

BAPTIST 75 MILLION DOLLAR CAMPAIGN IS NOW NEARING ITS END

"Victory Week," November 30—December 7 Brings Great Movement to Close; Signs Point to Universal Success.

MANY CHURCHES EXCEED QUOTA

(By Rev. E. E. Bomar, D. D.)
The campaign waged by the 3,000,000 Baptists of the Southern Baptist Convention will come to an end with "Victory Week," Nov. 30-Dec. 7. This campaign has been of more than ordinary interest because it is the first attempt of a purely religious democracy to get together on a big program. The Greensboro News recently said:
"In this colossal drive the postulates of democracy are themselves at stake; the equation between dollars and devotion is about to be established. The denomination which has worked out a democracy pure and undefiled within its own church policy is now confronting with the task of lifting from the largest possible number such a collection as bureaucracy in its most arrogant days never would have dared to dream.
"The history of Baptism in this state is epic. There are in North Carolina 300,000 members of this faith, which is just twice as many as were in the United States a trifle more than 100 years ago. A century ago the Baptists were a feeble folk, numerically small, mentally acute but untrained, spiritually fervid but narrow; a people without a written creed, without a liturgy; yet by their own self-determination they have come to first position in numerical strength, in gifts to education, and in spirituality they are far more sympathetic than their fathers."
Every indication points to victory in the South, the State and the Country. Many churches in the State have already made their canvass—in almost every case exceeding their apportionment. In our own county several have quickly passed the goal or they are approaching it.
The churches not yet well organized for the canvass are nevertheless hastening the organization and will make the canvass either on next Sunday afternoon or the week following.
The teams of the First Baptist church met Monday night and it developed that in the team there were two subscriptions of \$1000 and several of \$500 or more.
But everything depends on close, hard prayerful work. The victory is not won until every member of all the churches has been canvassed.
Directors and pastors of churches will please report their results to me, not to Raleigh.

FULL WEEK OF SERVICES AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Thanksgiving and Preparation for "Victory Week" Canvass Will Make Busy Season.

This is a full week.
Prayer and Praise Meeting, Wednesday night—7:30 o'clock.
Thanksgiving services, with collection for the orphanage, on Thursday 11 a. m.
Thanksgiving entertainment by Pastor's Aid Society at the parsonage, Friday evening for the benefit of the organ fund.
Meeting of all captains with their teams at the church on Saturday night, 7:30 for final instructions and arrangements.
Worship with sermon, Sunday 11 a. m.
Seventy-five Million canvass Sunday afternoon 2-6.
Worship with baptismal services, 7:30 p. m.
The prayers of all God's people are requested for our success in the canvass.
EDWARD E. BOMAR, Pastor.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Ruth Livingstone entertained a number of friends at the home of Mrs. Willie Pace on Green River last Saturday night. The home was artistically and appropriately decorated for the occasion. There were a number of interesting games played and enjoyed by all who were present, after which refreshments were served. The following guests were present: Claude Beddingfield, Lloyd, Lee, Uless, Kelsey, Robert, Lela, Sam and Sampson Bayne, Amy, Leona, Forest and L'iver Capps, Lillie, Lloyd, Lum and L'icton Pace, Hattie and Cora Livingstone, sisters of the hostess.

PLEASANT PIANO RECITAL AT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

The auditorium of the High School was filled to its capacity on Friday evening when friends had the pleasure of hearing a well balanced program of classical numbers rendered by Mrs. A. W. Honeycutt, assisted by her advanced student, Miss Clola Pauline of Asheville.
Quartette numbers interspersed the program and added the bit of wit and harmony needed to relax the audience. Messrs. Honeycutt, McAdams, Tebeau and Hodges kindly responded to enclose after singing Park's arrangement of "A Perfect Day" and "Kentucky Babe."
This is the first of a series of musical entertainments being arranged for the winter months. The second performance will follow the holiday season's festivities, and is already being pleasantly anticipated by both participants and friends.

CHIMNEY ROCK TO HAVE TELEPHONE CONNECTION WITH PRINCIPAL POINTS

Southern Bell Will Build Line From Asheville By Way of This City in The Near Future.

DR. MORSE IS GIVEN CREDIT

The Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company has decided to build a telephone line from Asheville to Chimney Rock by way of Hendersonville. That wire connection between these important points, which has heretofore been inadequate, will be established in the near future, is evident from the following letters written by N. Buckner, secretary of the board of trade of Asheville:
Dr. L. B. Morse,
Hendersonville, N. C.
Dear Dr. Morse:
I have the personal assurance from Mr. Morgan B. Spier, General Manager of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co., of Charlotte, that materials and supplies have been ordered for a telephone line to connect Chimney Rock and Asheville, via Hendersonville and that it is expected the line will be completed and open for the spring and summer business of 1920.
With best wishes,
Cordially,
N. BUCKNER, Secretary.

MR. GARVIN TAKES CLASSES TO SPECIAL DAIRY SCHOOL

Hendersonville and Flat Rock Pupils Given Advantage Of The Course at Asheville.

Victor Garvin, the newly-appointed teacher of classes in livestock and dairying at the High schools of Hendersonville and Flat Rock, reached Asheville this morning with about a dozen boys and young men who are under his instruction, planning to take them to the dairy school being held at Grace today with Earl Britnall and A. C. Kimrey, of the state department, conducting the gathering.
Mr. Garvin described in an interesting way the work of these newly organized classes opened in Hendersonville and Flat Rock on November 1. The courses are held in the former town during the mornings of the week, and at the latter point in the afternoons, there being already twenty-five men and boys receiving instruction at the two places. These courses are divided into class room or laboratory work, and project work in the fields and on the farms of the community, each division lasting for a period of six months.
The courses have been established with the assistance of the Smith-Hughes act, enabling progressive farmers of the community to take advantage of this instruction without personal expense. Courses in allied science and laboratory work at the high schools are also open to them if they so desire. Mr. Garvin points out the great value to the community of having a goodly number of trained farmers at work, thus supplying the county with a large number of demonstration agents instead of merely one.
While Mr. Garvin came into Western North Carolina primarily to investigate possibilities in the sugar beet industry, he believes that the general growth of livestock raising and dairying must be first attained before the best industry can be made a paying proposition in this section. Mr. Garvin owns a farm near Hendersonville, upon which practical demonstrations are carried on, and he also has a ranch in Wyoming, where cattle raising is carried on upon a large scale. He has had many years of experience in his chosen field.
In connection with this work, the Hendersonville News has opened a department given over to agriculture, Mr. Garvin editing the column, to which contributions from his pupils are received upon various phases of their work.—Asheville Citizen.

EDNEYVILLE NO. 5 TO HAVE A SPECIAL TAX ELECTION

Two-Thirds Of People In District Ask For Means Of Improving School By Popular Vote.

A special school tax election will be held on November 29 in district No. 5, Edneyville township.
P. S. Moore, a citizen of the district, some weeks ago circulated a petition, to which two-thirds of the qualified voters affixed their signatures, and the petition being laid before the board of county commissioners on November 6, an election was ordered at that time.
The election will be held on the question of a tax of 20 cents on the 100 dollars worth of property and 60 cents on the poll.
The voting will take place at Barnwell school house, beginning at 10 o'clock.

SCHOOLS TAKE VACATION

The city schools will be closed for a Thanksgiving vacation for the remainder of this week.

Hendersonville Enjoys Unrivalled Building Boom; Million Dollars Involved

REAL ESTATE PURCHASES AND BUILDING DEVELOPMENTS APPROACH INVESTMENT OF MILLION DOLLARS; RESPONSE TO DEMAND FOR BUSINESS BUILDINGS AND TOURIST ACCOMMODATIONS; HENDERSONVILLE ENJOYS GREATEST BUILDING BOOM IN HER HISTORY.



Hendersonville has taken a longer stride.

She has always shambled along at a fairly good pace but now she is approaching the maximum speed. Recent real estate deals, and building operations in progress and contemplated for the near future, have by conservative estimate been placed at a valuation of one million dollars—some activity for a small city coming in rapid progress on the heels of what was the best tourist year in the history of the South's popular playground.

The cartoon herewith, drawn for The News by W. E. Allison, recently discharged from the navy and here on a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. A. H. Williams, graphically sets forth the real estate activity of Hendersonville—an activity perhaps never before matched in the life of this community. Along with this activity has come higher prices. A new standard of real estate values in Hendersonville was established last summer perhaps 25 per cent above the old prices by the remarkable sale of the W. A. Smith property on Main street.

Every real estate firm in the city reports heavy sales of property at good prices during the past few months. The real estate deals by conservative estimate during the past few months will reach about half a million dollars. Signs of growth and progress are evident on every hand. Almost in every direction one can see old buildings in repair or new residences and business houses in course of erection.

FIRST LYCEUM NUMBER FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5th.

DeMille Quartet Will Be At City Hall Auditorium; Some Fine Singing Promised.

The first attraction of the Lyceum course this winter will be the DeMille Quartet, which will be at the City Hall auditorium on Friday night, December 5.
The members of the quartet are all residents of Toronto, Canada, and are said to have established a high record in the class of work represented by Lyceum and Chautauqua courses.
The repertoire includes selections from the great oratorios and operas; the choicest of the English, Scotch and Irish melodies, and standard and popular songs.
Except for the solo work of the piano accompanist, the entire program will consist of vocal numbers.
The committee in charge of the sale of tickets reports that only 100 reservations remain unsold for the full course.
Noah Hollowell, editor of The News, left Wednesday for a visit of a few days to his parents in Chowan county.
Mrs. J. W. Bailey returned Tuesday from Bryson City, where she had been for a few days visiting her father who is ill.

The building and improvement boom while prevalent in nearly all parts of the city has been more marked during the past few months on 5th avenue than elsewhere.

As to business buildings, more are in the course of erection perhaps than ever before, at one time. Brownlow Jackson is building a large business block opposite the postoffice and since beginning the erection of this building has decided to make it three stories high instead of two because of the great demand for the space for business firms, offices, living apartments, etc.
The Citizens National Bank is laying the foundation for its handsome, commodious and strictly modern building.
The First Bank & Trust Company is enlarging its quarters by removing a wall that separated the bank from the millinery store of Miss M. E. Woodall. This will serve only temporarily. A larger and more commodious building is in sight for the coming year. It will be erected on the bank's present site.
William Lott is laying the foundation for a large garage building opposite the Citizens National Bank.
F. H. Kincaid has laid the foundation for a two-story brick building on Main street, to be occupied by his grocery store.
The city has seen the need of more boarding house and hotel facilities as well as residences and store rooms and is responding to this need.
J. O. Bell is to make a twenty-five

CITIZENS BANK REPORT SHOWS FINANCIAL HEALTH

Lays Foundation For Larger and More Modern Banking Home; Deposits Nearly Three-quarters of Million.

The quarterly report of the Citizens National Bank reflects good financial conditions for the community it serves. The total resources reach \$851,291.29 with deposits amounting to nearly three quarters of a million, \$728,279.80 to be exact.

In this connection it is interesting to note that the Citizens National Bank this week laid the foundation for what will be a strictly modern bank building on the corner of Main and Fourth.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper given by the young ladies of the Pleasant Grove school and vicinity on Friday night, Nov. 28, at the school building, for the benefit of a new school building.
The public is cordially invited.
MARY ORR, Teacher

BUYING IN GOODS

H. Patterson is in Chicago buying goods. Mr. Patterson said he had heard of a good thing there and was going after it.

room boarding house out of the old Marlboro Villa.

Will Smith is converting the Smith office building into larger quarters for boarding house purposes and the building will be located on King street.
The hotel proposition from Mr. Tallevast of Miami, Fla., is by no means dead or sleeping and from this a hotel costing about \$200,000 is confidently expected to develop. If it doesn't Brownlow Jackson and J. O. Bell expect to build one. Mrs. A. M. Gover has announced that she will erect a hotel next year on Fifth avenue.
Prospects are bright for the erection of another small hotel in this city and for this negotiations are now pending but no specific information is given out for publication.
Considering all her activities, Hendersonville's growth and progress is distinctly marked and the developments now in the making and those contemplated are expected to bring even a greater boom to this city—the most rapidly growing city in Western Carolina.
As to the merits of the artistic work of Mr. Allison, who has drawn several cartoons of local application, the one herewith so strikingly set forth Hendersonville's boom that The News decided it was worth wider publicity and would justify the expense of a cut made by engravers from Mr. Allison's drawing.

INCOME TAX INSPECTOR FOR ZONE 16, DISTRICT 4.

The income tax organization for the fourth district of North Carolina, comprising 16 zones and effective on December 1, has been announced by Supervisor K. D. Watts.
J. H. Harwood is inspector of zone 16, with post of duty at Bryson City. This zone includes Henderson, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Jackson, Macon, Polk, Rutherford, Swain and Transylvania counties.

TO BUY ICE MACHINERY

J. O. Bell and John T. Wilkins leave Sunday for Chicago and other points for the purpose of inspecting and buying ice making machinery for the Home Ice and Oil Company. They will be gone about one week.

LIVINGSTON—JAMISON

Miss Lena Livingston of Tryon and W. W. Jamison of Asheville were married in the Lutheran church of Asheville, Monday, November 24. The wedding was a very quiet one with only the immediate families and close friends being present. The young couple will make their home in Asheville. Mrs. Jamison-nee Miss Lena Livingston has spent several seasons here and is well known in the city.

FIRST BANK REACHES THE MILLION DOLLAR MARK

First Time In City's History That Banking Resources Reach This Point; Making Larger Quarters.

"A Million Dollar Bank!" For the first time in the history of Hendersonville banking that's the record of the First Bank & Trust Company.
Its current quarterly statement shows resources in excess of a million dollars. They total \$1,051,946.61. The deposits approach a million being \$943,641.24.
The bank has outgrown its present quarters and in order to relieve the situation temporarily has torn out the wall that separated it from the store room formerly occupied by Miss M. E. Woodall and will use this for banking purposes until the handsome and commodious banking building is

CIVIL CASES COMING BEFORE SUPERIOR COURT

The following civil cases, in addition to those recorded last week, were in Superior Court before Judge J. L. Webb:

Suit brought by the City of Hendersonville against Laurel Park street railway was continued.
In the case of Mary L. Lyda vs. W. W. Lyda, administrator of J. M. Lyda, the defendant asked for nonsuit, which was allowed by the court. The plaintiff appealed to Supreme Court.
In the case of the Citizens National Bank vs. B. Jackson and C. S. Fullbright, liquidating agents of the Peoples National Bank, J. C. Morrow and J. M. Stepp, judgment was awarded against Fullbright and Jackson, with the case against Morrow and Stepp continued.
In case of W. C. Jordan vs. Georgia Anna Fowler, Geo. Switzer and wife Maggie Switzer and others, damages were allowed to the defendants. George Ganakos obtained damages against Fred C. Brown for injury to car.
Mrs. A. M. Gover vs. T. M. Mashburn, damages awarded to plaintiff.
In case of R. L. Edwards trading as Hendersonville Hardware Co., vs. J. C. Price, M. Carson Horne, J. R. Willson and J. R. Willson Lumber Co., Edwards recovered \$288.81 from Price and \$166.67 from Horne. Willson Lumber Co., recovered \$612.75 from Horne.

SHOT WHILE HUNTING

Dr. Uttey, a visitor from New Jersey, was accidentally shot while hunting in the neighborhood of Etowah last Thursday. He was taken to the Parton Memorial Hospital, where his condition at the present writing is favorable.

HAPPINESS BROUGHT TO THE BALFOUR ORPHANAGE

Money, Clothes, Electric Washing Machine And Even Sugar Are Donated by Friends.
The most successful shower in the history of Balfour orphanage was held yesterday afternoon for the orphanage, where a number of homeless boys and girls are being cared for with the same diligence and attention that a mother gives her child.
A number of articles needed by the orphanage were among those contributed, in addition to \$285 in money. Mrs. Theodore B. Morrison presented an electric washing machine, and W. A. Ward made the gift of an electric motor, with which the machine can be operated. These two articles were among the most badly needed at the orphanage and were received with great joy. They will lighten the laundry work and reduce expense incidental with that work.
Among other articles which were donated and which will contribute to the comfort of the little ones were clothes. These were received, with especial joy, in that they will alleviate the necessity of purchasing clothing for several. One hundred pounds of sugar, and other items for the table were included in the shower yesterday.—From Asheville Citizen.

RETURNS FROM TENNESSEE

Dr. J. F. Brooks has returned from Alcoa, Tenn. He is not expecting to return at present as the works there have closed down for the winter.

PICKELSIMER—MORGAN

Miss Lillie Pickelsimer of Etowah and M. H. Morgan of Blantyre were married on Monday in the office of the clerk of court by J. L. Pace, justice of peace.

HOOR OF MEETING CHANGED

The regular weekly meeting of the Epworth League has been changed from Sunday evening just before church services to 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

MISS TRENHOLM ENTERTAINS

Miss May Trenholm entertained at her home in Flat Rock Thursday afternoon in honor of the Joseph McDowell chapter of D. A. R. The meeting was well attended and much enjoyed. A visiting daughter, Miss Cleveland, from Virginia was present. During the afternoon refreshments were served in the dining room which was beautifully decorated with white and yellow chrysanthemums.