BAPTISTS GATHER FOR ANNUAL MEET

North Carolina Convention To Be Held In first Church At

Goldsboro

Baptist ministers of Charlotte will we've tonight for Goldsboro to attend the annual Convention which vill begin its sessions tomorrow morning, continuing until Friday. This is the highest official body of the Baptists in North Carolina, corresponding to the Synods and ALsemblies of the Prest yterians and the Conferences of the Methodists, The opening session of the Convention is to be held, Tuesday night and the annual sermon is to be preached by Rev. C. Q. Davis of Windsor, or his alternate, Rev. J. Clyde Tunrner of threensboro. Immediately following the sermon, the president of the Convention, Rev. C. Durham of Lumberton, will call the annual meeting to order, and the organization will be effected. It generally understood that the officers of the body will be reelected. They are: President, Rev. C. H. Durham, Lumberton; vice president, A. I. Justice, Hendersonville; C. W. Scarborough, Wood-G. T. Stephenson, Winstenselem; recording secretaries, N. B. Broughton, Raleigh, and C. B. Brewer, Wake Forest; treasurer, Walters Durham, Raleigh; auditor, F. H. Briggs, Raleigh; corresponding secretary, Livingston Johnson, Raleigh; trustees, W. C. Tyree, High Point; D. S. Pace, Hendersonville;

mington. Considerable interest attaches to the annual report of the board of State missions. The work of this heard reaches every section of the State, and is being enlarged every year. This year it seems almost inevitable that the board will have to report a small deficit, but the actual facts will hardly be known until the books are closed Monday. Next in importance will be the consideration of a resolution to be presented by Rev. W. C. Barrett of Gastonia. This resolution is to provide for a closer connection between the Baptist de-

Nosh Biggs, Scotland Neck; W. N. Jones, Raleigh, and D. S. Gore, Wil-

At the present time Wake Forest College, Meredith College and the Thomasville Orphanage, while in truth institutions belonging to and supported by the Baptist of North Carolina are directly managed by boards of trustees that are selfperpetuting. This fact has aroused some comment and the purpose of the resolution of Mr. Barrett is to change the method or selecting the

There has already developed some epposition to any change in the present method of selecting the managing boards, and the consideration of the entire question promises

Baptist State Convention in Goldsboro nealls other gatherings of the same body of people in that town. Four other meetings of the Baptists of the old North State have been held there. The annual meeting of 1860 was held in Goldsboro, and the presiding officer vas Elder James McDaniel; the recording secretary was Rev. W. T. Brooks; corresponding secretary, Rev. B. F. Marable; treasurer, S. S. Biddle, and the annual sermon was delivered by Rev. H. Petty. The Convention at that session listened with pleasure to Rev. T. E. Skinner, the field agent of the Raleigh Female Seminary, and an offering of \$2,200 was made that educational institution. The Baptists of that period were giving considerable attention to colportage

Eugene Walter's new play, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," is on a romantic love story aid in the Kentucky mountains, written by John Fox, Jr., the author of "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come." It is the best play ever written by the young dramatist, while the book has been the best seller, as well as the most notable Work, of a popular writer of Amerion remances. Klaw & Erlanger, America's leading producers, present the play with charming scenic setting and splendid stage effects. Charlotte Walker will be seen in the fele of June, the wild mountain girl who has been made the inspiration of that big love which brings peace and happiness to a community dis-tressed by strife and hatred. The production appears here at the Academy of Music tonight and to-morrow matinee and night. Seats seiling at Hawley's.

'Frolics of 1912." Seats are now on sale at Hawley's for the big musical comedy revue, "The Frolics of 1912," which will be the attraction at the Academy of Music Wednesday night, December 1, with Rube Welch and Kittle Francis as the stars.

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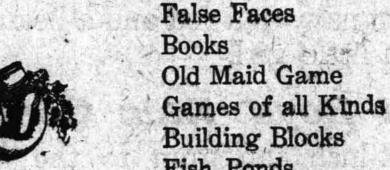
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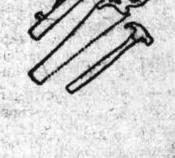
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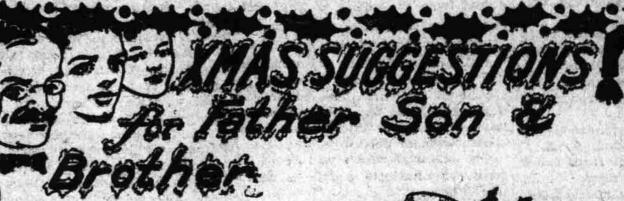
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