

# AME Church's Raleigh District Holds Sunday School Convention In County

By MRS. LILLIE M. HODGE  
 CARY — The Sunday School Convention of the Raleigh District A. M. E. Church convened at Union Bethel church recently. Dr. G. S. Gant is the presiding elder, and Rev. J. A. Hunter was the host pastor.

After the morning devotions conducted by Revs. A. M. Jones and C. W. Parker, enrollment, organization and appointment of committees by the presiding elder followed. Dr. Gant then turned over the gavel to Dr. C. A. Stroud, the presiding elder of the Morganton district, who gave to the convention his wholehearted support. All chores reported in full which made the financial and business session a success.

The school of instruction was under the direction of Dr. R. W. Wisner, president of Kittrell College. The convention theme was "The Sunday School in a changed world. During the hours of the institute the subject was well discussed and students learned many interesting

facts on the subject.

The instructors were Dr. L. S. Penn, senior department, Dr. G. W. Troublefield, junior department, and Mrs. A. M. Jones, director of recreation activities. The music was under the direction of Mrs. Lillie M. Hodge.

Mrs. Mary W. Gant, the wife of Dr. Gant and the conference president of our Sunday Schools, gave an inspiring and helpful talk on institute work. She gave the summary of her discussion by saying, "To build a strong Sunday School in a changed world, first—Have a purpose—2. Have an organization—3. Trained Leadership—4. An enriched Curriculum—5. Good attendance—6. Strong conviction—7. A plan of action. This talk was most interesting to all.

Thursday evening, 9:00 p. m., the annual sermon was delivered by Dr. Penn, pastor of St. Paul Church at Raleigh. His text was taken from the 14th chapter of St. John. It

verse Subject "Jesus is the answer." The sermon was well prepared and well received. The music was furnished by the Junior Church Choir of Saint Paul. The pianist was Mrs. Geneva P. Brown. The choir of Lincolnville rendered music also.

The welcome program, Rev. J. A. Hunter in charge, was under the supervision of Miss Mae N. Hopson. Mayor W. H. Rood made the dedication and friends of the convention feel very welcome to the town of Cary. We were happy to have the presence of the minister of the white Methodist Church, the Rev. Bonnie L. Davidson and Mr. Russell O. Heater, president of the Heater-Wall Company, and a member of the Methodist Church. These men are greatly interested in the welfare of helping to make the Union Bethel one of the most outstanding churches in Cary. The response to the welcome was given by Dr. Wisner.

On Friday evening the Rev. B. S. Foust, pastor of Laurinburg circuit, delivered the evening sermon. His text was taken from the 12th chapter of St. Luke, first verse. Subject "Peace in the changed world."

After this was the annual talent program, under the supervision of Mrs. Zula Jones of St. James Church, Sanford. Mr. Don Terry Hough, a delegate from St. Paul, served as master of ceremonies.

Those participating in the discussion "The Sunday School in a changed world" made satisfactory reports. The contest winners were: Miss Betty Stevens of St. Paul, first prize for having written the best paper on the subject; Miss Betty Worthy of Poplar Springs, second prize; St. James Sunday School of Sanford won the conventional banner. The ten dollar prize was won by the Lincolnville Sunday School whose representative was Miss Louise Evans. Teachers class reports: Dr. Ken, first prize and Mrs. Lillie M. Hodge, second prize.

We are happy to say this was one of the best conventions ever.

On Friday night the ladies from the Baptist and Christian churches joined with the ladies of Union Bethel in a gala banquet under the supervision of Miss Mae N. Hopson. The banquet was held at the home of the son of the Cary Elementary School whose principal is Mr. E. F. Rayford.

For eight years, under Dr. Gant's leadership the Sunday School delegation has been greatly encouraged to stay close by his side so as to do a bigger and better job for Christ and Youth Training in African Methodism.

Mr. R. N. Anders of Sanford was re-elected district superintendent for the ensuing year.

The closing message was delivered by Dr. G. W. Troublefield and the convention closed in high spirits.

## Things You Should Know



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 BECAME IMMENSELY RICH — AND HIS  
 TOMB AT DAMASCUS WAS ONE OF THE  
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ANSWER: Over a third of the soil bank money has already been distributed by local ASC offices. Payments should be \$3 per acre by Aug. 15. Top field farmers will receive a total of \$3 million under the soil bank program.

QUESTION: Should my permanent pasture ever be disturbed?

ANSWER: Yes! There is no such thing as a "permanent" pasture. Even the best "permanent" pasture will become spotty, diseased or full of weeds. When this occurs the pasture should be torn up, planted in some other crop for a season or two and then returned to pasture. The only "permanent" pastures which should not be distributed are on the steeper mountain slopes.

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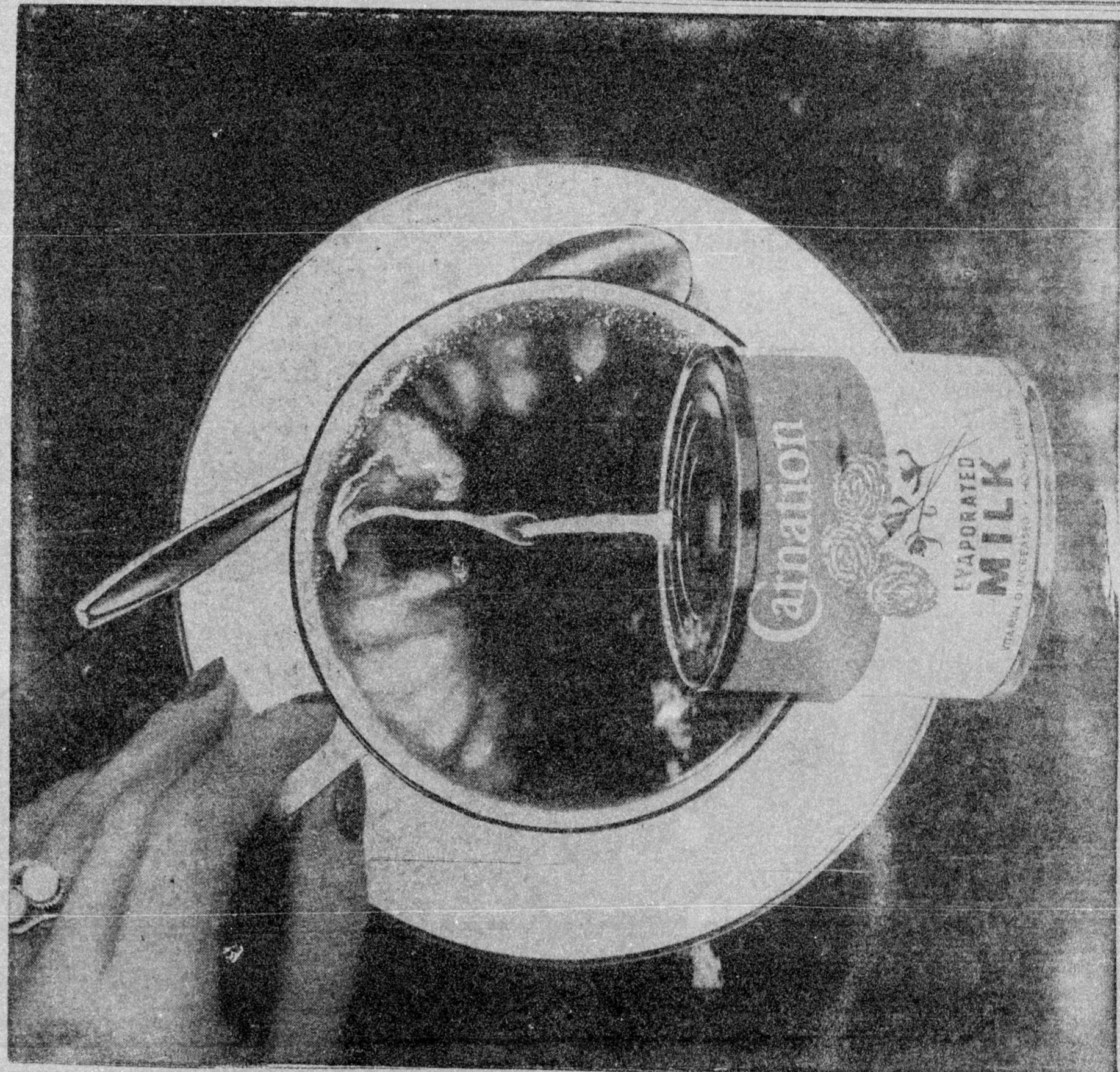
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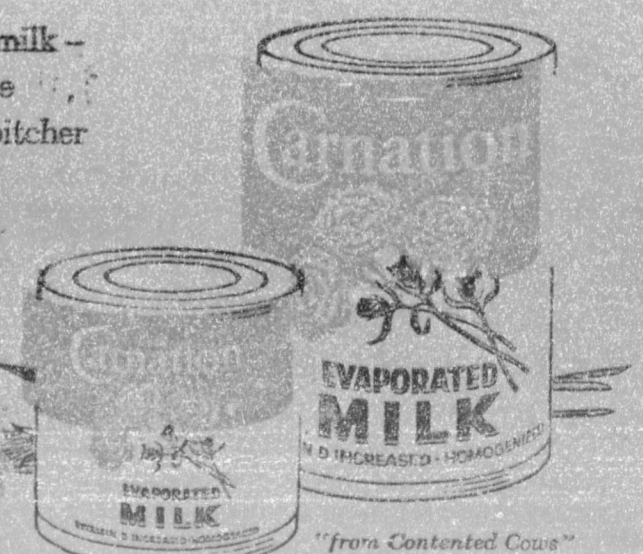
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200.00	3.00	2.00	219.20
250.00	3.00	2.00	274.20
300.00	3.00	2.00	329.20
350.00	3.00	2.00	384.20
400.00	3.00	2.00	439.20
450.00	3.00	2.00	494.20
500.00	3.00	2.00	549.20
550.00	3.00	2.00	604.20
600.00	3.00	2.00	659.20
650.00	3.00	2.00	714.20
700.00	3.00	2.00	769.20
750.00	3.00	2.00	824.20
800.00	3.00	2.00	879.20
850.00	3.00	2.00	934.20
900.00	3.00	2.00	989.20
950.00	3.00	2.00	1044.20
1,000.00	3.00	2.00	1,099.20
1,050.00	3.00	2.00	1,154.20
1,100.00	3.00	2.00	1,209.20
1,150.00	3.00	2.00	1,264.20
1,200.00	3.00	2.00	1,319.20
1,250.00	3.00	2.00	1,374.20
1,300.00	3.00	2.00	1,429.20
1,350.00	3.00	2.00	1,484.20
1,400.00	3.00	2.00	1,539.20
1,450.00	3.00	2.00	1,594.20
1,500.00	3.00	2.00	1,649.20
1,550.00	3.00	2.00	1,704.20
1,600.00	3.00	2.00	1,759.20
1,650.00	3.00	2.00	1,814.20
1,700.00	3.00	2.00	1,869.20
1,750.00	3.00	2.00	1,924.20
1,800.00	3.00	2.00	1,979.20
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