

THE CONVENTION CLOSES

W. N. C. BAPTISTS ADJOURN LAST NIGHT.

The Body Goes on Record in Strong Resolutions as Opposing the Licensing of the Liquor Traffic—Notes.

The business of the Western North Carolina Baptist convention practically closed on Saturday, but the formal adjournment was not made until last night. After the sermon, preached by Rev. E. Ellis Blount of Haywood county, Rev. J. L. White briefly sketched the anticipated work of the ensuing year. Rev. A. H. Sims expressed the sentiments of the departing delegates for the kind reception they had enjoyed from the brethren of Asheville and the body adjourned to meet with the church at Clyde in October 1894.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the convention: "Resolved, That this convention puts itself on record as being opposed to any law or laws that license the making or selling of alcoholic liquors as beverages. "Resolved, further, That we regard any church that keeps members in it who use alcoholic liquors as a beverage, as being unorthodox and unworthy of our recognition."

Echoes of the Convention.

John P. Morgan knows when and how to lift collections. A preacher delegate and a lady member of First church each preached the cash support of an orphan for a year. A portion of the passage money for Rev. R. Y. Blalock's trip to China was voluntarily given in the convention.

The visitors from other states and those from east of the Ridge in North Carolina had many pleasant words to speak of this mountain country. Miss Lottie Price of Asheville has been accepted as a missionary to go to Shanghai, China. Miss Price will be the first missionary sent out by the convention.

Rev. R. Y. Blalock, a delegate from Mitchell county, leaves for a missionary post in China in November. In an affecting address on Saturday he said goodbye to the convention. Rev. F. M. Jordan, a delegate from Transylvania, well known in Asheville, where he is numerously related, will soon issue a sketch of his life, covering the missionary work in 76 counties in the State.

The installation of the pastor at the First Presbyterian church on yesterday, an event provided for some time previous to the meeting of the convention, prevented the offer of the church to a Baptist minister for Sunday's preaching. The address of President Taylor of Wake Forest college on the report of the committee on education excited marked attention. His references to the efforts of the North in educating the masses of the masses for the past 200 years, made a profound impression.

The busiest man in the convention was Rev. J. L. White, pastor of the First church, who was every body's servant from the first day to the closing hours. His general oversight of details greatly facilitated the business of the body. His deacons, also, rendered every possible aid.

Among the recommendations of the committee on Foreign Missions was one for the appointment of the following ladies to compose a central committee on missions: Miss Lottie Price, president; Mrs. J. H. Tucker, first vice-president; Mrs. J. L. White, second vice-president; Mrs. J. M. Gudge, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Julia Lee, Mrs. H. A. Miller, Mrs. G. W. Furey, Mrs. I. P. Morgan, Mrs. C. R. Whitaker, Mrs. L. C. Baird, Mrs. O. Thomas, Mrs. O. T. Thompson, Miss Lillie Montgomery, Miss Ada Drummond, Mrs. J. W. Starves, Mrs. E. Baird, Mrs. M. J. Alexander and Mrs. C. S. Cooper.

The incidents that led to the founding of Wake Forest college were related in one of the speeches made to the convention. Many years ago, the speaker said, two gentlemen, Dr. Stoughton and Rev. Samuel Waite, were visiting in Newbern and one day while driving had a runaway accident in which Dr. Stoughton was seriously injured. Mr. Waite, who had graduated from Columbian college at Washington, D. C., but a short time previously, remained in Newbern to care for his friend, and during the latter's convalescence preached several times for the Baptists. At the request of the people he became their pastor, and in 1833 he inaugurated a movement for a Baptist college, that has since developed into the present institution costing \$2,000,000, at which 200 students annually attend, one fourth of whom this year are young preachers.

FOR A DAY OR MORE. People Who Come In and go Out From Asheville. Ex-Mayor Chas. D. Blanton is in the city. Duff Merrick got home from the Windy City today. George W. Pack left the city yesterday for Cleveland. Chas. W. Jones of Louisville is at the Battery Park. County Commissioner Clayton was in the city today. W. E. Wolfe has come home from his Columbian expedition trip. Miss O. H. Whitaker is in the city from the Oxford orphan asylum. A. H. Steere of Knoxville is auto-graphed at the Swannanoa. T. R. Ransom, esq., has returned from a trip to Washington City. Editor J. D. Boone of the Ashevilleville Courier spent Saturday in Asheville. A. C. Cary of Chattanooga came in yesterday and is stopping at the Swannanoa. A. C. Sexton and P. H. Thrash were home comers from the World's Fair yesterday. Superintendent John P. Arthur, of the Asheville street railway, is back from his Fair trip. Prof. H. W. Spray and wife were in the city Saturday on their way to Waynesville. Trainmaster R. P. Foster and bride have returned from the World's Columbian exposition. W. M. Cooke, jr., and family and R. B. Johnston and Miss Fannie were among the arrivals from Chicago today. City Attorney P. A. Sondley has returned from his trip to the World's Fair, delighted with the sights of the exposition.

A. E. Gonzales, Miss G. Gonzales, Miss H. Gonzales and J. Wilson Gibbs of Columbia, S. C., are guests of the Battery Park. Among the returning World's Fair tourists on Saturday's train were J. D. Murphy, esq., Rev. L. H. Baldwin and family, Frank McCrary and A. Freck. Charlotte Observer: Miss Hattie Patton and Mr. W. Johnston of Asheville were married Thursday, and arrived here yesterday to visit Mr. L. L. Sarrett's.

AROUND TOWN.

Mr. Rankin said to "The Citizen" he did not think there would be any danger in any war, linking a public water works with a private company. The company, he said, could give such guarantees as would insure a permanent water supply to the city.

World's Fair tickets will not be on sale later than Friday. Revival services will continue this week Riverdale under direction of Rev. J. C. Troy, the pastor.

The condition of Col. John D. Cannon, The Citizen regrets to learn, does not show improvement. Mrs. Annie Ray, the wife of W. L. Ray, a near relative of Capt. H. C. Fagg, died at her home at Paint Rock on Saturday night.

The plumbing firm of Kelly & Strachan, Patton avenue, has been dissolved. Mr. Strachan retiring. Mr. Kelly will continue the business at the present stand. A lecture to Masons will be delivered this evening at Masonic Temple by Rev. H. R. Coleman of Louisville. Mr. Coleman arrives in the city this afternoon from Knoxville.

Saturday Mat J. M. Blair, the auctioneer, sold for T. L. Durbin, trustee, a lot 116x149 feet on French Broad avenue. The property was purchased by J. B. Bostic, agent, for \$2,100.

E. E. Brown, the florist, has brought to The Citizen office a bunch of celery that "takes the rag off the bush" up to date. The celery is Simon-pure and the topmost part of the bunch nuds its head 35 inches above the ground.

Mailing Clerk H. C. Nettles, of THE CITIZEN office, today brought in from his home at Russell Vista a bunch of second-growth strawberries some of which are (or were) as fine as any seen on the Asheville market the past season.

The new schedule on the Murphy branch went into effect yesterday. The train for Murphy now leaves Asheville at 8:15 a. m. instead of 8:45 p. m. as heretofore. The train from Murphy comes in at 2 p. m. instead of 5 a. m. as under the old schedule.

The Business Enterprise is the name of a new paper started here in the interest of the colored race. Thos. L. Leatherwood is the editor. The paper is a three-column folio and will be published semi-monthly at a subscription price of 50 cents a year.

The Board of Health and the Board of Altermen will hold a joint meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the office of the former, for the purpose of consultation regarding the new system of sewer connections and the appointment of an expert sanitary officer.

Rev. H. S. McQuay, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church, is leaving for work done on the foundation of his new church in the eastern part of the city. An English friend has promised to procure for him from England two memorial windows for this church.

In the list of appointments made by Assistant Bishop Cheshire are the following: October 28-29, Saturday and Sunday, Candler's, to meet the Convention of Asheville; Both, Monday, at the Beavertown, November 17, Wednesday, in a church of the Redeemer, near Asheville.

The lecture that was to have been given at the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon by the Rev. H. R. Coleman was not delivered because of the rain. The lecture, conducted with Knoxville. A telegram received at three o'clock was read to the audience that had gathered in the church, announcing the disappointment.

From the Knoxville Sentinel it is learned that J. C. Hammon of Mason, Va., representing Stuart, Kulp & Co., was knocked down and frightfully injured by a runaway team in Knoxville a few days ago. At last accounts Mr. Hammon was improving. The injured man is well known in Asheville business circles and was here only a few weeks ago.

J. A. Reagan, a former Ashevilleite, now a tobacco warehouseman of Danville, Va., passed through the city yesterday on his return home from a trip through the tobacco plantations of North and South Carolina and Tennessee. Mr. Reagan says there is a big crop this year everywhere, with some good tobacco, but that the bulk of the stock is common.

James M. Moody of Waynesville was in the city on Saturday on his way to Washington as witness in the Elias investigation. T. C. McCoy of Asheville was summoned on the same business and left for the capital yesterday. Solicitor George A. Jones of Franklin, another witness, left today. Mr. Moody said he knew nothing to the detriment of Collector Elias.

Columbus discovered a new world where today in millions of homes there is one or more victims of alcoholism. The Houston discovery is a positive cure for liquor, morphine and opium habits that has radically cured thousands. Asheville institute at 53 West College street, cures guaranteed or no pay.

Don't pay a profit on your goods as long as Alimnatch is offering his elegant stock at cost. His rush still continues. Yesterday's crowd was immense. His new cloaks were an additional attraction; superlative quality of goods at first cost attracts a crowd always. Alimnatch's is the place for late styles and cost makes it doubly attractive.

Coke! Coke! Coke! Call on Carolina Coal Company for Nice, Clean Coke. When you put down your carpets this fall get your old paper at THE CITIZEN office—only 20 cents per hundred.

New York State Buckwheat, Pure Maple Syrup and Mountain Honey, Kroger. Plenty of old papers for sale at THE CITIZEN office. Only 20 cents per hundred.

Holland Herring, Fresh Lot, All Michener's, Kroger. To insure change of advertisements running on regular contract, copy must be handed in by 10 o'clock a. m.

Smoked Beef Tongue, Kroger Asheville Markets. Corrected daily by POWELL & SNIDER, wholesale and retail grocers. These prices are being paid by the merchants to-day.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Butter, Apples, Pumpkins, Potatoes, etc.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The October Term Begins Here This Morning. This morning the October term of Buncombe Criminal court opened, with Judge Jones, Solicitor Carter, Clerk Young and Deputy Clerk Erwin in the places, and the body was soon earnestly at work. There are 83 cases on the docket, the most important of them being that against George Whitt, who is charged with complicity in the killing of Deputy Marshal Brooks.

The case of State vs. Zeb Pressley, for violating an ordinance of the town of Black Mountain, was called and it was found that no papers had been sent up in the case. Judge Jones ordered the case dismissed and the costs assessed against Black Mountain.

State vs. Geo. Brown and Bart Brown, carrying concealed weapons, defendants submit and judgment suspended on payment of costs. The grand jury is made up as follows: G. M. Sluder, foreman; W. M. Jarvis, W. H. Young, W. H. Vohorn, J. B. Morgan, T. L. Gates, W. R. Alexander, K. B. Swann, James Frank, W. D. Pierson, Houston Frank, W. L. Garrison, M. H. Morgan, E. M. Garrison and J. M. Embler.

"What's in a Name?" It has been given out that, with the December number, the personal equation will be eliminated from Fetter's Southern Magazine, and that popular periodical will be known in the future as the Southern Magazine. Gen. Basil W. Duke continues as its able editor-in-chief, with Mr. Opie Read as associate editor.

Send your orders to Carolina Coal Company for Jellico Lump and Anthracite. New! Hotel Cheese, 5c Each, At Kroger's, 41 College street.

Index to New Advertisements. Wanted—Box 10. Lost—A pocketbook Saturday afternoon on square between court house and city hall. Found and returned to J. A. BROOKSHIRE.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished nice eight room house. Apply to W. A. Blair for information, 45 Patton Avenue, oct23d1w.

DISOLUTION NOTICE—The firm heretofore known as Kelly & Strachan has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Kelly will continue the business at the old stand, and will be responsible for all the liabilities of the firm of Kelly & Strachan, and will also collect all bills due said firm. M. H. STRACHAN.

I take this occasion to express to my friends and thankers for favors extended me and respectfully ask Mr. Kelly a continuance of their patronage. M. H. STRACHAN, oct23d1w.

THE STEEL'S SALE—By virtue of a power of sale contained in a deed of trust, executed by A. S. Melton and Lala B. Melton, this sale on the 23rd inst. 1893, by default having been made in the payment of the mortgage, will, on Monday, November 27, 1893, at the court house door in the city of Asheville, sell for cash to the highest bidder the land and premises described in said deed of trust, which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Buncombe county, North Carolina, in book No. 24 on pages 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, which reference is hereby made for a more complete description and terms and conditions, in order to satisfy the indebtedness, interest and costs, as secured by said deed of trust. The above is a very desirable farm, situated on the Richmond and Danville railroad, about one mile east of Black Mountain station. The property is well stocked with fruit trees and good improvements. ROBERT T. SHERK, Trustee, oct23d1w.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW. At Idlewild Greenhouses. 324 Charlotte Street, October 31, November 1, 2, 3 and 4 from 1 to 6 p. m. Everybody cordially invited. Take house car line at square. oct23d1w.

For Sale Second-Hand Furniture. AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD GOODS. All good as new. This week only, at 191 NORTH MAIN STREET, Cor. Cherry and N. Main. oct23d1w.

House Wanted. With eight rooms, bath, water closet, etc., to rent for 12 months. HOUSEKEEPER, Care Citizen. oct23d1w.

Timber Land. Wanted—2,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet Poplar and oak in small large lots. Bottom prices. INVESTOR, Care Citizen. oct23d1w.

A BRANCH OF J. D. BENTLEY. OF N. Y. AND PHILADELPHIA. To be Opened in Asheville. Where all materials for Art Needle Work can be obtained. A full line of Wash Embroidery Silks, Filo Floe, Turkish Floe, Rope and Embroidery Silks, Stamped Goods, fine Linens for Scarfs, Trays, Center Pieces, Cofrons and Linens, Stamping and Pinking done, lessons given. AGENCY FOR THE DELSARTE DRESS REFORM GARMENTS. 18 1/2 South Main Street. oct23d1w.

CUTLERY. Sterling Silver and Plated Ware. Our having having left for the Northern Market to purchase a large stock of goods, we must sell part of our present stock, even at a sacrifice, as we will leave the room. Call early and secure bargains in all departments. L.A.W.'S, and 37 Patton Avenue. oct23d1w.

Souvenirs and Novelties. China and Glass. LAMPS. oct23d1w.

THE SEASON'S - OFFERINGS. Carpets, Rugs, Art Squares, Etc. ARE ESPECIALLY CHOICE AND AT Astonishingly Low Prices. GIVE US A CALL. W. B. WILLIAMSON & CO., 16 Patton Avenue, Asheville, N. C.

SOMETHING HAS HAPPENED! WHAT IS IT? Too many Clothing is too little money. We have bought many and had consigned to us more, to be sold at Wholesale Prices. The Stock is new, fresh and very select, such as you cannot find elsewhere. Overcoats, all weights and lengths, Cape Coats, Ulsters and Reefers, Double Breasted Suits for men and boys, superior in finish and style to many so-called custom made. We will save you money. Underwear, Hats, Neckwear, Extra Pants, Mackintoshes, Umbrellas. The largest stock in the city in every line for men's wear.

Whitlock Clothing House. HEADQUARTERS FOR THE Spartanburg Steam Baked Bread. Beware of Imitations. FRESH EVERY DAY. R. B. NOLAN & SON, THE SPOT CASH STORE, 21 North Main Street, Telephone No. 151.

COAL AND WOOD YARD, No. 20 North Court Square, (FORMERLY CARRINGTON'S.) COAL, COKE, PLASTER PARIS, FIREWOOD, KINDLINGS, LAND PLASTER, CHARCOAL, LIME, SEWER PIPE, CEMENT, HAY AND FEED. C. E. MOODY, TELEPHONE NO. 121. DEPT YARD AND WAREHOUSE, TELEPHONE NO. 73. IS A SURE RELIEF TO SUFFERERS. What Hon. T. D. Johnston says about it: "About four years ago I commenced the use of the Glenn Springs water, to rid my system of the malaria from which I had been suffering for some time. The water has entirely relieved me and I cheerfully state that I believe it to be as good water as can be found for all ordinary diseases of the liver and kidneys. For a general tonic and renovator of the system I believe it has no equal. Very truly yours, "T. D. JOHNSTON."

From John P. Arthur, Esq., Attorney at Law: "I don't know the constituents of the Glenn Springs water, if I did I would make some for myself. Neither do I know how it acts, if I did I would act so myself. It is a well made water and it acts well. I can only say that its effects on me and my forefathers have been more beneficial than any other water we ever used, and I am glad it has been put in the reach of as poor a man as I am. JOHN P. ARTHUR, JOHN P. ARTHUR, "To Pelham's Pharmacy, May 23, 1893."

What C. T. Rawls writes Pelham's Pharmacy, Asheville, N. C.: "Ourselves—I have used Glenn Springs water and consider it, as compared with mineral waters, the best I know of. Everyone in South Carolina knows about 'Old Springs.' In fact it has been most favorably known there for a century. "C. T. RAWLS." Asheville, N. C., May 27, 1893. PELHAM'S PHARMACY, Sole Agents, Asheville, N. C.

WE: RE-SCREEN: ALL: COAL. At Our New Chute. OUR FACILITIES FOR PROMPT DELIVERY ARE UNEQUALLED. We handle the best quality of Coke and Jellico and Anthracite Coal. Your orders will have careful attention. ASHEVILLE ICE & COAL CO., 34 Patton Avenue. Telephone No. 40. Triumphs of Modern Milling are the Roller King and Electric Light Flours. Don't accept others as "just as good." Ask your grocer for ASHEVILLE MILLING CO.'S PRODUCTS. Choice Corn Meal and Graham Flour. Wholesalers of Grain and Mill Feed.

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