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WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA

The 62nd annual convention of the North Carolina Press Association met in Banners Elk on Wednesday, July 11th. And right here we want to say that some one in authority should settle the question of the name of the town where the editors met. Practically every newspaper we have seen, including our good and efficient secretary, Miss Cobb, says it is Banner Elk; while the sign boards along the way, and even after you get inside the city limits, are about fifty-fifty as to whether it is Banner Elk, or Banners Elk. The post office guide says it is Banners Elk.

The convention was entertained at Pinnacle Inn, a part of the plan under supervision of Mr. Edgar H. Tufts. Here is a junior college for boys and girls, an orphanage, and a most complete hospital which serves this great western country. Before the days of good roads Banners Elk was almost isolated, in fact it took days and days to get there from any point East of Greensboro, but with the coming of good roads now one can make it in a days journey from almost any point in the State. A more beautiful place could not have been found for the meeting, and the entertainment was all that could have been asked for; rates reasonable, table supplied with the best home grown edibles, and service equal to the best. Owing to the location a large attendance was not expected, but to the surprise of every one, it was the best attended meeting since the one at Cleveland Springs many years ago. The editors were there from Manteo to Murphy, and it was, in our opinion, the best meeting we ever had; the addresses were of the highest order, and no shop talk was indulged in. If the editors had any troubles they kept them strictly to themselves. All of the addresses were good, but three were outstanding, namely, Senator Robert R. Reynolds, who discussed the actions of the late Congress, ably upholding the President; Judge J. J. Parker, who discussed the proposed State Constitution, and Dr. John Dickinson, Assistant Secretary U. S. Department of Commerce. You might attend many conventions but you would hardly hear more interesting addresses than the three above referred to. We wish every voter in the State could have heard Judge Parker, or could have the pleasure of reading his address; if such was possible we honestly believe the people of the State would vote overwhelmingly in favor of the proposed changes in the constitution. Mr. Dickinson's address was a reply to some of the criticisms made by Judge Davis against the NRA. It was an able and instructive address and those who were standing behind our President felt surely they had made no mistakes in taking their stand.

About the only thing which marred the pleasure of the meeting was the absence of Roy Parker, president of the association; he has been quite ill for several months and is now resting near Asheville; his condition is very much improved and it is

hoped he will be in condition to return home early in the fall; Mr. Carl Council, of Durham, presided and was happy in his new task. On Friday morning Mr. D. Hiden Ramsey of Asheville was elected president; Mr. Britt of Clinton was elected vice-president, and of course Miss Beatrice Cobb of Morganton was re-elected for the fourteenth time secretary and treasurer.

It was a great meeting and contrary to the usual gathering of editors, not a single prospective political candidate—save Carl Goerch—was on hand. We account for this from the fact that it was generally admitted the attendance would be small.

After taking this trip we wonder why so many of our folks will insist on going to California, or other far away places when we have within a couple of hundred miles, an easy five hours drive, such scenery as defies the pen for description. We went by way of Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Wilkesboro, Boone, Valle Crucis and Banners Elk. Returning we branched off at Boone and took in Jefferson, Sparta, Roaring Gap and then into Winston-Salem. One of the most restful and delightful little towns we visited was Sparta; here you will find a new and modern court house, with many handsome new homes, and it looked like every home in the town had just been painted; in fact we just wanted to spend a week here resting and enjoying life in its fullest. However, it was at Sparta where we missed one of our much anticipated pleasures, we missed seeing that grand old man Hon. R. A. Doughton; he was attending court in Jefferson.

We really enjoyed almost every hour of the trip; we say almost every hour. We forgot that we were not so young as we once were, and on Thursday afternoon joined a party to drive out and see a recently discovered water falls; Mr. Tufts told us it was about fourteen miles and that we could drive to within about a mile of the falls, and that the walking was very good. Well, about eight miles of the way was paved and all right, but the next four miles were over a mountain farm road—not a state or county road, just an ordinary farm road—and if you have ever tried a couple of miles of such road we need not say more; if you have never experienced this pleasure, then permit us to say you do not know how tight you can hold on to the straps of your auto. But we managed to stay inside of our car, and the real trouble came after we left the car at the river and started to walk that MILE. It may have been only a mountain mile, but honestly we thought it was almost as far as from here to Durham, candidly we know we would not have been near as completely all in, but having started we were ashamed to turn back, and continued with the crowd. But believe us, the next time we go to see these falls we are going to be able to ride in some way to the top.

In planning your summer trip be sure to include a day or so at Pinnacle Inn, Banners Elk, and we believe you will thank us for the advice.

When Senator Robert R. Reynolds stepped out in front of the editors at the late session he told them he was going to do something which they thought was impossible, and that was, he was going to be serious, and he was. Not a joke did he tell, nor was there any stage actions, but his address was serious from beginning to end. He lauded the actions of the President and predicted that everything was going to work out right. It was a really good speech, and was enjoyed by every one present.

We have traveled from Manteo to Murphey and had a view of almost every mountain peak in the State, but we do not believe there is a more beautiful view than that around Roaring Gap; it beggars description, and while it is less than 125 miles from here we doubt if a dozen citizens of the town have seen it. Many

of our people spend a day at Natural Bridge and other places of note, but have never visited Roaring Gap. It is an easy one-day trip and is well worthwhile. On top of the mountain you find Greystone Inn, which is run by the same management as that at Pinehurst, and it is a beautiful place. We stopped here on our return home last week for five minutes.

The way, the sisters are going after that National committeewoman job you would think it carried a million per. They probably figure that it was largely responsible for the good job now held by Mrs. Palmer Jerman.

IN MEMORY

On Thursday night, July 12, 1934, at 11:30 o'clock God visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grinstead and took from them their darling baby and our darling little niece and grand-daughter. As the year was slowly passing away the chariot of the Heavenly King took our little niece and their loving baby and grand-daughter away from them who loved her so dearly here on earth. With lamps trimmed and burning staffs had she stepped in and was borne away to God's home where all of God's children have ample room and to begin her new year in glory with Jesus and loved ones.

It was so hard for her father, mother, little sisters, uncles, aunts, grandmother and grandfathers to give such a sweet little bud here on earth to bloom in heaven where we hope we all will live to meet her in heaven, for we know she is there sweetly resting in the arms of Jesus.

All was done for Neldean that could be done but nothing could not keep her away from the Lord Jesus Christ for she was prepared to go.

When the light went out it was dark but did not remain dark long; for angels had borne the light heavenward and placed her among the stars to shine forever in his presence and to reflect earthward to guide her loved ones. Surely the gates of that beautiful city were wide open and gave her welcome when she entered in. We are sure that our loss is her eternal gain, and that she is much happier tonight than we are. It is no more home now for there is no more sunny smiles to greet and welcome us, as in the days when she was there.

She suffered greatly, so on that July even Jesus said, "Weary child, come home." While our hearts have been sad with sense of loss we know she is in the joys of her Lord and what a heritage she has left us, the rich memory of sweet smiling face and happy sunny disposition which will be ours through higher living and thoughtfulness in every task.

Neldean's stay on earth was short, only fifteen months, but we had to give her up. She had the measles several weeks ago and was recovering nicely until about two weeks ago she was taken sick and she kept getting worse and worse. What caused her death was stomach trouble and other complications.

We can't feel that she is dead, but sleeping in the arms of the Almighty God. Jesus said "Suffer little children and come unto me for I will give you rest." She is dead in our sight, to never see her in a body of flesh any more, but living with him in whom all is well.

Neldean was just getting large enough to begin to stand alone and to wave her sweet little hand. Oh! how we all will miss her, never to see her sweet smiles on this earth again but hope to see her in heaven where there will be no more suffering and no more pains. How we will miss the touch of her hands and not hearing her name called, it is called up yonder for God cannot miss her for she is with God to complete the holy band.

There is a rest for the people of God. Jesus said, "I will not leave you comfortless, I will come to you." That is a sweet thought to the people of God. I feel like this great King of Kings and Lord of Lords will never leave his humble poor.

I believe he is always near his sheep and he hears all their bitter crying and he comes and speaks peace into their souls and then they are lifted up on the eagle wings of his love.

Our darling leaves to mourn her departure a mother, Viola Allison Grinstead, a father, Albert Grinstead, and three sisters, Jennie Lee, Lottie Love and Evelyn Beam, all of Roxboro, R. 3, a grandmother, two grandparents, and her devoted aunts and uncles.

We feel sad, our hearts are heavy. We miss the dear little face so much. We grieve together and together his God's will for he is too good to be unjust and too wise to make mistakes. It is hard to realize how one so young should be taken away from her father and mother so quickly. Funeral services were conducted by Elder J. A. Herndon of Durham. Neldean was laid to rest in the Wheeler's cemetery beneath a beautiful mound of flowers. The pall bearers were her uncles. Floral bearers were her first cousins. Written by her aunt.

Church News

N. Roxboro B. Y. P. U.

Program for Senior group for Sunday, July 22nd. Christian Lighthouses on other shores. 1st topic, Miss Myrtle Walker. 2nd topic, Billy Lambeth. 3rd topic, Zora Beaver. 4th topic, Bradsher Carver. 5th topic, Odell Owens. We extend to you one and all a cordial welcome. Estelle Cole, group leader No. 2

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERV'S

9:45 A. M. Sunday School. 11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. 6:45 P. M. Young People's League. 8:00 P. M. Union service at the Baptist Church.

UNION SERVICE AT 1ST BAP. CHURCH

The Sunday night union service will be held on the coming Sunday night, July 22nd, at the First Baptist Church, Mr. Hamilton, pastor at the Presbyterian Church, will preach.

Mr. Herbert in Revival

Rev. J. F. Herbert is preaching at eleven o'clock and 1:45 each day this week at Mt. Zion Methodist Church on the Helena Circuit. Mr. Herbert will be in Roxboro on Sunday for the regular services.

Revival Services High View Baptist Church

You are invited to attend the revival now in progress at High View. Rev. C. E. Sullivan the pastor, is doing the preaching. Special music every night under the direction of Miss Ethel Clayton and Mrs. C. E. Sullivan, pianist. Come and enjoy these services. You are welcome.

Person Circuit News

The revival meeting at Oak Grove will begin Sunday, July 22, with preaching services at 11:00 A. M. by the pastor, followed by communion services. The only service Monday will be at 5:00 P. M. Beginning Tuesday there will be two services each afternoon at 4:00 and 5:00 o'clock throughout the week. E. B. Craven, Pastor.

1ST BAP. CHURCH

The highest worship is Like unto God to grow, Christlike to be in life. In habit, and love's glow. —Angelus Silesius.

Bible school 9:45 A. M. Dr. H. M. Beam, General Superintendent. Preaching 11:00 A. M. Subject: "Can the Gospel of Jesus Christ Survive the Rising Tide of Humanism, Communism and Nationalism?" B. Y. P. U.'s 7:00 P. M. Miss Lorena Wade, General Director.

Union Services 8:00 P. M. Rev. T. H. Hamilton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church will bring the message at the Baptist Church. The union services are worth while and those who fail to attend miss much. A cordial welcome is extended to all. W. F. West, Pastor.

Edgar Long Memorial

Services for Sunday, July 22nd: Sunday school at 9:45, W. A. Sergeant, general supt. Preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor.

UNION LABOR TAKES FIRST STEP IN SETTLEMENT OF BIG STRIKE

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labor council's committee on the general strike proposal. They struck when the committee recommended such action:

Could Be Evaded. The assumption was that the general strike could be ended through similar recommendations.

The future of the situation was believed to revolve around the test of strength between the conservative and the left wing elements in the labor movement here.

When the labor unions of the city voted to follow recommendations of the general strike proposal, in effect they gave the labor council's committee their proxy. The strike became a fact when the committee exercised the proxy by voting to recommend a strike.

Conservative unions were expected to look at recommendations for ending the strike in the same way. Left wing groups, however, apparently were prepared to oppose an end of the strike and base their opposition on two main grounds:

First, that the maritime unions have nothing to arbitrate.

Second, that the agreement to follow the lead of the labor council had to do with calling the strike and did not necessarily apply to its

TOBACCO ACREAGE TO BE MEASURED SOON

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will make note of the measurements, and these will be checked in the County Agent's office, and again in Raleigh and in Washington.

If any contract signer has planted more than his allotted acres in tobacco, he will be given an opportunity to plow up the extra hills. If he does not care to plow up his tobacco, he can use his own discretion in giving up his contract, returning the rental payment which he has received, and selling his crop under the 25% tax.

If the tobacco land cannot be measured until after the crop is harvested, and it is then found that the acreage has been more than that allotted by the government, then the owner will be required to destroy a proportionate share of each curing of tobacco.

No marketing card can be issued to any landlord for selling his tobacco crop until all his tobacco acreage and rented acres have been measured and certified to the Secretary.

No matter how busy a contract signer may be when the supervisor visits his farm, it will be very much worth while for him to assign some one to assist in the measurement and help to get this job done in the shortest time possible. There are only eight or ten weeks until the markets open. These acres must be measured, the figures checked and certified at Washington, the marketing cards filled out in Washington and sent to the farmers before they can sell a load of tobacco.

The Supervisors go to the farms as friends to assist the contract signers. The government has measured the cotton, corn, and wheat lands. Tobacco lands are no exception. The measuring must be done accurately, and it must be done quickly if we are to get our marketing cards on time.

Non-Contract Forms Soon Ready. Applications by non-contracting growers for allotments of tax-payment warrants must be made upon forms provided by the Agriculture Adjustment Administration.

These forms will be issued to those growers who for one reason or another are not eligible to sign the regular contracts.

Who May File Applications. All applications shall be filed by the landowner, except in the following cases:

1. Where the farm is rented to a tenant who pays cash rent or a fixed amount of the crop as rent (standing rent), the tenant may file an application.

2. Where the farm is operated by one or more share-tenants or share-croppers, and the owner or cash tenant or standing rent tenant is ineligible to make application or refuses to make application, in any of which events each share-tenant or share-cropper may file a separate application covering his share of the tobacco which he produces.

3. Where a share-tenant who has one or more other share-tenants or share-croppers (sub-tenants) is ineligible to make application, or refused to make application, each sub-tenant may file a separate application covering his share of the tobacco which he produces.

May Be Signed Until July 25th. All tobacco farmers who have not already signed tobacco contracts should apply immediately to the office of the County Agent and fill out the necessary forms and get their contracts in line before July 25th.

Growers who had not signed tobacco production adjustment contracts prior to June 28th, 1934, may sign such contracts, applicable to the kind of tobacco grown by them, provided:

1. That such contracts are submitted to the county office not later than July 28th, 1934, and provided further

2. That the growers meet the same requirements as were met by growers who signed contracts during the regular sign-up campaign. If more tobacco has been planted on the farm than the amount permitted under the terms of the contract and Administrative Ruling No. 23, and if the tobacco has not been harvested, the grower will be required to destroy the excess acreage of tobacco. If the tobacco has been harvested, the grower will be required to destroy such proportionate part of the tobacco as would have been destroyed by plowing up the excess acreage of tobacco. Growers who sign contracts and submit proof of performance thereunder are entitled to all the payments provided for in the contract.

ADVERTISE IN THE COURIER

BLACK-DRAUGHT

"Such a Good Laxative," Says Nurse. Writing from her home in Festus, Mo., Mrs. Anna LaPlante says: "I am a practical nurse and I recommend to some of my patients that they take Black-Draught, for it is such a good laxative. I took it for constipation, headache and a dull feeling that I had so much. A few doses of Black-Draught—and I felt just fine." Because so many people know from having used it that Thorford's Black-Draught is a good, purely vegetable laxative, millions of packages of it are sold every year.

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FAMILY REUNION. On July 8th, at about ten o'clock the children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grand-sons-in-law, grand-daughters-in-law, and some friends of the family of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Young assembled at the home of their son E. M. Young for a reunion. It was decided that because of the excessively high temperature the home of the latter would be an ideal place for the meeting. The oak trees in the yard spread their state-lying branches as if they had been growing these many years just for this occasion; they seemed to express an unspeakable joy as their foliage rustled awhile and then formed such a network as to shut out the sun's rays from the eighty-five mouths gathered around a long table filled with delicacies in abundance. God, in his infinite love, has graced the union of this elderly couple in giving them nine children, all of whom are living. Despite the fact that mother and father will have been married fifty-three years next November and reared nine children, in all this time they have not spent as much as fifty dollars for medicine for them. There are forty-five living grand-children and five dead, and five great-grandchildren living. After lunch and while the ladies were clearing away the dishes, several quartette numbers were arranged and later sung by the following men: E. M., Richard, H. D. and J. H. Young. RETURNS HOME. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pearce and daughter, Virginia, who have been visiting relatives and friends in the county for the past ten days, left here today for their home in Richmond, Va. On their return trip they will visit in Mullins, S. C., and other places. They were accompanied home by Miss Hazel Brooks. Warm your pie plates on top of the oven before putting the crust in to bake. This will prevent a soggy crust. Brittle Nails. An excellent remedy for brittle finger nails is to rub olive oil into the finger tips every night. Whipping Cream. When cream refuses to whip, add a little salt and it will whip readily and be fluffy. This does not take away the taste of the cream.

Carl Winstead CASH AND CARRY SPECIALS FOR WEEK END: A full line of Beech Nut Products, with a free demonstration Friday-Saturday. Flour, plain or self-rising, bbl \$6.50. Sugar, per lb. 5 1/2c 100 lbs 5.25. Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen .15. Cooking Apples, per peck .30. Beech Nut Coffee, per lb. .32. Beech Nut Tomato Juice Cocktail, 1 pint .18. fresh mayonnaise in 90 seconds! Quick mayonnaise maker and can of Wesson Oil. AN 85c VALUE BOTH FOR 49c. Includes image of a mayonnaise maker.