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# IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

### DELEGATES NAMED FOR LEGION'S CONVENTION

**Plans For Formal Opening of New Home Discussed at Call Meeting of the Post.**

Meeting for the first time in special session at their new club rooms in the city hall annex, members of the Fred Y. McConnell post of the American Legion Friday night named delegates to the Legion's State convention, disucssed plans for the formal opening of the new home on August 6th and gave attention to several other important matters.

Delegates to the convention are E. E. Barrier, Van Walter, Clarence McEachern and Ross Lentz. The alternates are Zeb V. Thornburg, R. C. Sappenfield, J. B. Cannon and Clyde Propst.

The delegates were instructed to make a determined fight for the 1927 convention of the State organization, members of the local post expressing the belief that Concord can well entertain the Legionnaires.

The convention will open on August 23rd and continued for two days. On the opening day a barbecue at Blowing Rock will be one of the features. In addition to the delegates it is certain that other Concord and Cabarrus Legionnaires will drive over to Hickory for one or two sessions of the convention.

Post Commander McDonald read before the meeting a letter from National Commander McQuigg in which explanation of the Legion's new publications the subscriptions tot be given to the mayor and aldermen of Concord and the commissioners of Cabarrus county. This will be done as a note of appreciation from the post for the courtesies received from the hands of the city and county officials.

W. M. Sherrill was named chairman of the committee to arrange refreshments for the formal opening of the home. Other members of the post will arrange various features of the program, Van S. Walter being general chairman.

Some members of the post favored a barbecue, others made different suggestions and after some discussion it was decided to make arrangements to serve the refreshments at the Hotel Concord.

Under the plans as adopted, guests will assemble at the Legion quarters and later go to the hotel. Music will be one of the features of the evening.

Mayor Barrier, members of the board of aldermen, county commissioners, members of the water and light board, officials of the Concord Telephone Co., War Mothers and members of the American Legion Auxiliary will be the invited guests of the Legion at the opening. Each members of the post also has permission to invite one guest.

In addition to those named above C. A. Cook was appointed by Commander McDonald to carry a special invitation to D. B. Coltrane, ever a friend of the post.

It was decided to select one man from the post to sell the advertising spaces on the trash cans which are placed in the business section. There are eighteen spaces on the cans to be sold.

M. B. Sherrin, chairman of the house committee, reported for his committee, offering suggestions covering conduct in the new quarters. The report of the committee was placed on the table and will be voted on at the next regular meeting.

Members of the post present gave their approval to plans to hold a reunion of battery F men in Concord. The club rooms were offered as headquarters for the reunion and individual members expressed willingness to do anything to aid in making the reunion a success.

### REV. M. D. GILES DIES AT REIDSVILLE HOME

**Funeral Excreises For Well-Known Minister Held Yesterday at Marion.**

Reidsville, July 23.—Rev. M. D. Giles, 72 years old, died at his home in Reidsville at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon following a disability of several years.

For 33 years Mr. Giles was a member of the North Carolina M. E. Conference and during that time served as pastor many charges in that conference, faithful, earnest, sincere in every field to which he was sent, measuring up to the full attainments of the good steward he was. The Goldston circuit was the last charge served by Mr. Giles and it was in this field that his ministerial career in the conference ended.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist church at Marion this morning at 10 o'clock by the pastor of that church, Rev. Mr. Poovey, interment following in the city cemetery. The funeral party made the trip through the country from Reidsville by automobiles many beautiful flowers being sent by friends of the family here and elsewhere.

(Mr. Giles was a former pastor of the Mt. Pleasant circuit, and had many friends in this county.—Ed).

**Will Print List of Drunken Drivers.**

Every person who is convicted in a Connecticut court of operating his motor car while under the influence of whiskey will get his name published in every daily paper in the State.

Such lists are supplied weekly by the State Motor Vehicle Department "as a part of the effort to reduce this highway menace," and the editors use the list without exception with the address of the person convicted whether he is a resident of the State or not.

Readers are asked with each publication to notify the nearest police department if they see any of the persons named operating cars. With every conviction the driver's license is suspended for one year.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish in this public way to extend our heartfelt thanks to our many friends for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our little daughter and sister.

J. P. PEACOCK and FAMILY.

### BLANKS SERIOUSLY HURT IN ACCIDENT ABROAD

**No Details of Accident Given in the Message Received Here Friday Afternoon.**

H. W. Blanks, general secretary of the Concord Y. M. C. A. and director of the Concord Y Tours in Europe, was seriously hurt in an accident in Amsterdam Friday, according to a message received here Friday afternoon.

No details of the accident were given in the cable from Mrs. Blanks. The message, dated "Amsterdam, 12-28, 9:45 p. m." read:

"Mr. Blanks seriously injured in accident. Mrs. Blanks." The message was addressed to F. H. Adden, local representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

Mr. Adden stated this morning that Mr. Blanks carries an accident policy with the Metropolitan company and he thinks Mrs. Blanks cabled him for that reason.

Amsterdam was one of the cities on the itinerary of the Y Tours party and it is presumed that Mr. Blanks was there with his party when hurt. At noon today no further messages had been received here from Mrs. Blanks and friends of the Y secretary are taking it for granted that no news is good news.

The time of the filing of the message of Mrs. Blanks leads many persons to presume that her husband was injured late in the afternoon or early at night.

There is a big difference in time between Amsterdam and United States Eastern Standard time. The difference is five hours and twenty minutes. The message sent in Amsterdam at 9:45 p. m. reached Concord at 5:14 p. m. and was delivered to Mr. Adden a few minutes later.

The cable from Mrs. Blanks has caused much agitation in Concord because of the general high esteem and love in which her husband is held by all. Scores of persons have made inquiries at this office for further information and many others have inquired at the Y. M. C. A. Every inquirer adds that he hopes the injuries will prove less serious than first thought.

It is presumed that no other members of the Blanks party were hurt in the accident with Mr. Blanks. Relatives of other persons in the party have heard nothing to indicate that any one except Mr. Blanks was hurt.

More than a half dozen North Carolina cities, and various other parts of the country are represented by the personnel of the Blanks party.

### WALTER W. MEDLIN

(From "My Father's Business," bulletin of the First Baptist Church)

Earth is poorer and heaven is richer because of the passing of Brother W. W. Medlin. We shall miss him sorely, and his going is an additional challenge to our church officials and to the entire membership of the church, to try to "fill up the big gap," which his vacancy has made. "Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them," Matt. 7:20. Our departed Brother proved his loyalty and devotion to his church and Lord, by his works—his religious zeal, liberality, regular attendance, his deep sense of responsibility as a church official, his harmonious disposition, his steady, unostentatious service, his unquestioned sincerity, his wonderful constancy! Indeed, his memory shall be a rich heritage of inspiration and encouragement to all who are trying to live Godly lives, and a rebuke to those who scoff at the reality of the Christian religion. With his bereaved loved ones we mourn. May the tender mercies and grace of God sustain them in this hour of trial. 2 Cor. 12:9; 1 Cor 13:12; 1 Cor. 15:51-58; John 16:33. The fact that he was about his "Father's Business," up to the very last service that he attended will abide as a bright memory. The large circle of friends who attended his funeral, the unusually long string of automobiles, the numerous beautiful floral offerings, was a fitting attestation of the high esteem in which Walter W. Medlin was held by the community at large.

**Will Celebrate Roosevelt's Birthday.**

A celebration of the birthday of the late Theodore Roosevelt will feature the second annual convention of the Southern States Republican League, which will be held at Atlanta, Ga., on October 27-28. Speakers at the meeting will include Republicans of national reputation.

"The Southern States Republican League is an exclusively white organization of Republican men and women and is devoted to the purpose of enlisting the interest and support of southern white people in Rpublican principles," the announcement of the coming meeting said.

"Although sub-divided into State units, the league is essentially a sectional organization."

Charles U. Gordon, of Mississippi, former United States postmaster in Chicago, is president of the association.

**Had His Number.**

The visitor at school was given permission to ask the pupils some questions. He wished to prove his pet theory, which was that children are lacking in powers of observation. So he stepped to the blackboard and asked that some one call out a number. A little girl on the front row said "65." He turned to the board and wrote "56.'" No one said anything.

"Give me any other number," said the visitor.

"38," some one called out. He write "83" on the board.

He kept this up for several minutes, reversing the number each time.

But presently a little freckle-faced lad on the back seat spoke up:

"Theventy-theven," he lisped, "Now leth thee you thange that, you thucker."

### MEADOR'S TWIRLING SENDS GIBSON AHEAD

**6-4 Victory Over Kannapolis Yesterday Enables Team to Make It Six Out of Eight.**

The Gibson baseball team stretched itself yesterday and spilled the Towel-Makers of Kannapolis 6 to 4 in one of the best played and most exciting games the two teams have engaged in this year. Incidentally, the victory put Kannapolis further in the rut, they having won but two games out of eight with the local outfit. The very tasty drubbing administered put the Basinger boys back on both feet and revived hope among the fans that the team hasn't cracked, but bent just a little.

There were several symptoms indicating that the Gingham-Makers have contracted their old winning habit again. Johnnie Meador flashed one of the best pitching performances of the season, and though he allowed eight hits, he kept them widely scattered and was always able to tighten up in the pinches. The infield, with one exception, was rock-steady and played their best game of the year.

True, the hitting was fragile, consisting of only six ringing blows, but, lined up with three errors by Kannapolis, they were responsible for as many runs. Jerry Jackson, Greensboro Patriot, hurling for the Towel-Makers, was good. Five of the six hits he allowed were bunched in the fifth and sixth innings, however, and accounted for all of the runs made by Gibson.

**Kannapolis Scores First**

Kannapolis did not hang back coyly in the matter of scoring runs. McClain doubled to the centerfield fence in the first inning to score Haynes, who had walked, from first. Then, in the third, Motsinger beat out an infield hit, was sacrificed to second by Haynes, and scored when McClain got his second hit, a single to left. From that time until the end of the game Meador was a complete puzzle to them, though they pushed over two unearned runs in the eighth.

**Gibson Takes Lead in Fifth**

It had begun to look like Kannapolis' day. Only one hit had been made off Jackson for four innings, a single by Belk in the second, and his peculiar delivery was very worrisome to the locals. Ellerbee got a lucky break to start the fifth, however, and stock began to rise. He swung at a bad third strike and missed it. So did Catcher McClain. Ellerbee ran to first and then to second when Motsinger also threw the ball away. Hawkins, new first sacker, proved his worth by sharply doubling down the third base line, scoring Ellerbee with the first Gibson run. Simmons, in left field for his batting strength, sent one over second base at a mile-a-minute clip, scoring Hawkins from second and tying the score. Simmons went all the way to third when his hit took a bad hop over Lee's head. Watts fanned for the first out, but Meador decided it was time for his side to be ahead, so he placed a beautiful single where there was nobody, in right, and Simmons scampered home with the run that broke the 2-2 tie. Hatley fanned and Meador was forced at second by Bassinger, to end the inning.

**Jarrett Gets Homer.**

Kannapolis couldn't do anything about it in their half for the sixth, their only chance flying away when Meador caught Lee napping off first after he had singled to center. Jarrett just knew that one run wasn't a big enough lead so he calmly soared one of Jackson's hooks lazily over the left field fence to begin Gibson's sixth. Belk was safe at first on a bobble by Johnson, and immediately stole second. He went to third on Ellerbee's infield out and scored when Johnson threw wildly after electing to play for him on Hawkins' tap to short. Hawkins stole second, went to third on a passed ball by McClain and scored on Simmon's single to left. Watts hit into a double play to end the scoring. Gibson was unable to touch Jackson for another hit, but it was not necessary.

**Two for Kannapolis in Eighth**

With two down in the eighth, Basinger booted an easy tap by Cashion. The latter scored when Hatley made an error of McClain's third hit, a single, and McClain perched on third. He scored on Lee's single to center. Watts got them out, finally, by making a spectacular catch of Lentz's foul fly, running against the stands to make the difficult play.

**Briefs**

The first play of the game was a thriller. Jarrett made a beautiful running catch of Motsinger's near Texas-leaguer to rob the diminutive second baseman of a hit. In Gibson's half, Lee backed up against the fence for Hatley's hard hit fly.

For the first time this season Gibson showed strength on first base. Hawkins played as though he were born there, and speeded up the entire infield. Gibson would do well to keep him.

Johnnie Meador's pitches were doing such ridiculous things toward the latter part of the game that the Kannapolis players insisted that Dusenberry take a squint at the ball. Nothing objectionable was discovered by the arbiter.

Watts' catch of Lentz's foul fly in the eighth to retire the side was the fielding feature of the day. He got a big hand from the stands.

With Jerry Jackson, of the Greensboro Patriots on the mound, and Cashion, of the Salisbury Colonials, in right field, Kannapolis came down all primed to win a game. Cashion went hitless and Jackson was hit—that tells the story.

McClain, with three hits out of four times up, was the hitting star of the day. Mac has always been a thorn in the sides of the Gibson pitchers.

Three fast double plays, two of them by the Kannapolis infield, provided the on-lookers with big-time baseball.

Gibson's infield looked at least a hundred per cent. better than at any time this season. Much credit is due Hawkins for steadying down and speeding up the innerworks.

Rain and wet grounds will probably cause a postponement of this afternoon's game with Clover.

Box score:

| Kannapolis | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Motsinger, 2b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Haynes, 3b. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cashion, rf. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McClenin, c. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 2 |
| Lee, cf. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Lentz, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Johnson, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Ferguson, lf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jackson, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| *Kirkpatrick | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Sherrill | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 10 | 5 |

*Batted for Johnson in 9th.
**Batted for Jackson in 9th.

| Gibson | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatley, cf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Basinger, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| Jarrett, rf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Belk, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Ellerbee, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Hawkins, 1b. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Simmons, lf. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Watts, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Meador, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 6 | 6 | 27 | 17 | 3 |

Score by illings:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kannapolis | 101 000 020 | 4 | 8 | 5 |
| Gibson | 000 033 00x | 6 | 6 | 3 |

Summary: Home runs—Jarrett. Two base hits—McClain, Hawkins. Sacrifice hits—Haynes. Stolen bases—Belk, Hawkins. Double plays—Johnson to Mitsinger to Lentz (2); Basinger to Belk to Hawkins. Base on balls—by Meador 1, by Jackson 1. Struck out—by Meador 6, by Jackson 6. Passed ball—McClain. Umpires—Dunseberry and Brown.

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