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**THE W. N. C. CONFERENCE DEEP IN ITS POCKETS.**

A Missionary to be Supported and a Church Built in Japan—Splendid Talk From Dr. Morrison and His Result.

The second day's proceedings of the Western North Carolina conference were opened promptly at 9 o'clock by Bishop C. B. Galloway, with Scripture reading, singing and prayer.

After roll call the minutes of yesterday's session were read, and after slight inaccuracies were corrected were approved.

On motion, the calling of the roll will be dispensed with at all the future sessions.

Rev. J. C. Morris, of the extension board, was introduced to the conference.

Chas. W. Curtis and K. V. Shelton were admitted to the conference on trial.

J. T. Gattis, collector, read his report. He had traveled 3,000 miles in Western North Carolina conference and 3,000 miles in North Carolina conference. Had sold \$16,127 worth of books in the two conferences during the year.

The report from Barbee and Smith, agents for the publishing house at Nashville, was read.

A report was read from Asheville Female college, which showed that institution to be in better condition than for fifteen years.

150 pupils entered this year. An increase of one hundred percent in the patronage from the city of Asheville, was noted. Ten states are represented in the college, and seven sickness has occurred in the college during the past year.

Under the second question—"Who are still on trial?" the following characters were passed: J. T. Rogers, J. M. Rice, Walter M. Curtis, W. S. C. Cherry, P. D. Parker, W. H. Perry, T. E. Weaver, W. L. Sherrill, T. B. McCurdy, R. D. Sherrill, E. Myers, H. T. Hoover, J. D. Crocker.

W. H. Nelson and J. T. Bagwell were discontinued at their own request.

E. C. Crowell's character was passed, and he was continued in the class of the first year at his own request, not having gone before the committee.

Question eight—"What traveling preachers are admitted to deacons' orders?" was called, and the following characters passed and the persons advanced to deacons' orders: T. J. Rogers, W. L. Surratt, E. J. Poe, Parker Holmes, W. L. Dawson, H. Ware, A. W. Jacobs and W. T. Hunicutt.

Under the fifth question—"Who are readmitted?" Dr. J. T. Bagwell, of Shelby district, was readmitted.

Dr. H. C. Morrison, one of the missionary secretaries of the southern church, was granted an opportunity of addressing the conference.

The speaker said that the church of God had but one mission, and that mission was announced by Christ himself: "Go ye into all the world and preach my gospel." The church was to be everywhere, and growing. Many strides forward had been made in comparatively few years.

The doors of countries therefore scaled had been opened to the missionaries during the past seventy-five years, and many savage countries had been civilized and christianized during those years.

The speaker said it was no disadvantage that the church's missionary debt of \$118,000. It had not been contracted in order that any man might become rich, but it had been contracted to save souls for whom Christ had died.

Question seven—"Who are the deacons of the first year?" was called, and the following names announced and their characters passed and advanced to the deacons' class: J. T. Rogers, W. L. Surratt, E. J. Poe, Parker Holmes, W. L. Dawson, H. Ware, A. W. Jacobs and W. T. Hunicutt.

Question ten—"What local preachers are elected deacons?" being called, the following were elected: N. D. Wilson, of Greensboro district; W. H. Perry, of Mt. Airy district; J. C. Mock, Winston district; Jacob Simpson, Salisbury district; H. Starnes, N. A. Miller, J. L. Crook, Asheville district.

Question fourteen—"What local preachers are elected elders?" being called, the following were elected: A. J. Burras, Winston district.

and the conference adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

**Conference Callings.**  
Dr. Brooks has material in him for no mean bishop. He is one of the leading men of the conference, and is cousin of Col. John D. Cameron, of Asheville.

P. C. Montgomery, secretary of the conference, is a brother of Judge Montgomery, of the superior court bench.

The friends of Rev. S. H. Hilliard can have no doubt as to his having been well by the people of Greensboro during the past year, as the rounding of his cheek and lengthening of his girl hair indubitable evidence to the fact. And the report comes up that his congregation has grown spiritually fit under his preaching.

There is much genuine grandeur in the singing of the hundred and fifty preachers at Central Methodist church during both the conference sessions and the services. It has the old camp meeting ring in it and is a treat to Methodists.

Rev. G. Stuart, of the Holston conference, who has been assisting Rev. Sam Jones in Wilmington and Charlotte, preached Asheville yesterday, and spent the night. He left this morning for his home in Tennessee. He was accompanied by his wife.

Dr. H. C. Morrison preached a very able sermon in Central Methodist church last night to a large audience from the text: "If ye live and believe in me ye shall never die."

**IOWA PROHIBITION.**  
The Constitutional Amendment Found to be Unconstitutional.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 12.—Judge Conrad of the district court on Monday listened to an application of J. A. Harvey of the state temperance alliance for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to certify to him a copy of the Iowa constitutional amendment relating to the prohibitory law.

At the time of Harvey's application secretary McFarland refused to certify to the constitutional amendment on the ground that the supreme court had decided that the amendment was unconstitutional. In the opinion rendered by Judge Conrad, he sustained the secretary of state, holding that in view of the supreme court's ruling the secretary could not be compelled to certify to the constitutional amendment.

Notice of appeal was given and an effort will be made to carry the case to the supreme court. Whether or not the supreme court will reopen the case is a question that will be solved with great interest by the temperance societies.

**DEATH OF COMANCHE.**  
The Most Celebrated Horse in the United States Service.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 10.—Word has been received here of the death of Comanche, the most celebrated horse in the United States cavalry service, at Fort Riley on last Thursday. He was 45 years of age and the only living thing belonging to the United States service, which escaped the massacre at the battle of Little Big Horn, where Gen. Custer and his command were massacred.

After the battle of Little Big Horn he was found covered with wounds, without saddle and without harness, and taken charge of by Rowland and sent to Fort Riley, where for fourteen years he has been subjected to brutal treatment, and was due to old age. His skin will be stuffed and mounted.

**MARY SMITH'S WILL.**  
The Great Legal Contest Has Been Compromised.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 10.—Last year Mrs. Mary Smith died in the insane asylum leaving property valued at \$400,000 to relatives here. There were two wills, and a great legal contest ensued. Today it is officially learned that this noted case has been compromised, that all heirs and legatees will receive their shares, and that the State University will receive between \$35,000 and \$40,000.

Judge George V. Strong and Alfred W. Laywood are expected to draw the decree, which Judge Whitaker, will sign next Saturday. The University takes the money under a trust in the will, which provides that it shall be used for the support of agriculture, chemistry, and kindred branches.—Richmond Dispatch.

**GOVERNMENTS SHAKING.**  
Greece Follows Brazil in Having Internal Trouble.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—A newspaper of this city publishes a dispatch from Athens which contains information of startling importance. In substance, the correspondent states that a conspiracy has been discovered in Athens with ramifications in other portions of the kingdom, having for its object the overthrow of the present ruling dynasty of Greece.

Among the prominent men who are said to be desirous of throwing aside the present government of King George is M. Spiridon Trikoupi, the well known Greek statesman, who once held the position of prime minister of the kingdom.

**FIRE AMONG TENEMENTS.**  
Forty Families Rendered Homeless and Families Burned.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—Fire broke out early this morning in Bethnal Green, an eastern suburb of London, in a quarter filled by lumber yards, factories and a large number of tenement houses occupied by poor families.

**A BIG EXPRESS ROBBERY**  
**ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TAKEN.**

**A Train Stopped Near Milwaukee**  
**And the Express Robbed of Its Contents—It Was Money Taken In by the Banks.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 12.—The midnight train from Chicago on the Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad was robbed near the Western Union junction at 1 o'clock this morning.

The robbers are supposed to have boarded the train at the junction. As soon as it was well away from the station in the open prairie, they stopped it and broke into the express car. It is probable the total amount of booty will reach \$100,000 and possibly more, as the train was one that generally carried all the money received by the Milwaukee banks from the east in the morning.

**THREW THE SAFES OUT.**  
No Money Obtained, However, Thanks to a Brakeman.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—A report of the train robbery near the Western Union junction has been received by General Manager Earling of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, which states that the stolen safes have been recovered and that the robbers did not get any booty.

The report says that six men boarded train No. 3 at the Western Union junction, sixty-two miles north of Chicago, at 11 p. m., and it is supposed the robbers reached the junction over the Northwestern road. They held up the engineer and freeman, and when the train reached Franklinville, about four miles beyond the junction, they caused an engineer to stop it at the point of the revolver. They then demanded of the Express Messenger that he open the door to the car which he refused to do.

The conductor then came up, and he was taken prisoner. The robbers then broke in the window of the car, and threw in some kind of explosive, which forced out the end of the car. They then went inside and covered the express messenger with a revolver, and tried to make him open the safes. This he positively refused to do, and the safes were thrown out of the car.

In the meantime the rear brakeman, understanding the situation, rushed back to the junction and got help. One went to the scene, and the robbers fled. The train went on to Milwaukee, and the last mail train, which leaves Chicago at 3 a. m., picked up the ties and carried them to Milwaukee.

It is believed the robbers will be captured.

**How Do You Know?**  
From the State Chronicle.

Col. Polk is right in believing that most of our people are in favor of some other candidate than Mr. Cleveland.

**Stock Quotations.**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Erie 2 1/2, Lake Sh. 1 1/2, Chicago and Northwestern 1 1/2, N. York and Western 1 1/2, Richmond and West. Port. 1 1/2, W. Va. 1 1/2, N. Va. 1 1/2.

**Baltimore Prices.**  
BALTIMORE, Nov. 9.—Flour, steady, unchanged; western super \$3.50, extra \$3.75, No. 2 red, strong, spot, 100 lbs., \$4.00; southern, 100 lbs., \$4.10; No. 1, 100 lbs., \$4.20; No. 2, 100 lbs., \$4.30; No. 3, 100 lbs., \$4.40; No. 4, 100 lbs., \$4.50; No. 5, 100 lbs., \$4.60; No. 6, 100 lbs., \$4.70; No. 7, 100 lbs., \$4.80; No. 8, 100 lbs., \$4.90; No. 9, 100 lbs., \$5.00; No. 10, 100 lbs., \$5.10; No. 11, 100 lbs., \$5.20; No. 12, 100 lbs., \$5.30; No. 13, 100 lbs., \$5.40; No. 14, 100 lbs., \$5.50; No. 15, 100 lbs., \$5.60; No. 16, 100 lbs., \$5.70; No. 17, 100 lbs., \$5.80; No. 18, 100 lbs., \$5.90; No. 19, 100 lbs., \$6.00; No. 20, 100 lbs., \$6.10; No. 21, 100 lbs., \$6.20; No. 22, 100 lbs., \$6.30; No. 23, 100 lbs., \$6.40; No. 24, 100 lbs., \$6.50; No. 25, 100 lbs., \$6.60; No. 26, 100 lbs., \$6.70; No. 27, 100 lbs., \$6.80; No. 28, 100 lbs., \$6.90; No. 29, 100 lbs., \$7.00; No. 30, 100 lbs., \$7.10; No. 31, 100 lbs., \$7.20; No. 32, 100 lbs., \$7.30; No. 33, 100 lbs., \$7.40; No. 34, 100 lbs., \$7.50; No. 35, 100 lbs., \$7.60; No. 36, 100 lbs., \$7.70; No. 37, 100 lbs., \$7.80; No. 38, 100 lbs., \$7.90; No. 39, 100 lbs., \$8.00; No. 40, 100 lbs., \$8.10; No. 41, 100 lbs., \$8.20; No. 42, 100 lbs., \$8.30; No. 43, 100 lbs., \$8.40; No. 44, 100 lbs., \$8.50; No. 45, 100 lbs., \$8.60; No. 46, 100 lbs., \$8.70; No. 47, 100 lbs., \$8.80; No. 48, 100 lbs., \$8.90; No. 49, 100 lbs., \$9.00; No. 50, 100 lbs., \$9.10; No. 51, 100 lbs., \$9.20; No. 52, 100 lbs., \$9.30; No. 53, 100 lbs., \$9.40; No. 54, 100 lbs., \$9.50; No. 55, 100 lbs., \$9.60; No. 56, 100 lbs., \$9.70; No. 57, 100 lbs., \$9.80; No. 58, 100 lbs., \$9.90; No. 59, 100 lbs., \$10.00; No. 60, 100 lbs., \$10.10; No. 61, 100 lbs., \$10.20; No. 62, 100 lbs., \$10.30; No. 63, 100 lbs., \$10.40; No. 64, 100 lbs., \$10.50; No. 65, 100 lbs., \$10.60; No. 66, 100 lbs., \$10.70; No. 67, 100 lbs., \$10.80; No. 68, 100 lbs., \$10.90; No. 69, 100 lbs., \$11.00; No. 70, 100 lbs., \$11.10; No. 71, 100 lbs., \$11.20; No. 72, 100 lbs., \$11.30; No. 73, 100 lbs., \$11.40; No. 74, 100 lbs., \$11.50; No. 75, 100 lbs., \$11.60; No. 76, 100 lbs., \$11.70; No. 77, 100 lbs., \$11.80; No. 78, 100 lbs., \$11.90; No. 79, 100 lbs., \$12.00; No. 80, 100 lbs., \$12.10; No. 81, 100 lbs., \$12.20; No. 82, 100 lbs., \$12.30; No. 83, 100 lbs., \$12.40; No. 84, 100 lbs., \$12.50; No. 85, 100 lbs., \$12.60; No. 86, 100 lbs., \$12.70; No. 87, 100 lbs., \$12.80; No. 88, 100 lbs., \$12.90; No. 89, 100 lbs., \$13.00; No. 90, 100 lbs., \$13.10; No. 91, 100 lbs., \$13.20; No. 92, 100 lbs., \$13.30; No. 93, 100 lbs., \$13.40; No. 94, 100 lbs., \$13.50; No. 95, 100 lbs., \$13.60; No. 96, 100 lbs., \$13.70; No. 97, 100 lbs., \$13.80; No. 98, 100 lbs., \$13.90; No. 99, 100 lbs., \$14.00; No. 100, 100 lbs., \$14.10; No. 101, 100 lbs., \$14.20; No. 102, 100 lbs., \$14.30; No. 103, 100 lbs., \$14.40; No. 104, 100 lbs., \$14.50; No. 105, 100 lbs., \$14.60; No. 106, 100 lbs., \$14.70; No. 107, 100 lbs., \$14.80; No. 108, 100 lbs., \$14.90; No. 109, 100 lbs., \$15.00; No. 110, 100 lbs., \$15.10; No. 111, 100 lbs., \$15.20; No. 112, 100 lbs., \$15.30; No. 113, 100 lbs., \$15.40; No. 114, 100 lbs., \$15.50; No. 115, 100 lbs., \$15.60; No. 116, 100 lbs., \$15.70; No. 117, 100 lbs., \$15.80; No. 118, 100 lbs., \$15.90; No. 119, 100 lbs., \$16.00; No. 120, 100 lbs., \$16.10; No. 121, 100 lbs., \$16.20; No. 122, 100 lbs., \$16.30; No. 123, 100 lbs., \$16.40; No. 124, 100 lbs., \$16.50; No. 125, 100 lbs., \$16.60; No. 126, 100 lbs., \$16.70; No. 127, 100 lbs., \$16.80; No. 128, 100 lbs., \$16.90; No. 129, 100 lbs., \$17.00; No. 130, 100 lbs., \$17.10; No. 131, 100 lbs., \$17.20; No. 132, 100 lbs., \$17.30; No. 133, 100 lbs., \$17.40; No. 134, 100 lbs., \$17.50; No. 135, 100 lbs., \$17.60; No. 136, 100 lbs., \$17.70; No. 137, 100 lbs., \$17.80; No. 138, 100 lbs., \$17.90; No. 139, 100 lbs., \$18.00; No. 140, 100 lbs., \$18.10; No. 141, 100 lbs., \$18.20; No. 142, 100 lbs., \$18.30; No. 143, 100 lbs., \$18.40; No. 1