

North Carolina Lutherans Meet at Hickory Nov. 9-12

Charlotte Observer.

The annual convention of the North Carolina Lutheran Synod will be held November 9-12 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Hickory, of which Rev. Dr. P. E. Monroe is pastor.

Four members of the general boards will be present and speak at the second evening session. They are Rev. Dr. A. D. H. Hancher, of Richmond, Va.; superintendent of home missions in the south; Rev. Dr. C. F. Wiles, of Philadelphia, editor of Sunday school literature and publications; Rev. Dr. E. G. Miller, of Philadelphia, secretary of the pastors' pension fund, and Rev. William Freas, of New York, secretary of inter-missions.

The opening session will be held at 7:30 o'clock the evening of Monday, November 9th, with a service in charge of the officers of the synod, who will administer the Lord's Supper. Dr. J. L. Morgan, of Salisbury, the president will preach; Rev. J. C. Deitz, of Claremont, the secretary, will direct the confession and absolution; Dr. E. E. Kohn, of Philadelphia, the statistical secretary, will have charge of the service.

Tuesday morning's meeting will begin at 8:45 o'clock. The program to follow will consist of roll call, appointment of special committees, reports of the president, committee on the president's report, treasurer, auditing committee, executive committee and the committee on the executive committee's report; reception of delegates and visitors, ministerial session and meeting of lay delegates.

That afternoon unfinished business will be taken up, the recording secretary, statistical secretary, archivist and ministerial will be heard and the following committees will report: Home missions, bulletin; brotherhoods, Rev. W. G. Cobb; necrology, Rev. Dr. C. H. Cox; Sunday school work, Rev. H.

Wyrick; boys' work, Rev. S. W. Rhyme; young people's work, Rev. E. C. Coopers; women's work, Rev. Dr. E. H. Kohn; summer school, Rev. L. A. Thomas; ministerial education, bulletin; state of the church, Rev. G. H. Cooper; Lutheran literature, Rev. E. F. K. Roof; inter-missions, Rev. Dr. E. R. McManley; congregational constitution, Rev. M. L. Pence; assembly grounds, L. M. Swink. Representatives from other synods will extend greetings.

Dr. Keever will conduct vespers at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night and the delegated representatives of the general boards will speak.

The order of business for Wednesday morning will be roll call, reading of minutes, unfinished business, election of officers, election of delegates to the 1926 conventions of the United Lutheran Church in America and the United Synod in the South, report of the board of Layman home by bulletin, report of the board of the board of the theological seminary by bulletin, report of the board of educational institutions by bulletin, report of the committee on church instructions by Dr. Criegler.

At the afternoon meeting reports of committees on letters and petitions on nomination, on group insurance by Rev. C. B. Miller, on publicity by Rev. B. A. Barringer; reports of the board of ministerial relief by Rev. C. A. Brown, report by Dr. Morgan as fraternal delegate to the South Carolina Lutheran Synod, report of Rev. J. L. Yost as fraternal delegate to the Virginia Synod, report of the committee to nominate delegates to other bodies, will be presented.

That evening at 7:30 o'clock the brotherhood meeting will be held. Thursday morning's program will

Stewart's Washington Letter.

CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — King Rama VI of Siam, who has just deposed his queen for not being dignified enough, wasn't always so dignified himself, as several recent reports in the United States secret service files show.

Chulalongkorn ruled in Siam and Rama was only crown prince when the latter toured America nearly 25 years ago. Just out of Oxford, he was on his way home by the western route.

As a royal visitor, two secret service men met him when he landed in New York to guard him until he sailed from San Francisco.

The prince's secret service guards found they had a hard job. The prince was on vacation. His school days were over. His rulership hadn't begun. He wanted a good time—to cut up, in fact.

Steve Wright, camera man for the now defunct Inter-Ocean, had been trying to get the prince's picture during the whole length of his stay in the Windy City.

An evening arrived when, as Stephen knew, his highness was to dine at a certain hour at the Chicago Club. His suite at the Auditorium Annex was so situated that there was but one elevator he could descend to the lobby by.

Steve set up his camera in an inconspicuous corner commanding this elevator and waited.

Obviously nothing would do but a flash-light.

Steve was unsparing with his powder.

In fullest evening dress, a ribbon across his shirt front sparkling with decorations, the prince appeared.

A BLINDING flash! A strong concussion! A smoke-filled hotel lobby! Steve had pulled the trigger.

With a yelp, the prince tumbled backward into the elevator and was at the top of the building in the twinkling of an eye. The secret service men pulled guns. Attendants ran and screamed. Several women fainted. In the cloud of smoke Steve had disappeared, with a unique picture of a crown prince in the act of being assassinated—or so he thought.

Early next morning the prince left for the west and caught the first boat for the Orient. No record shows that Steve was officially thanked by the government but his paper raised his pay.

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England is acknowledged to have the best girl hockey players in the world, but it is likely that formidable rivals soon will be found in the United States, where hockey has become a popular sport at many of the prominent schools and colleges for girls.

comprise unfinished business, appointment of standing committees, selection of time and place of meeting next year, reports of committees on minutes and unfinished business, on resolutions and on absentees and excuse and at the steering committee.

Post and Flag's Cotton Letter.

New York, Oct. 26.—While few can explain to their own satisfaction how the crop can have gained approximately half a million in the period under review and many feel that the report is merely another step toward correction of possible earlier errors the figures are there and will stand until disproved by further evidence. It is felt that whatever damage was done by frost must still be allowed for as that came too late to affect the reports on which the figures were based and in the report it was stated that a good deal of cotton in the southwest was open to damage by frost. With another freeze expected tonight in that section the opinion is expressed that the crop there will be pretty well finished.

Ginning was about in line with expectation and those figures will be closely watched hereafter for their bearing on the probable size of the crop. There was fairly extensive trade buying on the break, though it is not improbable that demand from that source will continue to wait for declines pending some decided change in the supply outlook. There was also more or less profit taking on hort cotton and price regained part of the loss but in local trading circles the expectation is that prices will work lower before any decided turn for the better occurs.

At any rate there is little in the situation as it stands at present to cause any anxiety on the part of shorts and for the most part the market will have to depend for support on trade buying. Unless demand for goods is severely checked, such buying is likely to be on a fairly large scale at these or lower prices which afford a very satisfactory margin of profit, but once more the whole situation may be disturbed by the report.

New Born Babe Is Placed on an Electric Heating Pad and Dies

Carolina Jeffersonian, Raleigh.

One of the most shocking affairs that has occurred in North Carolina in a decade took place at Rex Hospital, this city, last Sunday when a new-born babe, infant of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Smith, residents of this city, was literally allowed to roast to death owing to the alleged negligence of two nurses who took the babe immediately after birth and laid it in a basket on a blanket, beneath which there was an electric pad going full blast.

The little body was literally cooked alive and when an examination was made after the child's condition had been discovered, it was found that the heating pad was so hot that it almost blistered one's naked hand.

The infant was born at the hospital about 6 o'clock that afternoon. After birth it was placed in the custody of the two nurses and laid in a basket on a blanket. After being examined at intervals without detecting anything wrong, the child was found about 3 o'clock to be suffering from burns about its chest and right leg. Examination of the blanket on which the child lay revealed an electric heating pad.

Testimony before the coroner's jury by hospital nurses was to the effect that it had been the custom to place all newly-born babies in a basket. It was pointed out that it is a rule that no infant shall be handled while in the basket and this prevented any one noticing the presence of the heating pad between the blankets.

It is understood that the coroner has not as yet rendered a verdict, pending further inquiry into the matter. The board of trustees of the institution made an investigation of the affair immediately following the death of the child and these facts were placed in the hands of the coroner.

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SAAY! DO I LOOK LIKE A EGG? I MEAN YEGGS?

THE CRITICS

The College Boy on the Farm.

Charlotte Observer.

Mr. J. B. Fairies has been farming in Steel Creek township, Mecklenburg, for 20 years. There was an apple orchard on the farm when he took it, and it had been growing older and more no-account all the time—until several years ago, when his son came home from college. There the boy learned something, and he took the old orchard in hand. He pruned and sprayed, and now Fairies is taking samples of the finest sort of apples around to show what a college boy can do. The orchard had produced indifferently when the season was good, and not at all when seasons were bad. But the boy has brought it out. It is now a reliable producer of Ben Davis, Stamen Winesaps, Arkansas Blacks and plain Arkansas, and possibly one or two other varieties that Fairies Fairies has not classified. For the first time he has a supply of Winter apples in storage, and some to market when he begins to feel sprightly enough for that exercise. From one old tree he gathered as much as 15 bushels, and from another five bushels, and, as everybody knows, this was not a very good season for apples.

100,000 BEACH, HOTEL FOR WILMINGTON RESORT

Carolina Beach Company Lets Contract for Hundred-Room Structure, Starting at Once.

Wilmington, Oct. 26.—The future of Carolina Beach as one of the most attractive mainland resorts of the South, located fourteen miles south of Wilmington, was assured this afternoon, when the Carolina Beach Co., Inc., signed a contract with W. A. Simon, general contractor of this city, for the erection of a three-story, modern, 100-room hotel structure, the cost of which, together with furnishings, will probably exceed \$100,000.

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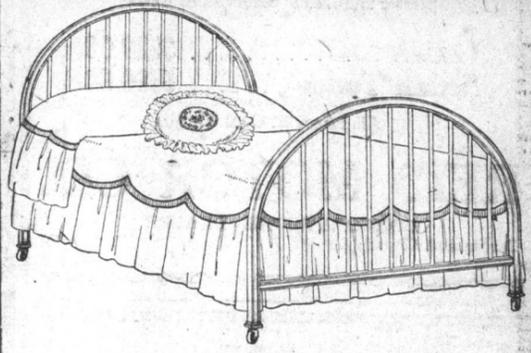
Indictment Invalid.

Statesville Daily.

A case under the bad check law, appealed to the Supreme court, went off on a technicality, the court holding the indictment invalid. There is a question of law, some lawyers hold, whether one who gives a worthless check is legally guilty of fraud, or is liable to criminal prosecution. That issue is yet to be determined. But there is no question in the realm of common sense, right and justice getting a looking that one who gives for a consideration a paper calling for a certain amount of money, under the guarantee, expressed or implied, that the paper is good for the sum named, the same as money, is guilty of the frankest deception, and fraud, for which he should be held criminally liable, if the paper fails to produce. If the law holds otherwise, the law is what Dickens' beadle said it was, because, in such case, it protects dishonesty and fraud. That is so clear that it is not a matter for argument.

Ku Klux Klan Parade.

Rock Hill, S. C., Oct. 25.—A crowd estimated at several thousand persons lined the principal streets of the city last night to witness the parade of the Rock Hill unit of the Ku Klux Klan.



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