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Selection of 1923 Meeting Place Caused Sensation In Convention.

N.WILKESBORO DIED HARD

Eloquent Pastor From Mountain Town Nearly Took Meeting.

(By T. W. Chamblis.) Winston Salem, Dec. 14.—Notwith standing his request that he be relieved was unanimously re-elected president of law and order. the North Carolina Baptist state conpreside at the 1 932session at Gastonia.

One of the absolute certainties about man can foretell events. Under ordimary elecumstances, when the convetion appoints a committee, the report of that committee is adopted, but it is not always so, and by a narrow margin of six votes, partly close, the conven-

session of the convention caused the the Klan. ment, the sun was effing, many date support of his proposition made a forceful and really masterful appeal, and he made an impression. been for the fact that the next convention should go to the east, the Gastonia won by only six votes.

The convention in 1923 will therefore meet in Gastonia. Rev. L. R. Pru-Rev. J. P. Kinchelos, of Rocky Mount, is the alternate selection The convention will meet on Tuesday. December 11.

Wingate School Addition.

The board of education was author ized by the convention to arrange with Wingate high school, located at Win gate, in Union county, to add to its present four years of high school work, lege. Principal C. M. Bench has worked to this end for over a year. erre already been made to en work in the department of science.

The first evidence of the deep im pression made by the address of Dr. William L. Potest was brought to the convention tonight, when it was announced that a gift of \$2,500 had been made to the loan fund for the benefit of ministerial students. This of the First Baptist church of High Point, but because of the debate concerning Wake Forest College the gift was withheld until today. The donors withheld their names. They had previously given \$ 300 to Wake Forest and First of all churches must be stirred

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DR. ERNEST N. ORR TALKS

Thomas Sparrow Received teach othe subjects, Bible literature will Hunting Trip.

Club was held Thursday at noon at the ligious education." Country Club. Several members were N. Orr, of New Albany, Mississippi, tising does not pay, but because it could ficket window may be open during the would act on advice of council. who has recently been called to the be made to pay more, he said. of the First A. R. P.

few years. Retarians Haywood, of Columbia, vice, and Pense, of Chalrette, made short the churches can not afford singly, a disposition to co-operate with us talks. John L. Beal told of his recent however, they can carry on together. Whenever possible, "remarked an office was no response," remarked an office was no response. Separk made the report of the committee on football which was the same as that reported at the Kiwanis meeting already reported in The Gazette. The committee recommended the estab-

lishment of a Gastonia Athletic organ favorite newspaper definition of news is their power and showed customary ization for the purpose of bringing col. George Cocker. Dr. J. H. Henderlite delivered the charge of initiation to

delivered the charge of initiation to printing it, but the church has been slow. Tom Sparrow. It was full of wit and in making it available." the spirit of Rotary, its motto, "Sery ed Press and other news agencies for elding the question of whether the me and fellowship it cultivated.

upon the elab. He gave several illus ried to the farthest corners of the earth, tees at a meeting to be held in the sentrations of Rotary as he knew it and One of the interesting features of the ate chamber axt Wednesday, Henry M. North Carolina: Generally fair to-

STATE CONVENTION OF Ku Klux Klan Activities Have BAPTISTS TO MEET NEXT Aroused Citizens Of Barrow YEAR IN GASTONIA County, Georgia, To High Pitch

Citizens From All Sections Are Assembling at Winder for Big Mass Meeting Today-Governor Hardwick Offers National Guard Protection to Mr. Woodruff Who Has Threatened to Shoot Next Masked Man Who Stops In Front of His House.

WINDER, Ga., Dec. 15 .- With a serve law and order. A similar reso alleged prevailing Ku Klux Klan law. meeting. lessness will be held even if he alone attends, Robert L. Woodruff, local mer- to create a sentiment against Ku Klux chant, early today completed final ar Klan lawlessness," Mr. Woodruff told rangements for the session to be held Governor Hardwick at a conference held today which has for its purpose the yesterday in Atlanta. adoption of a resolution declaring Dar | we intend to keep on having a citizens of the presidency, Dr. B. W. Spillman row county citizens for preservation of mass meeting until we can get a reso

Citizens from all sections of the Mr. Woodruff has in his possession a vention tonight. Dr. Spillman will county were assembling here presumably letter from Govern Hardwick which to attend the meeting which is sched- he intends to read at today's meeting. uled to be called at 10 o'clock in the Efforts of persons to regulate and cena Baptist state convention is that no Barrow county courthouse, while in all for the conduct of persons outside of parts of Georgia interest has been the courts and outside of the laws, most aroused ver the strained relations be be checked in Georgia, is the substance tween Mr. Woodruff and the local Ku of the chief executive's communication. Klux Klan chapter.

gia National Guard, arrived here today, by the Barrow county court to investition this afternoon adopted a committee having been sent by Governor Thomas with the Barrow county countries of the region of the country caused with the Hardwick to make an effort to precent and the country caused with the section of the country caused the section of the sectio The selection of a location for 1923 vent trouble between Mr. Woodruff and by activities of masked men. Five or

tense, but local authorities say they will gates were gone for their suppers, when he able to cope with any emergency. the committee reparted Gastonia as the An eleventh hour warning was received dietments against alleged mem meeting place in 1923. Immediately by Mr. Woodruff not to attend the the local chapter of the Klan. W. L. Griggs, pastor at North meeting. He declared he would not Wilkesbore, offered a substitute, and in pay any affection to this or any other

plied to Governor Hardwick's' offer to ties during the investigation. He was tured the convention, and if it had not furnish him adequate military protectordered to wind up his business affair leader in British house of commons, Klan planned an attack on him, "I warnings parades were held in front to those who pay and receive. cloquent preacher from the believe it will not be openly but from of his home by masked men and reflecmountain town would have overturned ambush and for that reason I do not tions from a red electrical cross were the committee report, and even then believe a sheriff's posse or a military flashed on his front door. After sev stand against Turkish plan to deport

ette, of Ninth Avenue Baptist church, be presented to the meeting calling on masked man or woman who would stop in the event that reparations conference Charlotte, will preach the annual ser the citizens of Barrow county to pre- in front of his home.

leclaration that a mass meeting against lution met with defeat at a recent

"What we need in Barrow county lution passed.

Adjutant General Pope, of the Geor-Woodruff was foreman was instructed session of the convention caused the the Klan.
sensation. It was the hour of adjourn. The situation is regarded as being which the victims were either lynched, shot, flogged or driven from their homes. The grand jury returned indietments against alleged members of

> Mr. Woodruff at the same time re a "marked" man because of his activiguard around my house would be of eral demonstratios of this character patriarch of Greek church, any avail." Mr. Woodruff issued a statement to A resolution has been drawn up to the effect that he would kill the next

Church Must Insist Upon Bible Teaching In Schools, College a course of two years of full colle Head Tells Federal Council

large the equipment for laboratory Newspapers Are Glad to Print Church News If Handled Right.

ADVERTISING PAYS

gift was proposed last year by a Must Teach the Bible as Effectively as Other Sub-- jects Are Taught.

\$200 to Meredith College in the name from their state of self-complacency and assume larger responsibilities for Christ-Dr. R. J. Bateman, of the inn education in the schools, declared First Baptist church, Asheville, ad Dr. Robert L. Kelly, president of Earl dressed the convention tonight in the ham college, in speaking at the annual interest of Meredith College. In his meeting of the executive committee of the Federal Council of Churches of by schools be meant not only Sunday schools, but the weekly schools, the private schools and the public schools.

"Responsibility for adequate Bible TO THE ROTARY CLUB study in American education rests upon the schools, " declared the college presistudy in American education rests upon dent. "Educational institutions and agencies are saying that when the schools teach the Bible as effectively as they Into the Membership of the be accepted for admission to college. Short Talk-Beal Tells of are teaching the Bible and preaching vice to this effect was given Thursday til that time having been taken at the students for examination, examination questions will be issued them. The eyes of the leaders of Christian education are low in the schools and there is a grow-

Churches are wasting a lot of money accounts in the office. Country Club. Several memoers were absent on account of sickness. The main features of the meeting were the main features of the meeting were the main features of Thomas Sparrow, dairy man, and a short talk by Dr. Ernest federal council. Not because the advertising a lot of money on advertising, declared Arthur E. Hungerford, of Baltimore, who is in charge of the publicity work for the man, and a short talk by Dr. Ernest federal council. Not because the advertising a lot of money on advertising declared Arthur E. Hungerford, of Baltimore, who is in charge of the publicity work for the ago request was filed that a larger Raistons letter, said he was unable to force be installed in order that the answer that question; that Mr. Keller

Mistakes will be made in community cial of the Chamber of Commerce this church advertising as it is a new field, morning, "and we make few reasonable JUMPS FROM WINDOW but in the end it will have tremendous requests that are not granted. In this influence on the community.

jority of us readers. Now the story of The day's program was in charge of the doing of the church today is good TO DECIDE ON SITE FOR

and the qualities of friendship the manner in which a recent story on eal course at the University of North church statistics had been bandled from Carolina to be extended from 2 to 4 years Dr. Orr made a pleasing impression Washington and said it had been ear- will make its report to the board of trus-

Physicians Are Now Giving Coal Orders

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 14 -Prescriptions for coal are being given by physicians and honored by coal dealers in this city. One dealer said today that within two weeks he had received a dozen prescriptions written on regular prescription blanks and each calling for half a ton. Such orders were given preference over all others, he said

SOUTHERN RAILWAY PUTS ON ADDITIONAL SERVICE HERE

thrist in America here today. He said J. W. Smith, of South Caro- mal summons. At his office afterward it Office Service.

Equivalent of city ticket office service General Daugherty. will practically be given by the South ern Railway henceforth, the request of the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce to The college examination board in New the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce to before the bar of the house for contempt Club — Columbian Makes York has declared that when the schools that effect having been granted. Ad postponement of further proceedings un-

The regular meeting of the Rotary ing demand for approved courses in re Wall will have charge of books and ber in th presnt mattrs.

and section have enjoyed in the past church to buy trained advertising ad patrons will be greatly improved as a Keller, Chairman Volstead ordered his

case the officials made the improved "Then there is the news service. The service available as quickly as was la

today.

Girl Producer

Miss Grace Hasduction, "Just Like a Woman," has received Will

kins of Hollywood is the youngest motion picture producer in the world. Still in her early twentles, her first pro-

Hays' approval. The Day's News At A Glance

Prime Minister Bonar Law says it mpossible for Great BriBtain to pay debt to United States until allies Germany pay England.

Archbishan Famasoni Biondi is offi ially appointed apostolic delegate to United States succeeding Cardinal Bon-

Ambassador Harvey will soon return a America from London, explaining his rish as partly due to concern over Mrs. Harvey's health.

Turkey insists upon deportation from Constantinople of supreme patriarch of Press,) - Ambassador Harvey has been declared in the Sounts tircek Orthodox church. British premier suggests all round good

cancellation of inter-allied debts as one Woodruff received notice that he was step to put the world back on its feet. James Ramsay MacDonald, labor

tion by saying that if members of the and leave Winder. Following these warns that reparations are a curse both England at Lausanne takes decided

Paris deputies discuss Poincare's fall

Cardinal at Munich declares that Germany has lost its "springtime" and that its children no longer laugh and

fails to produce results.

Ban Johnson asks Commissioner Land lis to join him in war on gamblers at

Representative Keller refuses to go thead with impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty and ealls scaring before house committee "comic

conumic collapse.

Parker, of Louisiana, tells conference British mission, of governors that prohibition in United States is almost a farce and asserts penitontiary is place for those who defy

KELLER FAILS TO SHOW UP BEFORE COMMITTEE

tative Keller, republican, of Minnesota, failed to appear today before the house judiciary committee in response to a formal summons. At his office afterward it.

It has been stated in administration to the response to the control of the control lina, Is New Ticket Agent- was stated he had decided definitely not Equivalent to City Ticket him late yesterday after he had dra-

afternoon by R. H. Graham, division request of Attorney Jackson H. Ralston, passenger agent, while in the city on in th impeachment proceedings, and who business. J. W. Smith, of South Car stated in a letter to Chairman Volstead olina, becomes ticket agent and H. F. that he hepresented the Minnesota mem-

Immdiately there was inquiry as to

Because of the lack of trained men, ately previous to the departure of asking for a postponement because of the day and at other times than immedi | Announcing that Mr. Ralston's letter church. Dr. Orr expressed his pleas ure at being in distonia, and his surprise at the wonderful growth this city prise at the wonderful growth this city the cost is too great for the average qualified for their work and service to the departure of asking for a possessing business engagements the attention of the cost is too great for the average qualified for their work and service to the departure of asking for a possessing business engagements the attention of the cost is too great for the average qualified for their work and service to the departure of asking for a possessing business engagements the attention of the cost is too great for the average qualified for their work and service to the departure of the average of the ave Mr. Hangerford continued. "What "Fig. Southern Railway has shown mittee room, the house hergeant at arms

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.-Apparently langle. RALIGH, Dec. 15.—The special co.m. been in at the hote; for several days and contents of the Chara mill and in rounding closing bills on the contents of the Chara mill and in rounding closing bills on the contents of the Chara mill and in rounding closing bills on the contents of the Chara mill and in rounding closing bills on the contents of the Chara mill and in rounding closing bills on the contents of the characteristic for the chara hamor and good sense. He emphasized Mr. Hangerford praised the Associat- mittee appointed for the purpose of de room showed him to be a member of the Scottish Rite Masons in Savanah, Gr.

told interestingly of a Mississippi bank session today was the reading of greetings London, secretary of the board stated night and Saturday; colder tonight and pre' convention be attended recently. from the churches in other lands.

MORRISON OPPOSES ANY DISCUSSION OF PROHIBITION OR KLAN AT MEETING

CAPT. ROALD AMUNDSEN ARRIVES AT HOME

NOME, Alaska, Dec. 15 .- (By the Associated Press.)-Captain Roald Amundsen, head of a Polar expedition that left Scattle in June, arrived here late yesterday by doh team. Captain Amundsen came from Wainwright, near Point Barow, where he is wintering with the Blane in which he hopes in the spring to fly over the North Pole.

AMBASSADOR GEORGE THE SHIP SUBSIDY BILL HARVEY IS SUMMONED HOME FOR CONSULTATION

Will Sail December 23-It Is Understood That Mrs. Harvey Will Leave for Madeira

called home for consultation, it was stat-

Mrs. Harvey, who will leave the preced- people and a grotation of the trust reing day for a visit to Madeira.

This announcement follows word from proposentatives London last night that Ambassador The Wisconsin S voyage.

onfined to his bed with a cold for two support of organized labor. or three days but his condition is not Harvey, who has been quite ill recently, he asserted. is still indisposed but it is thought she it has been will be able to sail for Maderia December people there while her husband is in the United pose and it today. States. She will be accompanied by her 1 -111 simple means turning over the daughter, Mrs. Marcellus Thompson, and people's property to favored interests for the latter's daughter.

exchequor, and the other members of pages to pay a saliside to those who take the British mission which is to visi Washington for discussion regarding the millions of dollars of taxes in refund surrender Washington hears unofficial reports British debt to the United States, will be shipping interests. It does not wati-prohibitionists on the one hand of great loan in United States to save sail for the United States December 27, even premise, much less guarantee, and his desire to fight what he conceived four days after Ambussador Harvey's cheaper rates for occan commerce. It is to be lawlessness in the kian on the sailing, so that his visit will coincide proposes to destroy our army and mavy wher. Governor Parker rejoined that he

aws.

New England textile mills continue

Associated Fless Annuage of those we have. It is wholly had, and partment officials confirmed today the plan attempt to force a mean an annualling London annual continue. Here we had been called home for the strongly considerable mills continue. Here we had been called home for the strongly considerable mills continue. New England textile mills continue stock dividend dishursements, increases in capitalization reaching new high mark.

Harvey had been called home for "con substituted to substitute for substituted to make any substituted to substitute for substitute for substituted to substitute for substit

tion, the impression gained currency of the American people and game on the transfer man dependent of that Mr. Harvey had been called to repeat parts unrely to the forms of this Washington in connection with the site of the state of the st WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- Represen- Washington in connection with the situ

him late yesterday after he had dramatically announced his withdrawal from further participation before this committee in his presentation of his impeachment charges against Aatorney General Daugherty.

Whether the committee will undertake a direct effect on that situation.

partment has seriously considered the the interests of their mannership and possibility of American participation in support the tall, some form in the proposed contours and financial conference at Brusses of and 7 in the heatquarters of the American projected by the allied must be location as Labor in the city of statesmen, but for which it has not Washington. Chapter of the American possible to make definite plans be there. I am intermed different to withdraw been possible to make definite plans be there. I am intermed different to withdraw the split over tearment repairs that it is some distinguished the purpose tall tions. As the conference in its original conception would not have dealt induce the taken argumentations to adalt.

**Conference of San Juan and this was ber second year there. Previously she had taught at Northhampton, Chaptel Hill and Salishurs.

She is survived by a brother, H. C. Bourne, one sister, and a half brother, L. M. Bourne of Asheville. inal conception would not have dealt indice the thou arganizations to about with political matters in Europe, Ameri their opposition to the half, can participation might conceivable vive be at said to the excellasting have been possible although not on any in ill of the popularities of the work-

ical channel for any informal exchange American islant. Sention in concluding the Gresham home, and out into of views between the allied and America. The Wisconsin Sention in concluding the front varie. The ball passed through can governments during the interval bes his address thou has the bill section by the front yard. The ball passed through

Whether the ambassador will be able langers in it. to complete his consultations here and return to his post before the premiers FIRE TRUCK IS men at once any coclusion which may be reached here as to possible American ON PNEUMONIA DELIRIUM moves to clear up the reparations

Dr. Otto Wiedfeldt, the German am-Thoma, a merchant from Hamilton, Ber- bassador, conferred at length today of Franklin and Oakhani near the resi muda, leaped from a window in his room with Secretary Hughes, but no inforon the teeth floor of the hotel Pennsyl mation was available as to whether been ill at the hotel for several days and tions or took eguizance of the serious ment was answering a call in the direc-

North Carolina Executive Says These Are Two of the "Touchiest" Questions Before the Country-Would Meet the Ku Klux Klan With Argument as State Meets Masked Highwaymen With Argument - Alabama and Louisiana Governors Take Issue With Morrison.

LAFOLLETTE ATTACKS IN A VIGOROUS SPEECH

Says No Worse Bill Than This Ever Came Up In Senate for Consideration -People Have Repeatedly Rejected the Policy It Represents, Says Wis-

her 22. He will not be accompanied by this time is an open challenge to the pased by the people in their delegated;

Harvey would return to the United bill in latter terms, authorised the Presi States in the near future for a short dent and Chairman Lasker, of the Shipvisit. The first understanding was that ping Bound in sharp language, challeng his trip was largely due to axiety alend but the arguments made by the executive the health of Mrs. Harvey, it being as in his message to Congress argift enact | Sproat, of Penosylvania, interrupted to sumed she would accompany him on his meat of the legislation, and charged Mr. Ambasiador Harvey himself has been proposal?"

making definite ylans for sailing. Mrs. the United States for its consideration, 22 with the exceetation of remaining | ion of the country is averabeloingly spe

Stanley Baldwin, the chancellor of the millions of dodars lexied annually in distribution, Mr. Morrison said he was the dans proche us as a gift. It means with the presence in America of the transports and turn this great agency of potential defense over the private owner.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(By the Associated Press.)—Although State December of those we have. It is wholly had, and the country in arousing the spirit of reporting of figures continued to day the country of the sound of these we have. It is wholly had, and the legions intolerance and racial feeling.

make the statement that three fourths to face in argument, Governor Kilby, of In the absence of an official explana of the American people had game on to Alabama, asked how it was possible to

basis that would involve cancellation of negment of this country that they sparmed B. A. Gresham, shot himself accidental-

fore the conneil of premiers reassembles section. Attilizing its provisions and the fleshy part of the hand, and the lad after New Year's.

Whether the ambessudae will be able.

SLIGHTLY DAMAGED

One of the city's new La France fire trucks suffered the loss of a left next wheel Thursday night at 11 o'clock when in maswer to a cull the truck resched into the carbing at the corner donler of Mrs. A. J., Smith. The left year feeder was also smashed, and other through official American trade chan nels.

The call of the German envoy at the State Department of the German envoy at the last the truck skidded into the sidewalk.

The call of the German envoy at the last the truck skidded into the sidewalk. State Department, however, coming just All the men were thrown from the before the usual Friday cabinet meet truck. Two Messes, Neal and Adrock, before the usual Friday cabinet meeting, was regarded as a possible indication that the president and his official by hire and will be here today, it was fully 25.47; May, 25.50; by hire and will be here today, it was fully 25.30; Oct., 23.70; Dec., 25.29; stated by city officials.

WHITE SPITTHER SPRINGS W Var. Dies 15 .- State executives attending the fourteenth annual conference of governors were turned from their contremer discussions today to an inspecof cont mines, near Beckley, after agaging at midnight in the first ffurry debate which has marked the ses-

were the two questions which brought a dush or views when the meeting was thrown open to debate shortly before midnight afte an address by Governor Obsett, of Oregon, in which he assailed the klan as a national meaner.

Concernor Morrison, of North Carolina, taking the their, declared he opposed infreelection into the conference of either 11. Opening the klan or prohibition questions, which greater blee against previously last been brought up by Gov-

Lasker with leaving made " a highly im- used have no fear of the conference dein order to obtain the parting from its policy against adopting

Governor Morrison further declared teleaft on their proposed methods for rejected by the 12 deglidated out of existence but could be met affectively only by argument. As to Governor Parker's assertion that prominition was not being enforced and his opinion that the sale of light wine and Leer should be permitted under governa few cents on the dollar and a tax of ment regulation of its manufacture and "astonished" at what he described as

TARBORO WOMAN DIES FROM SHARK BITE

was stated he had decided definitely not circles here that the Washington government regards the reparations difference to the subpoena, served on criment regards the reparations difference washington government. Take BO. Dov. 15.—The body of Miss to respond to the subpoena, served on criment regards the reparations difference washington government.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOOTS SELF

ANDERSON, Dec. 14.—Rulph Gresh ham, 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. allied indebtedness to the United States, they becomed proposed a x x x x become the right head Tuesday afterAmbassador Harvey would be the log- Charman Lassey round be could not one whole examining a pistol. It was

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15,-The house tules committee voted today to give privileged status to the Green resolution proposing an amendment to the constitax exempt securities would be plo-

COTTON MARKET

GASTONIA COTTON. Receipts today30 bales

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NEW YORK, Dec. 15-Cotton futrum