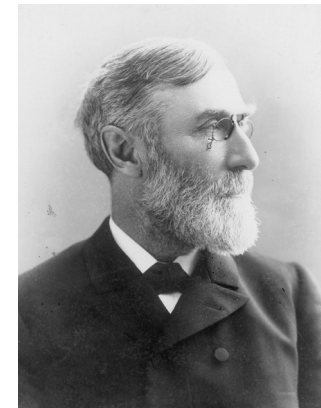
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1884



Bishop Willard F. Mallalieu
1885, 1892



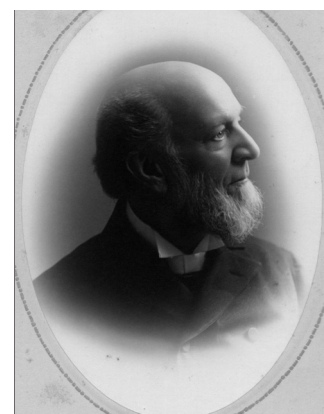
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1886, 1894



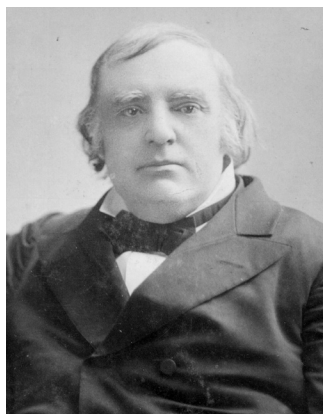
Bishop James Newbury Fitzgerald
1887, 1889, 1906



Bishop Henry White Warren
1888, 1901, 1907



Bishop John Heyl Vincent
1890



Bishop John Phillip Newman
1891, 1893



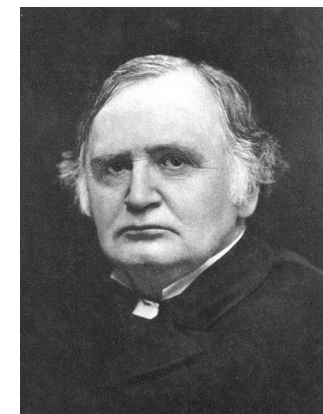
Bishop John Morgan Walden
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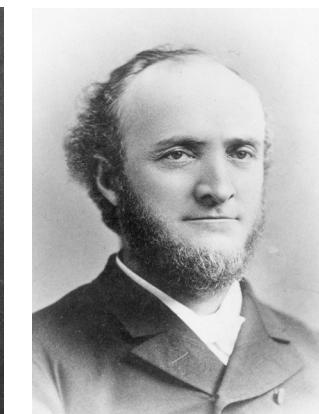
Bishop William Xavier Ninde
1896



Bishop Isaac W. Joyce
1899



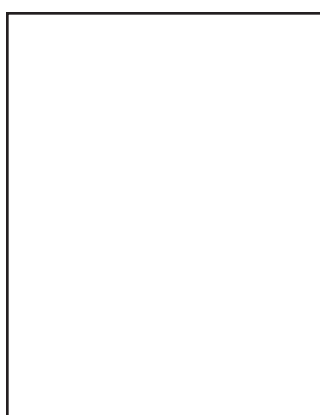
Bishop Daniel Goodsell
1900



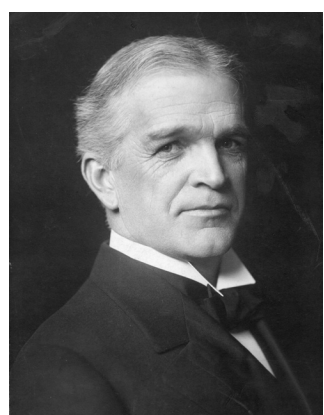
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1902



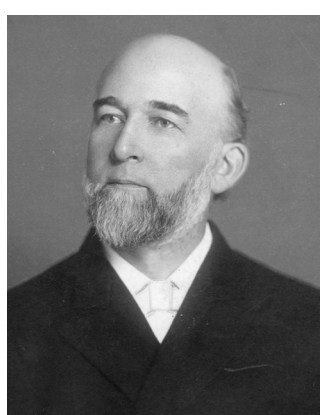
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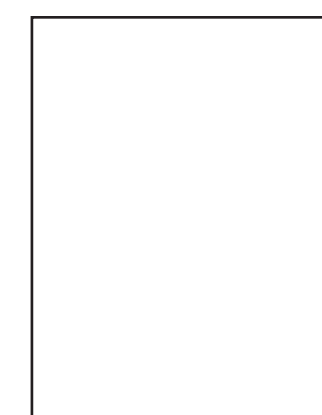
Bishop McCage
1904



Bishop Wm Francis McDowell
1905



Bishop Joseph Flintoft Berry
1908



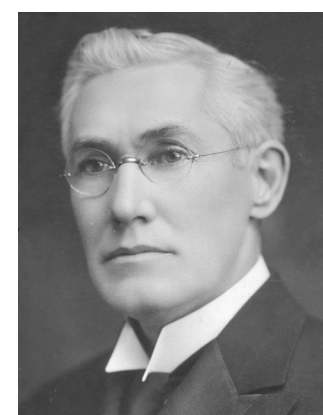
Bishop Neulson
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Bishop Alexander Coke Smith
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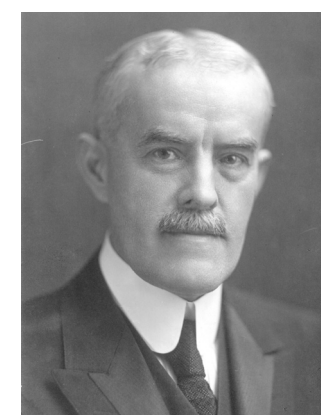
Bishop William Alfred Quayle
1911, 1913, 1919-21



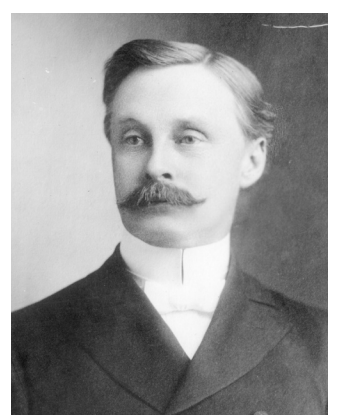
Bishop John Monroe Moore
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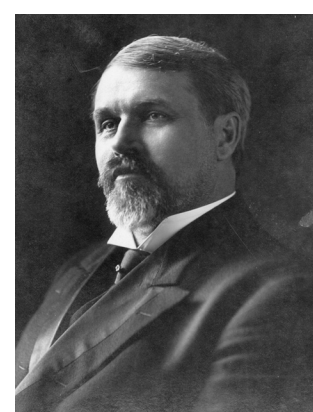
Bishop Robert McIntyre
1914



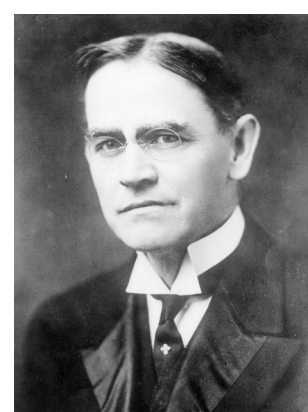
Bishop Frederick D. Leete
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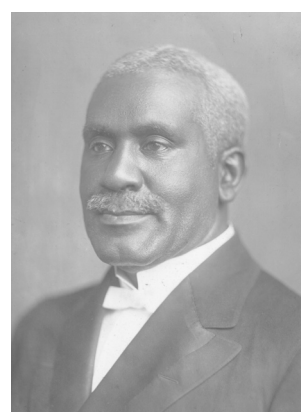
Bishop Frank Milton Bristol
1916



Bishop Homer C. Stuntz
1917, 1923



Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes
1918



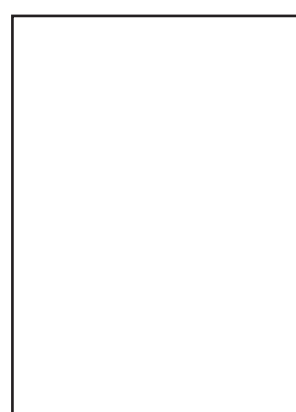
Bishop Matthew W. Clair
1922, 1924, 1926-34



Bishop R.E. Jones
1925, 1936-37, 1939, 1941-43



Bishop Ralph S. Cushman
1935



Bishop Meade
1938



Bishop A.P. Shaw
1940



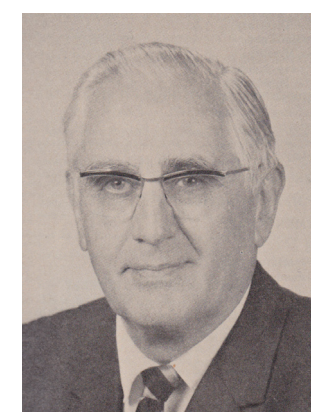
Bishop Edward Wendall Kelly
1944 - 1951



Bishop Matthew W. Claire, Jr.
1952 - 1964



Bishop Noah Watson Moore, Jr.
1965 - 1968



Bishop Paul V. Galloway
1969 - 1971