

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION

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President of the union, at 10:30. Mr. Candler read a telegram from Mr. C. Dawson of Tuscaloosa, Ala., stating that he would be in the city the afternoon.

There was a chorus of fifty voices on the stage led by M. B. Millikan, and the entire audience joined heartily in the singing throughout the morning.

Dr. Rose of Mississippi read the 33rd Psalm and delivered the opening prayer for the extension of the Kingdom of heaven upon the earth.

In the absence of President Dawson and the two speakers on the program, C. Tyree of North Carolina and W. C. Myers of Maryland. Mr. Candler after a few remarks introduced H. H. Chapman, president of the B. P. U. of America.

Dr. Chapman said in part, "I wish to speak of the B. Y. P. U. of America. I believe in union, I believe that America there will be a union of all the civilized nations of the earth into the great Christian nation."

Young people are the hope of every generation. The best men in the past were middle-aged men. Young people are to be the kings of the future, the crowns of success are awaiting you, get ready for the honors awaiting you."

The speaker touched upon the magnificent work done by the B. Y. P. U. among the youth of both sexes throughout the country. Here are America, with all her races and people, to speak all tongues are gathered, we are to speak the truth.

Our responsibility is great, especially in the large cities. We should act according to the instructions of the Lord who said, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

At the conclusion of Dr. Chapman's address Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne was introduced and spoke briefly. He said in part: "I rejoice exceedingly at the growth of this union and the fact that it is working so smoothly with the material organization. There is a pivotal point in the life of every man and woman. There comes a day, an hour, in which they have to determine what they are to be, at that time they are to do in this world."

There came such a time to Moses when he decided to identify himself with the despised people of God and he stands before us today one of the most noble figures in history.

This critical point comes to every man. We do not always choose to decide wisely what we are to do in this world.

A girl sees the beautiful, the aesthetic in nature and desires to paint impressions upon canvases but after she has labored and studied she grows weary, she tires and faints and finally renders her ambition. Now that she does not choose to be an artist.

A boy listens to an eloquent orator wishes to become a great speaker, after studying awhile gives up. The boy did not choose to become an actor, he merely wished it. Any weakling, any baby can wish to do anything, but it takes a man, strong and determined of purpose, to choose a career. Now I beg of you not to make a choice of the enthusiasm aroused in you by this occasion.

Go forth from this meeting, go back to your homes, your states, your churches and transmit it to your neighbors and your friends. Let this spirit be in your heart and in your presence."

The next speaker was Dr. E. P. Ripley, president of Georgetown college. His remarks were brief and pointed. He stated that he felt a decided anxiety in speaking after listening to Dr. Hawthorne but that if there was a time for him to speak it was after Dr. Hawthorne had finished.

During his address he said: "I believe to a crowd who have more truth than we and do less with it than any people under the sun. I am a Baptist. There are three-fifths of the Baptists in the world within the territory represented by the delegates of this convention."

Dr. Ripley spoke of the great work accomplished in the past by the union and the splendid opportunities open in the future.

Dr. Flippo of Pennsylvania was the next speaker of the meeting. He was greeted by the B. Y. P. U. of Pennsylvania. I am proud to know that I organized the B. Y. P. U. in the south at Roanoke, Va.

I am a Baptist and am like Dr. Ripley of New York, who once said: "When I get to heaven I will say I was a Presbyterian." I am just what I want except I spell it with a B.

I want to state that during the past year the churches that have had the greatest growth were the churches in which the young people were the most active. Dr. Flippo, who is the manager of the American Baptist Publishing Society of Philadelphia, closed his remarks by extending a cordial invitation to the present to visit that city.

Dr. H. Tucker then announced that delegates to the Baptist convention will be admitted to the Biltmore estate on the afternoons of Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday, by tickets to be placed at the auditorium office.

He further stated that the railroad will run excursions to Hot Springs and other nearby points of interest that more exact information in regard to this would be given out later.

Dr. Candler then announced the following committees to nominate members of the board of managers and the executive committee: D. B. Gray of Kentucky, H. C. Rosamund of Mississippi, H. C. Trolle of Kentucky.

The committee on enrollment is E. T. Henry of Georgia, O. M. Henry of Kentucky and J. A. Lee of Louisiana.

THE BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY'S FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Baptist Educational Society convened at the auditorium yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and although the attendance was rather slim at the beginning a large audience had gathered before the close.

The meeting was opened by Corresponding Secretary H. L. Moorhouse, president F. W. Boatright being delayed by late trains. The opening prayer was made by Dr. James B. Taylor of Richmond. President Pollack of Mercer college was elected president pro tem.

The fourteenth annual report of the society was read and formally adopted. The report of the treasurer, E. V. Cary, was also read and adopted.

The following is the treasurer's report: American Baptist Educational Society, in account with Edward V. Cary,

IN MIDST OF DENSE FOG TRAINS COLLIDE

Two People Killed in Fear-Crash.

SEVEN OTHERS ARE INJURED

Accident Occurred on the Union Pacific at a Crossing in North Topeka, and Was Due to Signal Lights Being Obscured by Heavy Fog.

Topeka, Kan., May 8.—During the heavy fog this morning an eastbound extra freight train on the Union Pacific ran into the regular eastbound freight train at a crossing in North Topeka, causing a bad wreck and killing two men and injuring seven others.

The dead: Al McCandless, stockman, Natoma, Kan. Unidentified stockman from Luray, Kan.

The injured: H. W. Kucker, Miles, Kan.; head badly cut. J. E. Fields, Hoxie, Kan., badly bruised.

John Buzzard, Belleview, Kan., bruised. John Hammerland, St. Marys, Kan., leg cut.

Ed Arnold, Chapman, Kan.; internally injured. Joseph Hearst, Cheyenne, internally injured.

Ford, head cut. The regular train had stopped at the crossing as usual. Just as the train was starting up the extra, coming at the rate of 40 miles an hour, struck the caboose, splitting it completely in two. Three cars on the extra train were badly broken.

The engine was derailed. Engineer Zimmerman, of the extra, says he did not see any of the lights on the regular train on account of the fog. None of the trainmen were injured. All the injured are stockmen, who were going east on the extra with cattle.

RUMORED RAILROAD CHANGE. Movement to Combine Interests of L. & N. and C. I. & L. Roads.

New York, May 8.—Notwithstanding denials that have been made that there is a movement on foot to combine the interests of the Louisville and Nashville and the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville railroads, The Herald declares that, from a source of high authority, it has learned negotiations for the consolidation of these roads are pending and that a definite statement of the detailed plan will be forthcoming at no distant date.

President McDoel, of the Monon, who denied on Monday that his road would be controlled by the Louisville and Nashville, at the same time admitted that it would be for the mutual benefit of both roads if they were operated in harmony.

Under such an arrangement the Louisville and Nashville would have a direct inlet to Chicago and a new system, with almost a direct line from Lake Michigan to the Gulf of Mexico would be established, with about 5,700 miles of track.

PROFITS OF OVER \$1,700,000. Report of Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway Company.

New York, May 8.—The report of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company for the year ending Dec. 31, was made public today. It placed the mining and manufacturing profits at \$1,840,105; other incomes of \$85,533 made the total income \$1,725,038.

After payment of \$19,864 in dividends, \$862,189 for interest, \$359,234 for royalties, \$151,094 for reserve and charging of \$49,477 for depreciation, there remained a balance of \$243,809.

There was expended during the year for new construction: At Ensley steel works, \$636,405; at Pratt works, \$46,377; Bessemer rolling mills, \$12,670; and at other plants \$54,209.

The company's capital stock consisted of \$22,552,800 common and \$248,300 preferred.

British Relief Besieged Town. London, May 8.—The town of O'okiep, Western Cape Colony, which had been besieged since April 4 by a Transvaal force under Commandant Smuts, has been relieved by a British force under Colonel Cooper.

The garison was in good health and only a few of the troops were wounded. The Boers retired south. Lord Kitchener, in reporting the relief of O'okiep adds that the Concordia district, in about the same part of Cape Colony, is clear of Boers.

Reports of Rioting in Warsaw Denied. Vienna, May 8.—There is no truth in the report published by a news agency in the United States yesterday that a demonstration in favor of the re-establishment of the Kingdom of Poland, occurred at Warsaw Tuesday.

That the demonstrators were charged by Cossacks, who rode over the people, flogging them with knouts, that six persons were killed and 225 injured, and that over 800 people were arrested, including children under 10 years of age.

Gazette "wants" one cent a word.

NEGROES FIGHT FOR SUFFRAGE. Alabama Constitution is Attacked Before State Supreme Court.

Montgomery, Ala., May 8.—Willford H. Smith, of New York, the first and only negro who ever appeared before the supreme court of Alabama, has filed in that court a petition for a mandamus compelling the Montgomery county board of registrars to register a negro named Jackson W. Giles and all other negroes who are qualified. Giles makes the formal affidavit that he is qualified and was turned away by the registrars because he is a negro.

The petition is an attack on the constitutionality of both the grandfather and the understanding clauses, being mainly directed against the power of the registrars under the latter clause. It is declared that there are 75,000 negroes in the state qualified to register, practically all of whom are rejected. The permanent plan, which has neither of the above clauses, is argued to be unconstitutional because by the life list of voters the temporary is projected forward into the permanent scheme.

The petition not only asks a mandamus against the registrars, but that the whole suffrage article shall be declared null and void. It is supported by affidavits from a number of negroes in several counties, all of whom tell the same story.

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THE NEW CONCERN WILL DO BUSINESS IN BESSEMER, ALA.

Birmingham, Ala., May 8.—The American Pipe and Foundry company has filed articles of incorporation in the probate court. The capital stock is \$100,000 and the principal incorporators are W. J. Long, T. Y. Huffman and H. C. Mead. The principal place of business will be at Bessemer.

The new company proposes to make and sell iron pipe, hydrants, valves, car wheels, switch and all other foundry work. The company reserves the right to acquire coal and other mineral lands and to conduct commissaries.

Mr. Long was recently awarded the contract by the mayor and aldermen of Bessemer for the construction of 16 miles of sewer in that city at a cost of over \$40,000.

Discovery of Marl. Birmingham, Ala., May 8.—Announcement is made here that a discovery of marl and cement rock has been made on property in South Alabama belonging to the syndicate of which company T. G. Bush, of Birmingham, is the head. It is stated that extensive developments of this property will be undertaken in a very short while. They will include the mining of the crude material and the erection of plants to manufacture it into cement and terra cotta ware.

Jelks Makes Appointments. Montgomery, Ala., May 8.—Appointments have been announced by Governor Jelks as follows: Notaries public, James H. Johnston, Sumter, Sumter county; Joseph E. Acker, Ozark; justices of the peace, J. J. Edge, Tuskegee, beat 2, Macon county; J. C. Shepherd, Berry, beat 9, Fayette county; constables, Alto L. Fleming, Wesley, beat 11, Henry county; W. D. L. Atkinson, Opp, beat 3, Covington county.

To Move Convicts From Coalburg. Montgomery, Ala., May 8.—On the report of Dr. Bragg, state convict physician, Governor Jelks has decided not to grant the Sloss company further time to get the state convicts away from Coalburg. They will be at once removed. The county convicts will be allowed to remain for a few months longer until the new mines are ready for them.

POLICE CHIEFS IN SESSION. Ninth Annual Convention of United States and Canada.

Louisville, May 8.—The ninth annual convention of chiefs of police of the United States and Canada was called to order today by Mayor Chas. F. Granger. About 225 delegates are in attendance.

The chiefs were welcomed by the mayor and the response was made by President Sylvester. Harry O. Carr, the secretary and treasurer, made his report and President Sylvester read his annual address and report.

St. Louis and New Orleans are in the race for the next convention, Chief Jounice is making a hard fight for the latter city. The chiefs are apparently in the humor of electing Major Sylvester president and Chief Carr secretary and treasurer.

During the meeting the by-laws will be changed in order to make the organization an international association. This will admit members from every country instead of from the United States and Canada as at present.

Congress will be urged to pass the bill providing for the establishment of a Benthall system by the government, and recommendations will be made as to the members to serve on the board of control.

Numerous chiefs have also expressed themselves as favoring a secret code of communication to be used by the members of the association.

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Table with columns for No. 3, No. 4, Eastern Standard Time, STATIONS, Daily Expt. Sun., Daily Expt. Sun., Miles, and No. 3, No. 4. Stations listed include Hendersonville, Yala, Horse Shoe, Cannon, Etowah, Blentyre, Penrose, Davidson River, Brevard, Selkos, Cherryfield, Calvert, and Toxaway.

Effective Sunday, October 20, 1901. Trains on the Southern Railway arrive at Hendersonville as follows: No. 14, East Bound, 8:05 p. m. No. 10, East Bound, 3:53 p. m.

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Veteran Editor Passes Away. Denver, May 8.—John Shorten, editor of the Cripple Creek Herald and one of the best known newspaper men in Colorado, is dead. Mr. Shorten was 65 years old and was born in England. He saw service in the confederate army and was on board the Trent at the time of the capture of the confederate agents, Mason and Sildell.

To Rebuild Burned School. Dothan, Ala., May 8.—The contract for rebuilding the schoolhouse here which was burned last January has been let to R. A. Moody, of Birmingham. His bid was \$39,589.74. The building will be of brick and stone, two stories high and modern in every appointment. It is to be completed Oct. 1.

Bishop Confirms Eighty. Montgomery, Ala., May 8.—Bishop Edward P. All of the diocese of Mobile, confirmed the sacrament of confirmation to a class of 80 Sunday at St. Peter's Roman Catholic church. The confirmation of the large class was witnessed by a congregation that crowded the church building to the doors.

Bequeaths \$100,000 to Charity. Toledo, O., May 8.—The will of Miss A. C. Mott, who died a week ago and who was reputed to be the wealthiest woman in the city, has been filed for probate. She bequeaths about \$100,000 to the charitable institutions of the city, among them being \$5,000 to the Toledo Woman's Suffrage association. She leaves about \$7,000 to her servants.

Kansas Gives to McKinley Memorial. Topeka, Kan., May 8.—Governor Stanley has permitted \$3,270 to the secretary of the McKinley memorial fund. This is the amount raised by Kansas. The schools contributed \$2,165.

Gift for Battleship Alabama. Montgomery, Ala., May 8.—The commission to procure a silver service for the battleship Alabama today let the contract to Zahel, of Mobile, at \$3,000. It is hoped to have the ship at Mobile for presentation some time this summer.

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