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S. S. MEETING HELD LAST WEEK

**Quaker Gap School Won Pen-
nant—An Interesting Ses-
sion Held At Pinnacle
Thursday and Friday.**

In spite of the inclement weather, the Stokes county Sunday School convention was one of the best in the history of the association. Not only was the record of attendance broken at the convention held at the Methodist Protestant church, Pinnacle, N. C., Thursday and Friday, July 12th and 13th; but also there was a peculiar interest in the Sunday school work shown by the eight hundred in attendance. The children of ten years and older up to 80 years of age sat throughout the sessions, and listened with attentiveness to the presentation of the work by the expert Sunday school workers, Miss Daisy Magee, and Prof. J. O. Webb, who are under the direction of the North Carolina Sunday School Association, and who themselves, stated the meeting was one of the best conventions on record in North Carolina.

At the first session Thursday evening, Rev. A. L. Hunter led the packed house in the song service, after which he conducted the devotional exercises. Following the introduction of the speakers of the evening, Miss Daisy Magee, Supt. of the Children's Division spoke on the needs of the child, wherein she explained how necessary it was to take in the children early in their lives and train them in the ways of honesty, truthfulness, service, and in the love of God. Following this, Prof. J. O. Webb informed his hearers how necessary it was to get the people into the Sunday school by devising ways and means not easy for them to drop out. No better method of fastening the people than by giving them a job in the Sunday school.

Rev. S. F. Morton on Friday morning led the devotional with a wonderful discourse on the change of life of Saul of Tarsus, followed by the discourse of Prof. Webb and Miss Magee. But the climax of the entire sessions was made when in the afternoon session, Miss Magee demonstrated a worship period, which was very impressive.

During the afternoon session, the committees on nomination of a place for the next meeting and the nomination of officers, reported. Mt. Zion church was placed in nomination by the committee, and unanimously adopted. The officers were nominated and unanimously elected, as follows: H. R. McPherson, President; A. S. Francis, King, vice president; F. D. Young, Secretary, Walnut Cove, N. C.; Mrs. M. O. Jones, Supt. Children's Division; T. C. Jones, Supt. Young People's Division, Pinnacle, N. C.; M. O. Jones, Supt. Adult Division, Danbury, N. C.; C. W. Allen, Supt. Administrative Division, Pinnacle, N. C.

The State workers gave due praise to the county officers for the excellent showing made by the county during the last fiscal year. Based on a percentage basis of one hundred, the county raised during the (Continued on page 4.)

LAKE HERE NAMED "STEDMAN LAKE"

**Stokes Chamber Commerce
and Lions Club of County
Suggested Name.**

Winston-Salem, July 16.—The fishing lake in Stokes county, which is being built by the local chapter of the Izaak Walton League, will be named Stedman's Lake in honor of Captain R. T. Stedman, president of the local chapter and one of the prime movers in the project to build the lake. This information was given out on Monday morning by A. G. Gordon of the local chapter.

The name was suggested by the Chamber of Commerce of Stokes county and endorsed by the Lions Club at Danbury. Mr. Gordon said that while no official action has been taken by the local chapter, still it is certain that the name will be officially passed upon at the next meeting of the chapter during the last week in August.

Mr. Gordon said that the progress of the work on the lake-site is very satisfactory and that work on the dam is expected to start within the near future. The chapter is still in need of about two thousand dollars to assure necessary funds for the completion of the work, but it is thought this will be forthcoming within a short while.

At Court House Sunday Afternoon

Pastor O. E. Ward, of the Walnut Cove Baptist church, requests this paper to announce that Marshall Mott will preach at the court house in Danbury on Sunday afternoon next at 3 o'clock. Mr. Mott, who is assisting Rev. Mr. Ward, in a series of revival meetings at Walnut Cove Baptist church, will be remembered here as a son of the late M. L. Mott, who was solicitor of the Superior court here for a number of years. The young man is a most forceful speaker and the public is invited to come out and hear him.

Auto Accident On Walnut Cove Road

An accident that might have proved fatal occurred Sunday morning between Meadows and Walnut Cove when a Dodge and Ford car side swiped each other, taking wheels and fenders off of both cars. In one car was Everett Lawson of the Dillard section, while Charlie Boles, Spencer Jones and Dillard Dodson, of Walnut Cove, occupied the other. No one was injured, though one of the cars was knocked off the road into a ravine.

Officers Pour Out Six Barrels Beer

At a still site down near the Walnut Cove power plant on Dan river Sheriff J. Frank Dunlap and Constable Rufus Mabe on Saturday poured out six barrels of beer that was intended to be used for making whiskey. The officers stated that some of the barrels had a bushel or two of blackberries mixed with the beer.

They tell me the reason they measure the sea in knots is because they would never get the ocean tide if they didn't.

JUNIORS HOLD MEETING HERE

**J. John Taylor Is Made Dis-
trict Deputy—Address By
J. C. Shutt and Others—
Picnic Is Held and Meeting
Has Large Attendance.**

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics of the eighth district, which comprises a number of counties of the Piedmont section of the State, held the quarterly meeting of the order here with Danbury council on last Saturday, sessions being held in the afternoon at 3 o'clock and at night, with a picnic preceding the night meeting.

The afternoon session was held in the Junior hall and presided over by District Deputy J. C. Shutt, of Southside council No. 80. Rev. H. W. Hudspeth conducted devotional service, after which the reports were read and approved. It was found that Danbury council had made greater gain in membership than any order in the district.

The election of officers was then taken up and the following were named:

J. John Taylor, district deputy.

S. W. Rierson, vice-district governor.

M. O. Jones, recording secretary.

W. H. Howard, warden.

R. W. Sheets, I. S.

E. M. Parrish, O. S.

C. M. Simmons, conductor.

C. R. Hutcherson, chaplain.

The picnic at 6 o'clock was held in the grove just back of the M. E. church, and everyone present enjoyed the bountiful supply of good things to eat.

The night session was held in the school auditorium and was largely attended. The session opened with the singing of "America", after which prayer was offered by Rev. C. C. Hutcherson. The address of welcome was delivered by M. O. Jones and this was responded to by J. C. Shutt, after which the meeting was addressed by the retiring District Deputy J. C. Shutt, followed by short talks from Numa R. Reed, John Reynolds, Rev. H. W. Hudspeth, S. W. Rierson and others.

The next quarterly meeting of the order will be held with Germantown Council No. 299.

It is felt by the Juniors and others here that the Danbury order won quite a distinction in securing the district deputyship, as well as getting two other officers of the district organization.

Mr. Westmoreland Claimed By Death

Winston-Salem, July 17.—J. T. Westmoreland, 50, former owner of the Mt. Airy Star, who operated a filling station on the Rural Hall road, six miles from Winston-Salem died last night at 6:15 o'clock at his home, after an extended illness.

Several months ago, due to ill health, Mr. Westmoreland was forced to dispose of his interest in the Mt. Airy Star. He came to this county and opened his filling station on the Rural Hall road, which he operated until his death.

Mr. Westmoreland was the son of the late J. F. Westmoreland, who was State Senator from Davidson county for many years.

TO BUILD NEW CHURCH

**Presbyterians Will Have House
of Worship In Quaker Gap
Township—Lot and Funds
Donated.**

The Presbyterians, led by Rev. H. W. Hudspeth, of Danbury, are going ahead with preparations for the erection of a Presbyterian church in Quaker Gap township, near Vaden's school house. A lot has been donated for the house of worship by Rev. R. W. George, of Francisco, while funds are being solicited for the building.

This week a revival is in progress at Vaden's School House, conducted by Rev. H. W. Hudspeth, and much interest is being shown in the meetings. One of the Billy Sunday teams is expected to have charge of the services tonight.

MRS. MARSHALL OF DENNIS IS DEAD

**Wife of W. H. Marshall Passes
Away After Illness of Sev-
eral Weeks.**

Mrs. W. H. Marshall, aged about 60 years, died at her home near Dennis at 8 o'clock Tuesday night following a several weeks and serious illness for the past few days. Surviving are her husband and several children. Mrs. Marshall was well known throughout the section of country where she lived. A number of close relatives are living in Stokes and Forsyth counties.

A Stokes Farmer Who Lives At Home

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rogers were visitors here from Lawsonville Tuesday. Mr. Rogers is one of the few farmers who has never bought any flour, meal or meat for his family or feed stuff for his stock, having always grown these things at home. He was riding in a large brand new car when he visited in Danbury.

Paul Taylor Goes To South Carolina

Paul Taylor left today for Kingstree, S. C., where he and his associates will operate a tobacco warehouse this season. The warehouses in South Carolina open within the next few days. The crop is about a normal one in South Carolina.

Walnut Cove Store Is Burglarized

The store of J. H. Fulton & Co., at Walnut Cove, was burglarized Sunday night, the thieves entering from the basement door. Quite a lot of merchandise, from clothing to cigarettes, was carried away, and so far the evidence is not sufficient against any one to justify an arrest. However, several parties are under suspicion.

Dr. C. R. Hutcherson Is Seriously Ill

Information from Walnut Cove today was to the effect that Dr. C. R. Hutcherson was seriously ill and little hope is entertained for his recovery. Dr. Hutcherson had been ill for some time but has become much worse this week.

Ads in the Reporter Pay

TWO TEXAS LEADERS BOLT

**Will Support Gov. Smith and
Claim They Control 250,000
Votes In That State.**

Dallas, Tex., July 16.—Two Republican leaders, of Texas today announced a bolt to the standard of Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York, while on the other side of the political fence, Democratic bolters gathered here for a conference tomorrow at which plans for a fight on the Democratic Presidential nominee will be formulated.

J. M. O'Hara, organization manager of the State Republican committee which backed an uninstructed delegation to the Republican National Convention, and W. M. (Gooseneck Bill) McDonald, negro Republican leader, announced at Fort Worth that they would throw their support to Governor Smith. They declared they controlled 250,000 votes in Texas.

Real Estate Deals In Stokes County

J. W. Hall, Trustee, Sauratown township, lot to Dan River Lumber & Milling Co., consideration \$900.

N. O. Petree, Trustee, Sauratown township, 53.5 acres to Ruth W. Hairston, consideration \$600.

W. R. Badgett, Trustee, Yadkin township, 100 acres to J. M. Mitchell, consideration \$2,842.09.

J. A. Simmons, Quaker Gap township, 155 acres to R. L. and B. H. Simmons, consideration \$390.

I. M. Gordon, Yadkin township, 57.12 acres to Samuel I. Boyles, consideration \$1285.

C. F. White, Yadkin township, 2 lots to W. S. and W. H. Holder, consideration \$1670.

C. H. Lunsford, Peters Creek, 80 acres to P. J. Bennett, consideration \$1670.

W. S. & W. H. Holder, Yadkin township, lot to H. N. Pattee and H. W. Hauser, consideration \$1.

W. A. Covington, Danbury 50 acres to Robert Booth, consideration \$1185.

Ellis Price, 30 acres to Nancy Price, consideration \$100.

Baptist Meeting At Oak Ridge Church

The association held by the Missionary Baptist church for the district at Oak Ridge church on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week was largely attended and much interest was shown in the sessions. Rev. Fred N. Day, of Winston-Salem is moderator of the association. Rev. J. A. Joyce is pastor of the Oak Ridge church. Several Danbury people attended services each day.

Revival Services At Walnut Cove Church

A series of revival services are being conducted at Walnut Cove Baptist church this week by pastor O. E. Ward, who is being very ably assisted by M. L. Mott, of Winston-Salem. Mr. Wolslagle is directing the music for the services. The public is cordially invited to attend.

I wonder when most of us will realize that children as a rule, have their parents sized up pretty well.

DEMOCRATS MEET IN RALEIGH

**State Chairman Declares That
Neither Party Has Dry
Plank In Platform—O. M.
Mull Is Made Chairman
Unanimously.**

Raleigh, July 17.—Organizing for the coming campaign by the unanimous election of Odus M. Mull, Shelby, as chairman, the State Democratic Executive Committee was plunged into a heated discussion tonight by a resolution pledging support of the party ticket "from constable to president." The resolution was finally adopted without a roll call.

Chairman Mull, in announcing his campaign plans, stated a conference had been called here tomorrow of the ten Congressmen, two Senators, Governor and other State officials to start the Democratic drive, which he predicted will place O. Max Gardner in the Governor's chair and Governor Smith in the White House.

The attack on Governor Smith, made by John B. Wright, of Raleigh, was challenged by Attorney General Dennis G. Brummitt, who had just retired as committee chairman in favor of Odus M. Mull, of Shelby, the choice of O. Max Gardner, nominee for Governor.

"There isn't any dry plank in the platform of either party", Brummitt said, and addressing Wright, he added "the Democratic platform carries an enforcement plank, and you know it."

Warren Started It

A resolution introduced by Congressman Lindsay Warren, of the First District, pledging support of the party ticket "from constable to President," furnished the fuel for the oratorical blaze. It was read after Mull, elected unanimously, had sounded a battle cry for the coming campaign, pledging himself to seek to throw the support of the entire party to the Democratic ticket without exception, and announcing plans for a thorough-going organization of the State.

Mrs. Wallace Would Resign

Charles S. Wallace, of Morehead City, touched the match to the tinder when he announced that as a proxy for his wife he could not conscientiously support the resolution, because he was conversant with Mrs. Wallace's strenuous opposition to the Presidential nominee. He asked permission to submit his wife's resignation, but Chairman Mull ruled that a proxy could not resign for a member.

Announcing that he found himself in the same situation, W. L. Knight, of Halifax, with a proxy for his wife, offered a substitute for the Warren resolution, which in effect, would have placed the committee on record as saying the failure of a Democrat to support the Presidential nominee would not impair his party rights in future primaries and conventions.

Morrison Gets In It

Cameron Morrison, former Governor, made a vigorous assault on the Knight proposal.

"Certainly this committee will not invite the Democrats of North Carolina to disloyal- (Continued on page 4.)