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NOTICE: Trinity CME Church rally and appeal. On Oct. 17, 1954 we had a great loss at Trinity CME Church at the cost that ran into thousands; partly covered by insurance. The fire was beyond our control and we are asking our Christian friends and neighbors who would like to give us a donation or pledge on this rally. For your convenience you can send your pledge or donation to the National Bank of Decatur or the Millikin National Bank of Decatur and it will be credited to our account; or mail to 345 N. Jackson, Decatur. We are really in need of means to pay some of our bills that had to be made on the account of the fire and our general expense of the church. We will be more than grateful for whatever you give. May God bless one and all; we are praying and pleading for your liberal donation. Mr. Gratis Bedford, chairman; Mr. James Smith, recording secretary; Miss Mary Lee Green, church secretary; Mr. Drew Joyner, treasurer; Rev. J. A. Carpenter, Minister.