

ELABORATE CEREMONIES

Great Baptist Tabernacle at Raleigh Again Open

Raleigh, Oct. 17.—After 12 months spent in remodeling and enlarging the building the church home of the Baptist Tabernacle here was formally reopened for service yesterday with elaborate ceremonies that included a sermon at 11 o'clock by Dr. J. W. Lynch, an address at 3 p. m. by ex-Gov. K. B. Glenn and a sermon at night by Dr. J. J. Hall, a former pastor of the congregation.

The work just completed involved the expenditure of \$25,000, thus making the property value of the church home fully \$60,000.

The sermons by the visiting ministers were particularly appropriate and the service in the afternoon, for which ex-Governor Glenn was the special speaker, was participated in by representatives of all the congregations of all denominations in the city. In the course of his address ex-Governor Glenn took occasion to extol in the highest terms the special work for the masses of the people that the Tabernacle church is doing, declaring that it is more nearly fulfilling the great commission of Christ in the special mission of churches than any other congregation of which he knows.

The enlarged church has a seating capacity of 3,000 in the combined auditorium and it is artistic as well as spacious. There are church parlors and all the special features needed for the most aggressive church work.

The Sunday school the largest and most noted in the country, has a membership of over 1,400. Mr. N. B. Broughton has been superintendent since its organization 22 years ago. As a tribute to his special work for the school the membership has provided a special memorial window in the main auditorium as a personal tribute to him. It is circular in shape, being in the choir loft. It is an excellent copy of Hoffman's "Christ and Rich Young Man," and is a pleasing work of art.

Rev. A. J. Moncrief, the present pastor, has served two years with marked success. The former pastors have been Rev. J. D. Huffman, D. D., Dr. W. R. Gwaltney, Dr. W. A. Nelson, Thomas Dixon, Jr., now famous as the author and playwright; Rev. J. J. Hall, Dr. A. M. Simms, Rev. W. D. Hubbard, Dr. J. C. Masse.

KAISER MADE AN L. L. D.

BERLIN UNIVERSITY ALSO HONORS DISTINGUISHED AMERICANS

Berlin, Oct. 14.—The University of Berlin, which is celebrating its 100th anniversary, has conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws on Emperor William. His Majesty was not present at the ceremony.

The university also conferred the following degrees upon Americans: Doctor of Laws, Justice Oliver W. Holmes, United States supreme court and Prof. John William Burgess, Dean of the faculty of political science at Columbia University; Doctor of Philosophy, Profs. Bailey, Willis of Chicago University, and George E. Hale of the Solar Observatory, Pasadena, Pres. A. T. Hadley of Yale; Doctor of Medicine, Theodore William Richards, Professor of Chemistry at Harvard and Exchange Professor at Berlin University in 1907.

Dean Kohler of the law faculty encouraged Justice Holmes' services in solving legal problems and the deep fundamental value of his writings.

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WILL RETAIN PRESENT TITLE

Episcopal Church Will Not Change Its Name

Cincinnati, Oct. 17.—Voting Saturday on the subject of changing the name of the Protestant Episcopal church, the House of Deputies decided by a majority of one vote that the present title is the proper one for the church and that it would be wrong to change the name of the title page of the hymnal to "The Holy Catholic Church" or "The Catholic Church of the United States."

The matter is now closed so far as this convention goes, unless some of the delegates bring it up again in the house of bishops. The question has not dealt with the name of the church as it relates to the general public, but rather to the title page of the hymnal.

The next general convention meets in New York city in 1913, and the question will come up again at that gathering, according to convention officers.

Prominent among the speakers on the matter were the Rev. Carl E. Grammer, of Philadelphia; Archdeacon B. Talbot, of Fon du Lac; the Rev. William T. Capers, of Lexington, Ky.; Dr. Williams A. Manning, of New York city; and Judge Thomas A. Packard of Baltimore.

Aye	No.	Divided
42	15	0
31	24	8

As there were 53 dioceses represented in the convention by lay delegations it required the affirmative vote of 32 of them to make the change. The clergy gave the required majority, but the lay deputies were one vote short of enough, so the resolution was lost by non-concurrence of orders.

A similar fate by exactly the same margin of one vote defeated the proposal at the general convention three years ago.

The house of bishops completed the work for the appointment of suffragan bishops, which has been one of the big points up for decision by the church convention. The measure was passed earlier in the week by the house of deputies, and the house of bishops made this unanimous by passing a canon that the suffragan bishops be appointed to aid the bishops in the work of their dioceses. This canon has been opposed by the negro members of the church but has had the loyal support of a majority of the bishops and deputies.

Gifford Pinchot cancelled his engagement to speak here at the services in the music hall Sunday night which was attended by the missionary delegates to the convention. His place was taken by Alfred K. Marling, of New York.

One of the biggest social events of the week was the banquet by the commercial club at the Queen City club to Mr. J. P. Morgan, Bishop Greer of New York city; Bishop Lawrence, of Cambridge, Mass.; Bishop Boone, of Albany, and other members of his distinguished party at Dalway. Among those who attended were Bishop Harding of Washington, D. C.; H. D. W. English, of Pittsburg; Bishop Frank R. Brooks, of Oklahoma; Hamilton Wright Mable, of New York city; Samuel Mather, of Cleveland; Judge Charles G. Cannon, of Boston; Bishop Anderson, of Chicago; Bishop Gallier, of Memphis, Tenn.; Bishop Gilbert of Virginia; Bishop J. S. Johnson, of San Antonio, Texas; Bishop Nichols of San Francisco; Judge Joseph A. Packard, of Baltimore; Bishop Woodcock, of Louisville, Ky.; H. L. Chase of St. Louis; Charles E. Brooks, of Indianapolis; G. T. Adams, of Louisville; Dr. Alexander Man of Boston; Samuel Post, of Detroit; Dean William S. DeWitt, of the Western Theological Seminary, of Chicago; Albert Wright, M. S. Gilbert and D. Z. Norton, of Cleveland.

HE HAS MORE LETTERS

HEARST WILL OPEN HIS CAMPAIGN NEXT MONDAY.

New York, Oct. 14.—William H. Hearst is to open the state campaign for the independence league, at Cooper Union on Monday night by reading some letters. What the letters are about, or who they concern, no one appears to know.

The Monday night affair will be the first ratification meeting of the league and the party candidate for governor, John J. Hooper, Mr. Hearst, and the rest of the nominees will speak. There are to be two bands and fireworks outside Cooper Union.

On Tuesday two meetings will be held in Brooklyn by the league if arrangements can be made. On Wednesday, in all probability, the "whole ticket" will start up the state on a special train. All the New York candidates will be passengers and the two up-state candidates will be taken aboard en route. The tour will last three weeks, and most of the cities and principal towns in the state will be visited.

Joint Agent Appointed. Winston-Salem, Oct. 15.—E. B. Kearns, for 20 years agent for the Norfolk and Western railway, has been appointed joint agent for the Norfolk and Western and Southbound railroads.

TO ERADICATE USURY EVIL

Philanthropic Loan Societies Being Formed

Washington, Oct. 17.—In several American cities attempts are being made to eradicate the usury evil of loan sharks and pawn shops by the establishment of low interest loan societies conducted simply to meet their operating expenses. A band of philanthropists in Chicago, Ill., with apparent success, has established a "pawn society," which loans money upon pledges at 1 per cent. per month, as compared with the usual charge in that city by private brokers of 10 per cent. per month. The idea in this country is a copy of the municipal pawn societies of several European cities.

An account of one of these is given in a report to the state department by Consul Henry H. Morgan. It is the municipal pawn society of Amsterdam, Holland, known as the Bank van Leening. This is probably the oldest pawn shop in existence. It was started in the early part of the 17th century. The earliest record loan made by this institution was on April 29, 1614. The business is still conducted in the original building erected for it at that time, though 15 branch offices have been opened throughout the city to meet the ever increasing demands of the business. To show the "easy familiarity" with the "hook shop," which long contact with this venerable institution has bred in Hollanders, Consul Morgan states that it is the custom of a vast number of the poorer people of Amsterdam to pawn their "Sunday best" clothes on Monday morning, redeem them Saturday night and "soak" them again on the following Monday morning, thus securing their use for the Sunday outing. Over 40 per cent. of the business of the Bank van Leening, which amounts yearly to over \$1,900,000, is of pledges of this class—household articles, etc.

The rates of interest charged run, according to the kind of goods pawned, from 6 to 13 per cent. per annum. Amsterdam has never placed a single law upon its statute books regulating the interest charges of pawn shops simply because the competition of the municipal society has practically run them out of business. Besides the interest charges there is a fee demanded on all pledges to meet the administrative expenses of the institution. This is only from \$.004 \$1.00 an article. Yet from these sources of income, and from the sale of unredeemed pledges and rents for offices in the bank building, the Bank van Leening insures every article which it holds in pawn, pensions all old employees and their widows and clears 3 per cent. on its investment.

Each pledge is held for six months and then, failing its redemption by the owners, is sold at public auction after being advertised for two days. The capital of the bank is \$202,850. Its annual revenue is about \$80,000 a year. It contributes \$5,000 a year to its pension fund.

The Bank van Leening is strictly a municipal affair, the business conducted by five directors appointed by the city government and by the burgo-master or mayor. By its charter it is restricted in earnings to 3 per cent. net on its investment, and each three years its schedule of charges is made over so that the estimated income will amount to only the 3 per cent. The institution is under strict police supervision and this has made the business of "fencing," or handling stolen goods, very dangerous in Holland as at best it is difficult for other pawn shops to show legitimate reasons for remaining in this business.

HAS SPLENDID EXHIBIT

E. B. LYON MOTOR CAR COMPANY REPRESENTED AT STATE FAIR.

The E. B. Lyon Motor Car Company of this city, has one of the best automobile exhibits at the state fair this year. This well-known company is showing the 1911 models of the famous Thomas Flyer, Inter-State, E. M. F. "20" and the Plender "20." This exhibit will undoubtedly attract much attention and place Durham in the front rank as a distributing point for these famous machines.

A Happy Compromise. Senator Crane, at a luncheon in Dalton, praised compromise.

"Compromise is a good thing," he said. "Take the case of a young Dalton builder. He got married about a year ago, and after the marriage he and his wife had an interminable dispute as to whether they should buy two motorcycles or a 5-horsepower runabout suitable to their needs. He said the other day: 'My wife and I wrangled for a week and compromised at last.' 'What have you compromised on?' I asked. 'A baby carriage,' he answered, with a proud, glad smile." St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Mississippi's Great Corn Crop.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Mississippi's corn crop this year is the largest in the history of the state, according to the United States department of agriculture. The yield is large and in many sections on small acreage more than one hundred measured bushels an acre have been gathered.

TIDE IS STRONG FOR DEMOCRACY

Political Fight From Atlantic to Pacific is Fierce

Washington, Oct. 17.—Still the democratic flood rises. With varying fortunes the tremendous contest for supremacy in the next house of representatives progresses. The fighting all along the line from the Atlantic to the Pacific is very hard and incessant, but with each survey of the field the democrats seem to have a little the best of it.

Much of the disadvantage that the party in power suffers from is due to the fact that there is a new leader in the field openly seeking to displace his former friend, President Taft, as the leader of the party and conducting a thinly disguised effort to nominate himself for president in 1912.

No party can undergo such an experience and win battles. This is the consensus of all thoughtful men who have been figuring on the result.

Down to figures, the forecast shows this week that there are now 151 districts reasonably sure for the democrats, against 141 a week ago; 140 districts reasonably sure for the republicans, against 132 last week; and that the number of doubtful districts has been reduced from 118 to 90. Of these districts 64 are now republican and 26 democratic.

To get a majority of the house the democrats have to win 35 of these doubtful districts; the republicans 65. This is the problem confronting the congressional committee of the two parties. Perhaps the most significant change which has been made since last week are in New York. It will be recalled that last week the forecast made thirteen republican districts in New York doubtful, giving the democrats and republicans each twelve districts reasonably sure. The reporter this week gives 16 districts reasonably sure to the democrats, 14 districts reasonably sure to the republicans, while seven districts which are republican now are classified as doubtful.

These changes have been due largely to conditions prevailing in New York strongly resembling the campaign of 1882, when Grover Cleveland, democrat, defeated Charles F. Folger, republican, by nearly 200,000 plurality. At the same time the democrats elected 20 members of the house and the republicans but 13.

HARRIS HAS THEM GOING

VANCE COUNTY WILL ROLL UP BIG DEMOCRATIC VOTE.

Henderson, Oct. 17.—The republican convention of October 8 resulted in a split which seems irreparable. Saturday the two factions held separate "conventions" here, the Hicks faction meeting in the morning and the Jones-Satterwhite following, which outnumbers the Hickses fully three to one, meeting in the afternoon. Both were quiet affairs.

The democratic nominees will, between now and election day, address the Vance county voters in different sections of the county. There will also be many other speakings from time to time. The democrats of this community believe the outlook is exceedingly bright for the party and that a full vote will be cast. A first voters club will soon be organized in this city and county. The young men are taking an unusual interest in politics this year.

County Chairman Harris has announced the following dates with their places of meetings for the last ten days of the campaign:

Middleburg, Monday, October 24, at 2 o'clock, p. m.
White's Store, Tuesday, October 25, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Townsville, Wednesday, October 26, at 12 o'clock noon.
Williamsboro, Thursday, October 27, at 1 o'clock p. m.
Dabney, Friday, October 28, at 7 o'clock p. m.
Kittrell, Saturday, October 29, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Amos' Mill, Monday, October 31, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Kelley's Store, Tuesday, November 1, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.
W. C. Hight's Store, Thursday, November 3, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.
Courthouse, Henderson, Friday, November 4, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.
At these meetings nominees and prominent democrats from Vance and other counties will be present. Chairman Harris says the campaign is going to be carried on with a whirlwind finish and he is very optimistic and believes the democrats will win this year by a fine majority.

Object to the Colonel.

Ithica, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Former President Andrew D. White of Cornell University has extended an invitation to Theodore Roosevelt to deliver a tentative speech before the Cornell students when he comes here October 24, to inspect the abandoned farm district. The democratic county committee has issued a protest against the action of Dr. White and the democratic members of the Cornell faculty, it is said, object to Colonel Roosevelt speaking, even upon his African trip, at this time because of his political activities.

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CHILD'S LEG TORN BY CAT

Violent Animal Attacked Three Year Old Boy

New York, Oct. 17.—Louis Mamlo, 3 years old, of No. 255 Bruce street, Newark, was taken to the City hospital there yesterday, suffering from wounds inflicted by a cat on Friday. The animal sprang upon him and fastened its teeth in the calf of his right leg. Witnesses of the attack tried to drive the cat off, but were compelled to choke the animal to death.

When the cat's teeth were released from the leg of the boy there was a gaping wound, from which a large piece of flesh had been torn.

It was learned later that the cat had been acting strangely for several days and that persons in the neighborhood had been warned to keep away from it. The body of the cat was taken to the pasture laboratory in the City hospital and yesterday it was determined that the animal was a victim of rabies.

Two other cats in the same neighborhood died last week after acting strangely for several days. It is believed that the three were bitten by a dog.

Fact. "And do you really think I am beautiful, Jack?" she murmured as she nestled up close to his pink waistcoat.

"Well—um—ha—Marla," said he. "Yes. That is you are beautiful to me, and who cares what other people think, so long as we are satisfied?"

Whereupon, with a woman's perversity, she went so hard that the color on his waistcoat ran away as fast as it knew how.

Notice of Service by Publication. North Carolina—Durham County.

Before R. A. Harris, J. P. A. L. Wisnagar, Atty., vs. G. T. Terry. The defendant above named will take notice that summons in the above entitled action was issued against said defendant on the 9th day of September, 1910, by R. A. Harris, Justice of the Peace of Durham County, North Carolina, for the sum of \$25.00, due said plaintiff defendant, plaintiff holding the note of defendant, which note is secured by a chattel mortgage for the above amount, which summons is returnable before said justice, at his office at Durham, in said County, and in Durham Township, on the 20th day of October, 1910. The defendant will also take notice that said plaintiff granted plaintiff claim and delivery of said property, which order was granted on the 8th day of September, 1910, against the property of said defendant, which warrant is returnable before the said justice at the time and place above named for the return of the summons, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This 9th day of September, 1910. R. A. HARRIS, Justice of the Peace.

NOTICE. NORTH CAROLINA, DURHAM COUNTY. In the Superior Court. S. J. Barbee, Plaintiff vs. A. R. Barbee, Defendant.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Durham County to secure a divorce from bed and board from the defendant and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in September, being the 5th day of December, 1910, at the court house of said county, in Durham, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

C. B. GREEN, Clerk of the Superior Court. This, the 29th day of Sept., 1910. 0-5-41

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