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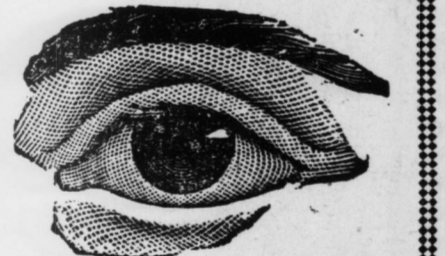
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His next visit to Pittsboro will be on Tuesday, June 22.  
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**DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS**

**SUCCESSFUL YEAR HAD BY BAPTISTS**

Convention at Houston Heard Many Gratifying Reports on Work. Evolution Denounced.

**\$9,000,000 GOAL IS SET**

This Objective for Missions and Benevolences to Be Sought By Co-operative Program Commission for 1927.

Following an unusually good record in the work of the local churches and large achievements on the mission fields, there has just been held at Houston, Texas, one of the most successful sessions of the Southern Baptist Convention in recent years. The session was marked by unusual unity, definiteness of purpose and determination to carry forward the work of the Co-operative Program.



**DR. GEO. W. McDANIEL**  
President Southern Baptist Convention.

Following the re-election of Dr. George W. McDaniel, Richmond, Va., as president, he sounded in his inaugural address a conviction on the theory of evolution that was promptly and unanimously adopted by the Convention as its own sentiment. Dr. McDaniel said:

"I am happy to believe that this Convention accepts Genesis as teaching that man was the special creation of God and rejects every theory, evolution or other, which teaches that man originated in, or came by way of, a lower animal ancestry."

With the evolution question disposed of, the Convention was able to proceed with a consideration of its great missionary and benevolent enterprises.

Here are some of the outstanding developments of the Convention:

**GOAL OF \$9,000,000 SET UP**

1. In the hope of enabling the mission boards and other agencies of the Convention to take care of their indebtedness gradually without having to too greatly curtail their present work, an objective of \$9,000,000 for missions, education and benevolences was set up for 1927, on recommendation of the Co-operative Program Commission. This money will be applied to foreign, home and state missions, Baptist schools, orphanages and hospitals and ministerial relief, thus taking care of both the state and Southwide Baptist work. It is hoped the Southwide portion of the budget will amount to at least \$4,000,000.

2. An effort will be made to enlist 500,000 tithers during the next year.

3. The Foreign Mission Board reported 13,269 baptisms on its fields during the year, a gain of about 1,000 over the previous year. The board has 1,215 churches on the foreign fields with 140,483 members, 3,247 out-stations where preaching services are held from time to time, and 528 missionaries and 2,644 native Christian workers employed in 17 countries.

4. Among the results for the year reported by the Home Mission Board were 833 missionaries employed, 19,744 baptisms, 35,226 additions to the churches, 100 new churches and 458 Sunday schools organized, and 402 church houses built or improved.

**RENOMINATION GREW DURING YEAR**

5. The Sunday School Board reported total business receipts for the year of \$1,710,471. Of this amount \$380,344 was put back into the general work of the denomination. A total of 89,088 awards in teacher training were made, 408 churches were aided by the Architectural Department in drawing plans for new houses of worship, the number of standard Sunday schools reached 546.

With the gains for the past year the main figures of the denomination are now given by the statistical secretary of the Convention as follows: 26,467 churches, 19,908 ordained ministers, 3,649,330 church members, 21,760 Sunday schools with 2,681,828 pupils, 20,965 church houses, 3,197 pastors' homes, \$165,909,278 invested in local church property \$30,771,574 contributed to local church objects, \$8,255,435 to missions and benevolences and \$39,027,099 to all purposes during the past year.

The time is now ripe for a distinct Baptist advance all along the line and especially in a support of the great missionary and benevolent enterprises fostered by the Co-operative Program, the Convention leaders believe.



**BUGS AND HUMBUGS**

BUREAU OF HEALTH EDUCATION, N. C. STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

**HAY FEVER**

SOME persons are very sensitive to the sting of the bee, others scarcely notice it at all. An instance is recalled of a perfectly healthy child who on one occasion was stung on the finger by a bee and within a few minutes was completely prostrate. Both eyes were swollen shut and the entire body greatly disfigured. The heart action and respiration were greatly disturbed and the child appeared dangerously ill. There were at the home of the child many colonies of bees and the child was frequently stung and always with marked reaction, but only this one time was it so severe.

That child possessed a peculiar sensitiveness to the protein injected by the bee when stinging. The father of that child felt a bee sting like the prick of a pin, but the place could scarcely be found a few minutes later. The father was immune to that kind of foreign protein.

In exactly the same way, many people are hypersensitive to various foreign proteins. When grasses and plants blossom they give off pollens which act as foreign proteins to which some people are peculiarly susceptible. When these pollens in the air get onto the mucous membranes of eyes, nose and throat of susceptible persons they set up violent reactions. The irritating substance causes reddening of the conjunctiva, and swelling of the tear ducts. There is increased secretion of tears which cannot drain off through the swollen shut tear ducts and hence the eyes "water". In the mucous membrane of nose and throat there is the same condition. In an effort to expel the irritant there is much sneezing. When the nasal passages become so swollen that it is hard to breathe through the nose, the patient begins breathing through the mouth. If the patient still remains in a polluted atmosphere then these irritating pollens are inhaled directly into the lungs where the bronchi and bronchioles become congested so that breathing is difficult. This stage is called asthma.

The entire body is equally sensitive except where the outer protective layer of the epidermis prevents the absorption of these pollens. If this protective layer of epidermis is broken by a slight pin scratch and the offending pollen applied to the scratch there will result a red and swollen wheal. By utilizing this point the physician is enabled to use test pollens on scratches in the skin and thus determine the exact pollen or pollens which cause the individual damage. In many cases frequently repeated small injections of an extract of the offending pollen will finally produce in the individual a degree of relative immunity.

Many things other than plant pollens cause hay fever and asthma. Dander of horses, dogs, cats, feathers and many foods cause severe reactions in some people.

**The Disappearing Party Line Chapel Hill Weekly.**

President Coolidge's speech at Williamsburg is one more bit of evidence of the absence of any real line of cleavage, in principles and policies, between the Republican and Democratic parties. Here a Republican President, championing the good old Democratic doctrine of states' rights, was interrupted by Virginia audience. Everywhere rounds of applause from his we find one party embracing some tenet, or so-called principle, of the other, or surrendering one of its own. North Carolina is Democratic—yet everybody who knows anything about sentiment in North Carolina knows that the most influential interest in the state, the textile interest, would well nigh die of fright if it thought there was any danger of a low tariff such as Democratic platforms demand. And the Democratic states of the South threw Jeffersonianism over with the utmost indifference when they supported national prohibition. In the Greensboro News R. R. Clark observes, sagely, that the opposition to centralized government quickly disappears when we decide state autonomy stands in the way of our getting what we want. "The principle is ignored," he says; "the

object aimed at overshadows all objection." With the presidential nominating conventions two years off the Democratic party leaders are still frantically searching for an issue—and they find that every one they pick up either dribbles away like water or burns like a hot poker. Perhaps the Republicans, too, have no great issue. But they don't need one. They bank on "Let well enough alone." This may not be an inspiring battle-cry, but it has a powerful appeal, in times of peace and quiet, to the vast majority of voters—to the millions of the specimen that Mencken Calls the homo boobiens.

**The BULL'S EYE**



**The Farmer Can't Stand Much More Help Like He Has Been Getting**

Congress say they are helping the Farmer. They are in Washington ON salary. He is home trying to pay it.

Farmers have had more advice and less relief than a wayward son. If advice sold for 10c a column, Farmers would be richer than Bootleggers.

And when they get all through advising, there is just one thing will help the Farmers. That is eliminate some of the middlemen and let the two ends meet. The Consumer and the Producer are two men in America that have never even seen each other. Cut out the middle and tie the two ends together.

When a steer starts from the feed pen to the table, there is about 10 to take a bite out of him, before he reaches the family that pay for him.

Who wears the best clothes or drives the best car, the fellow who raises a bushel of wheat, or the working fellow who goes up to buy a sack of flour? Why neither one of them. The ones in between these two have their private Tailor and "Straight Eight's."

The Government just told Agriculture, "You are in a hole." They didn't offer to pull them out, but they did say, "We will get down in there with you."

I want to tell you right here, I don't know what would have happened to the poor farmer if it had not been for his old friend, "Bull" Durham. It's the only thing he has been absolutely able to rely on. And I want him to know that myself and "Bull" Durham are with him right to the poor house door.

*Will Rogers*  
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STATEMENT  
AMERICAN RESERVE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY  
CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 1925, AS SHOWN BY STATEMENT FILED

	DOLLARS
Amount of Capital paid in cash,	400,000.00
Amount Ledger Assets Dec. 31st previous year, \$3,265,114.62;	
Increase paid-up capital, None; Total,	3,265,114.62
Income—From Policyholders, \$1,420,719.54;	
Miscellaneous, \$255,989.55, Total,	1,676,709.09
Disbursements—To Policyholders, \$1,464,660.10;	
Miscellaneous, \$676,347.92, Total,	2,141,008.02
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, \$820,718,167.00	787,490,007.00
In force,	
All Other Risks—Written or renewed during year, \$116,126,307.00,	111,538,823.00
In force,	
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Value of Bonds and Stocks,	2,370,158.17
Cash in Company's Office,	200.00
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest,	15,894.61
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest,	321,697.53
Company balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1925,	92,865.38
Interest and Rents due and accrued,	29,526.27
Market Value (not including interest) of bonds and stocks over book value,	215,122.33
Total,	3,045,464.29
Less Assets not admitted,	None
Total admitted Assets,	3,045,464.29
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims,	215,895.00
Unearned premiums,	1,392,582.52
Estimated amount payable for Federal, State, County and Municipal taxes due or accrued,	1,250.00
Special Loss Reserve,	95,000.00
Balance under Excess Treaty if premium (In litigation) uncollectible,	108,499.59
All other liabilities, as detailed in statement,	6,782.00
Total amount of all Liabilities except Capital,	1,819,509.11
Capital actually paid up in cash, \$400,000.00	
Surplus over all liabilities, \$825,955.18	1,225,955.18
Surplus as regards Policyholders	3,045,464.29
<b>BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING 1925</b>	
Fire Risks written, \$418,074.00; Premiums received,	11,611.46
All other Risks written, \$-133,473.00; Premiums received,	-144.83
Losses incurred—Fire, \$5,805.56. Paid,	9,198.56
Losses incurred—All other, \$85.11; Paid,	71.11
President, T. B. Boss	Secretary, A. T. Tambllyn
Treasurer, B. M. Carvalho	
Home Office, 84 William Street, New York City, N. Y.	
Attorney for service: STACEY W. WADE, Ins. Com., Raleigh, N. C.	
Manager for North Carolina Home Office, New York City.	
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,	
(Seal)	Raleigh, May 25th, 1926
I, STACEY W. WADE, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the American Reserve Fire Insurance Company, of New York City, New York, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company, on the 31st day of December, 1925.	
Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year above written.	
STACEY W. WADE, Insurance Commissioner.	