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Schilling, P. C. was a native of Texas. He served as pastor of churches in Texas, Oklahoma and Florida, including Nocatee Baptist Church, 1922 and Jackson Heights Baptist Church, Tampa.

Jackson Heights

EL BETHEL

El Bethel Baptist Church, of Tampa, Fla., was organized in the summer of 1902, with seven members. The church was first built on the corner of 23rd Avenue and 24th Street, and about twelve years later was removed to 20th Avenue and Campobello, the present site. The following ministers have served the church as pastors: Rev. J. N. Thompson, H. H. Norris, J. S. Thrasher, E. L. Todd, W. P. Head, S. S. Pickett, N. T. King, H. J. Barber, Irvin Walden, J. F. Russell, J. L. Hampton, G. W. Messer, W. G. Doyle, G. W. Messer, and the present pastor, Ramsey Pollard, who

Elks, George Walters, J. W. Sloan and the present pastor, P. C. Schilling. The church has outgrown their old quarters and have built and will move into their new building soon. This church last organized their mission, Belmont Heights, into a church.

Pastor Schilling is a native of Texas; educated in Texas schools; studied law under N. S. Perry; oratory under W. T. Knowis, of Memphis, Tenn.; has held pastorates in Texas and Oklahoma; worked under appointment of Boards in both states; a strict uncompromising Baptist and true



DR. C. W. DUKE,
Pastor First Baptist Church
Tampa, Fla.

was called to the church, November 22, 1915. The church was organized with seven members and now has a membership of 214. Rev. Ramsey Pollard is a native of Texas. Before coming to El Bethel, he was associated with Cliff Temple Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas; South Avondale Baptist Church, Birmingham, Ala., and the First Baptist Church, Troy, Ala.

JACKSON HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH
This church was organized in 1916 with sixteen members. The following brethren have served as pastors: Revs. G. W. Murphy, A. R.

to every item of the organized work of the Conventions of the South.

THE SPANISH MISSION

Under the auspices of the Home Mission Board, the first Baptist work was done among the Latins in Ybor City by Miss Mary Taylor, beginning in February, 1903. She opened a Sunday school and mid-week sewing circle in the public school building. Mr. W. H. Clark came from Cuba and took charge of the mission in October, 1903. Miss Adalee Branham, now Mrs. Mabry, opened the first day school in January, 1905. This be-

Peace River 1922

NUMERICAL TABLE

Name of Church	Pastor and P. O. Address	Clerk and P. O. Address	INC	
			Date Organized	By Baptism By Letter
Alva	W. Ben Davidson, Olga, Fla.	Mrs. L. L. Ramsey, Alva	1921	19
Arcadia	Dr. A. J. Holt, Arcadia	T. P. Wyatt, Arcadia	1890	69
Athens	O. O. Roberts, Ft. Meade	P. P. Pollard, Ft. Meade	1911	7
Bethel	Henry W. Smith, Zolfo	T. W. Albritton, Zolfo	1911	
Bethany	W. C. Miller, Sarasota	E. Corbitt, Verná	1888	
Boca Grande		D. J. Lewis, South Boca Grande	1911	
Bowling Green	S. W. McClelland, Lakeland	W. M. McEwen, Bowling Green	1906	5
Brownville	S. L. Albritton, Limestone	H. S. Sjoblom, Arcadia	1919	9
Dry Prairie	S. F. Durrance, Zolfo	S. A. Chancey, Ft. Green	1888	19
Eden		R. L. Martin		
Edgewood	F. W. Nolte, Moore Haven	J. H. Johnson, Ft. Myers	1916	9
Felda X	W. D. M. Hays, Zolfo	Mrs. E. L. Stallings, Felda	1923	3
Ft. Green	J. N. Hendry, Wauchula	W. E. Rich, Ft. Green	1917	3
Ft. Green Springs*		A. E. Abbott, Ft. Green Spgs.	1902	
Ft. Myers	J. A. Ansley, Ft. Myers	J. B. Cox, Ft. Myers		4
Ft. Kissimmee*			1911	
Ft. Ogden	N. E. Norwood, Arcadia	L. B. Neese, Ft. Ogden		14
Gardner	S. L. Albritton, Limestone	C. P. Hartsfield, Gardner	1903	11
LaBelle	W. D. M. Hays, Zolfo	R. E. Edwards, LaBelle	1912	2
Lake Buffum X	C. Vickers, Ft. Meade		1922	
Lake Stearns X	J. L. Moore, Lake Stearns	T. J. Bates, Lake Stearns	1922	2
Lake View*			1922	
Limestone		A. K. Albritton, Limestone	1915	3
McCall*			1913	
Mill Creek	W. C. Miller, Bee Ridge	W. O. Edwards, Manatee	1915	1
Moore Haven		W. E. Daniel, Moore Haven	1917	3
Mt. Ephraim		Frank Amarine	1884	
Mt. Pleasant		M. R. W. Albritton, Pine Level	1869	
Myakka City*			1885	
New Hope	W. M. McDonald, Plant City	S. L. Griffin, Wauchula	1879	
New Zion	J. N. Hendry	C. H. Roberts, Ona	1866	
Nocatee	P. C. Schillings, Nocatee	Fount Kelly, Nocatee	1892	5
Oak Grove		Q. H. Cochran, Wauchula	1895	
Oak Hill		John F. Bates, Arcadia, R. F. D.	1882	
Olga X	W. B. Davidson, Olga	Mrs. L. H. Fitzgerald, Ft. Myers	1923	18
Osprey	W. C. Miller, Bee Ridge	V. A. Saunders, Osprey	1910	2
Ona*			1914	
Punta Gorda	W. N. Swain, Punta Gorda	W. E. Bell, Punta Gorda	1888	6
Samville X		R. H. Howell, Samville	1923	4
Sandy	B. M. Pack, Myakka City	Mrs. Precilla Johnson, Myakka City	1904	
Sebring	P. T. Taylor, Sebring	Perry Smith, Sebring	1922	2
Shady Grove	S. F. Durrance, Zolfo	C. C. Skipper, Zolfo	1897	
Sweetwater*			1902	
Tasmania*			1914	
Union*			1888	
Wauchula	R. J. Mincey, Wauchula	John McEwen, Wauchula	1882	5
Zolfo	W. D. M. Hays, Zolfo	E. O. Sawyers, Zolfo	1904	1
TOTAL				215

* No Report. Arbuckle, Mt. Moriah, Union Grove and Whidden Creek have made no report.
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