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CONVENTION DELEGATES BEGIN ARRIVING IN CITY MONDAY

Pastors Conference Now In Session And Convention Proper Begins Tonight

Pastors of Baptist churches from all over the state are arriving and being welcomed to the city

PROGRAM OF PASTORS' CONFERENCE

Monday Evening
Sermon on "The Lordship of Jesus" by President E. Y. Mullins.
Meeting of the Baptist Ministers' Benevolent Assurance Association.

Tuesday Morning.
9:30.—Opening Exercises.
10:00.—The Soul-Winning Church—Rev. J. A. Sullivan.
10:30.—Guarding the Deposit—Dr. Livingston Johnson.
11:00.—The Weekly Voice From Heaven—Rev. Charles L. Greaves.
11:30.—The Response of Jesus to Modern Thought—Dr. E. Y. Mullins.

Tuesday Afternoon
2:30.—Open Conference on Local Pastors' Conference. Led by Rev. S. L. Morgan.
3:30.—Country Life and the Country Church—Dr. E. C. Branson.
4:00.—Miscellaneous Matters.
4:30.—Leadership in the Ministry—Dr. E. Y. Mullins.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF THE CONVENTION.

Tuesday Evening.
Song Service.
7:45.—Sermon.
Enrollment and Organization.
Welcome and Response.
Announcement and Distribution of Reports.

Wednesday Morning.
9:00.—Devotional Service.
9:25.—Miscellaneous.
9:30.—Brief Statements about Reports and Appointment of Committees on Recommendations.
10:30.—Biblical Recorder.
11:30.—Address—Our Baptist Heritage—E. Y. Mullins.

Wednesday Afternoon.
2:30.—Miscellaneous.
3:00.—General Topic: EDUCATION.
2:45.—Colleges.
3:45.—Wake Forest Church Building.

Wednesday Evening.
7:30.—Song Service.
7:45.—Secondary Schools.
8:30.—Ministerial Education.
9:00.—Report of Committee on Recommendations.
9:15.—Address—Baptists and Education—E. Y. Mullins.

Thursday Morning.
9:00.—Devotional Service.
9:20.—Miscellaneous.
9:30.—General Topic: MISSIONS.
9:30.—Report of Committee on Recommendations.
10:00.—Foreign Missions.
10:30.—Home Missions.
11:00.—State Missions.
11:30.—Address—A Worthy Baptist Program—E. Y. Mullins.

Thursday Afternoon.
2:30.—Miscellaneous.
School Board.
3:45.—B. Y. P. U.
4:15.—Women's Work.

Thursday Evening.
7:00.—Song Service.
7:45.—Men's Movement.
8:15.—Address—The Model Layman—E. Y. Mullins.

Friday Morning.
9:00.—Devotional Service.
9:20.—Reading Minutes.
2:45.—Sunday Schools and Sunday General Topic: SOCIAL SERVICE.

9:30.—Ministers' Relief.
10:00.—Temperance.
10:30.—Orphanage.
11:30.—Miscellaneous.
11:45.—Memorial Hour.
Reduced rates to Elizabeth City

CLOTHING CAUGHT BY GIN SHAFING

WELL KNOWN MAN AT BELCROSS SUFFERS SEVERE HURTS IN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

Gilbert Evans, of Belcross, about thirty years old, was brought to the Elizabeth City Hospital Friday afternoon with broken arm and leg in addition to severe bruises on head and body. Mr. Evans' hurts were incurred when he was caught in the machinery of a cotton gin at Belcross Friday morning.

Mr. Evans is foreman of the gin of A. Sawyer at Belcross. As he was oiling the machinery yesterday, he stooped to pass beneath the shafting and, supposedly, straightening up a fraction of a second too soon, had the tail of his coat caught by the shafting. The unfortunate man was caught up, the clothing—with the exception of underclothes, socks and shoes—stripped from his body, and then hurled to the floor a distance of eight or ten feet.

Dr. R. L. Kendrick and Dr. O. McMullan were called by telephone and gave Mr. Evans prompt surgical attention. They found his left arm broken, above the elbow, the right leg broken and lacerated below the knee, practically every bit of the skin scraped off his back and the back bruised and its muscles strained, and also a cut on the head which, though serious at first, was found to be only a scalp wound.

The accident occurred at half past ten o'clock Friday morning. After Doctors McMullan and Kendrick had dressed the hurts, the southbound through train was stopped and Mr. Evans was brought to the Elizabeth City hospital, where he is now getting along as well as could be expected.

Watson Found Not Guilty

(By United Press)
Washington, Dec. 1.—Thomas E. Watson today was found not guilty of sending obscene matter thru the mails. He was prosecuted on the charge that his magazine, Watson's Jeffersonian, which attacked the Catholics, was unfit matter for the mails.

Superintendent E. W. Joyner of Dare county passed through the city on his way home from Raleigh where he has been to attend the State Teacher's Assembly.

PARCEL POST SALE.

There will be a parcel post sale at Carlinth school Friday night, Dec. 7th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The sale will be for the benefit of the school and all are urged to attend.

for the Convention have been granted by the proper authorities. Rates are on the certificate plan. Delegates will pay full fare going to the Convention, securing a certificate (not a stub) receipt for the same. On return half fare plus 50 cents will be paid.

BERKLEY BRIVES DEFEAT HIGHS

The Elizabeth City High School team suffered a brave defeat at the hands of the Berkley Braves in a spirited and interesting game of football on the local gridiron on Thanksgiving. The score was 7 to 6. A very large crowd was in attendance and the local team got hearty support from the rooters.

Berkley started off rather briskly throwing their heavy line against the high school boys with such force that they were able to place the oval under the poles in the first quarter. A successful goal kick netted the visitors 7 points. Elizabeth City then renewed effort so strongly against the Braves that they were kept from making another score.

The second and third quarter ended with the score standing 7 to 0 in favor of Berkley. In the fourth the highs strengthened a bit and made an earnest effort to tie the score. In the last five minutes of the play Berkley was pushed by hard plunges and end runs from the 60 yard line to a touchdown. The locals failed to kick a goal. In a few seconds the game was called the score being 7 to 6 in favor of Berkley.

McCoy's work at half back was extremely good in line plunging. Wynne and Sawyer put up a hard game, starting in several instances Cahoon featured on end runs and Reid at right end played a good game. The work of the home boys was especially good considering the fact that they were outweighed by the Braves 5 pounds to the man. The back field and team work of Berkley was very good. Both teams made attempts at forward passes, but were unsuccessful, probably due in part to the strong wind.

The following was the lineup:
Berkley (Va) Braves E. City H.S.
Sykes L. E. Cooper
Bond L. T. Chesson
Winfield L. G. Deans
Kight C. Evans
Walker R. G. Bennett
Parron R. T. Jones
Thomas R. E. Reid
Morrisette Q. Cahoon
Roberts L. H. B. McCoy
Phelps R. H. B. Sawyer
Dudley F. B. Wynn

Touchdowns: Roberts, for Berkley; Cahoon for Elizabeth City.

Negro Shot On Thanksgiving

Mr. Shores and his dogs were called to the scene of a negro murder Thanksgiving night about six miles from South Mills at a negro lodge.

"Elsie" Ferebee and Wiley Bass, both negroes about forty years of age, had been having trouble, and when they got their Thanksgiving quart of booze safely stored away in their interiors the real trouble began.

Just before dark the killing occurred, Ferebee shooting Bass, finishing his job with one shot from a pistol, which took effect near the heart.

Mr. Shores got there as soon as possible after he was notified of the murder, his dogs took the trail and followed toward Moyock. It is supposed that the negro made for a railroad thereby hoping to escape.

Mrs. Laura Bero of Grandy is visiting in the city.

CABINET CRISIS MAY BE AVERTED

RESIGNATION OF WAR SECRETARY DENIED IN LATEST REPORT FROM BRITISH CAPITAL

London, December 4.—Whether the cabinet crisis is definitely passed or not is uncertain, but indications are that Premier Asquith is maintaining his reputation as one of the greatest political placators in history.

On the most reliable information obtainable it is believed that Lloyd George will not resign as rumored, nor, it is said, did he actually threaten to do so. He did, however, firmly express his vigorous belief of the absolute necessity of a small compact council with full authority to conduct the war.

Apparently Asquith acceded to the suggestions of the Secretary of War, for it was officially announced last night that the Premier had decided to advise the King to consent to a reconstruction of the government.

It is circumstantially reported that Unionist cabinet members advised the premier to resign and intimated that if he did not do so then the whole Unionist representation in the cabinet would.

The nature of Asquith's reply is not revealed but it is understood that the Unionists have not decided to remain in the cabinet.

Asquith announced this morning that both Commons and King had approved his plan for the reconstruction of the Government.

TWO GERMAN SUBS ON WAY HERE

Providence, Rhode Island, Dec. 4. The Journal declared this morning that it had authoritative information to the effect that two large German submarines are now in the West Indies and that two others left Kiel a month ago, eluded the British patrol and are now en route to the American coast.

ERECT DYE-PLANT AS EXPERIMENT

Washington, December 4.—The Comptroller of the Currency authorized today the expenditure of \$50,000.00 to erect an experimental dye plant to determine whether dye can be made profitably in America.

RAISE SIXTY DOLLARS FOR ORPHANS

A collection for the orphans amounting to sixty dollars was taken at a Union service at Moyock Baptist Church Sunday night. The collection will be divided equally between the Methodist orphanage at Raleigh and the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville.

At Rehoboth Baptist Church in Currituck County a collection for the orphanage was taken Sunday morning amounting to \$12.00. Editor Herbert Peele led both of these services.

GOES TO CHICAGO

Dr. F. D. Owen left Saturday for Chicago to attend the meeting of the Interstate Livestock Sanitary Commerce Board which begins on Monday.

B. L. Banks, Jr., of Gateville is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Banks, on West Main street.

WANTED—Girl that can read and write. Apply 152 Polindexter Street. Dec. 3, 2

STERLING SILVER HATPINS — two for twenty-five cents. B. C. Bright Co. Hinton building. S&M

ROUMANIAN ROUT IS PRECIPITATE

GERMANS FRIDAY WITHIN TEN MILES OF BUCHAREST AND PREPARING FOR SEIGE

(By CARL W. ACKERMAN)
Headquarters Marshall Mackensen, Dec. 4.—The Germans Friday were within ten miles of Bucharest. The Roumanian retreat was so precipitate that the German advance column in hot support of the fleeing enemy lost touch with their supporting infantry the slower moving infantry being unable to keep up.

German officers declare that the morale of the Roumanian army is completely broken, and no serious defense of the Roumanian capital is expected. However, German officers are taking no chances and are moving huge forces and all the equipment necessary for a siege.

Note.—The foregoing statement puts the Germans on Friday much closer to Bucharest than was hinted at in official statements of the German war office.

BOTH HOUSES CONVENED TO-DAY

PROPOSALS INTENDED SHATTER HIGH COST OF LIVING MARKED RE-OPENING

Washington, December 4th.—Legislative proposals intended to shatter the high cost of living marked the re-opening of Congress today.

Congressman Fitzgerald, leader of the embargo forces, introduced four plans, two of them calling for food expert embargoes and the other two for the regulation of cold storage and the reduction of parcel post charges on food.

The House convened at 12:01; the senate, three minutes later. After a seven minute session the senate adjourned until three o'clock, having appointed a committee to notify the House that the senate was ready for business.

Crammed galleries watched the opening of both houses. Speaker Clarke was cheered widely.

TO GIVE STAG SUPPER

Mr. W. R. Lambert who is to be married Wednesday to Miss Nannie Fearing will be the guest of honor at a stag supper in the Hinton Building to-night. The supper will be given by a number of Mr. Lambert's close friends.

Schedule For School Games

The following is the schedule of the baseball and basket ball games at the High School until the Christmas holidays.

BASEBALL
Red Stars vs American Eagles Dec. 5th.
Sliders vs Red Sox Dec. 5th.
Hustlers vs Young Giants Dec. 6.
Giants vs American Eagles Dec. 6th.
Lassiterville Stars vs Tigers Dec. 7th.
Red Stars vs Lions Dec. 7th.
Sliders vs Young Giants Dec. 8th.
Hustlers vs American Eagles Dec. 8th.
Giants vs Lions Dec. 11.
Lassiterville Stars vs Red Sox Dec. 11.
Red Stars vs Tigers Dec. 12th.
Sliders vs American Eagles Dec. 12th.

ELKS MEMORIAL WELL ATTENDED

JUDGE BRAGAW'S ADDRESS HEARD WITH MUCH FAVOR BY LARGE AUDIENCE

Elizabeth Lodge No. 856 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks held a beautiful and solemn memorial service as a tribute to the memory of their dead Sunday afternoon at the Alkrama.

Judge Stephen C. Bragaw of Washington Lodge No. 882, delivered the Memorial address, and a very appropriate program was carried out. The lodge members turned out in a body and a large number of citizens witnessed the ceremonies.

The exercises began promptly at 3 o'clock, when Exalted Ruler, P. G. Sawyer asked Dr. B. C. Henning to lead in the opening prayer. Following this came the opening, after which Mr. H. G. Parks sang "Peace Troubled Soul." A quartette rendered "The Vacant Chair," and Mr. H. C. Foreman sang "O Dry Those Tears." Following Judge Bragaw's address the choir sang "God So Loved The World."

The exercises were probably the most impressive the Lodge has ever held. Judge Bragaw proved himself an orator worthy of the occasion, and the committee may feel congratulated in having been able to secure his excellent services. His speech was forceful, impressive and appropriate. He referred to "man's inhumanity to man" as something foreign to the principle of Elksdom, and with the subject, Brotherly Love, held his audience anxious for every word. The keynote of his address might be found in this single quotation from his speech, "My brothers: The man, whatever the age or wherever the clime, who stands for God's truth and man's hope, and in his daily life and relations with men carries in his heart the spirit of Charity, Justice and Brotherly Love is himself erecting to his own memory a monument that cannot crumble, and does not need a place in any man-made hall of fame."

The speaker was fittingly introduced by Judge R. W. Turner, who briefly referred to the speaker as one of Carolina's most substantial men, a lawyer and an Ex-Judge, too widely known to need an introduction.

Following the exercises the members in two marched back to the home.

REWARD FOR INFORMATION

My red Irish setter dog, with "O. F. G." cut into collar, is being held by some person. I want to know who that person is. O. F. GILBERT Sat and mon.

WANTED—Capable young man to do general work in warehouse and office. N. G. GRANDY. Fool of Matthews Street Dec. 2, 4, 5.

Hustlers vs Lions Dec. 13th.
Lassiterville Stars vs Young Giant Dec. 13th.
Red Stars vs Red Sox Dec. 14.
American Eagles vs Lions Dec. 14
Sliders vs Lions Dec. 15.
Giants vs Lassiterville Stars Dec. 15th.
Red Stars vs Young Giants Dec. 18th.
Champions vs Red Sox Dec. 18th.
Tigers vs American Eagles Dec. 19th.
Red Sox vs Lions Dec. 19th.
Hustlers vs Giants Dec. 20th.
Lassiterville Stars vs American Eagles Dec. 20th.