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COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION.

Large And Enthusiastic Gathering of Workers at Danbury Saturday—A Good Program, An Open-air Dinner, And a Good Time Generally.

The regular yearly convention of the Sunday School workers of Stokes county was held at Danbury last Saturday, attended by the largest crowd in the history of the Association.

The meeting was held in the old M. E. Church, that being the only available building in town. The house was packed, while more than a hundred persons were unable to find even standing room, and had to remain outside.

The leaders of the Sunday School movement in the county were greatly encouraged at the increased interest in the work and the great enthusiasm of the workers.

Delegates were present from schools which heretofore have not been represented, while from some schools almost the entire body of students and officers were present.

There were entertaining recitations and addresses, while papers of vital interest were read.

At twelve o'clock the audience adjourned to the grove adjacent to the new M. E. Church, where an excellent dinner prepared by ladies of Danbury, Pine Hall, and other sections of the county was read on benches.

After dinner the crowd returned to the church, where the program was resumed, adjourning about 4 o'clock.

Votes of thanks were tendered Prof. Essex and class for their excellent music, and the people of Danbury for their hospitality.

The following was the order of business:

PROGRAM.

Convention called to order by President Ratledge.

Song by Prof. A. J. Essex and class.

Devotional exercises, led by Rev. J. A. Joyce.

Address of welcome by Rev. J. T. Ratledge.

Response by Prof. A. J. Essex.

Roll call and reports from townships represented by delegates as follows:

DANBURY.

Danbury—H. M. Joyce and N. O. Petree.

MEADOWS.

Germanton Baptist Church—J. A. Pike, J. A. Simmons.

Germanton M. E. Church—J. H. Tuttle.

Friendship—J. E. Slate.

Haw Pond—W. S. Crews.

Union Hill—C. O. Boyles, J. M. Bedding.

Pine Log—Jas. Green.

Palmyra—Jas. Green.

Chaffin School House—W. G. Shultz, C. M. Bowman.

Bethany—B. F. Pulliam.

YADKIN.

Capella Union Sunday School—J. H. Goyington, S. L. Reynolds.

Mt. View School—W. A. Petree.

QUAKER GAP.

J. T. Boyles, J. E. Simmons, G. G. Ore, Dr. R. H. Morefield.

BEAVER ISLAND.

Pine Hill—Miss Patty Ralls and Miss Bettie Flinn.

Bethesda—A. J. Wall, Wallace Flinn.

Davis Chapel—W. J. Adkins, Charley Hutcherson.

Wall's School—Miss Jennie Varner, J. C. Yates.

Dillard—Misses Cora Roberts, Miss Fannie Lasley.

Knowlhurst—Mrs. C. R. Wall, Mt. Hermon—T. J. Gann, T. R. Young.

SAURATOWN.

Pisgah—J. M. Rothrock, Miss Carrie Rothrock.

Music by Prof. Essex and class.

Address—"Progress of the Work in Stokes," by J. C. Flinn.

Recitation—Miss Bessie Fagg.

Address—"Object of the Sunday School," by Prof. A. J. Essex and others.

Recitation by Miss Beulah Neal.

Song by Prof. Essex and class.

Dinner.

AFTERNOON.

Song by class.

Prayer by Rev. J. A. Long.

Address—"How to Occupy All the Territory in Stokes County," by Thos. M. Martin and others.

Song by class.

Recitation by Annie Blair.

Address—"Influence of Music in the Sunday School," by Prof. A. J. Essex.

Address—By Rev. J. Walter Long.

Song by class.

Recitation—By Miss Minnie Roberts.

Song by class.

Adjourned.

N. O. Petree and Rev. J. T. Ratledge were appointed a committee to fill out the county organization.

A committee composed of H. M. Joyce, Jno. M. Redding, S. L. Reynolds, J. T. Boyles, C. O. Mitchell and J. M. Rothrock was appointed to decide on time and place for next county convention.

The committee chose Danbury as the place, time not fixed.

MEETING AT DAN RIVER.

Four New Members Added—F. C. Smith to Build New House—Other Notes From Smith.

Smith, Aug. 21.

The protracted meeting at Dan River closed Friday. They added four new members to their church.

Lizzie, the little daughter of Mr. Richard Pucket, is right sick at this writing.

F. C. Smith is hauling lumber to build a dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Belton, of Mt. Airy, who have been visiting Mrs. Belton's father, Mr. B. A. Overby, returned to their home a few days ago.

There are two boys in this section that continue to cross the line every Sunday. There is a reward for them but the reward is in Va. and it would not be a surprise to hear of them (J. V. and F. C.) being captured in Va. at any time.

Misses Wavie Mays, Lottie and Susie Floyd, accompanied by Mr. Charlie Hamby and Grover Smith, were visitors at W. A. Martin's Sunday P. M.

Mr. Ed Clark and wife, of Campbell, were visitors at R. G. Hall's Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Jennie Wigginton is visiting at W. M. Overby's.

JOCKY BOY.

"NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.—The Reporter will not under any circumstances whatever publish any letter that is not accompanied by the real name of the writer.

This is an ironclad rule and anonymous correspondents will save stamps and stationery by remembering it.

LIVE STOCK RAISING.

The Pole Angus Breed of Cattle is Said to Be the Most Desirable. More Money in Raising Stock Than in Raising Grain.

The raising of stock all over the South is each year receiving more attention from the farmers, as it is being proven that it is more profitable than raising grain, and many breeds of cattle have been tried with more or less success.

For many years the Jerseys were very popular, but of late the Herefords and the Pole Angus are receiving much attention. The latter breed have proven themselves to be well suited to the lands of Midland Virginia. The fact of their having no horns renders them especially valuable, as it makes them much more peaceable when in pens and there is no de-horning to be done.

These cattle have been popular in the Western States for many years, where they are much prized for their beef qualities, their unique color and their absence of horns. The butchers claim that they dress well and that their carcasses give a full percentage of choice cuts.

Up to about ten years ago the Pole Angus were practically new to this State, but at the present writing there are many breeders who are handling them successfully.

The herd of Mr. C. E. Jones, at Carysbrook farm, in Fluvanna county, Va., numbers about one hundred head of different ages. Among the lot are some very fine specimens.

Mr. Jones began breeding Pole Angus cattle about nine years ago and has succeeded admirably with them, claiming that they are good feeders, very hardy, standing our climate well and thriving even on thin pastures.

As milch cows they do not head the list, either for milk or butter, being as a class, only moderate milkers, although in individual cases they do well.

As beef cattle they hold their own with any other of the breeds. The average weight of three-year-old steers run from eleven hundred to thirteen hundred pounds. The color of these fine cattle is a uniform black for the thorough-breeds, and in the case of grades, the black predominates in from sixty to seventy per cent., a large number of the grades being born without horns.

For some time the breeders throughout this State have been trying to settle on some particular breed of cattle which would do well on the pasturage furnished by the ordinary Virginia farm and give profitable returns for the money invested. The Short Horns, one of the oldest and best known herds of beef cattle, require the best pasturage to allow them to be grown profitably, never doing well on the feeding grounds. The Devons, a much-thought-of breed by some, are yet too light to make first-class beef cattle, rarely obtaining sufficient size. But in the Pole Angus, nearly every requirement desired is found, and wherever they are given a chance they have given satisfaction.

Since he began raising this breed of cattle, some nine years ago, Mr. Jones has sold numbers of his herd to farmers far and near and at remunerative figures, having dispensed of all those sold for breeding purposes only, up to the present time.—Southern Tobaccoist.

John W. Baker, of Pink, was here Friday.

TESTIMONIAL FROM HOME.

A Few Words in Behalf Of Mr. A. J. Essex.

Carlisle, Davidson county, N. C., Aug. 25, 1904.

Editor Reporter:

Having learned that the Democratic party of Stokes county have nominated Mr. A. J. Essex for the House of Representatives in that county, and being aware of the fact that he has been known in that county only a few years, I feel it a duty to the people of Stokes county as well as to Mr. Essex to say a few words in regard to him. I have known him from his infancy, he having been born and raised within three miles of me and lived for several years in sight of me. I assisted his father in operating his farm here on the Yadkin river. He was a nice boy and grew up to be a nice, moral and pious young man. He stands high and is highly respected by all who know him. I am sure all the good people of this neighborhood would say the same for him.

He was a strong advocate of Democratic principles and voted with the Democratic party altogether. I don't think the people of Stokes made any mistake in nominating Mr. Essex.

I hope to see Stokes and every county in the State go Democratic this fall by overwhelming numbers. I want to see the United States all up her majority by the million for Parker.

I am not known in Stokes but very glad if any. The only confidence and confidence my county has imposed in me is that I have been kept a Justice of the Peace for a number of years.

Very truly yours,
W. B. HAMPTON.

P. S.:

Mr. Editor, if you, after reading these few lines, believe it to be the truth and think it will be of any service give it a little space in your paper. If not give it to the waste basket.

As to my standing for truth and honesty I refer you to H. T. Phillips, Clerk of the Superior Court, and T. S. F. Dorsett, Sheriff, Lexington, N. C.

W. B. H.

ONLY FIVE RUNNING.

Most of Mecklenburg's Cotton Mills Have Shut Down.

The Charlotte Chronicle says that out of the number of cotton mills in the county, only five—the Chadwick, Hoskins, Elizabeth and Louise, of that city, and the Cornelius Mills—are in operation at the present. The reason why the others are closed down can be told in a sentence—the high price of cotton and the poor market for products.

The manufacturers who have their plants closed have no idea when they will resume operations. It depends altogether on the market and the price of cotton.

SOUR STOMACH.

When the quantity of food taken is too large or the quantity too rich, sour stomach is likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by constipation. Eat slowly and not too freely of easily digested food. Masticate the food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals, and when you feel a fullness and weight in the region of the stomach after eating, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the sour stomach may be avoided. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers.

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IN PRAISE OF CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

"Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamlett, of Eagle Pass, Texas. "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief, when my friend, Mr. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this remedy in the hands of mankind." For sale by all Druggists and Dealers.

OUR ROLL OF HONOR.

Recent Paid-In-Advance Subscriptions to the Reporter.

Wiley Mabe, to November 18, 1904.

Joseph Martin, to July 7, 1905.

C. B. Middleton, to February 18, 1905.

Miss Fannie Hix, to November 27, 1904.

E. W. Newsom, to November 18, 1904.

R. A. Newsom, to November 18, 1904.

Miss Kate P. Stone, to Nov. 18, 1904.

Dr. J. W. Slate, to May 27, 1905.

W. A. Ward, to August 25, 1905.

Miss Kate Berry, to Nov. 25, 1904.

Nat Hutcherson, to February 26, 1905.

Sam P. Martin, to November 25, 1904.

Frank Davis, to November 25, 1904.

C. C. Boyles, to November 25, 1904.

J. R. Ore, to October 29, 1904.

C. W. Campbell, to November 25, 1904.

V. T. Grabs, to October 25, 1904.

J. E. Newsom, to November 25, 1904.

Will Young, to January 1, 1905.

Jesse Joyce, to June 30, 1905.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Savage, to Feb. 11, 1905.

J. A. Joyce, to December 1904.

L. A. Danham, 1905.

Small Expenditure Wasteful.

J. B. Duke, president of the tobacco trust, is firmly of the opinion that small expenditure of money in advertising is wasteful. He says that in a city, for instance, like New York, if they spent a thousand dollars in advertising Battle Ax plug, they might, so far as profit to them is concerned, just as well give the money to the poor, but if they spent from ten to twenty thousand dollars, every dollar of it comes back promptly; that if they make displays of Battle Ax plug in cigar stores they waste their money if they use but a few hundred stores, while if they put the display in every tobacco store in the city at, say, an average cost of \$10 each, and re-inforce this by thousands of dollars' worth of posters and newspaper advertising, they get every dollar of the expenditure back almost immediately. A small company of soldiers against great odds will be annihilated, but sufficient force sweeps irresistibly on to victory.—Advertising Experience, Chicago.

Mr. Chas. Hutcherson, of Meadows, was here Saturday taking the school census.

EMERGENCY MEDICINES.

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it always the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers.