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S. S. CONVENTION TO BEGIN SUNDAY

THREE DAYS' PROGRAM PLANNED BY RELIGIOUS WORKERS.

Sunday School Leaders of City and County Will Meet at Presbyterian Church Here.

Beginning next Sunday and continuing through Tuesday the Henderson County Sunday School Convention will convene at the Presbyterian church here. Sunday School workers of all denominations are urged to attend. The Sunday night service will be held at the Grove Street Baptist church.

Prof. A. M. Locker, of the staff of the International Sunday School Association, Chicago, and D. W. Sims, general superintendent North Carolina Sunday School Association, Ral-



PROF. A. M. LOCKER

will be present to conduct the meetings.

C. S. Fullbright, superintendent Grove Street Baptist S. S., is chairman of the committee on arrangements, and he will preside over the initial sessions.

The others of the committee are as follows: A. W. Honeycutt, Supt. First Methodist S. S.; Marion Walker, Supt. First Baptist S. S.; A. H. Morey, Supt. Presbyterian S. S.; J. D. Mauney, Supt. Lutheran S. S.; Rev. A. W. Farnum, Supt. Episcopal S. S.; Rufus Hoots, Supt. Wesleyan Methodist S. S.; Dan McCrary, Supt. Mission Baptist S. S.

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CARLINA TERRACE CONSTRUCTING BIG CONVENTION HALL

Will Have Floor Space of 6,000 Feet; Baraca-Philathea Convention Headquarters.

The big Convention Hall of the Carolina Terrace is being erected on the site of the former hall, which was recently removed.

It is the purpose of the management to have the building completed in time for summer use. The building will provide 6,000 square feet of floor space and the flooring will consist of the best grade of maple so as to make a perfect floor for dancing purposes.

It will be an open air structure with sufficient enclosure to protect those who occupy it from the gaze of the outside. In addition to the dressing rooms there will be an oriental tea room where light refreshments will be served daily from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 12 o'clock at night.

The management announces that the Convention Hall will be free for the use of the ladies who desire to hold card parties, club meetings and other gatherings.

The first public gathering to use the building will be the State Baraca-Philathea convention, which has adopted the Carolina Terrace as convention headquarters.

Blue Ridge Inn Is Enjoying Popularity

"The Blue Ridge Inn has had more traveling salesmen during the last thirty days than ever before accommodated during the same length of time," stated Dr. Frank Bright, manager, yesterday.

With this fact in mind, and also the fact that for several days every room at present available in this modern European hotel has been taken, Dr. Bright thinks the prospects exceedingly good for a fine season.

CHILDREN WILL GIVE PROGRAM

The elementary department of the city schools will give a program consisting of an operetta and play Friday night, April 21. This is the first entertainment of this kind undertaken by the children of the primary grades.

CONVALESCING IN HOSPITAL

Harry Davenport of Horse Shoe, now a student at Clemson College, Calhoun, S. C., is convalescing in a hospital at Anderson, following an attack of influenza. His mother, Mrs. D. N. Davenport, is with him.

FOREIGN EVENTS TOLD IN BRIEF NEWSY STYLE

Summary of Events Happening in Foreign Countries; World's Activities.

Viscount Peel, former British under-secretary of the war and air ministry, and chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster in the present ministry, has been appointed secretary of state for India.

A full grown jackal ran wild through the streets in the heart of Vienna recently, terrorizing the population. The beast pursued pedestrians charging right and left and biting many persons. It finally was killed. An examination revealed it had been suffering from rabies.

Lady Alice White, who was found unconscious in her room in a London hotel recently, died. A burglar is believed to have inflicted the fatal injury, a fracture of the skull.

Official announcement was made from the Vatican that Pope Pius had extended to extended to fifteen days the interval to elapse between the death of a pope and the session of the sacred college to elect his successor.

Spanish forces continue their successes against the Moroccan rebels despite stiff resistance. The latest official statement says: "Three columns commanded by General Sanjurjo have occupied Icthi Side Salam and other positions which dominate Aroaf and Tikermin. The enemy fought desperately along a fifteen kilometer front but was repulsed and pursued. Tanks and armored trucks aided in the pursuit and defeat of the enemy, whose resistance was tenacious.

Prime Minister Lloyd George and Marquis Curzon, secretary for foreign affairs, will be among Great Britain's delegates to the Genoa economic conference, it was announced.

The proclamation of the sultan, Ahmed Fuad Pasha, as king of Egypt, was accompanied by the firing of salvos of 101 guns in Cairo, Alexandria and Port Said, and of 21 guns in all the other provincial capitals.

Party strife again threatens to plunge Fiume into anarchy. Immediately after the fall of the Zanella government, partisan feeling subsided, all joining in choosing Major Giovanni Giuriati as head of the government, but now that he has refused the position, each party is again rivalling the others for control of the city.

Premier Poincaré of France said, at a banquet at the close of "Wine Week" in Paris, that if wine were bad for the health it would have been known since the days of the Romans, the Greeks—since Genesis."

Military occupation of Fiume has been ordered by the Italian government. Occupation of Fiume is considered as necessary to the application of the treaty of Rapallo, which charges Italy with the policing of Fiume.

RADIO OUTFITS BECOMING VERY POPULAR HERE

Six Established in City and Vicinity; Dr. Bright Will Set Up Outfit With Magnovox Horn.

Six citizens of Hendersonville and immediate vicinity have installed radio receiving outfits, and are now keeping up first hand with many of the doings of the "other half" of the world. These are, in the order in which the outfits were installed, F. A. Bly, H. I. Middleton, W. H. Bangs, J. E. Mitchell, Clarence Durham, Frank Bland and Joe Sargent. Those belonging to the following were practically hand-made: W. H. Bangs, J. E. Mitchell and Joe Sargent.

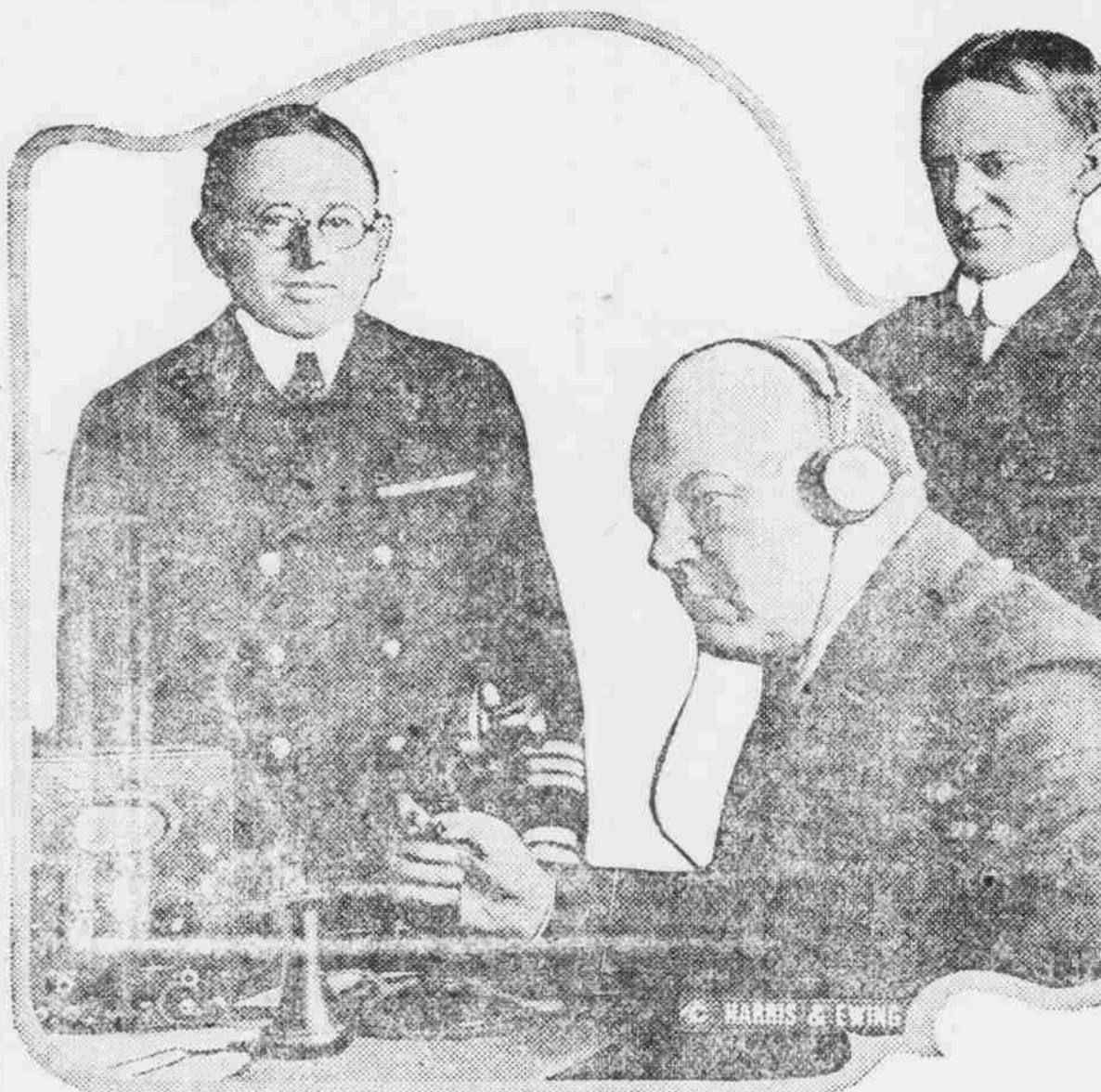
Clearly and distinctly come lectures, stock reports, music, etc., from Pittsburgh, Detroit, Chicago, Springfield, Mass., Newark, N. J., Kansas City, and other cities.

Dr. Frank Bright has placed an order with the Piedmont Electric Company of Asheville for one of the most up-to-date instruments on the market, which he will use in the Blue Ridge Inn. It will be an outfit similar to that installed for Mrs. Vanderbilt at Baltimore. The Magnovox horn, R-3, costing \$100, will be used, making it possible for a room with three hundred people to "listen in." A pole will be erected about 40 feet above the hotel building, which itself is near 50 feet high. The receiving outfit and horn will be placed in the sitting room of the hotel lobby. Dr. Bright stated that the evening concerts and lectures will be open to guests of the hotel and to the public by invitation only.

FIRST BAPTISTS WILL HOLD MISSIONARY SERVICE SUNDAY

A missionary program will be carried out at the First Baptist church Sunday morning at the Sunday School hour. Mrs. R. N. Pratt, who will be in charge, is planning several interesting features. Supt. Marion L. Walker greatly desires that the school's attendance goal of 300 be reached at this service, and requests that as many members as possible be brought.

Denby Has a Wireless Phone Now



Secretary of the Navy Denby "listening in" on his wireless telephone, recently installed in his office at the new navy building. With him in the picture are Commander C. Hooper (left), radio technical expert, who installed a similar outfit for President Harding at the White House, and Capt. Samuel W. Bryant, director of naval communications.

DR. BROWN SAYS PEACHES LITTLE HURT BY FREEZE

Freeze Probably Killed Few Peaches But Should Serve to Protect Apple Crop.

That the cold spell this week insures a bumper apple crop and that it did not destroy the peach crop is the verdict of those who calculate the damages and benefits of the freeze.

Peaches are in bloom and a few were probably killed in the opinion of Dr. J. S. Brown, owner of the large mountain peach orchard near Zirconia, but the freeze this week by no means should be taken to indicate a peach crop failure.

There were freezes on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, but the atmosphere was dry and the currents were prevalent. It is believed that the freeze did more good than harm in that it chilled the ground and retarded the growth of apple and peach trees.

The following from the Asheville Times as an interview with the Buncombe farm demonstrator will be of interest in this connection:

"That the present cold spell practically guarantees a bumper apple crop in western North Carolina and portions of eastern Tennessee, is the opinion of C. C. Proffitt, farm demonstrator agent for Buncombe county, in the heart of the apple area in the southern Appalachians.

"The ground has been sufficiently chilled to check the growth of apple trees and most peach trees, which during the past week were beginning to show signs of life. This timely setback, Mr. Proffitt says, will probably hold the growth back until the danger is over. While a few early peaches may be killed as a result of the present cold weather, the majority of peaches are apparently safe."

DELEGATIONS ATTEND THOMSON MEETINGS HERE

Fraternal Orders and Organized Classes, Each in a Body, Add to Revival Congregations.

The Thomson evangelists meetings at the Presbyterian church, which have stirred a large part of the community during the past two weeks, will close Sunday night. The meetings have been excellently attended. Delegations of the fraternal order of the Knights of Pythias and the Blue Ridge School attended the Tuesday night service, and the Baptist Philathea class went in a body Wednesday night. The Odd Fellows and Woodmen of the World expect to come in delegations tonight.

Dr. Thomson's subjects for the remainder of the meetings will be as follows: tonight's service, "Heaven;" Saturday night, "How to be saved and know you're saved;" Sunday morning, "Making Jesus Real;" Sunday night, "The Judgment."

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Thomson will give the last of her most instructive and interesting lectures, on "The Shepherd's Psalm."

Before each of these night services Mr. Williams will conduct a half-hour song service.

CONVENTION LEADER TO PREACH SUNDAY FOR FIRST BAPTISTS

D. W. Sims will preach at the First Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Sims is general superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School Association. With Prof. A. M. Locker, an international Sunday School leader, Mr. Sims will conduct the Sunday School to begin Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian church.

NATIONAL EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE BRIEFLY TOLD

Principal Topics of Interest Throughout Nation in Condensed Form.

Death by poison ended the flight of Otto Halder Larsen, student at the Massachusetts institute of technology, Boston, from the gay party at which Pauline Virginia Clark, divorcee, ended her life. His body was found in the Fenway, behind the museum of fine arts, apparently dead only a short time.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, charged with the murder of J. Beffon Kennedy, in Los Angeles, Calif., was unable to agree, and was discharged by the judge.

John L. Lewis, president of the international organization of United Mine Workers, announces that six hundred thousand union miners in the anthracite and bituminous fields will quit work April 1 unless some unforeseen solution of the present war controversy is offered in the meantime. The motion picture industry looks upon the demands made upon it by the American public as a challenge which is accepted to the ultimate, declared Will H. Hays, the new chief of the industry, in addressing a meeting in New York recently.

A plot to blow up bridges and property and cripple service of the Virginia Railway and Power company, operating street car lines in Portsmouth, Va., is alleged to have been uncovered by Norfolk county police.

The American Window Glass company of Pittsburg, the Johnston Brokerage company, a Pennsylvania corporation, more than one hundred window glass manufacturers and heads of three labor unions in the industry, have been indicted by a federal grand jury in New York City for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The Fitzgerald (Ga.) Fair association, supported by the chamber of commerce, will hold a fair this fall.

Two crippled women, a little crippled boy and an armless man appeared in a Brooklyn court as witnesses against John Stefan, who admitted that he employed the four to beg for him.

Thirty-four indictments were reported by a federal grand jury at Buffalo, N. Y., in connection with thefts from the New York Central railroad, said to have aggregated more than \$2,000,000 in the last year.

The second trial of the case of Lonnie Moran and R. T. Shields on the charge of murder in connection with the death of W. H. Johnson, whose body was found near Lynchburg, Va., recently.

Hope of an early settlement of the textile strike in Rhode Island, now in its eighth week, was revived recently, when the state board of mediation and conciliation, basing its action on the passage of the Lavander forty-eight-hour bill.

Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain and Arthur C. Burch are on trial in Los Angeles, Calif., for the shooting of J. Beffon Kennedy.

John T. Brunen, circus owner, who was shot to death in his home at Riverside, N. J., is said to have been the victim of an "inside" job. The public prosecutor believes that his chef did the shooting.

In a daylight pistol battle, Police-man McMail was killed in New York by a thug, who had retreated into a stoneyard. The thug was wounded so badly that he was captured, and four automatic pistols and a dagger were found on him.

It is announced that a baby has arrived at the home of Alice Brady, actress, who was divorced from her husband, James Lyons Crane, in January. She married Crane two years ago.

Three women will sit on the jury which will try Fatty Arbuckle for the killing of Virginia Rappe. This is the third trial.

Demands of anthracite mine workers were recently placed in the hands of the mine owners in New York city. It is stated that a substantial increase in wages is sought.

STATE AND NATION 'WENT OVER THE TOP' IN JEWISH RELIEF

The Jewish Relief campaign conducted in February met with nationwide success. The quota for the United States was \$14,000,000, but \$17,000,000 was raised.

North Carolina "went over the top" by raising \$40,000 in excess of her quota of \$100,000, according to a wire received by A. Kontrowitz, Henderson county chairman, from Lionel Weil, state chairman. Mr. Weil stated that Louis Marshall, the national chairman of the campaign, had sent his congratulations to North Carolina for supporting the movement in so splendid a manner. Mr. Weil in his message thanked the people of this county for their part in this noble work.

Henderson county raised \$900, which was \$200 less than her quota. Mr. Kontrowitz stated.

YOUNG MEN FORM INVESTMENT CO.

IMMEDIATE OBJECT IS TO BUY AND SELL REAL ESTATE.

Sixty-six Subscribers; Books Remain Open Until April 21; All Subscriptions \$5.00.

The Hendersonville Investment Company, which recently underwent a tentative organization preparatory to applying for a charter, has received the latter and permanently organized.

The charter is very liberal as to the undertakings of the young organization which, for the present, expects to limit its operations to the real estate realm.

The Hendersonville Investment Company is composed of young men in the main and they have taken one and two hundred dollar shares each.



J. FOY JUSTICE Head of New Investment Company

paying for stock in full or on the installment plan. It is the purpose of the organization to accumulate sufficient funds to invest in some small piece of property at an attractive price and turn at a profit as soon as possible. After accumulating funds the organization will likely enter the development field and buy lots and erect moderately priced small homes.

At the time of organization, Tuesday, there were 66 stockholders, representing the purchase of 77 shares. The subscription books will remain open until April 21 and the number of shares will be limited to 100.

The treasurer has been bonded and other precautionary measures have been taken to make the organization a safe, conservative though progressive organization in a limited way. There are no salaried officers and each man has entered the investment company with the expectation of reaping more than he puts into it in the way of energy and finances.

The officers are: President, J. Foy Justice. Vice president, Roy C. Bennett. Secretary, A. R. Hanson. Assistant secretary, A. F. Barber. Treasurer, James Duff. Assistant treasurer, Emmett Lott. The directors are: Foy Justice, Noah Hollowell, P. L. Wright, Bruce Drysdale, A. F. Barber, A. R. Hanson, Chester Glenn, Roy C. Bennett, Boone Arledge, Tom Wright Keith, M. L. Walker, J. E. Mitchell, Hestley Stepp, James Duff, Emmett Lott.

The work has been divided among committeemen as follows:

Investment Committee: A. F. Barber, P. L. Wright, J. Foy Justice, Noah Hollowell, Bruce Drysdale.

Building Committee: Chester Glenn, Hestley Stepp, James Duff, M. L. Walker, P. L. Wright.

Finance Committee: James Duff, Emmett Lott, Boone Arledge, Roy C. Bennett, Tom Wright Keith.

Audit Committee: A. R. Hanson, Bruce Drysdale, Noah Hollowell, J. E. Mitchell, Hestley Stepp.

CANDLER PLAYS MOORESVILLE GIRLS FOR BASKET TITLE

The Candler and Mooresville High School girls' teams will meet on the Asheville court tomorrow night to decide the girls' basketball championship of the western division. A. W. Honeycutt, division chairman, announced yesterday.

Candler won in their divisional group, and in case the quint from that school wins in tonight's game, Athletic Director Warrick has stated, Greensboro, the central division champion, will be challenged. A game with the eastern division winners, not yet decided, would also be necessary before the state title could be gained.

HOUSES AND LOTS SOLD BY LOCAL AGENCY RECENTLY

The following real estate transactions were made by the Hendersonville Real Estate Company recently: A lot in Hyman Heights, sold to Mrs. Margaret Walker, who, it is understood, will build a dwelling house at an early date.

A six-room bungalow and an acre of land on the Clear Creek road, half a mile from the city, sold to N. J. Hawkins by S. Maxwell.

A lot to James Dwin, colored, on Sixth Avenue, West, who is building a four-room house.

A lot to Harvey Owens, colored, on Sixth Avenue, West.